

Gaming contrary to this Act then and in every such Case the Plaintiff shall recover only what shall appear to be due exclusive of any Liquor or other Accomodations supplied or provided contrary to this Act and the Defendant shall be discharged from the residue and recover his full Cost of Suit Any Law Usage or Custom to the Contrary notwithstanding

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And be it further Enacted That all Mortgages Obligations or other Securities which shall be taken in Trust for any Ordinary Keeper shall be absolutely void unless such Mortgage Obligation or other Security shall be Assigned or transferred to any other Person being a Stranger to such Trust for a valuable Consideration and in Case of such Assignment or Transfer that such Trustee shall forfeit and pay double the Principal Sum mentioned in such Mortgage Obligation or other Security

[Obligations taken in Trust, for Ordinary Keepers, to be void]

And be it further Enacted That an Act of Assembly made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the twenty Eighth Day of October one thousand seven hundred and twelve Entitled An Act restraining Victuallers and Keepers of Public Houses from entertaining of Sailors to the Prejudice of Trade and Commerce be and is hereby repealed

[An Act made in 1712, Repealed]

Provided also and be it Enacted That it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of Ann Arundel, Kent Baltimore and Frederick County Courts respectively to license any Person within the City of Annapolis, Chester Town, Baltimore Town or Frederick Town to keep one Coffee House within the said City and each of the said Towns for the Entertainment of Company and that such Person so licensed as aforesaid shall not be obliged to find and provide Beds for lodging Company or Stabling and Provender for Horses Any Thing herein before contained to the Contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

[Four Coffee-Houses may be licensed, and the owners not obliged to provide Beds or Stabling]

And be it further Enacted That in all Cases where no different Mode of Recovery or Application is appointed by this Act all and every Time and Forfeiture imposed by this Act shall and may be recovered in manner following to wit Where the Sum doth not exceed fifty shillings Current Money the same shall and may be recovered on the Application or Information of any Person or Persons whatsoever before any one Justice of the Peace as in the Case of small Debts with Costs and where the Sum exceeds fifty shillings Current Money the same shall and may be recovered in any Court of Record by Action of Debt Bill of Indictment or Information with Costs by him her or them who will sue or prosecute to Effect for the same and that one half of all Fines and Forfeitures to be incurred for any Breach of this Act where the same is not otherwise given or applied shall be to him her or them who will Sue or prosecute to Effect for the same and the other half thereof shall be paid to the Sheriff of the County in which the Recovery shall happen

[When the mode of Recovery is not pointed out by this Act, and the Debt does not exceed 50 s. to be recoverable before a single magistrate; if a greater sum, in any Court of Record]

[Fines and forfeitures, how to be disposed of]