

intituled "An Act for regulating, laying out and repairing Highways  
 " and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of  
 " Highways within the several Towns and Parishes in this Province,"  
 be further continued and the same is hereby continued and declared  
 to be in full force for the term of Two years, and until the end of the  
 then next Session of the General Assembly. Continued for Two years.

## CAP. VIII.

An Act in amendment of an Act, intituled "An Act  
 " to repeal all the Acts now in force relating to  
 " Trespasses and for making new regulations to  
 " prevent the same." Passed the 7th of March,  
 1814.

**W**HEREAS doubts have arisen with respect to the power of the Preamble.  
 Justices in their General Session of the Peace for the Counties  
 of York and Charlotte, to make sufficient regulations for the prevent-  
 ing Trespasses by Horses and Swine in the Parish of Fredericton and  
 Town of Saint Andrews in the said Counties—

Be it enacted by the President, Council and Assembly, That from  
 and after the passing of this Act, if any Horse, Horses or Swine, shall  
 be found going at large within that part of the Parish of Fredericton  
 situate between Phillis's Creek and the Creek or Gully to the South-  
 ward of the late Dr. Earl's dwelling house in the County of York, or  
 in the Town Platt of Saint Andrews in the County of Charlotte,  
 the owner or owners thereof shall forfeit and pay the sum of *ten shil-  
 lings* for each and every Horse or Swine so found going at large, one  
 half to the Overseers of the Poor of the said Parishes respectively, and  
 one half to the Informer, to be recovered upon conviction before  
 any one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, residing in the said  
 Parishes respectively, and to be levied of the goods and chattels of  
 the owner or owners of such Horse, Horses or Swine. And in case  
 the owner or owners of such Horse, Horses or Swine shall not be  
 known, then it shall be the duty of the Hoggreeve or Hoggreeves of  
 the said Parishes to impound such Horse, Horses or Swine, as shall be found  
 so going at large. And it shall be the duty of the Pound keepers of the  
 said Parishes of Fredericton and Saint Andrews respectively, upon any  
 Horse, Horses or Swine being so impounded, to advertize the same  
 upon the door of the Pound, and in case the owner or owners of  
 such Horse, Horses or Swine, shall not within Three days after such  
 advertizement being put up as aforesaid, pay the said fine for each  
 Horse or Swine so impounded, together with the accustomed fees and  
 charges for keeping the same, it shall and may be lawful for the said  
 Pound keepers to sell such Horse, Horses or Swine at Public Auction,  
 and apply the money arising therefrom towards paying the said fine  
 and charges, and pay the overplus (if any) to the owner or owners  
 of such Horse, Horses or Swine, whenever such owner or owners shall  
 appear.

The owners of any Horses  
 and Swine found going at  
 large in that part of the  
 Parish of Fredericton be-  
 tween Phillis's Creek &  
 the Creek to the South-  
 ward of Dr. Earl's dwell-  
 ing house, or in the  
 Town Platt of Saint An-  
 drews, to forfeit Ten Shil-  
 lings for each Horse or  
 Swine.

If the owner shall not be  
 known the Hoggreeve shall  
 impound the Horses or  
 Swine.

And the Pound keeper  
 shall advertize the same  
 on the door of the Pound.

If the owner shall not  
 within three days pay the  
 fine,

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 sell the Horses or Swine  
 at Public Auction, and ap-  
 ply the money to pay the  
 fine and charges, and pay  
 the overplus (if any) to  
 the owner when he ap-  
 pears.