

C. III. IV. Anno quinquagesimo septimo GEORGE III. 1817.

Copper Coin, with such suitable Legend or Inscription as the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, or Commander in Chief for the time being, with the advice of His Majesty's Council, shall appoint and direct.

Amount

Place of Deposit
and of Issue

When to be issued

Base Copper Coin

Counterfeiting
Provincial Copper
Coin

II. *And be it further enacted*, That the Copper Half-pence, so to be provided and imported, shall be of a value not exceeding Two Thousand Pounds of the Provincial Currency : and the said Commissioner or Commissioners shall cause the same, when so imported, to be deposited in the Treasury of the Province, and shall take care that the die or stamp used for such coinage, shall be deposited in such place and in such manner for safe keeping in England, as the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, or Commander in Chief, for the time being, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Council, shall appoint and direct.

III. *And be it further enacted*, That as soon as conveniently may be after such Half-pence shall have been so lodged in the Provincial Treasury, it shall be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, or Commander in Chief, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Council, by Proclamation, to order such Half-pence to be issued and circulated from the Treasury ; and also to appoint a time when all other kind of copper, coined or uncoined, except the copper coin issued under the authority of this Act, and those enumerated and made lawful in the Act of which this is an amendment, and such as shall be issued by Royal Authority, for the use of the United Kingdom of Great-Britain and Ireland, since the first day of January one thousand eight hundred, shall cease to be used, and shall no longer be tendered or received as Half-pence in this Province, under the penalty of incurring the forfeiture and fine imposed by the Act of which this is an amendment.

IV. *And be it further enacted*, That any person convicted of counterfeiting or impairing any of said Copper Coin, or of uttering any counterfeited or impaired Copper Coin, knowing the same to be so counterfeited or impaired, shall suffer the same fines and penalties which any person or persons convicted of counterfeiting or impairing any Foreign Coins current in this Province, are liable to suffer by the Laws or Statutes of the Province in such case made and provided.

CAP. III.

Enacted

An Act for the Importation of certain kinds of Grain, Flour and Meal, and for furnishing the same to such Settlers within the Province as are in indigent circumstances, owing to the failure of Crops.

CAP. IV.

Enacted

An Act to continue the several Acts of the General Assembly, for granting to His Majesty certain Duties on Wine, Brandy, Gin, Rum, and other Distilled Spirituous Liquors, Molasses, Coffee, and Brown Sugar, for the support of His Majesty's Government, and for promoting the Agriculture, Commerce and Fisheries of this Province.

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