

of December next, in any of the Courts in this Province, it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the Court in which such Action shall be commenced, or such of them as shall be present, upon the Affidavit of the Plaintiff, or other Evidence of his Cause of Action, given to the Satisfaction of such Court, to award special Bail against any Defendant or Defendants in such Action, and for Default of such Bail, to commit such Defendant or Defendants to the Custody of the Sheriff or Coroner, as the Case may require, until he, she or they, shall put in such Bail as is usual in other Cases; any Law, Usage, or Custom, to the contrary notwithstanding.

Liber H. S.
No. I

9th November 1753
Read and Assented to
by the Lower House of
Assembly
Signed p Order
M Macnemara Cl lo ho.

On behalf of the Right
Honble the Lord Propy
of this Province I will
this be a Law
Hor.^o Sharpe

9 Novem.^r 1753
Read and Assented to
by the Upper House of
Assembly
Signed p Order
J. Ross Cl Up Ho.

the great seal in
Wax Appendant

No. 17 An Act empowering the Justices of Prince George's County, to Levy on the taxable Inhabitants of Saint Paul's Parish in the said County, a Sum of Current Money, for the Uses therein mentioned.

Whereas, the Rector, Vestrymen, and Churchwardens, and other Inhabitants of Saint Paul's Parish, in Prince George's County, have by their humble Petition to this present General Assembly, set forth, That the Railing of the Grave Yard at the Church being very much out of Repair, and no Yard either railed or paled in at the Chapel of Ease, and some other Repairs being necessary to be made, they humbly pray that a Law may pass, empowering the Justices of Prince George's County aforesaid, to Levy on the taxable Inhabitants of Saint Paul's Parish aforesaid, the Sum of One Hundred Pounds Currency, at two equal annual Assessments, to be applied to the Uses aforesaid; which being thought reasonable, it is prayed that it may be Enacted,

[Preamble.]

p. 33

And be it Enacted by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That the Justices of Prince George's County, for the Time being, shall and may, and they are hereby authorized and directed, on the Application of the Vestry and Churchwardens of Saint Paul's Parish, in Prince George's County, or the Majority of them, to assess and levy on the taxable Inhabitants of the said Parish, the aforesaid Sum of One Hundred Pounds Current Money, together with the Sheriff's Salary of Five Pounds per Centum for Collection, at two equal annual Assessments, which said Sum of One Hundred Pounds shall be collected by the Sheriff of the said

[100 l. to be
levied, at two
Assessments
in Pr.
George's
County for
Railing two
Grave Yards
in St. Paul's
Parish.]