

At a General Assembly of the Governor and Company of his Majesty's Colony of Connecticut, holden at New-Haven, on the second Thursday of October, 1758 [Complaint to be made against soldiers who refuse to join troops for present campaign]. [New-Haven, Printed by James Parker and company 1758.]

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WHEREAS 'tis represented to this Assembly, that sundry Persons legally warned to appear, and attend the appointed Musters of several military Companies of this Colony, in Order to the Inlistment, or Detachment of Soldiers for the present Campaign, refused so to appear, and that sundry of those who pursuant to the Orders of this Assembly in May last, were detached for said Service, refused also, and altogether failed to join said Troops; in Contempt of the Laws of this Colony in such Cafe made and provided .

IT IS THEREUPON RESOLVED BY THIS ASSEMBLY, That the Captains, or other chief Officers of the respective military Companies in this Colony, be, and they hereby are required, forthwith, diligently to enquire after all Offences above-mentioned, by any of the Soldiery of their respective Companies committed, and of their Names, with an Account of such Evidence thereof as they may discover, to inform the Colonels or chief Officers of the respective Regiments to which they belong; Which, together with such other Evidence as they, said Colonels, shall be knowing to, shall be by them speedily transmitted to the King's Attornies, of the several Counties to which such Offenders may belong. And such King's Attornies are hereby also empowered, and directed speedy Complaint thereof to make, to the next Assistant, or Justice of the Peace in such County, whose Duty it shall thereupon be, forthwith to cause the Person or Persons for complained of, to be apprehended, and had before proper Authority, to be examined thereon, and dealt with, as to Law and Justice appertains.

A true Copy, examin'd by GEORGE WYLLYS, Secr .