

View or Examined by such Informer whether the hogghead or hoggheads, so viewed be Condemned or not to be recovered according to Act of Assembly of this province for speedy recovery of Small Debts out of Court before a single Justice

AND be it further Enacted that in Case any of the Justices of the County Court any Sheriff Coroner Vestryman or Church Warden who upon application made by any Informer shall without Lawfull excuse or Impediment refuse or delay to performe what is required of them by this Act the Justice or officer so refusing shall forfeit and pay the Summe of fifteen Shillings Currant money for every hogghead so by him refused to be viewed to the use of such Informer to be recovered as last before mentioned.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority Advice and Consent aforesaid that no person or persons whatsoever after such hogghead or hoggheads of tobacco marked with the broad Arrow aforesaid and before View thereof by any officer as aforesaid shall presume to remove alter or change any hogghead so marked as aforesaid or the tobacco therein so as to avoid the Justice of this Act nor after View and Condemnation in manner aforesaid shall presume to alter or change in any wise meddle with such Condemned hogghead or hoggheads of tobacco without Leave or Licence from such Informer under penalty or forfeiture for every hogghead of tobacco so removed altered or changed as aforesaid the Summe of twelve hundred pounds of tobacco to the use of such Informer to be recovered in any County Court within this province by Action of debt bill plaint or Information wherein no Escoyne protection or Wager of Law to be allowed.

And be it further Enacted that if any person or persons shall after the End of this session of Assembly pay or tender to pay any packt hogghead of tobacco whereof the full weight of the Emptie hogghead or the full weight within five pounds is not Cut or markt on the bulge of such hogghead and be thereof Convict in manner aforesaid he or they so Convict as aforesaid shall forfeit for every such hogghead or hoggheads not having the weight set thereon as aforesaid the Summe of six hundred pounds of tobacco the one halfe thereof

Right honourable the Lord proprietarie his heirs and Successors towards defraying the Charge of the County where such offence shall be Committed the other halfe to the Informer or to him or them that shall sue for y<sup>e</sup> same to be recovered in such County Court by Action of debt bill plaint or Information wherein no Escoyne protection or Wager of Law to be allowed. AND for the ascertain- ing what shall be allowed for the Vallue of a Tobacco hogghead

Be it Enacted that the receiver of any hogghead of tobacco shall pay and allow to the owner or owners thereof for such hogghead received the Summe of forty pounds of tobacco to be added to nett Weight of such tobacco AND (whereas)