

If any Person coming into the Province, from any of the Provinces now in Rebellion, shall not in 5 Days after his Arrival present himself before some one of the Magistrates hereby authorized to administer said Oath. lawful for any of his Majesty's Justices to summon & bring such Person before him and require his taking and subscribing Oaths, and upon Refusal to order Person refusing to find Security for good Behaviour, or to commit him to Goal on refusal of such Security. Persons holding traiterous Correspondence with Persons now associated in Arms against his Majesty's Government shall on conviction thereof suffer agreeable to the Laws of *G. Britain*.

*Minds of his Majesty's liege Subjects, and to carry on the Designs of his Majesty's rebellious Subjects aforesaid, Be it Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid* That if any Person coming from any of the Provinces now in Rebellion against his Majesty and Government, into this Province, and shall not within the Space of Five Days after his Arrival, present himself to some one of the Magistrates hereby lawfully authorized to Administer the said Oaths, and before him to take the same, and subscribe the Declaration aforesaid, it shall and may be lawful for any of his Majesty's Justices of the Peace to summon and bring such Person before him, and require his taking and subscribing the Oaths and Declaration aforesaid, and upon Refusal thereof, to order and direct such Person so refusing, to find two good and sufficient Sureties, for his good Behaviour during his Residence in the Province, and upon his Refusal, to commit such Person to any of his Majesty's Goals till he shall take and subscribe the said Oaths and Declaration or find Security as aforesaid.

V. *And be it also Enacted, That if any Person living and residing within this his Majesty's Province, shall at any Time hereafter hold any traiterous Correspondence with any Persons in the aforesaid Colonies, now associated in Arms against his Majesty's Government, either by Letter, Message, or in any other criminal and traiterous Manner, he or she being thereof convicted, agreeable to the Statutes and Laws of Great Britain, shall suffer such Pains and Penalties, as in such Cases is provided, against Persons traiterously corresponding with his Majesty's Enemies.*