

as you or any four of you shall be informed of and made known
al: culpable in transgr. fmg against the Maj: Laws of Navigation
and other laws that relate to the Maj: Customs, together with their
Gunns, Cables, Ammunition, appa:ll, and goods, Merchandise
which shall be imported or transported contrary to the said Laws;
And also to call and command before you all Command: & Masters
of Shipp or v. ffeel, and all and every other pson whatsoever
who a fwell on either half of our Crowne, and on the o: half of
the R: Hon: the Lord Prop: as on the part of him or himself
profess, And to view p:nt and look into all papers pass:
passports, Cockets, Billes of Loading, Letters of Indulgence, and other
Scripts whatsoever that shall any way relate to or concern the
said Shipp or v. ffeel; And issue out writs & Summons Jurit
and swear the same Jurors for the purpose aforesaid. And having
fully heard the allegations, proofes Evidence and Testimonie on both
partes, and the verdict of the Jurit (if any be) then to give your full
and small doome: sentence and determination with or without Acquittall
or condemnation of such Shipp or Shipp v. ffeel or v. ffeel, together
with their gunns Cables Ammunition and furniture, and also all
goods Merchandise and commodities seized of and informed against.
And when it shall so happen that the Information is affirmed of such
v. ffeel or goods condemned for breach of the Acts of Parliament in
that case made, then that you appoint two or more honest discreet
men such as to you shall seeme meet to appraise the same; together
with their gunns Ammunition and appa:ll, upon their oath w:
w: do: hereby ^{author:} you the said &c: or any three of you to administer
unto them, and further to nominate and make choice of such pson
as you or any four of you shall think fit to be Clerk of the said
Court, for the more full doing managing and transacting the p:nt
Hereby commanding you to send unto our right trusty and well beloved
Henry Darwall Esq: and William Diger Esq: or either of them, a
copy of all and singular your proceedings of and upon this
p:nt together with the said appraisment under the hand & Seal
of the said Appraisers att: the said and the hand of your said Clerk.
And for your proceedings herein this shall be your warrant. This
Commission and the powers therein granted to stand in force for two
months after the date hereof. Witness our trusty and well beloved
Henry Darwall and W: Diger Esq: at our City of St. Maries the
Sixth day of March in the sixth year of our Dominion Anno
Dni: M:DC:CLXXVIII: and fourth.