

ACTS AND LAWS

OF

HIS MAJESTY'S PROVINCE

OF

NEW HAMPSHIRE,

IN

NEW ENGLAND.

WITH SUNDRY ACTS OF PARLIAMENT.

By Order of the GOVERNOR, COUNCIL and ASSEMBLY,
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they shall think fit, by causing the said nuisance to be removed or prevented: And the said court may hear and determine concerning any other nuisance in manner aforesaid.

And be it further Enacted, That the proof of any dead beast or beasts, hanging up in any out-house, or the lying or carrying out the entrails, garbage of beasts, or blood of creature, in or out of such house, shall be sufficient conviction in law, that such house is used for a slaughter-house, within the intent of this law.

Evidence to prove a slaughter house.

AN ACT ABOUT POWDER MONEY.

Pass'd 4th of Geo. 1.

Be it Enacted by his Excellency the Governor, Council, and Representatives, convened in General Assembly, and by the Authority of the same:

That every foreign ship or vessel above thirty tons, coming into any port or part of this province from over the sea to trade or traffick, all or the major part of the owners whereof are not actually inhabitants of this province, shall, every voyage they make, pay two shillings in money per ton, or one pound of good gunpowder, for the supply of his Majesty's fort and fortifications within this province, to be received by the treasurer, or such other person or persons as shall be appointed to receive the same.

Two shillings per ton, or one pound of gunpowder.

AN ACT AGAINST HAWKERS, PEDLARS, AND PETTY-CHAPMEN.

Pass'd 4th of Geo. 1.

Whereas complaint is made of great hurt to, and the decay of trade occasioned by hawkers, pedlars, and petty-chapmen, passing to and fro through the country, to vend goods, wares, and merchandizes; much of which was purloined, obtained by robbery and stealing, so that divers men of trades, handicrafts-men, and others, none of the best fame, having left off the exercise of their trades and businesses, turn hawkers, pedlars, and petty-chapmen.

Preamble.

For remedy of which mischief;

Be it Enacted by his Excellency the Governor, Council, and Representatives, convened in General Assembly, and by the Authority of the same:

That from and after the first day of June, next, no hawker, pedlar, or petty-chapman, or other trading person going from town to town, or other men's houses, and travelling either on foot, or with horse, horses, or otherwise carrying to sell, or exposing to sale, any goods, wares, or merchandizes, be permitted or suffered within this province; and every such offender shall forfeit and pay the