

An Act continuing an Act entituled, *An Act for the more effectual Punishment of Negroes, and other Slaves, and for taking away the Benefit of Clergy from certain Offenders; and a Supplementary Act to an Act entituled, An Act to prevent the tumultuous Meeting, and other Irregularities of Negroes and other Slaves, and directing the Manner of trying Slaves.*

An Act continued.

BE it Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That an Act of Assembly of this Province entituled, *An Act for the more effectual Punishment of Negroes, and other Slaves, and for taking away the Benefit of Clergy from certain Offenders; and a Supplementary Act to an Act entituled, An Act to prevent the tumultuous Meeting, and other Irregularities of Negroes and other Slaves, and directing the Manner of trying Slaves,* made at a Session of Assembly, begun and held at the City of *Annapolis*, the Fifteenth Day of *May*, Anno Domini One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty One, be, and is hereby continued, and shall remain and be in full Force, for and during the Term of Three Years next ensuing, and to the End of the next Session of Assembly which shall happen after the End of the said Three Years.