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[Continu-  
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this Act.] This Act to be in Force for and during the Term of two Years, and unto the End of the next Session of Assembly which shall hap-  
pen after the Expiration of two Years.

31<sup>st</sup> May 1750  
Read and Assented to  
by the Lower House of  
Assembly  
Signed p Order  
M. Macnemara Cl lo Ho.

On behalf of the Right  
Honourable the Lord  
Proprietary of this Prov-  
ince I will this Be a Law  
Sam Ogle

1 June 1750  
Read and Assented to  
by the Upper House of  
Assembly  
Signed p Order  
J Ross. Ct Up. Ho.

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No. 23 An Act empowering the Rector, Vestrymen and Churchwardens, of Queen Caroline Parish, in Anne Arundel County, for the Time being, to purchase one Acre of Land, and thereon to build a Chapel of Ease in the said Parish; and to empower the Justices of the said County to levy on the taxable Inhabitants of the said Parish the Sum of Twelve Pence Current Money, yearly, by three annual Assessments, for the Uses therein mentioned.

[Preamble.] Whereas, the Rector, Vestrymen, and Churchwardens of Queen Caroline Parish, in Anne Arundel County, by their humble Petition to this present General Assembly, have set forth, that the Bounds and Limits of said Parish are so extensive, that many of their Parishioners cannot, without great Fatigue and Inconvenience, attend Divine Service at the Parish Church; and that the Inhabitants of the upper Part of that Parish had applied to them, requesting that a Chapel might be built at the Charge of the Parish: They the Petitioners, thinking the said Parishioners Request reasonable, had published their Intention to comply therewith, provided the Bulk of the People in the Parish were willing to be taxed, to support the Charge thereof: And that in Consequence of such Publication, they the Petitioners having heard of no material Objection thereto, they thought it proper to have a Chapel of Ease built for the said Parish, at a Place commonly known by the Name of Poplar Spring; which Place had been viewed and pitched upon by the Petitioners for that Purpose, on Part of a Tract of Land belonging to Mr. Levin Lawrence. They therefore prayed an Act might pass, for levying a Tax of twelve Pence Current Money per Poll, on the taxable Inhabitants of the Parish aforesaid, yearly, for three Years next ensuing, to enable the Petitioners to build a Chapel of Ease at the Place aforesaid. All which being thought reasonable, it is prayed that it may be Enacted;

And be it Enacted by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Gover-