

being in this Province at the Time of the Execution of this Act, who shall not before that Time have taken the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by the said last mentioned Act, and upon Summons by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the said Commissioners, shall refuse to take the said Oaths at the Time appointed in the said Warrant, or shall neglect to appear at such Time before the Commissioners, in order to take the said Oaths (which the said Commissioners, or any One of them, are hereby impowered and required to administer) shall yield and pay double the Sums and Rates, which, by Force and Virtue of any Clause in this Act before mentioned and contained, he or they should or ought to pay, or be charged with, in Manner as is before in this present Act appointed, touching Papists, or reputed Papists.

LXXXI. *AND be it further Enacted*, That any Two or more of the Commissioners, appointed by this Act, in the respective Counties in this Province, upon Information, or upon any Cause of Suspicion in that Behalf, shall, and are hereby required and impowered to cause every Person suspected (or against whom such Information shall be given) to be summoned to appear to take the said Oaths as aforesaid. *Provided nevertheless*, That whereas certain Persons, Dissenters from the Church of England, commonly called *Quakers*, and also other *German* Protestant Dissenters, known to be such in this Province, do scruple the taking of any Oaths; it shall be sufficient for any such Persons to make and subscribe the like Declaration of Fidelity to his Majesty, as was contained in an Act made in the Parliament held in the First Year of the Reign of their late Majesties King *William* and Queen *Mary*, entitled, *An Act for exempting their Majesty's Protestant Subjects, Dissenters from the Church of England, from the Penalties of certain Laws*; (which Declaration any One or more of the Commissioners appointed for the executing of this Act, are hereby impowered and required to take and receive) and every such Person so doing, shall not be liable to, or chargeable with, any of the double Rates aforesaid.

LXXXII. *AND be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid*, That in all Cases where any Assessor or Assessors, who by this Act are required to make double Assessments upon Papists, or reputed Papists, or other Persons, for not taking the Oaths aforesaid, shall neglect to do his or their Duty therein, the respective Commissioners of the County where such double Assessments ought to have been made, or any Two or more of them, shall take Care, and they are hereby authorized and required, to cause such Papists, or other Persons, to be doubly charged, according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act. *Provided always, and be it Enacted*, That where the Owners of any Lands, Tenements and Hereditaments, are

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