

the Administration of any Person Deceased within the County where he dwelleth as aforesaid, But if any contest or dispute shall arise between any persons concerning the right to Administration or Executorship, the same shall be decided by the Chancellor or Commissary Generall or Judge in Testimentary Causes & not by such person app<sup>td</sup> in each County as aforesaid, neither shall such person grant such Administration or take the probate of such Will till such time as such dispute or difference is decided and determined by the proper Judge thereof, and certificate from such Judge of the same, And such person so appointed as aforesaid shall and is hereby allowed as a Fee for granting such Letters of Administration as aforesaid, Sweārg the Administrator and appraisors or for the probate of any Will or sweārg every Executor or Execut<sup>rs</sup> and Letters testamentary, the sume of one hundred and fifty pounds of Tobacco to be paid by such person or persons requiring administration or Letters Testamentary as aforesaid unless the Estate be so small as not to amount to the sum of two thousand pounds of Tobacco, In every such case where the Estate is of less value then two thousand pounds of Tobacco as aforesaid there shall be paid to such person so appointed for such Letters of Administration or Letters Testamentary as aforesaid, the sum of fifty pounds of Tobacco & no more, any Law Statute or useage to the contrary hereof in any wise notwithstanding

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June 2<sup>d</sup> 1692  
Assented to by the Councill  
chamb<sup>r</sup>

Signed p Ord<sup>r</sup>  
John Llewellyn Clk.

June the 2<sup>d</sup> 1692  
The house of Assembly have  
Assented

Signed p Ord<sup>r</sup>  
Hen: Denton Clk.

An Act for settlement of an Anuall Revenue  
upon their Majesties Gov<sup>r</sup> within this Province  
for the time being.

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Whereas by an Act of Assembly formerly made Entituled an Act for providing a Support for the Lord Proprietary of this Province & likewise a supply for the defraying the Publick charges of Gov<sup>r</sup>ment it was by the said Act Published and declared that from and after the first day of Septemb<sup>r</sup> then next ensuing, there should be raised Leavyed collected and paid to the said Lord & Proprietary the sum of two shillings sterl for every hhd & Quantity of an hh<sup>d</sup> of Tobacco which should be at any time thereafter shipt in any Ship or Vessel to be Exported out of this Province on Condition that his said Lord<sup>p</sup> should receive his Rents and Fines for alienation of Land in good sound Merchantable Tobacco when tendred