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from henceforth be any way troubled molested
or discountenanced for or in respect of his or her
Religion nor in the free exercise thereof within
this Province or the Islands therunto belonging
nor any way compelled to the beleife or exercise
of any other Religion against his or her consent
so as they be not unfaithfull to the Lord Proprietary
or mollest or conspire against the will Govern^{ment}
Established or to be Established in this Province
under him or his heirs and that all and every
person and persons that shall presume contrary
to this Act and the true intent and meaning thereof
of directly or indirectly either in person or Estate
willfully to disturb wrong trouble or mollest any
person whatsoever within this Province profes
sing to beleive in Jesus Christ for or in respect of
his or her Religion or the free exercise thereof
within this Province otherwise then is provid
ed for within this act that such person or per
sons so offending shall be compelled to pay treble
damages to the party so wronged and mollested
and for every such offence shall alsoe forfeit twenty
Shillings Sterling in money or the value thereof
half thereof for the use of the Lord Proprietary &
his heirs Lords Proprietaries of this Province &
the other halfe thereof for the use of the party so
wronged or Mollested as aforesaid or if the party
so offending as aforesaid shall refuse or be unable
to recompence the party so wronged or to satisfy
such Fine or for future then Such offender shall
be severely punished by publick whipping and
imprisonment during the pleasure of the Lord
Proprietary or his Lieutenant or his chief Governour
of this Province for the being without Bayle or
mainprize And be it Further alsoe Enacted by
the authority and consent aforesaid That the
Sheriffs or other officer or officers from time
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