

Person as shall bring the Second best Piece in quality, of the length and breadth aforesaid, The Sum of *Four Pounds Five Shillings*, to the Person who shall bring the third Piece in quality of the length and breadth aforesaid, The Sum of *Three Pounds Ten Shillings*, to the Person who shall bring the fourth Piece in quality of the length and breadth aforesaid, The Sum of *Two Pounds Ten Shillings*, to the Person who shall bring the fifth Piece in quality of the length and breadth aforesaid, in which said Pieces of Linen, regard shall be had to the quality and whiteness of the Linen.

And be it Enacted by the Authority, Advice and Consent aforesaid,
 That the remaining part of the said *Thirty Pounds* to be levied as aforesaid by virtue of this Act, shall be paid and applied to the several Persons and Uses following, To the Person who shall bring into the *August Courts* aforesaid, the Sixth best Piece of Linen of the length aforesaid, and not under Seven Eights of a yard wide, the Sum of *Two Pounds Five Shillings*, To the Person who shall bring in the Seventh best Piece of Linen, of the dimension last described, the Sum of *Two Pounds*, To the Person who shall bring in the Eighth best Piece of Linen, of the dimension aforesaid, the Sum of *One Pound Fifteen Shillings*, To the Person who shall bring in the Ninth best Piece of Linen, of the dimension aforesaid, the Sum of *One Pound Ten Shillings*, To the Person who shall bring in the Tenth best Piece of Linen, of the dimension aforesaid, the Sum of *One Pound Five Shillings*; to which said Pieces of the length of *Twenty Yards* and Seven Eights of a yard wide at least, no regard is to be had to the whiteness.

Proviso.

Provided always, That the Linen for which the Bounty by this Act allowed, shall be given, shall be Wove after the end of this Session of Assembly, and made of Flax or Hemp, of the growth of the respective Counties where the Bounties shall be paid, and that such Flax or Hemp shall be actually manufactured in such County, and that no Person shall be allowed any Bounty for Linen but in the County where the Flax or Hemp shall grow and be entirely manufactured, of which such Proof shall be made, as shall be satisfactory to the Justices of the respective County Courts.

And Provided likewise, That it shall and may be lawful for the said Justices to cut each piece of Linen, for which the Bounty shall be allowed, into two equal Parts, or to use any other Methods they shall think fit without much damage to such Linen, to prevent two Rewards being given for one and the same Piece of Linen, and then to return to the Bringer or Proprietor thereof such Linen.

Provided also, Where the Money levied as aforesaid, shall not be applied to the uses aforesaid, that then the Justices of the County Courts where such application shall not be made, shall apply the Money so levied to the use of the County the ensuing Year.

And whereas by a former Act of Assembly, entituled, *An Act to encourage the making of Linen Cloth within this Province, of Flax or Hemp*
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