

C. P. And be itt further Enacted by the Authority af<sup>d</sup> by and with the Advice and Consent af<sup>d</sup> that in any Parish where the Church is old or soe out of repair as not fitt to be made use of And shall be soe Adjudged by the Vestrymen of such  
 p. 84 Parish itt shall and may be Lawfull to and for such Vestrymen to Apply the said forty pounds of Tob° p poll for the building of a new one and if itt hath or shall so happē by reason of a Long Vacancy in such Parish that there shall be no Occasion to Apply the said Tob° to the Uses af<sup>d</sup> or if any such Tob° after such applicacōn hath or shall remaine in the hands of the Vestry the said Vestry are hereby directed and Impowered to Purchase therewith Either a plantation with a Tract of Land or a Certaine tract of Land as near and Contiguous to the Church belonging to such parishes as may be (and if there be no Church in such Parishes then to purchase a tract of Land as may be most Convenient for the Inhabitants thereof and build a Church thereon) which Plantation or Land shall be and forever remaine as a Gleebe to the Uses of the Ministers of such parish for the time being who shall be Lawfully Inducted and Appointed According to the Usage of the Church of England And this Province And if there shall happen in Any Parish to be Tob° Over and Above Answering the uses af<sup>d</sup> itt shall be Employed to the Improvement and Stocking such Gleebe as the Vestry shall Judge most proper.

And forasmuch as by the said recited Act there is nothing Allowed to the Sher. for Collecting the said forty pounds of  
 p. 85 Tob° p poll and paying the same to the Incumbent or Vestry,

Be itt Enacted by the Authority af<sup>d</sup> that the Sher. of Each respective County shall have Allowed him or them out of the said forty pounds of Tob° p poll which they shall pay to such Vestry or Incumbent five pounds of Tob° p Cent for Collecting and paying the same and no more Any Law Statute or Usage to the Contrary notwithstanding.

An Act for the Direction of Sher. in their Offices and restraining their ill practices within this Province.

Be itt Enacted by the Kings most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of his Majesties Governour Councill and Assembly of this Province And the Authority of the same that no Sherriffe Under Sherriffe or Deputy Sherriffe shall Seize any Tob° Unstript or Seize or marke any Merch<sup>u</sup> or Others Tob° received Marked and Nailed for any Cause whatsoever but only for Levies due to the publick County parish or for the forty p poll to the Minister And the Sev<sup>u</sup> Sher<sup>s</sup> are hereby Impowered to break the Lock of Any Tob°