

where it is otherwise directed by this Act, shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt, Bill, Plaint or Information, with Costs, in any Court of Record within this Province, wherein no Effoin, Protection or Wager of Law, shall be allowed; one Half thereof to the Informer, or him or them that shall sue for the same, the other Half thereof to the Commissioners or Trustees aforesaid, to be by them applied to the replacing and sinking the several Sums of Money granted by this Act.

LXXXVII. AND whereas the frequent Use of Carriages may be necessary; *Be it Enacted*, That from and after the End of this Session of Assembly until the First Day of *November*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty, when and as often as the Service may require the carrying of Gunpowder, Shot, Lead, Arms, Cloathing, or any military Stores or Accoutrements whatsoever, or Provisions of any Kind, for Troops in his Majesty's Service, there shall be paid the following Rates of Carriage to the Owner or Owners of all such Carriages as shall be employed in such Services, *viz.* For the Hire of every Cart, with Four Horses, and a Driver, the Sum of Twelve Shillings Current Money *per* Day, and for the Hire of every Waggon, with Four Horses, and a Driver, the Sum of Fifteen Shillings Current Money *per* Day, during the Time such Cart or Waggon shall be detained or employed in his Majesty's Service. *Provided always*, and it is the true Intent and Meaning of this Act, that where any Cart or Waggon shall be discharged from the Service for which they were pressed, at any Distance from the Place of Abode of the Owner thereof, that then the said Owner or Owners shall be paid for the Hire of their said Cart or Waggon after the Rate of Six Pence *per* Mile for every Mile they shall be obliged to travel from the Place of their Discharge to their respective Places of Abode.

LXXXVIII. *AND be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid*, That no Officer or Commander of any Company, or Person, employing any Cart or Waggon in Virtue of this Act, shall constrain or compel the Owner or Driver of such Cart or Waggon to travel more than Fifteen Miles in any one Day, on Pain of forfeiting the Sum of Five Pounds Current Money, to be recovered before One Provincial Justice, or Two Justices of the Peace where the Offence shall be committed, and applied as the Fines and Forfeitures herein before are directed to be applied. *Provided nevertheless*, That if the Exigency of the Service should make it necessary for any Carriage, employed within this Province in his Majesty's Service, to travel more than
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