
 CHAPTER 76.

LAW ABOUT SPEEDY JUSTICE IN SMALL MATTERS.

Chap: 76 Be it Enacted &c: That all maters of debt or dues under 40 shillings shall be heard & determined upon Sufficient Evidence, by any two Justices of the peace of that County, where the Caus aryses, And that Such Justices shall Report their judgment to the next County-Court, and the same shall be Recorded by the Clerk of the County-Court, as good and binding, if the Court approve the same.

Declared a fundamental law by chapter 141, 1683. Confirmed by chapter 154, 1684; chapter 175, 1685; and chapter 186, 1688. Replaced by chapter 200, 1691.

 CHAPTER 77.

LAW ABOUT ORPHAN'S COURT.

Chap: 77 Be it enacted &c: That the Justices of each respective County-Court Shall Sitt twice every year, to inspect and take Care of the Estates, Usage, and Employment of Orphans, which Shall be called The Orphans-Courts, and Sitt the first third day of the week in the first & eighth month yearly; That Care may be taken for those, that are not able to take Care for themselves.

Confirmed by chapter 154, 1684; chapter 175, 1685; chapter 186, 1688; and chapter 191, 1690. Abrogated in 1693, but accepted in Petition of Right, June 1, 1693, as chapter 42. Compare Vol. II St.L. 81, ch. LXIII.