

C H A P. X.

An Act declaring an Act, entitled, * An Act ascertaining the Bounds of Land, Passed 25th
to be in Force. Lib. LL. N^o 3. fol. 227. EXP. May 1705.

* 1699, ch. 18, hereby continued in Force to the End of the next Session of Assembly.

C H A P. XI.

An Act empowering a Committee to lay, assess, and apportion the public Levy of Ditto.
this Province, for the present Year One Thousand Seven Hundred and Five.
Lib. LL. N^o 3. fol. 227. OBS.

At a Session of ASSEMBLY, begun and held at the 1706.
Town and Port of *Annapolis*, in the County of *Ann-
Arundel*, on the Second Day of *April*, in the Fifth
Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lady ANNE,
Queen of *England, Scotland, France and Ireland*,
Defender of the Faith, &c. Annoq; Domini 1706;
and ended the 19th Day of the same Month, were
enacted the following Laws.

JOHN SEYMOUR, Esq; Governor.

C H A P. I.

An Act declaring an Act, entitled, * An Act ascertaining the Bounds of Land, Passed 19th
to be in Force. Lib. LL. N^o 3. fol. 231. EXP. April 1706.

* 1699, ch. 18, hereby continued in Force to the End of the next Session of Assembly.

C H A P. II.

An Act for Naturalization of John Baptist Tyler, of Prince-George's County, Ditto.
Planter. Lib. LL. N^o 3. fol. 232. PR.

C H A P. III.

An Act for the dividing and regulating several Counties on the Eastern Shore of
this Province, and constituting a County, by the Name of Queen-Anne's County, Ditto.
within the same Province. Lib. LL. N^o 3. fol. 233.

(1.) From and after the 1st May 1707, the Bounds of Talbot County shall contain, Sharp's-
Island, Choptank-Island, and all the Land on the North Side of Great-Choptank River, and extend Talbot.
itself up the said River to Tuckahoe Bridge; and from thence with a strait Line to the Mill com-
monly called, and known by the Name of Swetnam's Mill, and from thence down the South
Side of Wye River to the Mouth thereof, and from thence down the Bay (including Poplar-Island)
to the first Beginning: Also Bruff's-Island in Wye River. (2.) From and after the said 1st May Queen-Anne's.
1707, the Island called Kent-Island, and all the Land on the South Side of Chester River, to a Branch
called Sewell's Branch, and with the said Branch to the Head thereof; and from thence with an
East Line to the Extent of this Province: And bounded on the South with Talbot County, to
Tuckahoe Bridge; and from thence with Tuckahoe Creek and Choptank River to the Mouth of a
Branch falling into the said River, called or known by the Name of the White-Marsh Branch;
and from thence, with a North-East Line, to the Extent of this Province: And bounded, on
the East, with the Extreme Bounds of this Province, shall be, and is hereby constituted, found-
ed and incorporated into a County of this Province, by the Name of Queen-Anne's County.
And to have and enjoy all Rights, Benefits and Privileges, equal with the other Counties of this
Province; such as sending Burgesses to the General Assembly, having County Courts, Sheriffs,
Justices, and other Officers and Ministers requisite and necessary, and as used in other Counties
in this Province. (3.) From and after the said 1st May 1707, Kent County shall begin at the Kent.
South Point of Eastern-Neck, and from thence run up Chesapeake Bay to Sassafras River, and
up the said River to the South End of the long Horse Bridge lying over the Head of the said
River; and from thence, with a Line drawn East and by South, to the exterior Bounds of this
Province; and with the exterior Bounds of this Province until it intersect the Line of Queen-
Anne's County, and with the said County down Chester River to Eastern-Neck, where it first be-
gun: And shall contain all the Land within the said Bounds. (4.) From and after the said 1st Cecil.
May 1707, Cecil County shall contain all the Land on the North Side of Sassafras River, and
Kent County; and shall be bounded on the East and North with the exterior Bounds of this
Province; and on the West, with Susquehannab River and Chesapeake Bay; and on the South, with
Sassafras River, and Kent County. (5.) Commissioners appointed to cause the Bounds of the
said Counties to be surveyed, and marked by double Lines of marked Trees, &c. (6.) The same
Commissioners empowered to lay out and purchase, by Agreement with the Owners, or Valua-
tion of a Jury, two Acres of Land in each County, whereon to build Court-houses, &c.