

Liber B.L.C. And whereas the Justices of Worcester County aforesaid, did heretofore, on the Petition and Application of the Vestrymen and Church-Wardens of the aforesaid Parish of All-hallows, assess and levy on the taxable Inhabitants of the said Parish, a Quantity of Tobacco, which was collected by the Sheriff of the said County, in order to repair the Parish Church, but upon inspecting the same, they found it so far decayed and gone to Ruin as to render a Repair impracticable; by which means the Tobacco so as aforesaid assessed and collected, still continues in the Sheriff's Hands unapplied.

Be it therefore Enacted by and with the Advice and Consent aforesaid, That the Sheriff of Worcester, in whose Hands the Tobacco so as aforesaid levied and collected shall be, shall pay the same to the Vestrymen and Church-Wardens of All-hallows Parish aforesaid, or their Order, who are hereby impowered and directed to lay out and apply the same towards building and compleating the said new Church in All-hallows Parish aforesaid.

[Tobacco heretofore levied, how applied.]

And be it further Enacted, That the Vestrymen and Church-Wardens may, if they shall think proper, sell and dispose of, as well the Tobacco by this Act intended to be raised, as also that heretofore collected as aforesaid, for Money, in order to erect and build the Church aforesaid, as by this Act it is before directed.

[Vestrymen, &c. to sell the Tobacco.]
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And whereas by an Act of Assembly, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis, the First Day of May, Seventeen hundred forty and four, Entituled, An Act for dividing All-hallows Parish in Worcester County, and for erecting a Parish out of the same, called by the Name of Worcester-Parish, It is enacted, That after the Death or Removal of the Reverend Patrick Glasgow, the present Incumbent, the said Parish of All-hallows shall be divided, and two Parishes established out of the same, and the new one called Worcester-Parish, as by the said Act, reference being thereto had, may more at large appear; and as the taxable Inhabitants of that Part of All-hallows Parish, which will, when the Act aforesaid shall take place, compose Worcester-Parish, have had assessed and levied on them their porportionable Part of the aforesaid Quantity of Tobacco, heretofore intended and raised for the Repair of the aforesaid Parish Church of All-hallows, and now lying in the Sheriff of Worcester's Hands, as before it is mentioned, and as they will further bear their porportionable Charge of the Tobacco intended by this Act to be assessed and levied, for building the said new Church in All-hallows Parish, and it being highly reasonable they should be refunded and repaid, at the Division of the said Parish, the Tobacco which they shall be burthened with by means of this Act towards building the aforesaid Church of All-hallows;

[On the Division of All-hallows Parish, &c.]

Be it therefore Enacted by the Authority, Advice and Consent aforesaid, That on the Division of the said Parish of All-hallows, which shall be made in Pursuance of the said recited Act, the Jus-