

months last past received marked or nailed or for the future shall receive  
 mark or nail any hoggshead or hoggsheads of tobacco within this  
 province of any person or persons debtors within the same and which  
 shall be paid and delivered to them for satisfaction of their said debts  
 and such merchants or others have upon receipt marking and  
 nailing such hoggshead or hoggsheads of tobacco delivered up their bills  
 or other security to their respective debtors of their said debts or if the  
 said Merchants or others have given releases or discharges to their said  
 Debtors of the said debt and that before the said merchant or others  
 could remove the said hoggshead or hoggsheads of Tobacco from the  
 debtors Tobacco houses if any Sheriffs shall come and seize  
 such tobacco so marked and nailed as aforesaid that then and in every  
 such case if the party refuse to make and give to the said Creditor  
 some other full satisfaction for their said debts it shall and may be  
 lawful for any two of His Majesty's Justices of the ~~same~~ respective  
 Counties within this province upon due proof thereof made before  
 them of the said debt and Sheriffs seizure as aforesaid and the party  
 Debtor refusing to make that full satisfaction to their Creditor for  
 their said debt at the said Creditor's request towards him execution  
 with such Costs not exceeding one hundred pounds of Tobacco against  
 the body goods or Chattels of such Debtors to be executed by the Sheriff  
 for satisfaction of the Creditor's just debt and Costs as if in a full  
 and ample manner as if the debt were recovered by due Course of Law  
 And be it <sup>Enacted</sup> by the Authority ~~of~~ Advice and Consent  
 aforesaid that the altering or scratching out of the mark of any Tobacco  
 received and paid in hoggsheads or altering or changing the Quality  
 of tobacco in hoggsheads so received or paid either by uncausing or other  
 wise without ~~without~~ lawful warrant in writing under the hand  
 of such person who received the same or for whose use the same was  
 received and paid be deemed and adjudged felony and whosoever <sup>shall</sup> be  
 found guilty thereof by Confession or by verdict of twelve men in any  
 Court of record within this Province shall have Judgment to receive four  
 years to the party Grievous and stand in the pillory two hours during  
 the Court time with his offence fairly written in paper and placed  
 on the back of such Convict person. ~~And it is~~ <sup>Provided</sup> that no  
 Person be prosecuted on this act for the aforesaid offence a Year and four  
 days from the time of the offence committed And to prevent the  
 fraudulent practices used in packing tobacco in hoggsheads  
 It is Enacted by the Authority Advice and Consent aforesaid  
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