

Regulations
for the Com-
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II. *Be it further enacted*, That, from and after the publication of this Act, it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the Peace for the said County of Lunenburg, at their General Sessions of the Peace, from time to time to make such rules and regulations as they may deem necessary and expedient to be observed and followed by the Inhabitants of the said County, in collecting and taking away Eel Grass, or other sea manure, which may from time to time be driven by the sea and lodged upon the shore of the Common or Public Lands within the said County.

Violation of Re-
gulations

III. *And be it further enacted*, That if any person or persons shall transgress any such of the rules or regulations, so to be made as aforesaid, or shall neglect or refuse to obey the same, such person or persons shall forfeit and pay a fine not exceeding forty shillings for every offence, to be recovered with costs, before any one of the Justices of the Peace for the said County; one half thereof to the person complaining, and the other half to the use of the poor of the township where the offence shall be committed.

Continued
Three Years

IV. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall continue in force three years from the publication hereof, and from thence to the end of the next Session of the General Assembly.

CAP. XXXV.

An ACT for the encouragement of the Cod and Scale Fisheries of the Province.

Bounty on Cod
and Scale Fish

BE it enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, That, from and after the publication of this Act, for the encouragement of the Fisheries, there shall be granted and paid to the persons, Inhabitants of this Province, who shall catch and cure Cod and Scale Fish, in boats and other vessels, wholly owned by the Inhabitants thereof, during the present year, from and after the publication hereof, until the first day of December next, the following bounties, that is to say: on all sound and well cured Cod and Scale Fish, fit for the European and West-Indian markets, so caught and cured, a bounty of one shilling and three pence per quintal on Cod Fish, and ten pence per quintal on Scale Fish, upon certificates to be granted and procured in manner herein after mentioned.

Commissioners

II. *And be it further enacted*, That it shall and may be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor or Commander in Chief, for the time being, to nominate and appoint, for any County or District in the Province, two or more fit and proper persons as Commissioners for enquiring into, ascertaining and granting certificates for, the quantities and qualities of cod fish and scale fish caught and cured as aforesaid.

Inspection of
Fish

III. *And be it further enacted*, That the sworn Culler for the port or place where any such Fish shall be brought, shall inspect the Fish of the person or persons claiming, or intending to claim, any part of the Bounty granted by this Act; and such Culler shall make and subscribe an affidavit thereof, as follows:—"I, A. B. do swear, that I did on day of inspect the (Cod or Scale Fish, as the case may be,) of landed and stored and did