

CAP XVI.

An Act to authorize the Justices of the Peace for the County of Northumberland to make Rules and Regulations respecting the Bass Fishery in that County.

Passed 19th March 1833.

WHEREAS it is necessary that an Act should be made and passed, authorizing the Justices of the Peace in the County of Northumberland to make Rules and Regulations respecting the Manner in which Bass shall be taken in the Rivers in that County, and to impose such Fines and Penalties as they may deem proper to enforce the Performance of such Rules and Regulations;

Preamble.

I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly, That it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the Peace in the County of Northumberland, in their General Sessions, to make such Rules and Regulations as they may deem proper respecting the Bass Fishery in any of the Rivers of said County, and also to enforce the Rules and Regulations so to be made, by such Fines and Penalties as may be imposed, not exceeding for any One Offence the Sum of Three Pounds, to be recovered before any One of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said County, to be levied by Warrant of Distress and Sale of the Offender's Goods and Chattels, and for Want thereof, to commit such Offender to the common Gaol of the County for a Term not exceeding Twelve Days, unless the Fine, Costs and Charges be sooner paid: Provided always, that such Regulations are not contrary to, and do not interfere with, the Regulations and Restrictions contained in any Act of Assembly.

Justices in Sessions may make Regulations for the Bass Fisheries, and enforce them by Fines not exceeding £5.

Recovery:

II. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall continue and be in Force until the First Day of April which will be in the Year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty five.

Limitation: