

## CHAPTER CXLVII.

## AN ACT AGAINST MIXING AND ADULTERATING STRONG LIQUORS.

For the preventing of fraud in mixing and adulterating rum, brandy or such like spirits:

[Section I.] Be it enacted by John Evans, Esquire, by the Queen's royal approbation Lieutenant-Governor under William Penn, Esquire, absolute Proprietary and Governor-in-Chief of the Province of Pennsylvania and Territories, by and with the advice and consent of the freemen of the said Province in General Assembly met, and by the authority of the same, That if any person within this province shall presume to sell rum, brandy or such like spirits, so adulterated or mixed with water or any other liquor, knowing the same to be so adulterated or mixed, being convict thereof by one or more credible witnesses, he or she shall, for every such offense, forfeit the said rum, brandy or spirits to be exposed to sale, and pay treble the value thereof, one moiety to the support of government, and the other moiety or half to him that shall discover and prosecute the same.

Passed January 12, 1705-6. Allowed to become a law by lapse of time in accordance with the proprietary charter, having been considered by the Queen in Council, October 24, 1709, and not acted upon. See Appendix II, Section III. Repealed by the Act of Assembly passed March 31, 1860, P. L. 451.

## CHAPTER CXLVIII.

## AN ACT FOR MARINERS NOT TO BE TRUSTED.

To the end that no mariners shall be arrested to hinder their voyage in any ship or other vessel to which they belong, bound out to sea:

[Section I.] Be it enacted by John Evans, Esquire, by the Queen's royal approbation Lieutenant-Governor under William