

abscond, will give such Sheriff good and sufficient Security for the Payment of all such Public or County Levies, Parochial Charges, Officers or Lawyers Fees, at any Time before such Distress and Sale made, that then and in such Case, the Sheriff shall, and is hereby obliged to take the same. Liber B.L.C.

And be it likewise Enacted, That the Time for choosing the several Inspectors to serve in that Office, instead of being in the first Week of December, as directed by the before-recited Act, shall for the future be within any Time between the first and the tenth Day of September yearly; any Thing in the said recited Act to the contrary thereof notwithstanding. And which said Inspector or Inspectors to be chosen, and accepting the Office, shall not resign his said Office, or refuse to act therein, until the first Day of December yearly. And that the same Method shall be pursued and taken to acquaint his Excellency the Governor, or Commander in chief, for the Time being, of such Choice, as is in the said recited Act directed. And that where the same Persons are by any of the Vestries again rechose to serve as Inspectors, for the Year next following, they and every of the said Inspectors shall, if they incline to serve, signify their Acceptance thereof, within ten Days next after such Time of their being so rechosen; which Signification shall be made in the same Manner, as Persons appointed by his Excellency the Governor to be Inspectors are, by an Act entituled, An Act for further altering and establishing certain Warehouses, and for other Purposes therein mentioned, directed to signify their Refusal to accept of such Office.

[Inspectors to be chosen in September yearly.]

And whereas several Counties within this Province, by Means of the small Quantities of Tobacco inspected the last Year, did not raise Money sufficient to defray the Inspectors Salaries and other necessary annual Charges of the Warehouses therein, and there being at present no Law whereby the said Inspectors, or other Creditors of the said Warehouses, may or can be paid: Be it likewise Enacted, That where any Houses now have Claims unsatisfied, it shall and may be lawful to and for the Justices of such Counties to apply whatever Money may be raised by the inspecting Tobacco, at any Time before the first Day of December next, towards reimbursing such Claims as were due the last Year, and defraying the Expence of the current Year: And if it shall so happen, that at the laying the next County Levy, or other future Levy, there is, are, or shall be any Claim or Claims, arising by the Salary of any Inspector or Inspectors, or other annual Charge from any Inspecting-House or Houses within any County of this Province, it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of such County respectively, at the November Court of such County yearly, to assess and levy the same on the taxable Inhabitants of such County. And if it shall so happen, that in any of the Counties within this Province there should be an Overplus, after Inspectors Salaries and other Charges of the respec-

[How the Deficiencies in paying the charge of Inspecting Houses are to be made good.]