

with Interest as aforesaid the said Commissioners shall give Notice to the Sheriff aforesaid and then there shall be no further years Tax by Virtue of this Act—

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And be it further enacted That in Case the Sheriff shall not make such Payment within the Time limited the Commissioners aforesaid shall and may within thirty Days thereafter prosecute a Writ of scire facias against him and his Sureties on his Office Bond in like manner as they may do on Bonds taken by them on the Loan of Money and shall recover the like Judgment and have the like Execution and on such Proceeding the Sheriff aforesaid shall be chargeable with and pay Interest at the Rate of four per Cent by the Year from the Time he ought to have paid the Money aforesaid untill he shall actually pay the same

[Sheriff not making Payment may be prosecuted by the Commissioners in like Manner as on Bonds taken by them on Loan.]

And be it enacted That if any of the Taxable Inhabitants chargeable with the said Tax shall pay the same in Tobacco then the Sheriff aforesaid shall on the second Day of the August Court next thereafter for his County sell the same in open Court for the Benefit of the said County and the said Sheriff shall in his Account with the said County be allowed Yearly for all insolvent Taxes from whom the said twelve Pounds of Tobacco per poll cannot be collected as well as for the Taxes who actually pay in Tobacco and shall be charged and chargeable in the said Account with the Price for which the Tobacco shall be sold by him and shall at the November Court next after his last Collection account for and pay to the Justices of Baltimore County aforesaid for the Use of the said County the Surplus of the said Tax remaining after the Payment of the Principal and Interest as aforesaid

[Money paid in Tobacco to be sold in open Court, &c.]

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And be it further enacted that for the Time being Messieurs Charles Ridgely William Lux John Moale William Smith Samuel Purviance of Baltimore Town Andrew Buchanan and Henry Dorsey Gough are hereby appointed and named Trustees for the poor of Baltimore County and are empowered with full and sufficient Authority for discharging the several Offices Duties and Trusts reposed in and required of them by this Act the which Persons appointed Authorized and named or the Major Part of them in Case of the Death or Absence of any one are hereby required with all convenient Speed to meet at such Places within the said County as to them shall seem meet to Qualify themselves for the Office of Trustees for the poor of the said County which they are to do by taking the several Oaths appointed by Law to be taken to the Government signing the Oath of Abjuration and repeating and signing the Test and also taking the following Oath to wit "I, A. B, do swear that I will duly and faithfully discharge the Dutys and Trusts committed to me as a Trustee for the poor of Baltimore County according to the best of my Skill and Knowledge and an Act of Assembly en-

[Trustees for the Poor appointed.]

[Their oath.]