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 1774 Broad Creek in the said Parish.

By the Lower House of Assembly April 12 1774 Read and Assented to. Signed by order Jn. ^o Duckett Cl. Lo. Ho }	On Behalf of the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary of this Pro- vince I Will this be a Law Rob ^t Eden	{ By the Upper House of Assembly April 13: th 1774 Read and Assented to Signed by Order James Brooks Cl. Up ^r Ho
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No. 9 An Act for the Building of a Parish Church in All Saints Parish
 p. 324 in Calvert County

[Preamble.] Whereas Sundry of the Inhabitants of All Saints Parish in Calvert County have by their Humble Petition to this General Assembly set forth that the Parish Church in the County aforesaid is now become so much decayed that they cannot with any degree of Safety repair thereto and attend upon devine service; and being desirous, not only to remove this Inconvenience but to promote and advance Religion and render the Attendance on Public Worship more safe and agreeable by Erecting on or near the Ground where the Old church now stands a good Sufficient and commodious Building for such necessary, pious and Laudable Purpose's have humbly Prayed that an Act may Pass that a Quantity not Exceeding two Hundred Thousand pounds of Tobacco may be levied upon the Taxable Inhabitants of the said Parish by Three Equal Assessments

[Persons named to agree for one Acre of Land, and also with proper Persons to undertake the building of a new Church &c.] Be it therefore Enacted by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary by and with the advice and consent of his Governor and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly and the Authority of the same That the Reverend M.^r Thomas John Clagett and Mess.^{rs} Edward Gantt, Thomas Reynolds, Charles Graham and William Ireland or the Major Part of them be and are hereby authorized and im- powered to treat and agree with some person or persons having land adjoining to the ground where the old Church now Stands for a Quantity of Ground not exceeding One Acre and also to treat and agree with such person or persons as they shall think proper to undertake Erect and Build and in a Workman like manner compleat and finish a Parish Church on or near the Ground where the old Church now stands

[Justices to levy on the taxable Inhabitants of All Saint's Parish, at their November Court in 1774, 1775, and 1776 200,000 lb. Tobacco for the Purposes aforesaid &c;] And be it also Enacted that the Justices of Calvert County afore- said for the Time being shall and may at their next ensuing Novem- ber Courts to be held in the Year Seventeen Hundred and seventy ffour, Seventeen Hundred and seventy five, and Seventeen Hundred and Seventy Six, Assess and levy on the Taxable Inhabitants of the said Parish a Quantity not exceeding the aforesaid sum of Two Hundred Thousand pounds of Tobacco together with the Sheriffs Salary of five p Cent for collecting the same which said Assess- ments so as aforesaid when made shall be collected by the Sheriff