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for Satisfying such Notes and the Inspector or Inspectors shall take in his or their former Notes and Deliver Crop Notes and Receipts for such Hogsheads and shall be Answerable for the Safe keeping thereof in the same Manner as they are for Crop Tobacco But the Persons receiving such Hogsheads shall pay to the Inspectors sixty Pounds of Tobacco for the Inspection and Nails for every Hogshead that is to say thirty two Pounds of Tobacco upon the Eastern Shore and thirty six Pounds of Tobacco upon the Western Shore down and twenty eight Pounds of Tobacco on the Eastern Shore and twenty four Pounds of Tobacco on the Western Shore when the Tobacco shall be delivered out And the Inspectors shall sell all Transfer Tobacco which shall not be so received and Marked on the second day of holding the Court if fair Weather if not on the next fair day of the Court of their Respective Counties in the Month of November yearly by Publick Auction in Single Hogsheads and not Otherwise in their County Courts respectively held in that Month and shall pay the Money arising by such Sale at the Average Price of the Sale of the Tobacco belonging to each House in Satisfaction of their Notes Time to Time to the Proprietors thereof making their Demand under the same Penalty as is inflicted for not Paying Inspection Notes

[Transfer Tobacco, not Received and marked, to be sold annually by Auction]

[Frauds in selling only Part of the Transfer Tobacco, how to be prevented]

And for Preventing frauds that may be Practised by selling only part of such Tobacco not received as aforesaid Be it enacted that all Inspectors shall in Ten days before November Court in each Respective County Yearly lodge with the respective County Clerks where they shall Officiate an Account upon Oath of all the Transfer Tobacco at that time in their Hands before the same shall be exposed to Sale And all Inspectors shall keep a just and true Account of the Tobacco gained or saved upon the Allowances made for Cask or Shrinkage of Transfer Tobacco and if any Tobacco shall be so Gained or Saved shall exhibit an Account thereof upon Oath or Affirmation if a Quaker in the same Manner as is before directed Concerning Transfer Tobacco not Received and shall also sell the Tobacco so gained and saved in the same manner as is before directed for the Sale of Transfer Tobacco and shall Account for the Money arising by such Sale to the Justices aforesaid and no Inspector shall Convert any Tobacco so Gained or Saved to his own Use either by the Allowances for Shrinkage or four per Cent for Cash or Otherwise howsoever

[Inspectors to account every November court, with the Justices]

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid that all Inspectors shall Annually in November Court after the Sale of the Transfer Tobacco and one day before the laying of the County levy Account with the Justices of the respective Counties upon Oath or Affirmation if a Quaker for all Monies and Tobaccos received or which ought to be received by them by Virtue of this Act except