

Authorized and required at the laying their County Levy in November Court Seventeen hundred and Sixty Six and so in November Court yearly untill the year Seventeen hundred and Sixty eight inclusive to Assess, and Levy by three equal assessments on the Taxable Inhabitants of Saint Andrews Parish in the said County a Quantity of Tobacco not exceeding two hundred Thousand pounds of Tobacco, in the whole three Assessments Clear of the Sheriffs Salary of five per Cent for collecting the same which said sum of two hundred Thousand pounds of Tobacco the said Sheriff is hereby Authorised and required to Collect and receive accordingly; and when so collected and received to pay the same to the Order of the Vestrymen and Church Wardens of the said Saint Andrews Parish for the time being to be by them applyed to the finishing and completing a Parish Church for the Use of the said Parishioners and to no other use or purpose whatsoever.

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And whereas the place where the Church now stands is inconvenient in its situation to many of the Parishioners who are desirous to have the Same Built, as near the Center of the said Parish as Can be judged. Be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the Rector Vestrymen and Church Wardens or the major part of them of the said Parish are hereby authorised and impowered to purchase out of the Tobacco hereby granted two acres of Land which they shall judge the most convenient place in the said Parish for erecting and building the said Church upon, and which two Acres when purchased shall be and remain to and for the Use of the Parish aforesaid for ever.

[Rector, &c,
to purchase
Land for
building a
new Church]

December the 4th 1765
Read and Assented to
By the Lower House of
Assembly
Signed p Order
MMacnemara Cl: Lo. Ho.

On Behalf of the Right
Honourable the Lord
Proprietary of this Province I Will this be a Law
Hor.^o Sharpe

December 5th 1765.
Read and assented to
By the Upper House of
Assembly
Signed by Order
UScott Cl: Up. Ho.

The Great Seal
in Wax App.^t

No. 5 An Act to enable the Justices of Saint Mary's County Court to assess and Levy on the taxable Inhabitants of All Faith's Parish a Quantity of Tobacco and for other Purposes therein mentioned. P. 535

Whereas it is represented to this general assembly by a Petition [Preamble] from the Vestrymen and Protestant Inhabitants of the Parish of All Faiths in Saint Mary's County that the Church of the said Parish is utterly decayed and that the Inhabitants of the said Parish are in want of a new Church and also a Chapel of Ease and have by their petition prayed that a quantity of Tobacco not exceeding one hundred and twenty Thousand may be assessed and levied on the Taxable Inhabitants of the said Parish at not less than three equal assessments and Collections for the Purpose of Building and erecting a new