
CHAPTER 169.

LAW ABOUT ORDINARYS OR DRINKING HOUSE.

Chap: 169 That no person within this Province or Territories, shall presume to keepe any Ordinary or drinking house, without License first had and Obtained of the Governor, And to the end that all Travelers & such as are not house-keepers may be reasonably accommodated in places where Ordinaries now are, or Shall be hereafter kept, No Such keeper of an Ordinary Shall demand above seven pence half penny per Meal by the head; which meale shall Consist of beefe, pork or Such Like produce of the Country, with small beer; And of a footman hee shall not demand above Two pence a Night for his bed, And of a horseman Nothing; hee paying Six pence a night for his horses hay or grass. And in Case any person shall keep an Ordinary or drinking house without License, Such person shall forfeit five pounds And if any person shall presume to ask more than is therein exprest shall forfeit five shillings, for every Such Offence, And in Case any Such keeper of an Ordinary or Master or Mistres of such drinking house, shall keepe a disorderly house, It shall & may be Lawfull for the County-sessions where hee or shee Lives, upon Sufficient Testimony or evidence thereof, to Suppress the same.

Confirmed by chapter 175, 1685; chapter 186, 1688; and chapter 191, 1690. Abrogated in 1693, but accepted in the Petition of Right, June 1, 1693, as part of chapter 10.

CHAPTER 170.

LAW ABOUT SALE OF DEER SKINS.

Chap: 170 That no deer-Skins Undrest shall be put on board any Ship, boat or vessell, with intent to transport out of this Province or Territories therof, befor they have been publickly exposed to Sale within the same by some persons affixing it in writing upon Some meeting or Court-house doore, five days att Least before such exporta-