

ernor of or vnder him or them for the time being (and proved ^{Liber A} by two sworne witnesses shalbe lyable to bee punished with imprisonm^t during pleasure, not exceeding one whole yeare, fine, banishm^t boaring of the Tongue, slitting the nose, cutting of one or both Eares, whipping, branding with a redd hot Iron in the hand or forehead, any one or more of these as the Provinciaall Court shall thinke fitt. And all mutinous or rebellious speeches, practises or attempts, with force, either against the person of the Lord Proprietary nowe being or his heires Lords & Propr of the Province, or of his or their Governor of the Province for the time being (in his or their absence out of the Province) or against any the fforts, dwelling house or Guards provided for the safety of their or any of their psons, or for the publishing establishing or advanceing of any other right or title to the Proprietie or dominion of this Province, then the right and title of him the said Lord Baron of Baltemore or his heires Lords and Proprietaries of the Province, and all Acces-saries (afore such force, (and proved by two sufficient witnesses as aforesaid) to such speech, practise or Attempt, shalbe lyable to bee punished by losse of hand or by the paines of death confiscacōn of all lands goods & chattells within the Province banishm^t ymprisonm^t during life any one or more of these as the Provinciaall Court shall adiudge. And all Accessaries (after) to such speech practise or Attempt with force shalbe lyable to bee punished in such manner as in that Clawse w^{ch} is provided for mutinous speeches and practises without force

The ffreemen haue assented Tho: Hatton

Enacted by the Governor Willm Stone

An Act against ffugitives

5 Confirmed ut supra. Be it Enacted by the Lord Propr. with the advise & consent of this Assembly That it shalbe ffelony in any one that shalbe Accessary to any Apprentice servant that shall runne or convey himself or depart privily out of the service of his or her M^r or dame And any servant soe vnlawfully departing shall double the time of his or her unlawfull departure and absence to his or her said Master or dame over & aboue the damages and costs (to bee adiudged by the Court) w^{ch} shalbe susteyned by such unlawfull departure, whereof iust prooffe shalbe made. And any one that shall transport any hired Servant out of the Province shall pay double Costs & damages to the partie greived for such servants absence out of the Province. And such hired servant shall double the time of such absence in service to his or her M^r or dame.