

sett vpp in either of the said Countyes till a further Settlem<sup>t</sup> of  
the said Countyes

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The vpp<sup>r</sup> howse have Assented  
John Gittings Clk

The low<sup>r</sup> howse have Assented  
W<sup>m</sup> Bretton Clke.

An Act for the Continuance of  
An Act Intituled An Act of Gratitude  
for the Lieuten<sup>t</sup> Genall

Whereas the Burgesses of this present genall assembly weighing & considering amongst themselves the great probability of the small Quantity of Tobacco which will through the unseasonableness of the Summer past be made in this province whereby the Inhabitants of this pvince will be very much necessitated to discharge their former Obligacōns and provide for their future Subsistance & Defraying of their Publique Leavyes for this present yeare whereby they will be much disabled for the present to make any further Addicōn vnto the said Act of Gratitude as to an Augmentacōn thereof w<sup>ch</sup> they are really willing & free to doe & grant would the Condiccōn of the Province att this tyme beare itt. wherefore they doe humbly pray th<sup>t</sup> the twenty five pounds of Tobacco p pole imposed by the aforesaid Act on all Taxable psons within this province to be pay'd vnto the p<sup>r</sup>sent Lieuten<sup>t</sup> genall Charles Calvert Esqr. may be by him accepted And doe further pray th<sup>t</sup> itt may be enacted by the Lord Proprietary by & w<sup>th</sup> the Assent of the vpp<sup>r</sup> & low<sup>r</sup> howse of this present genall Assembly. That th<sup>t</sup> Act Intituled An Act of Gratitude for the Lieuten<sup>t</sup> genall be & Remayne in force to the propper vse & benefit of Charles Calvert And to Endure for three yeares or to the end of the next genall Assemblye.

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An Act for Providing Irons  
in each County for burning Malefactor<sup>s</sup>

Bee itt enacted by the R<sup>t</sup> Honno<sup>ble</sup> the Lord pprietary by & w<sup>th</sup> the consent of the vpp<sup>r</sup> & Low<sup>r</sup> howse of this p<sup>r</sup>sent genall Assembly th<sup>t</sup> the Com<sup>r</sup> of each County Co<sup>rt</sup> provide an Iron for the burning of Malefactor<sup>s</sup> w<sup>th</sup> the Lre R. & anoth<sup>r</sup> w<sup>th</sup> the Lre H. & th<sup>t</sup> vpon penaltie of ffive hund<sup>rd</sup> pounds of Tobacco to the