

of tobacco, to the master or mistress of such apprentice, servant or slave, to be recovered with costs, upon complaint of the said master or mistress, before a justice of the county where such ordinary-keeper lives.

C H A P. XXIV.

XVIII. And be it enacted, That an act of assembly, made at a session of assembly, begun and held at the city of Annapolis, the twenty-eighth day of October, one thousand seven hundred and twelve, entitled, An act restraining victuallers, and keepers of public houses from entertaining of sailors, to the prejudice of trade and commerce; and that an act of assembly, made at a session of assembly, held in the year one thousand seven hundred and sixty-eight, entitled, An act for licensing ordinary-keepers, hawkers, pedlers, and petty chapmen; and also an act to render the recovery of the penalty for selling liquor without licence more certain, passed at a session of assembly, begun and held at the city of Annapolis, on the sixteenth day of November, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-three, be and are hereby repealed.

Three acts repealed.

XIX. And be it enacted, That in all cases where no different mode of recovery or application is appointed by this act, all and every fine and forfeiture, imposed by this act, shall and may be recovered, in any court of record, by action of debt, bill of indictment, or information, with costs, by him, her or them, who will sue or prosecute to effect for the same; and that one half of all fines and forfeitures, to be incurred for any breach of this act, where the same is not otherwise given or applied, shall be to him, her or them, who will sue or prosecute to effect for the same; and the other half thereof shall be paid to the sheriff of the county in which the recovery shall happen.

How fines, &c. are to be recovered, &c.

XX. And be it enacted, That the several sheriffs aforesaid shall be allowed at and after the rate of five *per cent.* on all monies by them respectively received in virtue of this act, and the said sheriffs shall, yearly and every year, on or before the first day of October, pay all the monies by them received in virtue of this act, except their commission aforesaid, into the hands of the treasurers of the respective shires where received, to be by the said treasurers from time to time accounted for to the general assembly.

Sheriffs allowance, &c.

XXI. And, for the better discovery of offenders, Be it enacted, That the clerk of the several county courts shall, at every such court, at the time of empannelling the grand jury, deliver to them a list of all persons in his county to whom licences shall have been granted, and shall be allowed in the public levy, for his trouble therein, at the discretion of the justices of his county; and it is hereby enacted and declared to be the duty of the grand jury, to present every person offending against the said act, and the constables shall be sworn up at every county court to the grand jury.

County clerk to deliver a list, &c.

XXII. This act to continue for and during the space of seven years, and to the end of the next session of assembly which shall happen after the expiration of the said seven years.

Continuance.

C H A P. XXV.

A Supplement to the act for the assessment of property within this state.

To levy the further sum of £. 20 in the hundred, at two payments.

C H A P. XXVI.

An ACT for the relief of certain nonjurors.

C H A P. XXVII.

An ACT relating to fines, forfeitures and penalties, and to establish the allowance to witnesses, and fees of constables.

To continue until the end of the next session. A similar continuance by the act of June, 1780, ch. 9. Expired.

C H A P. XXVIII.

An ACT for the relief of Richard Colegate and John Colegate. *PR.*

C H A P.