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545) The said Petitioners their Liberty which seems so unlikely for them to obtain, that unless relieved by a particular Act to be past in their favour which by their said Petitions they have humbly pray'd, they must inevitably continue Prisoners for Life, and thereby their Families utterly ruined, and for that the truth of the said Petitioners Allegations is made appear to this Generall Assembly by Sufficient Testimony and also the Occasion of their being brought to such Circumstances does not proceed from any Tolence or Extravagance of their own, And that the said Petitioners and their Families are fit Objects of Charity and that lying in Goal can be no benefitt to their Creditors It is humbly pray'd that the said Petitioners may be relieved according to their prayer and that it may be Enacted, And be it Enacted by his Lordship the Lord Proprietary by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordships Governour and the upper and Lower Houses of Assembly and the Authority of the Same, that unless all or any of the Creditors of the said Robert Twiss, Andrew Castle, and Gilbert Rowlson, George Sexton and John Robinson or the Creditor or Creditors of any or either of them or the Attorney or Attorneys of such Creditor or Creditors aforesaid within this Province within three Months after the End of this Session of Assembly go to the Sheriff of the Severall Countys of Annarundell Queen Anns and Talbot and give good Security to pay the Imprisonment fees at ten pounds of Tobacco per Day that shall or may become due from the said Robert Twiss, Andrew Castle, and Gilbert Rowlson, George Sexton & John Robinson after the end of the said three Months and also to find the said Robert Twiss, Andrew Castle and Gilbert Rowlson, George Sexton and John Robinson sufficient Meat Drink and Cloathing during their future imprisonment. In case they the said Robert Twiss, Andrew Castle and Gilbert Rowlson, George Sexton and John Robinson shall deliver up and Surrender or Cause to be delivered up and Surrendered to the Sheriffs of Annarundell Queen Anns and Talbot Countys aforesaid in the presence of two Justices of the Peace in each of the said Counties whom the said Sheriffs are hereby required to Summon on the request of the said Robert Twiss, Andrew Castle, and Gilbert Rowlson, George Sexton & John Robinson at the dwelling plantations or places of abode of the said Robert Twiss, Andrew Castle and Gilbert Rowlson, George Sexton, and John Robinson, at some convenient time betwixt the tenth Day of March and the tenth Day of June next all their Reall and personall Estate either in possession Reversion or remainder or in trust or in or unto which they have or any or either of them hath any claim or Interest whatsoever & do likewise betwixt the Days aforesaid convey Assign transferr and make over unto the said Sheriff of Annarundell, Queen Anns and Talbot County for the use of their said Creditors all such their Estate Interest or Claim as aforesaid after such manner as by the said Sheriffs and the Major parts of the said Creditors or

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