

then by the said Act is allowed to the severall Officers thereafter menconed And amongst other Officers ffees therein mencōned & sett down itt is mencōned To the Sheriffe for serving any writt or warrant p head & bayle bond thirty & five pounds of tobacco, For tending upon a Prisoner p day of twenty foure houres in custody twenty pounds of tobacco, For collecting publick dutyes tenn pounds of tobacco p Cent, for serving an Execucōn or Attachm^t tenn pounds of tobacco If the Execucōn be for above one hundred & under five hundred pounds of tobacco ffifty pounds of tobacco, if itt exceed fue hundred One hundred pounds of tobacco, if itt exceed One thousand then for the first One thousand One hundred pounds of tobacco And for every one thousand afterwards ffifty p^{ds} of tobacco. For any extraordinary warrant or Co^mission the ffee to be regulated by the Court, for impannelling a jury one hundred & twenty pounds of tobacco Provided allwayes that in case any person shalle refuse to pay the same ffees by the said Act lymitted & allowed Itt shall & may be lawfull for the severall Officers therein named to recover the same by way of Execucōn against the Goods or body of the person so refuseing & no other And in case any shall doe directly or indirectly to this Act shall loose or forfeit to the party grieved treble da^mages And shall also forfeit the Sum^e of six thousand pounds of tobacco or forty pounds sterling for every tyme he or they shall so doe the contrary, the one moiety to the Lord Prop^{ty} his heyres & successors the other moiety to the party or partyes that shall sue for the same by any plaint action suite bill or Informacōn wherein no Essoyne protection or wager of Law shall be allowed As by the said Act relacoⁿ being thereunto had may more fully & att large appeare Yet the said Thomas being Deputy or UnderSheriffe to Gerard Slye gent^l high Sheriffe of the said County of S^t Maryes the said Act of Assembly little regarding or the penaltyes therein contained fearing after the publicacōn of the said Act to witt upon the twenty fourth day of Septemb^r in the yeare of our Lord One thousand Six hundred Seventy seven, he the said Thomas Wynn as Deputy or UnderSheriffe aforesaid by vertue of two severall writts issued out of his Lordp^{ps} Provincia^l Court dated the twenty third day of June One thousand six hundred Seventy seven & returnable before the Justices thereof the second day of Octob^r then following one att the suite of George Yate against the said Rob^t Purrington in the said writt named Christopher Gest in a plea of debt of Twelve thousand pounds of tobacco And the other att the suite of John Quigley against the said Robert Purrington in an action of debt for the Sum^e of Eleven thousand one hundred & Sixty pounds of tobacco To the Sheriff of S^t Maryes County directed, att the City of S^t Maryes the body of the said Robert Purrington did Arrest & carryed him to the house of Richard Chillman Innholder of the City of S^t Maryes & his body there in prison did

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