

U. H. J. of an hogshead of Tobacco whether in hogshead or Other Package
 Calvert which hereafter shall be shipped in any Ship or Vessel to be exported
 Paper out of this Province or any of the Territories Islands Ports Rivers
 No. 735 Creeks or places thereunto belonging

And Be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid that for the greater Ease and better Security in the Payment of the Duty or Impost aforesaid that the said Duty and Imposition shall be from time to time paid and satisfied by the Master or Masters of every such Ship or Vessel respectively in which any such Tobacco shall be exported upon his or their Clearing or taking out his or their Dispatch or Dispatches for every such respective Ship or Vessel and before the Departure of such Ship or Vessel coming into this Province and that such Master or Masters shall at their first Arrival here and before their loading on board any Goods or Commodities of the Growth Production or Manufacture of this Province give good and sufficient Security to his Excellency the Governor for the time being or to the Officer thereunto especially appointed for the Payment of the said Duty or Imposition accordingly

p. 14 And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid that every Master of any Ship or Vessel as aforesaid at the time of his Clearing shall upon Oath declare before such Naval Officer or Officers (which Oath the same Officer or Officers are hereby impowered to administer) what Number of hogsheads or other Packages of Tobacco he hath on board his Ship or Vessel in Order to be exported as aforesaid with their respective Marks and Numbers, and if it shall happen that in any such other Package as aforesaid there shall be contained any Quantity of Tobacco under Eight Hundred that in Every such Case the same Master shall pay the aforesaid Duty therefore at the Rate of three half Pence like Money for Every hundred Weight and so in proportion for a greater or lesser Quantity, And in Case the said Master shall refuse the said Oath, or upon Suspicion of having Goods on board for which he has not cleared it shall be lawful for the said Naval Officer to enter on board any such Ship or Vessel and the same to search for any such Goods as aforesaid any thing in this Act before mentioned notwithstanding

Provided always and it is the true Intent and Meaning hereof that this Act nor anything herein contained shall be adjudged construed reputed or taken (anything herein before contained to the contrary notwithstanding) to entitle his said Lordship his Heirs or Assigns or his or their Governor or Governors for the time being to the Benefit Advantage or Right to the aforesaid One shift p hogshead granted to her most Sacred Majesty Queen Ann her Heirs and Successors for the Support of her Government for the time being Entitled An Act for Settlement of an Annual Revenue upon her Majestys Governor within this Province for the time being made Anno Domini seventeen hundred and four nor to discharge his