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.