

C. H. A. P. ment of such Bills on *London*; but that there shall be an Indorsment  
XXVI. made, on the Back of the Bond for which such Bills of Exchange shall  
be paid, of the Receipt thereof; and when the said Bills shall be paid in  
*London*, or if protested, when the Sum, Damages, and Charges of Pro-  
test, shall be paid and satisfied, and not before, the said Bond shall be  
discharged and given up, and until then shall stand and remain as a Lien  
and Security, as fully and effectually as when first executed. And the  
said Commissioners shall keep a fair Account of all the said Bills of Cre-  
dit, so to be received in, as well in Discharge of Debts aforesaid, as for  
which they shall have drawn Bills of Exchange, or paid Gold and Silver,  
and lock up the said Bills of Credit in the Iron Chest aforesaid, to be ex-  
amined, cancelled, and destroyed, by a Committee of Assembly at the  
next Session after Receipt thereof.

The Com- XVII. And be it enacted, That the said Commissioners shall, and they  
missioners to are hereby directed and required to compel the punctual Payment of the  
compel punct- Interest annually, which shall be due on Loans to be made by virtue of  
tual Payment this Act, within Three Months after the same shall respectively become  
of Interest, due; and for any Interest they shall receive, shall give a Receipt to the  
&c. which Person paying the same, and in Default of such Payment of Interest shall  
may be sent cause such Process as aforesaid to be issued, to call in both Principal and  
out again. Interest, and shall and may lend out again, in Manner aforesaid, such  
Gold and Silver, or Bills of Credit to be emitted by virtue of this Act,  
as they may from Time to Time receive in from the Borrowers aforesaid,  
except such as are herein directed to be retained in the said Office.

Commission- XVIII. And, The more effectually to enforce the regular and punctual  
ers and their Payment of the Interest which may become due on the said Loans, and  
Sureties lia- in which the Public is so greatly interested, *Be it enacted*, That in Case  
ble in Case of the Commissioners aforesaid shall not issue Process on any of the said  
of Failure of Bonds, by the Space of Six Months next after the Interest on such Bond  
Duty. shall be due and payable, then the said Commissioners shall be chargea-  
ble with, and their Office Bonds and their Sureties therein be liable for,  
not only the principal Money and Interest due on such Bonds, but also  
Interest on the Interest, as it shall arise, till actual Payment into the  
Office of the Principal and all such Interest on the said Bond.

When the XIX. And, The better to support the Credit of the said Bills now to  
Exchange be emitted, *Be it enacted*, That whenever the Current Exchange between  
shall be a- this Province and *London* shall be more than at the Rate of Four Shillings  
bove Par, no and Six-pence Sterling per Dollar, that is, when Dollars will not pur-  
Bills of Cre- chase Bills of Exchange at that Rate, or under, then and so long as the  
dit to be Exchange shall keep so above Par, it shall not be lawful for the said  
lent out of Commissioners to send out any of the Bills of Credit they may then have  
the Office. in their Office, any Thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstand-  
ing.

Monies, &c. XX. And be it enacted, That all Monies and Bills of Exchange which  
after the Bills shall remain in the said Office, or in *England*, in Stock, or in the Hands  
of Credit of the said Trustees, or in the Hands of the Debtors for the Loans a-  
shall be sunk, fore said, and the Interest arising therefrom after all the said Bills of Cre-  
to be disposed dit by this Act emitted shall be called in and sunk, shall be applied and  
or as the Af- disposed of in such Manner and Form as the Assembly of this Province  
sembly shall direct. shall direct and appoint.

This Act to XXI. And be it hereby declared and enacted, That this present Act  
be a public shall be taken and allowed as a public Act, and all Judges, Justices, and  
Act. other