nue, and the same are hereby continued in Force from the Expiration thereof, until the Thirty First Day of December of this present Year, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Three.

Continued to 312 December 1773.

## C A P. II.

An Act for further continuing the several Acts relating to the Duty on licensed Houses.

8. Geo. 3. cap. 6;

E it Enacted, by the Governor, Council and Assembly,

That an Act, made in the Eighth Year of His present

Majesty's Reign, intitled, an Act for suppressing unliggg cenfed Houses, and for Granting to his Majesty a Duty on Persons hereafter to be licensed, and an Act made in the Eleventh Year of the Reign of his faid Majesty, for altering and continuing the faid Act, shall be, and continue, and the same are hereby continued in Force, from the Expiration thereof, until the Thirty First Day of December of this present Year, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Three.

Continued to 318 December 1773.

## III. C A P.

An Act for amending and continuing an Act, made in 12. Geo. 3. cap. 3. the Twelfth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, intitled, an Act for raising a Fund for the Purpose of making and repairing Bridges and Roads of Communication thro' the Province.

\*\*EXXX E it Enacted, by the Governor, Council and Assembly. That " an Act made in the Twelfth Year of His pre-B "fent Majesty's Reign, intitled, an Act for raising a \*\* Fund for the Purpose of making and repairing Bridges " and Roads of Communication thro' the Province," shall be, and continue, and the same is hereby continued in Force from the Expiration thereof, until the First Day of July of the Year of One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Four.

Continued to 14 July 1774.

And be it also Enacted, That from and after the First Day of July of this present Year, there shall be raised, levied, collected and paid, by every Householder and Owner of Lands in this Province, by and under the Limitations, Provisoes, Pains, and Penalties, and for the Purpofes prescribed, directed and mentioned, in and by the faid above recited Act, the like Rates and Taxes, as are imposed by the said Act.

From 1st July 1773, the like Rates to be paid as directed by faid Act.

III. And

Commissioners or major part of them to act.

III. And be it Enacted, That the Commissioners or Directors, or the Major Part of them, shall proceed on, and act in all Matters, relative to the carrying into Execution the said Act, any thing therein to the contrary notwithstanding.

## C A P. IV.

An Act for Regulating the Fishery within the Harbour of Halifax.

No Nets to be fet but from Sun-fet to Eight o'clock in the morning,

Distance from Shore & from each other prescribed.
Penalty £. 5

That from and after the Publication of this Act, no perfon shall presume to set or affix any Net or Nets between Jebucto-Head, and the Head of the North-West-Arm, but from Sun-Set to Eight o'Clock in the Morning, and at the Distance of Fifty Yards from the Western Shore, and at least Fifty Yards from each other; leaving a Passage of Fifty Yards for Vessels to pass, under the Penalty and Forseiture of Five Pounds, to be recovered on the Oath of one credible Witness, before any one of his Majesty's Justices of the Peace, or by view of the said Justice.

Distribution & application of the Penalty.

II. And be it further Enacted, That all Penalties incurred and arising by this Act shall be applied, one Moiety to the Person who shall inform and Sue for the same, the other Moiety to be paid into his Majesty's Treasury for the Use of the Province, the same to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chattels, together with the Charges of such Distress and Sale, rendering the Overplus (if any be) to the Owner or Owners thereof.

To be in force to the 31st December 1773. III. And be it also Enacted, That this Act shall continue, and be in Force, until the Thirty First Day of December of the present Year One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Three.

## C A P. V.

An Act to prevent for a limitted Time the Exportation or Shipping of Wheat, Rye, Barley, Flour, Meal, and Peale, from any of the Ports or Places in this Province, within the Bay of Fundy.

Preamble.

HEREAS great Inconvenience and Detriment arises from W the Shipping of Grain, before the Season proper for Threshing out the same, and to prevent a Scarcity thereof.

I. Be it Enacted by the Governor, Council and Assembly, That no Wheat.