

such offence being convicted thereof by two sufficient witnesses the sume of two thousand pounds of Tobacco, the one halfe to the Lord Prop^{ty} the other halfe to him or them that shall informe and sue for the same and bee lyable to loose his liberty and lycence for ordinary keeping at the discrecōn of the Cap^t Generall or other Officer to whom the power of granting Lycences for ordinary Keeping shall from time to time belong. And for further prevencōn of abusing and prophaning the Sabbath or Lords Day Bee it enacted by the Authority aforesaid that if any Master of a Family or other person having an Orchard or having strong Liquors to expose to sayle and shall sell any strong liquors or any of the produce of such orchard on the Sabbath or Lords Day as aforesaid shall for every such Offence forfeit and pay two thousand pounds of Tobacco the one halfe to the Lord Prop^{ty} the other halfe to him or them that shall sue for the same which said Fines in this Act shalbe recoverable by bill, plaint or informacōn wherein noe Essoyne wager nor proteccōn in Law to be allowed this Act to endure for three years or to the end of the next Generall Assembly which shall first happen.

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An Act for payment and assessing the Publique
Charges of this Province.

Whereas there have bene two hundred and forty thousand two hundred fifty and eight pounds of tobacco expended laid out and disburs^t by the Upper and Lower Houses of this Present Generall Assembly and by severall other good people of this Province for the Publique good of the same and to the intent that the same may be satisfied to those persons to whome it is due Bee it enacted by the Right Hon^{ble} the Lord Prop^{ty} by and with the advice and consent of the Upper and Lower Houses of this present Generall Assembly and by the Authority of the same that the said two hundred and forty thousand two hundred fifty and eight pounds of Tobacco be payd in manner and forme as is hereafter expressed that is to say To Charles Delaroch for Publique expenses seaven thousand, seaven hundred and six pounds of Tobacco to M^r Robert Ridgely for Publique Charges for the Upper and Lower Houses the sume of twenty and nine thousand six hundred seaventy and seaven pounds of Tobacco. To Garrat Vanswaringen for Publique expences, the Burgesses, twenty eight thousand nine hundred forty & nine pounds of Tobacco. To the said Vanswaringen for building the Stocks and whipping post in S^t Maries Citty eight hundred pounds of Tobacco. To the said Vanswaringen for a Chest to secure the Records two hundred and fifty pounds