

ence, if the same should be between the first Day of *May* and the first Day of *November*, in each Year; and if between the first Day of *November* and the first Day of *May*, then the same to be served *Ten Days* before such Caption; each of said stated Days to be exclusive of the day of Service. *And provided nevertheless*, That if such Witnesses shall, at the time of the Trial of the Cause, be on this Island, or able to travel, they shall be required to give their Testimony, *viva voce*, at such Trial, in the same manner as if such Depositions had not been taken.

If such Witnesses are in the Province, or able to travel, Testimony, *viva voce*, required,

III. *Provided also*, That all Benefit of Exceptions to the Credit of such Deponents shall be reserved in the same manner as on producing Witnesses for Examinations, *viva voce*, at the Trial.

saving Benefit of Exceptions to the Credit of such Witnesses.

IV. *And be it further enacted*, That every Person of the Profession of the People called Quakers who shall be required to take an Oath as aforesaid, shall, instead of an Oath, be permitted to make his or her solemn Affirmation.

Quakers allowed to make Affirmation.

V. *And be it further enacted*, That every Person who shall have made such Oath, or solemn Affirmation, and shall be convicted of having wilfully, falsely, and corruptly sworn or affirmed, he, she, or they shall incur the same Penalties as Persons convicted of wilful and corrupt Perjury.

Persons convicted of swearing or affirming falsely, to incur Penalties as for Perjury.