

ney shall have discontinued or left off, or during such time as he shall not actually practice or carry on the business of an Attorney; and Whereas, doubts are entertained whether the Prothonotary, or Deputy-Prothonotary, at Halifax, being Barristers and Attornies, can now have, take or retain, any Clerk under the provisions of the said Act:

Clerk to Prothonotary allowed and entitled to admission

I. *BE it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, That any Prothonotary or Deputy-Prothonotary in the Province, being a Barrister or Attorney, shall and may have, take and retain, one Clerk, who shall be subject to the same rules, regulations and directions, as in the said recited Act contained, and shall be entitled to admission in all other respects as Clerks of Attornies, actually carrying on the business of an Attorney.*

### CAP. VI.

#### An ACT relating to Brandy imported from certain Places.

Preamble

**W**HEREAS the Trade and Intercourse between this Province and the Foreign Ports in Europe and Africa is highly advantageous to the People of this Colony, and tends greatly to the encouragement of the Fisheries thereof:

AND WHEREAS, for the further increase and promotion of such Trade and Intercourse it is expedient to reduce the duties payable on Brandy, imported from such Foreign Ports:

Duty upon Brandy imported from Foreign Ports

I. *BE it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, the Council and Assembly, That, during the continuance of this Act, instead of the Rates and Duties imposed and payable under the present, or any future Acts of the General Assembly of this Province, there shall be raised, levied, collected and paid, a Duty of Six Pence, currency, for every gallon of Brandy imported into this Province from any Foreign Port in Europe or Africa, or from Gibraltar, Malta or the Dependencies thereof, which Duty of Six Pence shall be raised, levied, collected and paid, in the like manner, and subject to the like rules, ways and methods, and under such penalties and forfeitures, as the Duties and Rates hereby reduced.*

Continuation of Act

II. *And be it enacted, That this Act shall continue and be in force, until the twenty-fifth day of March, which will be in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty-five, and no longer.*

### CAP. VII.

#### An ACT to restrain the issuing Writs of Attachment in certain Cases;

Writ of Attachment limited

**B**E it enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, That from and after the publication hereof, whenever an Attachment shall issue against the Goods, Chattles