

County Court after such Election, shew sufficient Cause for ^{Bacon.} his or their Absence, to be allowed and approved of by the Justices of the several County Courts in this Province.

VIII. Provided nevertheless, That this Act or any Thing therein contained, shall not extend to be construed to exclude any County or Counties, City or Cities, Borough or Boroughs hereafter to be erected and made within this Province, from the Liberty of such Elections of Burgesses, Delegates and Representatives, as is before expressed; but that such Writ as aforesaid, shall upon calling every General Assembly of this Province for the future, be directed to the Sheriff of every such County, City or Borough, when the same shall be erected and made into a County, City or Borough, as aforesaid, and to the Mayor, Recorder and Aldermen, of every such City or Borough, commanding such Sheriff or Mayor, Recorder or Aldermen, to cause Four Freemen of the said County, and Two Free-men of the said City or Borough, qualified as in the aforesaid Writ is expressed, to serve as Delegates and Representatives of the same County, City or Borough, in the General Assembly next ensuing; which said Four Delegates for every such County, and Two for the City or Borough, shall from thenceforth be reputed and deemed to be Members of the Lower House of the General Assembly of this Province; any Thing in this Act in any wise to the contrary notwithstanding.

IX. And for the ascertaining, limiting and allowing unto the several and respective Councillors, Deputies and Delegates, that serve, or shall serve in the General Assemblies of this Province, and the several and respective Commissioners of the Provincial and County Courts of this Province, such Sum and Sums of Tobacco as is hereby thought necessary and sufficient for their defraying their Charges, in attending such Assemblies and Courts,

Be it Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, by and with the Advice and Consent aforesaid, That all such Councillors be allowed the Sum of One Hundred and Fifty Pounds of Tobacco per Day, and the Delegates and Burgesses of Assembly shall be allowed the Sum of One Hundred and Forty Pounds of Tobacco per Day, during the Time they shall attend such Assemblies, and no more, (besides their itinerant Charges,) to be paid and allowed them out of the Public Levy of this Province: And the several and respective Commissioners of the Provincial Court, for the defraying their Charges and Expences, during the Time they shall sit in and attend such Courts, the Sum of One Hundred and Forty Pounds of Tobacco per Day, and no more, besides their itinerant Charges,