

Bacon Courts are; and that the same shall be levied in the same Manner as Officers Fees are.

Chap. XI An Act repealing such Part of an Act of Assembly, entitled, An Act for laying an Imposition on several Commodities exported out of this Province, as relates to the laying an Impost or Duty on Furs and Skins only; and for laying an Imposition on Pork, Pitch and Tar, in lieu thereof.

Be it Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietor, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That such Part of an Act of Assembly, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis, the Fifth Day of September Seventeen Hundred and Four, entitled, An Act for laying an Imposition on Several Commodities exported out of this Province, as relates to the laying an Impost or Duty on Furs and Skins only, be, and is hereby declared to be repealed.

II. And be it further Enacted, by the Authority, Advice and Consent aforesaid, That from and after the Publication hereof, no Person or Persons whatsoever, not being Inhabitants within this Province, shall import any Pork, Pitch or Tar, into this Province, by Land or Water, from any other Colonies or Plantations, with Intent to sell or dispose thereof, but what the Importer or Importers shall pay unto his Lordship the Lord Proprietor of this Province, to be employed towards the maintaining a Free-School or Schools, within this Province, by the Rector and Visitors of the Free-School, according to the Directions of an Act of Assembly relating to Free-Schools, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at Annapolis, Anno Domini Sixteen Hundred Ninety-five, entitled, To the King's most Excellent Majesty, the Duties and Imposts following, (That is to Say,) For every Barrel of Pork, the Sum of One Shilling per Barrel, or for every Hundred Weight thereof Six-pence: For Pitch, One Shilling per Barrel: For Tar, Six-pence per Barrel; which said several Impositions shall be collected by the Several and respective Naval Officers within this Province, who are hereby required annually to render an Account of the said Impositions to the Public Treasurers of the Province, for the Time being, who shall, and are hereby authorized and empowered to receive the same, and render an Account thereof to the General Assembly of this Province, to the Uses Intents and Purposes aforesaid.

III. And be it further Enacted, by the Authority, Advice and Consent aforesaid, That no Pork, Pitch or Tar, upon