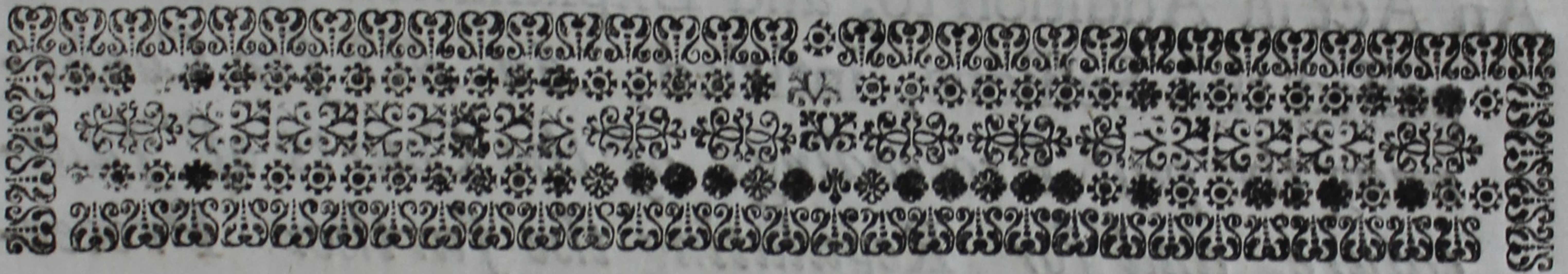


such Person or Persons shall be at Liberty to bring the same Actions, so as they take the same within such Times as are before limited, after their coming to, or being of full Age, *Discoverd, of sane Memory, at large,* and returned from *beyond the Seas,* as by other Persons having no such Impediment, should be done.

And be it further enacted, That if any Person or Persons, against whom there is or shall be any Cause of Suit or Action of *Trespass, Detinue, Actions of Trover or Replevin,* for taking away any Goods or Cattle, or of Action of Account, or upon the Case, or of *Debt,* grounded upon any Lending or Contract without Specialty, of *Debt* for Arrearages of Rent, or Assault, *Menace, Battery, Wounding,* and *Imprisonment,* or any of them be or shall be, at the Time of any such Cause of *Suit* or Action given or accrued, fallen or become *beyond the Seas,* that then such Person or Persons who is or shall be intitled to any such Suit or Action, shall be at Liberty to bring the said Actions against such Person and Persons after their Return from *beyond the Seas,* so as they take the same after their Return from *beyond the Seas,* within such Times, as are respectively limited for the bringing of the same, by this Act.



An Act to prevent unnecessary Firing off *Guns,* and other *Fire-Arms,* in the Town and Suburbs of *Halifax.*

B E it enacted by His Excellency the Governor, Council, and Assembly and by the Authority of the same it is hereby enacted, That if any Person or Persons, of what Age or Degree soever, from and after the Publication of this Act, shall unnecessarily fire out of any *Gun, Fusee, Musket, Pistol* or other Fire Arm, in any of the Houses, Streets, Lanes, Wharves, Yards, or Gardens in the Town or Suburbs of *Halifax,* every Person so offending, upon Conviction thereof, upon the Oath of *One* or more credible Witness, before any of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, shall forfeit the Sum of *Ten Shillings,* to be levied by Warrant of Distress from such Justice, on the Offenders Goods and Chattels, and for Want of Goods or Chattels, such

Offender

Offender shall be committed to Goal for the Space of Twenty four Hours.

Provided that no Prosecution for Breach of this Act shall be admitted, unless Complaint be made thereof within Twelve Hours, at least, after the Offence committed.

All Forfeitures arising by Virtue of this Act, shall be One half to him or her who will prosecute for the same, and the other to the Use of this His Majesty's Government.



An Act in Addition to, and Explanation of an Act passed this Sessions, intituled, *An Act for Confirming the past Proceedings of the Courts of Judicature, and for Regulating the further Proceedings of the same.*

WHEREAS by an Act made and passed this present Session of General Assembly, intituled, An Act for the Confirming the past Proceedings of the Courts of Judicature, and for the regulating the further Proceedings of the same, it is among other Things enacted, " That in all Causes whatsoever (except Actions of Debt, or Actions grounded on Specialties) now depending or hereafter to be brought in the Inferior Court, wherein the Defendant or Defendants have or shall suffer Judgment to pass against him, her, or them by Default, the said Inferior Court is hereby impowered, and required, in Lieu of a Writ of Enquiry, to order a Jury to be sworn to Assess the Damages.

And WHEREAS some Doubts have arisen what Agreements in Writing, the Word Specialty may extend to, Be it enacted By His Excellency the Governor, Council and Assembly, and by the Authority of the same it is hereby enacted, That hereafter, all Bills of Exchange, Notes of Hand, mutual Settlement and Adjustment of Accounts, or any Agreement in Writing wherein a certain Sum is specified and expressed, signed by the

Defendant,