

afforesaid & no longer. And in case any Ship or other Vessell paying the duty & imposition afforesaid shall miscarry before hir arrivall at hir intended port, then such Master or Masters or other person or persons Intressed or concerned shall be allowed to ship of so much Tobacco againe the next year ensuing without paying the afforesaid duty & Imposition any thing in this present act contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

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An act for laying the publick Levie.

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Be it Enacted by the King & Queens most Excellent Majesties by & with the advice & consent of this present Gennerall Assembly & the Authority of the same that these severall persons following Viz<sup>t</sup> M<sup>r</sup> John Wattson of St. Maryes Citty M<sup>r</sup> Rob<sup>t</sup> Mason of St. Maryes Countie, Major Thomas Smith of Kent County, Major John Hammond of Ann-Arundell County, M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Tasker of Calvert County, M<sup>r</sup> William Dent of Charles County, M<sup>r</sup> Francis Wattkins of Baltimore County, M<sup>r</sup> Rob<sup>t</sup> Smith of Talbot County, Captain Will<sup>m</sup> Whittington of Somersett County, M<sup>r</sup> John Pollard of Dorchester County & Major John Thompson of Cœcil County Burgeses & Delegates of the said severall & respective Counties be & are hereby authorized nominated & appointed a Committee for the laying the next publick levie in order to the defraying of the Publick charge of this Province not exceeding the sum of five hundred thousand pounds of tobacco which said severall persons are hereby required & appointed to meet at Annapolis in the County of Ann-Arundell on the Monday before the Provinciaall Court which shall be in October next ensuing this present Gennerall Assembly & to the end that all persons intrested or concerned may have due notice of the time & place afforesaid.

Be it Enacted by the Authority afforesaid that the Deligates of each respective County doe signifie to the Respective Clerkes the time & place by this act nominated & appointed for all persons to bring in their accounts, who are hereby Oblidged to fix up in some publick place neer the Court house in Writing the time & place afforesaid under the penalty & forfeiture of two thousand pounds of tobacco, One halfe to their Majesties their heirs & Successors and the other halfe to him or them that shall informe and sue for the same to be recovered by Bill, plaint or Information, wherein no Essoin Protection or Wager of Law to be allowed.

An act for Reviving the Temporary Laws of this Province.

Be it Enacted by the King & Queens most Excellent Majesties by & with the advice & consent of this present Gennerall Assembly & the Authority of the same that one Act of Assembly of this Province made at a Gennerall Assembly of this Province begun & held at the Citty of St. Maryes the tenth day of May in the year of our Lord

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