

served by any of the Constables, who shall take and receive therefor the Sum of One Shilling, and the same travelling Charges as are allowed by the said Act on the serving of Executions.

C A P. VI.

An Act to prevent the running at large of RAMS at improper Seasons.

Amended by 43d Geo. 3d, c. 5, and 8th Geo. 4th, c. 2. Suspended for Three Years by 1st Will. 4th, c. 10.

WHEREAS the Custom which has hitherto prevailed in this Island of permitting Rams to go at large at all Seasons of the Year has been extremely prejudicial to the Breeding and Raising of Sheep (for which the Climate and Soil of this Island is particularly favourable :)

Preamble.

I. Be it therefore enacted, by the Lieutenant Governor, Council, and Assembly, That from and after the Publication hereof, it shall and may be lawful for any Person or Persons whatsoever to take up any Ram or Rams which may be found running at large between the Fifteenth day of July and the Twentieth day of November in every Year ; And the Person or Persons who shall or may take up such Ram or Rams shall, on giving Notice thereof to the Owner or Owners, be entitled to the Sum of Five Shillings for every Ram so taken up ; the same to be recovered of such Owner or Owners, by Complaint duly entered and made before any one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace.

Persons permitted to take up Rams found at large, between 15th July and 20th Day of November, in each Year ; and, on giving Notice to Owner, may receive 5s. for every Ram so taken up. The same to be recovered by Complaint made to one Justice of the Peace.

II. And be it further enacted, by the authority aforesaid, That if the Person or Persons so taking up said Rams shall happen not to know who the Owner or Owners thereof is or are, in order to give him, her, or them the aforesaid Notice ; then it shall and may be lawful to and for such Person or Persons (who is or are hereby required so to do) immediately to describe such Ram or Rams, by an Advertisement, to be posted up at one or more of the most public Places in the

If Owner is unknown, such Ram to be described by Advertisements posted up in certain Places.