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Saving to his most Sacred Majesty, his Heirs and Successors, the Laws Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, his Heirs and Successors, and to all Bodies Politick and Corporate, and all Persons not mentioned in this Act, their several and respective Rights; any thing in this Act to the contrary thereof, in any-wise, notwithstanding.

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority, Advice, and Consent aforesaid, That every Person taking up, or being in Possession of any of the Lots taken up in the aforesaid Town, shall be chargeable with, and liable to the Payment of One Penny Current Money of Maryland, per Annum, for each Lot, to the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, and his Heirs, for ever; and that the Clerk of the said Commissioners, do transmit to his Lordship's Agent, an Account of all Lots taken up, pursuant to the Directions of this Act.

Chap. XIII An Act for laying an Imposition on Tobacco by the Hogshead, for Support of Government, and for Payment of his Lordship's Quit-Rents and Alienation Fines, for the Time therein mentioned.

Be it Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, 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 p. 20 same, That from and after the Twenty Ninth Day of September next ensuing, until the Twenty Ninth Day of September, which shall be in the Year of our Lord God One Thousand Seven Hundred and Thirty Three, there shall be collected and raised to the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, his Heirs and Successors, for every Hogshead of Tobacco which shall be exported out of this Province, the Sum of Twelve Pence Sterling, and for every Hundred Weight exported, in any other Package than Hogsheads, Two Pence Sterling, and in Proportion for a greater or lesser Quantity, to be applied to the Support of Government:

Provided, That in his Lordship's Absence out of this Province, the said Twelve Pence per Hogshead, shall be applied to support the Dignity and Station of the Governor, for the Time being, actually residing within this Province, and to such other necessary Uses, for the Support of Government, as his Lordship shall appoint. And in Case of the Death or Absence of any Governor, the one Moiety of the said Twelve Pence per Hogshead, during such Vacancy, to be applied to the Maintenance and Support of such his Lordship's Council as shall be appointed to preside within this Province, and to such other necessary Uses as his Lordship shall appoint; the other Half to be for the Support of Government, to be lodged in the Treasurer's Hands, and applied towards building an House for the Governors of this Province to reside in, or to such other Uses as shall be appointed by the Governor or President, for the Time being, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly.