

Lib. B. L. C. the said Henry Hooper and his heirs and Assignes for Ever shall by Virtue of this Act and the Deed of Bargain and Sale aforesaid of the af^d Andrew Gray to the said Henry Hooper be Invested with an Indefeazable Estate of Inheritance in fee Simple of in and unto the aforesaid One Hundred and thirty Acres of Land as fully and Amply to all Intents and purposes as if the said Andrew had been Invested at the time of such Bargain and Sale of an Estate of Inheritance in fee Simple of in and to the said Lands And that the said Tract Called the hope and the other Called the Addition to the hope be and are hereby Entailed in the same Manner and on the same persons as the said Tract Containing One hundred and thirty Acres part of Goodridges Choice was Entailed any Law Usage or Custom to the Contrary notwithstanding Saving to his most Sacred Majesty his Heirs and Successors the Right Honourable the Lord Prop^{ry} his heirs and Successors and all Bodys politick and Corporate and all others not mentioned in this Act their Several and Respective Rights

Chap. XVII An Explanatory Act of the Act Entituled An Act to encourage
 [Explains Adventurers in Iron Works.
 1732, ch. 17] p. 156

Whereas by the said Act it is Enacted That no white Man or Slave who Should be Employed in any Manner about Iron Works or in providing any Materials of any Nature or Kind soever for the Furtherance and Carrying on any Iron Work or Making of Iron should be Obliged to Clear or assist in Clearing any High Ways or Roads or in Building of any Bridge or Bridges with Provisoe that no White Man or Slave who should be Employed in Making Tob^o should have any Exemption.

And Whereas it is Represented to this General Assembly that some Iron Works are seated on Main Roads and that several of the Inhabitants of this Province Living Contiguous to such Works and Roads by them used are not makers of Tob^o and yet Occupy and tend plantations and that to Screen themselves from Clearing or Repairing the Roads Contiguous to Iron Works enter into the Service of the Undertakers of such Iron Works for some short Space of Time whereby there are not a Sufficient Number of Inhabitants Left to Clear the said Roads for Remedy whereof for the future it is prayed it be Enacted

And Be it Enacted by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordships Governour and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the Same that none of the Inhabitants of this Province their Servants or Slaves who are not in actual Service or shall not be Constantly Employed in Carrying on Iron Works shall be Exempt from Clearing and repairing the said Roads.