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And be it further Enacted by the authority aforesaid that if
any matter of Dispute arises Concerning Servants Imported into
this province or any Servant that binds himself for Years within
this province or any bound out by the County Courts of this province
in relation to their indentures Contracts or Wages or any other
Matter of Difference between the said Master and Servant the
same shall be tried heard and determined by Petition as aforesaid
Law Statute or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

And be it Enacted by the authority aforesaid and Consent aforesaid that
no negro or other Slave within this province shall be permitted
to Carry any Gun or any other offensive weapon from of their Masters
Land without Licence from their said master and if any Negro or
other Slave shall presume so to do he shall be liable to be Carried
before a Justice of Peace and be whipt and his Gun or other
offensive weapon shall be forfeited to him that shall seize the same
and Carry such Negro so offending before a Justice of Peace.

And be it Enacted by the authority aforesaid by and with the advice
and Consent aforesaid that from and after the end of this session of
assembly any Servant or servants whatsoever within this province
that shall feloniously take or purloine his or their Master Mistress
or Dames Goods or Chattels under the Value of one thousand
pounds of Tobacco shall be adjudged felony and being there of
lawfully Convict in any County Court of this province shall be
adjudged to pay four times the Value of such goods so purloined
to his or their master Mistress or Dame which he she or they shall
make good by service after the expiration of their first time
of service and shall also suffer such pains of whipping or pillorying
as the Justices before whom such matter is brought shall adjudge.

And be it further Enacted by the authority aforesaid and Consent
aforesaid that which any person or persons (except Negroes and Mallatoes)
shall be found Travelling without passes as aforesaid and shall be taken
up as suspected runaways and by any Justice of Peace
Committed to the Custody of any Sheriff or Gaoler within this
province it shall not be lawfull for any such Sheriff or Gaoler
to hold such person in Custody longer than six months: and if
such person can at any time within the said six months procure
a Certificate or other justification that he or she would serve
he or she shall and may by order of any two Justices of the

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