

Lib. L. L. No. 64. And to the end that the said Nine pence per Gallon may be exactly paid and Collected

Be it enacted by the Authority Advice and Consent aforesaid that before the said Liquors shall be Waterborn in Cheasopeak Bay the Importer or Importers shall make Entry thereof upon oath with the Navall Officer of Cecill County District of the Number of Casqs and the Contents thereof which oath the said Navall Officer by vertue of this Act shall have Authority to Administer and of the full Contents the Navall Officer may abate twenty per Cent for Leakage & other Damage to be sustain'd.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority Advice and Consent aforesaid that if the Importer or Importers aforesaid after he hath brought the said Liquors to Bohemia Landing aforesaid shall put the same Liquors on board any Vessell in Cheasopeak Bay or any the Rivers Creeks or Harbours thereto p. 76 belonging before the duty aforesaid shall be paid in ready mony as aforesaid That then the Importer or Importers shall forfeit the said Liquors or value thereof in ready mony to the uses aforesaid to be recovered as aforesaid

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid that when the Importer and importers aforesaid have made fair Entry as afores^d and paid the duty as aforesaid in ready mony as aforesaid that then the Navall Officer shall give the said Importer a Permitt to carry the same to any River Creek or Harbour or Port or place of this Province to make Sale of the same.

Provided always that if any Person or Persons shall import any the Liquors aforesaid from Pensilvania aforesaid in Sloops or other Vessells by Sea through the Capes of Cheasopeak into this Province that then such importer or Importer shall only pay the Duty of three pence p Gallon as others do And after the same Manner as is meñcond in a Certain Act of Assembly of this Province Intituled An Act imposing three pence per Gallon on Rum and Wine and twenty Shillings per poll for Negroes for raising a Supply to defray the publiq Charge of this Province and twenty Shillings per poll for Irish Servants to prevent the Importing too great a Number of Irish papists into this Province.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority Advice and Consent aforesaid That the Navall Officer aforesaid for the said Duty of nine pence per gallon aforesaid shall account to the Publiq Treasurer of the Eastern Shore and the Publick Treasurer of the Eastern Shore Shall Account to the Generall Assembly of this Province in manner and form as is meñcond in the aforesaid Act Intituled An Act imposing three pence per gallon on Rum and Wine and twenty Shillings per poll