

No. 15 An Act empowering the Justices of Baltimore County Court to
 Liber B.L.C. assess and levy a Sum of Current Money, and for other Pur-
 poses therein mentioned.

Upon Application made, by Petition, to this present General
 [Justices of Baltimore County to levy 300 l. on the Inhabitants of St. John Parish.] Assembly, from the Rector, Vestrymen, Churchwardens, and other
 Inhabitants of St. John Parish in Baltimore County, Be it Enacted
 by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the
 Advice and Consent of his Lordship's President, and the Upper and
 Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That it
 shall and may be lawful to and for the Justices of Baltimore County
 Court for the Time being, and they are hereby directed and required,
 at the next November Court, to assess and levy on the taxable
 Inhabitants of the aforesaid Parish, in the County aforesaid, a Sum
 not exceeding the Sum of Three hundred Pounds Current Money,
 together with the Sheriff's Salary of Five Pounds per Centum for
 collecting the same, in the same Manner, and under the same Terms
 as the County Charges are usually assessed and levied: And that
 the Reverend Mr. Hugh Deans, Thomas Franklin, Roger Boyce,
 Nicholas Ruxton Gay, Thomas Gittings, John Merriman, and John
 Hughes, or the major Part of them, are hereby authorized, directed,
 and required, to buy and purchase, in Fee, in the Name of the
 Rector, Vestrymen, and Churchwardens, of the said Parish, one
 Acre of Land, in the Fork of Gunpowder River in the County afore-
 said, at such Place as shall be deemed and adjudged by the said
 Hugh Deans, Thomas Franklin, Roger Boyce, Nicholas Ruxton
 Gay, Thomas Gittings, John Merriman, and John Hughes, or the
 major Part of them, as the most fitting and convenient Place for a
 Chapel of Ease to the said Parish: And the aforesaid Hugh Deans,
 Thomas Franklin, Roger Boyce, Nicholas Ruxton Gay, Thomas
 Gittings, John Merriman, and John Hughes, or the major Part of
 them, are hereby authorized, directed, and required to agree and
 contract with a Workman or Workmen, to undertake, erect, build,
 and in a Workman-like Manner to compleat and finish, on the
 aforesaid one Acre of Land, a Chapel of Ease to the aforesaid
 Parish: And the aforesaid one Acre of Land, when bought, and the
 aforesaid Chapel, when built, and they are hereby Enacted and
 Declared to be vested in the said Parish, as the Estate and Chapel
 of Ease to the aforesaid Parish, for the Worship and Service of
 God, in like Manner as other Lands, and Chapels of Ease thereon
 built, in other Parishes, are used and enjoyed.

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[Persons appointed for putting this Act in Execution.]

And be it further Enacted by the Authority, Advice, and Consent
 aforesaid, That the aforesaid Hugh Deans, Thomas Franklin, Roger
 Boyce, Nicholas Ruxton Gay, Thomas Gittings, John Merriman,
 and John Hughes, or the major Part of them, be, and they are
 hereby authorized and impowered, from time to time as Occasion
 shall require, for the Purpose aforesaid, to draw upon the Sheriff of
 [The Persons above nominated to draw on the Sheriff for the said Money.]