

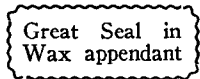
day of their then next succeeding November Courts the Number of Taxable Persons which shall be in that part of Saint Pauls Parish which Lieth in Queen Anne's County and in that part of the said Parish which Lieth in Talbot County aforesaid respectively in each of the said Years

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By the Lower House of  
Assembly Dec.<sup>r</sup> 15.<sup>th</sup> 1769.  
Read & assented to  
Signed by order.  
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On behalf of the Right  
Honourable the Lord Pro-  
prietary of this Province,  
I Will this be a Law  
Rob.<sup>t</sup> Eden

By the Upper House of  
Assembly Dec.<sup>r</sup> 16.<sup>th</sup> Read  
and assented to  
Signed by order.  
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No. 14 An Act for emitting Bills of Credit and other Purposes therein mentioned

Whereas an Emission of a Sum of Money in Bills of Credit is at this Time of general Scarcity of Specie thought Expedient for carrying on the Trade and commerce of this Province for circulating whereof it is judged best to issue the same upon Loan

[Preamble.]

Be it Therefore Enacted by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary by and with the Advice & Consent of his Lordships Governor and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly and the Authority of the same That Bills of Credit of the Denomination of Dollars and parts of a Dollar to the amount of Three Hundred and Eighteen Thousand Dollars shall be printed and Struck with all Convenient speed on good Single paper under the Care & Direction of the Commissioners to be appointed by Virtue of this Act in Manner & form following to wit "This indented Bill of shall entitle the Bearer hereof to receive Bills of Exchange Payable in London or Gold and Silver at the rate of four Shillings and sixpence Sterling per Dollar for the said Bill according to the Directions of an Act of Assembly of Maryland Dated in Annapolis this day of Anno Domini

[Bills of Credit to be printed, under the Direction of Commissioners.]

" which Bills of Credit shall be Signed Numbered and Dated by the Commissioners aforesaid as herein after Directed and the Number of Dollars or the parts or part of a Dollar by which each Bill shall be Denominated shall be printed at the Top of such Bill in Words at Length with the like Devices and marks on the Bills and by the Like Stamps and Flowers as were used in Printing the Bills of Credit last emitted in this Province as well readily to Distinguish their Several Denominations as to prevent Counterfeits the Number of which Bills as well as the Denominations thereof shall be the following and no other to wit Twelve Thousand Bills of Eight Dollars each. Twelve Thousand Bills of Six Dollars each, Twelve Thousand Bills of Four Dollars each, Twenty one Thousand Bills of Two Dollars each, Twenty one Thousand Bills of One Dollar each, Twenty one Thousand Bills of Two-third parts of a Dollar

[Their Tenor.]

[Their Number and Denomination.]