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CHAPTER 26.

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LAW AGAINST RUDE SPORTS, PLAYS & GAMES.

Chapter 26. *And be it &c:* That whosoever Shall introduce into this Province or frequent Such rude & riotous Sports as Prizes, Stage-plays, Masques, Revels, Bull-baitings, Cock-fightings, with Such Like, being Convicted therof, Shall be reputed & fined as Breakers of the peace, & Suffer at Least ten days' imprisonment at hard Labour in the house of Correction or forfeit 20 shillings.

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CHAPTER 27.

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LAW AGAINST VAIN AND EVIL SPORTS & GAMES.

Chapter 27. *And be it &c:* That if any person be Convicted of Playing at Cards, Dice, Lotteries, or Such Like enticing vain & evil Sports & games Such persons Shall for every Such offense pay 5 shillings; or Suffer 5 days' imprisonment in the house of Correction at hard Labour.

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CHAPTER 28.

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LAW AGAINST SEDITION.

Chapter 28. *And be it &c:* That if any person Shall Speak, Writ, or act any thing tending to Sedition or disturbance of the peace, & be duly