

Ordinaries
not to be
kept without
Licence, on
forfeiture of
20 l. per
Month.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That any Ordinary-keeper disabled or suppressed as aforesaid, or any other Person that shall presume to keep Ordinary without Licence first had and obtained as aforesaid, shall, for every Month he, she, or they shall keep Ordinary, forfeit and pay *Ten Pounds* Current Money, and so proportionably for a longer or shorter Time, that any Person shall sell Liquors, or do contrary to this Law, one half to the Commissioners or Trustees aforesaid, to be collected and paid by the Sheriffs as aforesaid, and by the said Commissioners or Trustees applied as aforesaid, and the other half to him or them that shall sue for the same, to be Recovered in the County Court where such Offence shall be committed, in the Names of the Lord Proprietor and Informer, by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint or Information, wherein no Essoyn, Protection, or Wager of Law to be allowed.

Retailing, &c

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That no Person or Persons inhabiting within this Province, not having lawful Licence, shall Sell by Retail, unless Sold at the common and usual Rates of such Liquors between Merchants and others, any Cyder, Quince Drink, or other strong Liquors, to be Drank in his, her, or their Houses, or about his, her, or their Plantation, upon the forfeiture of every Time he, she, or they shall be legally Convict thereof, the Sum of *Five Pounds* Current Money, one half thereof to the Commissioners or Trustees aforesaid, to be collected, paid, and applied as aforesaid, and the other half to the Informer, or to him or them that shall sue for the same, to be Recovered as aforesaid.

Measures to
be sealed

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That all Licenced Ordinary-keepers shall be provided with and Sell by Sealed Measures, all Liquors (except such as shall come into the Province in Bottles) And that any Ordinary-keeper who shall neglect to provide and always keep a Quart, Pint, Half Pint, and Gill Pot, or any of them, Sealed Measures, shall forfeit and pay *Five Pounds* Current Money, to the Uses aforesaid, to be collected and applied as aforesaid, and recovered in the County Court where the Ordinary-keeper Offending Resides, in the Names of the Lord Proprietary and Informer, by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint or Information, wherein no Essoyn, Protection or Wager of Law to be allowed.

To prevent
Tippling

And whereas it hath been found prejudicial to the Inhabitants of this Province, that Ordinary-keepers and Innholders have frequently Entertained diverse loose, idle, and disorderly Persons, a great Time Tippling at their Houses, as well to the great Damage of many Persons, as their own Ruin.

Bond to be
given

Be it therefore Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, by and with the Advice and Consent aforesaid, That it shall not be lawful for any such Ordinary-keeper or Innholder to keep such Ordinary, or House of Entertainment, until he or she give good and sufficient Security, by Bond or Recognizance to the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, his Heirs and Successors, in *Forty Pounds* Current Money, before the Justices of the County