

I. *Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly, That from and after the Publication hereof, all Meal, or Flour, made of Indian Corn, Buck Wheat, Rye or any other Species of Grain, that shall be sold, bartered, or exchanged within this Province, either in Casks, or otherwise shall be sold, bartered or exchanged, by Weight only, and in no other Way or Manner whatsoever.*

All Grain to be Sold by Weight only.

And whereas great Frauds are often committed in measuring Grain ;

II. *Be it further enacted, That after the Publication hereof, the Measure with which Grain is sold, shall be struck with a strait Board or Stick, rounded at the Edges, and with no other, and that any Person or Persons herein offending, shall be liable to the Penalties and Forfeitures mentioned in the Act, entitled, An Act to prevent Frauds in the selling of Flour and Biscuit or Ship Bread in Casks.*

The measure to be struck with a strait board or stick rounded the Edges. Persons offending against this Act liable to the Penalties of the Act to prevent Frauds in the selling Flours &c.

C A P. XI.

In Amendment of an Act made in the second Year of His present Majesty's Reign, entitled, "An Act for regulating the Exportation of Fish, and the as- size of Barrels, Staves, Hoops, Boards and all other kind of Lumber, and for appointing Officers to survey the same.



HEREAS it is found from Experience that our present Regulations respecting the Exportation of Fish, are in many Cases defective, for Remedy whereof.

Preamble.

I. *Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly, That from and after the Publication hereof, when Pickled Fish, of any Description, shall be offered for sale in any Town, District or Fishing Port, within the Province, and the same shall appear to be in any wise unmerchantable, it shall and may be lawful for the Surveyor or Surveyors for the Town, District or Fishing Port where such Fish shall be so offered, to call in any three Persons, accustomed to deal in, or having Knowledge of the requisite Qualities of such Articles, and if they shall be of the opinion, that the Fish so offered are unsound, that then and in such Cases the Surveyor or Surveyors before whom such Inquest shall be had, shall destroy the same.*

Pickled Fish appearing to be unmerchantable the Surveyor to call in three Persons to view them and if they think the fish unsound the Surveyor to destroy them.

II. *And be it further enacted, That if any Surveyor or Surveyors shall suffer any Owner or other Person for him to remove or carry such condemned or unsound Fish, that they shall upon Conviction forfeit and pay the Sum of Twenty Shillings per Barrel, for*
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Any Surveyor suffering the Owner or other Person to remove unsound