

H.S.P., Logan Papers, Law Book, 1693-1699/1700. Chapter 189, 1688. Amended by chapter 121, 1694. See Vol. II St.L. 53, ch. XLVIII.

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CHAPTER 81.

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[81] THE LAW AGAINST WITNESSES REFUSEING TO GIVE EVIDENCE BEING SUMMONED.

Be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That any person Summoned or Required by precept or order from any Court or magistrate to give their evidence upon any matter or Difference, And the said person shall neglect his duty in not appearing accordingly, Such person may be fined at the discretion of a Quorum of Justices of the present or Succeeding Court to the benefit of the party wronged by his absence.

H.S.P., Logan Papers, Law Book, 1693-1699/1700. Chapter 194, 1688. See Vol. II St.L. 47, ch. XLII.

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CHAPTER 82.

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[82] THE LAW ABOUT THE DIKE OF NEW CASTLE.

Whereas there is a certain piece of Marsh, Lying at the North end of the town of New Castle, formerly Granted by Governour Andross to the said town, and since Confirmed by Governour Penn, On Condition they should keep the dikes in good repair; But it hath been since neglected to the great Annoyance of the said town, as also to Strangers; Therefore It is Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, that the foot dike at the north end of the said Town, Lying between the River Side and the town Marsh, be Sufficiently made and upheld, at the Charge of the said town, Which shall be done by Order of the Court of New castle from time to time; And that every person who is taxable within the town of New castle, who Shall Refuse to pay their Adjusted proportion of charge in the said work, It shall be Lawful upon Complaint made to the Court, that there shall be a warrant issued out to Levy the same, upon the goods and chattells of the said party or parties.