wigwams after any private or Clandestine manner but at their respective Mansion houses which said Dwelling houses shall be adjudged so to be, by the respective Court in Each County, any Law Custom or usage to the Contrary Notwithstanding.

A.P.S., Original Laws of Pennsylvania from 1693 to 1700, f. 43a. H.S.P., Cadwalader Collection. Act of June 1, 1693, chapter 29. Presented to Her Majesty for consideration, August 1-3, 1694. Confirmed August 9, 1694. See Vol. II St.L. 140, ch. CIV.

CHAPTER 116.

THE LAW ABOUT WHALERS.

Whereas the Whale Fishing or Killing of Whales whithin the Bay of Dellaware hath been for the most part Mannaged by Forrainers & Strangers & the Oyle & Bone by them Gott Transported out of this Government whereby the Persons inhabiteing therein have not Only Reaped no Benefitt but have also been discouraged from putting themselves forward in the Whaleing Designe to Our Great Disadvantage

Bee it Therefore Enacted by the Authority Aforesaid that all persons not Resideing within this Government or within the Precints of West Jersey that Shall Kill or bring on Shoar any Whales within Delaware Bay aforesaid or within the Precints of this Government Shall pay the tenth part of all the Oyle & Bone made out of the said Whales unto the Present Government of this Province for the Time being.

A.P.S., Original Laws of Pennsylvania from 1693 to 1700, f. 45. H.S.P., Cadwalader Collection. Act of May 31, 1693, chapter 30. Presented to the Lords of Committee of Trades and Plantations, July 25-August 3, 1964. Disapproved and returned to General Assembly for repeal.