

*At the General Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia, begun and holden at Halifax, on Wednesday the first day of July, 1761, and in the first year of His Majesty's Reign.*

1 George III – Chapter 10

**An Act in Addition to an Act intitled, An Act in Addition to an Act intitled, An Act for preventing Trespasses.**

Whereas in and by an Act made and passed in the 33d year of His late Majesty's Reign, intitled, An Act in Addition to an Act intitled, An Act for preventing Trespasses, it is among other Things enacted, "That the Justices in their Quarter Sessions in all other counties, (Halifax excepted) within this Province, shall be empowered and are hereby directed to make regulations for preventing trespasses, by horses, swine, sheep, goats and neat cattle, in manner as shall be most agreeable to the circumstances of such county, or townships therein." But no penalty is therein mentioned to be inflicted on such as shall transgress such regulations made as aforesaid.

Be it therefore enacted by the Honourable the Commander in Chief, the Council, and Assembly, that any person transgressing such regulations so made by the Justices in the sessions as aforesaid, for the preventing of trespasses as aforesaid, shall be subject to a fine not exceeding forty shillings; to be recovered, on complaint or information, before any of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the county wherein the offence shall be committed, or before the sessions in said county.