

cill and Assembly of this province and the Authority of the C. P. same that from and after the end of this present Sessions of Assembly the Importer or Importers of Rum Spiritts wine and brandy from Pensilvania and the Territories thereto belonging by Land shall for Every Gallon of the said Liquors soe Imported into this province pay unto the Kings Majesty his heirs and Successors for defraying the publick Charges of this province to be Collected by the Navall Officer of Cecill County District for the time being or his Sufficient Deputy the sume of nine pence in ready Curr<sup>t</sup> Money of this province and shall bring the same Liquors into this province to the place Comonly Called Bohemia Landing and to no other place or Landing till the duties thereof be paid under penalty of fforfeiting to the Kings Majesty his heirs and Successors all such before mentioned Liquors which shall be brought to any other place Contrary to the Intent of this Act or the Value thereof in ready Money one Moyety of the said fforfeiture to the Kings Mj<sup>ty</sup> his heirs and Successors for the Support of Governm<sup>t</sup> of this province and the Other Moyety to the Informer to be recovered in any Court of Record in this province by Action of Debt bill plaint or Information wherein no Essoyne protection or wager of Law to be Allowed. p. 210

And to the end that the said nine pence per Gall. may be Exactly paid and Collected—

Be itt Enacted by the Authority Advice and Consent af<sup>d</sup> that before the said Liquors shall be water born in Chesapeak Bay the Importer or Importers shall make Entry thereof upon Oath w<sup>th</sup> the Navall Officer of Cecill County District of the Number of Casques and the Contents thereof which oath the said Navall Officer by Virtue of this Act shall have Authority to Administer and of the full Contents the said Navall Officer may abate twenty p Cent for leakage and other damage to be Sustained and no more.

And be itt further Enacted by the Authority Advice and Consent af<sup>d</sup> that if the Importer or Importers af<sup>d</sup> after he hath brought the said Liquors to Bohemia Landing af<sup>d</sup> shall put the said Liquors on board any Vessell in Chesapeak bay or any rivers Creeks or harbours thereto belonging before the duty af<sup>d</sup> shall be paid in ready money as af<sup>d</sup> that then the Importer or Importers shall fforfeit the said Liquors or the Value thereof in ready money to the uses af<sup>d</sup> to be recovered as af<sup>d</sup> p. 211

And be itt further Enacted by the Authority af<sup>d</sup> that when the Importer or Importers af<sup>d</sup> have made fair Entries as af<sup>d</sup> and paid the duty as af<sup>d</sup> that then the Navall officer shall give the said Importer a permitt to Carry the same to any River Creek or Harbour or port or place of this province to make sale of the same