

Lib. L. L. them not Exceeding one Thousand Pounds for which they shall have Creditt and be Allowed in their Accounts when Rendered and hereby Saved harmless for their soe doing.

An Act for payment of the Publick Charge of this Province

Whereas there hath been the Sume of three hundred fourty Six Thousand Eight hundred Seaventy and nine pounds of Tobbacco and the Sumē of one hundred Eighty three pounds Seaven Shillings and five pence Sterling laid out and disbursed by Severall of the Inhabitants of this Province upon the necessary Charges of the Same which hath been Examined
 p. 371 and stated and allowed of by this present Generall Assembly To the Intent thereof that the Same may be Satisfyed and paid Be it Enacted by the Kings most Excellent Maty by and with the Advice and Consent of this present Generall Assembly and the Authority of the Same That the said Sume of Three hundred fourty six thousand Eight hundred Seaventy and nine pounds of Tobbacco And one hundred Eighty and three pounds Seaven shillings five pence Sterling be paid the severall persons as in the Journall of the Comittee of Accompts is sett forth (that is to say) the said one hundred Eighty three pounds Seaven shillings and five pence Sterl according as the Same is Allowed of in the Said Journall And the said Sume of three hundred, fourty six thousand, Eight hundred Seaventy & nine pounds of Tobbacco to be paid to the Severall persons to whom the same is due in money Sterl att the rate of Ten Shillings p Cent who are hereby obliged to accept and receive the same in full Discharge thereof to be drawn out of the Publick Treasury of this Province in Mañer and forme following (that is to say) Major John Hammond, Cap^t Richard Hill, M^r Samuel Young, M^r John Worthington or any three of them whereof the said Major Hamōnd to be one Be and are hereby Authorized and Impowered to draw the severall notes for so much particularly as shall be due to the Severall persons in the said Journalls named for Payment of the aforesaid Publick Charge upon the Severall Treasures of this Province Provided allways that such Sums as are due to Severall Gentlemen resideing on the Eastern Shore shall be first Allotted and paid out of the Stock remaining in the Treasures hands on that shore so farr as the Same will Extend, w^{ch} s^d Notes & Ticketts the said Severall Treasurers are hereby obliged to accept and pay which said Notes or Ticketts & receipts Endorsed thereon shall be Sufficent to discharge such Treasurer or Treasurers for the Same

End of 1699 Session.