

Lib. L. L. Assessm^t by the poll upon the Taxable p^{rs}ons in the severall
No. 64. County's of this province

And for the more Easy and better Carrying Tobacco to or from any Towns Ports or Publick Landings in this province on board any Ship or Vessell or from one Port or Town to another within this Province,

Be it Enacted that it shall and may be Lawfull to and for any Person or P^{rs}ons whatsoever to take on board any open boate or Vessell being Eighteen foot or under by the Keel any Tobacco and transport the same from one Landing Town or Port to another or from any Port or Town on board any Ship or Vessell within this province without any p^{mt}it to be Taken for The same from any the Navall officers or Collectors of This province and if any Tobacco shall be Shipt of from any Landing Town or Port within this province in order to be Carried to another port or Town or on board any Ship or Vessell within this province in any open boat Sloop Shallop or other Vessell being above Eighteen foot by the Keel the owner or master of such open Sloop Shallop boat or Vessell shall give Security to the Navall officers in the sume of forty
p. 318 pounds Ster. not to Carry the same out of this province and shall be obliged to take and the Navall officer to give a yearly p^{mt}itt to such Sloop Shallop boat or Vessell for the same for which yearly p^{mt}it the Navall officer shall take and receive for his fee the sume of two Shillings and six pence & no more.

And be it further Enacted that the Standard of weights and measures appointed to be kept in the severall Countys of this province shall from and after the first day of September one Thousand Seven hundred and Eight be kept at such Towns in the severall Countys of this province where the Court house of the said County shall be built which shall always be at such Town as is nearest the Center of the County and most Convenient for The Inhabitants of the severall Countys of This province (except only where the Court houses are appointed by this act) and that no p^{rs}on or p^{rs}ons whatsoever using any measures or weights shall presume to sell any Comodites whatsoever by such weights or measures or receive any Tobacco by any Stiliards without Trying Them with the standard before they make use thereof according to the Direction of The Act of Assembly Intituled An Act relateing to the Standard of English weights and measures and incurring the penaltys by the said Act Imposed.

And forasmuch as many of the Inhabitants of this province
p. 319 Live remote from Towns and Cannot Get their Tobacco thither or Weighty Goods from thence but by water Carriage,

Be it Enacted that the severall and respective Comissioners appointed for laying out of Towns within the severall Countys