

And be it further Enacted by and with the Advice Consent and Authority aforesaid that if any Popish Bishop Priest or Jesuit after such Conviction aforesaid shall say Mass or Exercise any other part of the Office or ffunction of a Popish Bishop or Priest within this Province or if any Papist or Person making profession of the Popish Religion shall keep Schoole or take upon themselves the Education Government or Boarding of Youth in any place within this Province such person or persons being thereof lawfully convicted that then every such Person shall upon such Conviction be transported out of this Province to the Kingdom of England together with his Conviction in order to his Suffering such pains and penaltys as are provided by the Statute made in the Eleventh and twelfth year of the reign of his late Majesty King William the third Intituled An Act for the further preventing the Growth of Popery. And to the end that the Protestant Children of Popish Parents may not in the life time of such their parents for want of fitting Maintenance be Necessitated in Compliance with their parents to embrace the Popish Religion contrary to their own Inclination,

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Be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid by and with the Advice and Consent aforesaid that from and after the end of this Sessions of Assembly if any such parent in order to the Compelling such his or her Protestant Child to Change his or her Religion shall refuse to allow such Child a fitting Maintenance Suitable to the degree and Ability of such parent and to the Age and Education of Such Child then upon Complaint thereof made to the Governour of this Province or the Keeper of the Great Seale it shall be lawfull for the said Governour or Keeper of the Seale to make such order therein as shall be agreeable to the Intent of this Act.

September 30<sup>th</sup> 1704

Read and assented to by  
the house of Delegates  
W Taylard Clk hd.

September 30<sup>th</sup> 1704

Read and Assented to by her  
Majestys hon<sup>ble</sup> Councill  
W Bladen Cl Concil.

Maryland October 3<sup>d</sup> 1704

On the behalf of her Ma<sup>ty</sup> &c I will this be a Law.

Jo: Seymour

An Act for the punishing the Offences of Adultery and ffor-  
nication.

Be it enacted by the Queens most excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of her Majestys Governour