

C A P. III.

An ACT in Addition to, and Amendment of an Act for continuing the several Laws relating to the Duties on licenced Houses, and for the Appropriation of the Monies raised thereby.

*E*t it Enacted by the Governor, Council and Assembly, That from and after the 31st Day of December, 1784, the

B Clerks or Receivers of the Licence Duties in each County within this Province, shall return a just Account every half Year to the Justices of the General Session of each County or District, except the Town or District of *Halifax*, of the Monies so by him or them collected, and shall pay the same half yearly into the Hands of the County Treasurer; And in Case such Receiver or Receivers shall neglect or refuse to render such Accounts and pay in such Monies as aforesaid, he or they shall forfeit for each & every Offence the Sum of *Twenty Pounds*, to be recovered by the Judgment of such Sessions, and applied to the Purpose of Repairing Roads within such County, and the said Justices by and with the Advice of the Grand Jury for such County are hereby empowered to lay out, and expend such Monies for Repairs of Roads and Bridges within their respective Counties and Districts, and to account with, and receive from the said Clerks or Receivers all Monies now remaining due for Licences heretofore obtained, which have not been paid into the Treasury of this Province, and in Case such Receiver or Receivers shall neglect or refuse to render such Accounts and pay such Monies, he or they shall forfeit and pay the Sum of *Twenty Pounds* for each and every Refusal or Neglect, to be recovered and applied as aforesaid,

II. *And be it further Enacted*, That the Receiver of the Licence Duties within the Town and District of *Halifax*, shall account with the Treasury of the Province half yearly, and shall pay into the Treasury all such Monies as he shall receive, which Monies shall be applied to and for the Purpose of making and repairing Roads within Ten Miles of said Town of *Halifax*; the same to be laid out and expended under the Direction of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief for the Time being, and that this Act, and also an Act passed in the Eighth Year of his Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for Suppressing unlicenced Houses and for Granting to his Majesty a Duty on Persons hereafter to be licenced," except such Part thereof as is hereby before altered and amended, shall be and remain in full Force to the Thirty First Day of December, in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty-five.

Clerks or Receivers of duties in County (*Halifax* excepted) to return Account half Yearly to the Session of the County and pay the Money collected to the Treasurer of such County.

On Penalty of £20. to be applied for repair of the Roads &c. of such County.

Justices with Grand Jury empowered to expend such Monies for Repairs of Road &c. now remaining due for Licences hereto obtained.

Receiver of Licences duties at *Halifax* to Account with the Treasury half Yearly. And Monies paid therein to be applied on the Roads & therein to be applied on the Roads & within Ten Miles of *Halifax*.

Act to continue to December 31st 1785

Treasurer of every County to account with the Province Treasurer every 12 Months,

on Penalty of £20. Persons intrusted with the Expenditure on the Roads within 10 Miles of Halifax, to account with the Province every 6 Months, on Penalty, of £20. and Receiver not accounting with Treasurer as aforesaid to forfeit £50.

Penalties recovered to be laid out on the Roads within 10 Miles of Halifax.

III. *And be it further Enacted*, That the Treasurer of each and every County or District within this Province, shall render an Account of the Monies received within such County or District, and in the Manner in which the same has been applied to the Treasurer of this Province, every Twelve Months, under the Penalty of Twenty Pounds, and the Person or Persons who the Governor, Lieutenant Governor or Commander in Chief shall from Time to Time intrust with the Expenditure of said Money on the Roads within Ten of Miles of Halifax, shall account every Six Months for the same with the Treasurer of this Province, under the Penalty of Twenty Pounds, and in Case the Receiver of the Licence Duties for the District of Halifax, shall neglect to account as aforesaid, and pay in the Monies by him received, he shall forfeit and pay the Sum of *Fifty Pounds* for every Offence, such Penalties to be recovered before his Majesty's Supreme Court at Halifax, and to be applied to the Repairs of the Roads within Ten Miles of the said Town.

C A P. IV.

An ACT for continuing the several Acts herein after mentioned.

Preamble.

***** *HERE AS* the several Acts herein mentioned, will expire
 * *W* * at the End of the present Session of the General Assembly, and
 * * that it is necessary the same be continued.

The several Acts contained in this Act continued to 31st December, 1785.

I. *Be it Enacted by the Governor, Council and Assembly*, That an Act made in the Sixth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, Intituled, "An Act to prevent the Multiplicity of Lawfuits;" also an Act made in the Fifth Year of his said Majesty's Reign, Intituled, "An Act for the Summary Trial of Action;" and also an Act made in the Eleventh Year of his said Majesty's Reign in Amendment of the said Act; Also an Act made in the Fourteenth Year of his Majesty's Reign in Addition to the said Act; and an Act made in the Fifteenth Year of his said Majesty's Reign in further Amendment of, and in Addition to said Act, also an Act made in the same Year, Intituled, "An Act in further Amendment of the several Laws relative to the Summary Trial of Actions;" Also an Act made in Sixth Year of his said Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for the Establishment of Fees as regulated by the Governor and Council at the Request of the House of Assembly;" Also an Act in Addition to said Act made in the Eleventh Year of his said Majesty's Reign; Also an Act made in the Fourteenth Year of said Majesty's Reign, in further Addition to and for continuing the said Acts; Also an Act made in the Twenty Second Year of his said Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act to raise