

rison in said Province, or any of the said *Truck-Masters*, in case no such Justice be resident at or near such Fort or Garrison, upon Information either by the said *Indians* themselves, or any other Person or Persons whatsoever, made of such illicit Trade, to apprehend the said Master, and keep him in Custody, and to detain the said Vessel and Goods so illicitly purchased of or bartered for with the said *Indians*, until the said Matter be fully enquired into, and finally determined; and all His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, Officers of Forts and Garrisons, and *Truck-Masters*, and all His Majesty's Subjects within said Province, are hereby required and directed to aid and assist in the due Execution of this Act.

*And it is also hereby enacted*, That all Fines, Forfeitures, and Penalties incurred by this Act, shall be recovered by Bill, Plaint or Information, in any of His Majesty's Courts of Record in this Province, ( except in the Case where any Ship or Vessel may be deemed liable, in which Case the same shall be tried and determined in His Majesty's Court of *Vice-Admiralty* ) and shall be paid *one Half* to the Treasurer of the Province for the Use of the Government, and the other *Half* to the Informer, who shall sue for and recover the same.

*And it is also further enacted*, That this Act shall continue and be in Force for and during the Term and Space of *Two Years*, from and after the said *Twenty-first* Day of May, 1760, and no longer.



## An ACT in Addition to an Act, intituled, *An Act for preventing Trespasses.*

**W**HEREAS by an Act made and passed in the Thirty-second Year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, *An Act for preventing Trespasses*, it was enacted, " That it should be lawful to impound any Swine going at large, within the Streets, Lanes, or Suburbs of the Town of Halifax ; " And whereas no Provision was therein made for inclosing Ground for a Pound ;

Be it therefore enacted by His Excellency the Governor, Council, and Assembly, and by the Authority of the same it is hereby enacted, That a Pound shall be forthwith made of Forty Feet square, at the public Expence, and that the Grand Jury of the Supream Court, to be held in April next, shall appoint a Keeper of the same.

*And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid*, That if any Damage shall be done by breaking any Inclosures, and destroying any of the Produce thereof, by any Horses, Sheep, Goats, Swine, or Neat Cattle, it shall and may be lawful for the Person or Persons whose Fence or Fences shall have been so broken, and whose Inclosures shall have received such Damage, to cause the said Horses, Sheep, Goats, Swine, or Neat Cattle, to be impounded until the Owner or Owners of such trespassing Cattle