

VI. **Provided further**, That this Act, nor any thing therein contained, shall extend, or be construed to extend, to prejudice the Right of *Richard Bennet*, Esq; to such Part of the Land laid out for a Town in *Worton Creek* in *Kent County*, whereon Houses, Orchards and Improvements, were, at the Time of laying out that Town.

C H A P. XXXII.
A Saving to the Rights of *Richard Bennet*, Esq; &c.

VII. **And be it further Enacted**, by the Authority, Advice and Consent aforesaid, That where any Person or Persons whatsoever, have taken up any Lot or Lots, by virtue of the before recited Acts of Assembly, since the First Day of *August* One Thousand Seven Hundred and Nine, and paid for the same to the Owner, but not built thereon, being discouraged by her late Majesty's Disallowance of the said Acts, shall and may, by virtue of this Act, have the Money or Tobacco repaid him or them by the Person or Persons that received the same, their Executors or Administrators: And for Non-Payment, after Demand made, to recover and sue for the same in any Court that may hold Plea thereof.

Persons who have taken up Lots and paid for them, but have not built thereon, to be repaid.

VIII. **And be it further Enacted**, by the Authority aforesaid, That all and every Lot or Lots, Parcel, or Portion of Ground, assigned to the Use of any Community, and paid for, and built upon according to the Directions of any the aforesaid Acts, before her said Majesty's Disallowance to the said Acts was notified, shall remain to such Community for whose Use it was built; her said Majesty's Disallowance of the said Acts afterwards notwithstanding.

Lots assigned to the Use of any Community, paid for, &c. shall remain to such Community.

IX. **And whereas** sundry Persons have taken up Lots in divers Towns of this Province, and have begun to build, so that they have erected Frames, though not quite finished their Houses according to the Directions of the aforesaid Town Laws; **Be it Enacted**, by the Authority aforesaid, That all such Persons who have taken up Lots, and erected Frames in such Towns, shall have and enjoy a good, sure, and indefeazable Estate of Inheritance, to them and their Heirs, in such Lots so improved upon, notwithstanding they have not complied with the exact Prescriptions and Directions of the aforesaid Town Laws.

The Rights of Persons who have begun to build upon Lots, though not finished according to the Town Laws, confirmed.

Examined and Compared with the Original Act, REVERDY GHISELIN,
THOMAS BACON.

C H A P. XXXIII.

An ACT for Stay of Execution after the Tenth of *May*, Yearly. Passed 3d June 1715.

Lib. LL. N^o 4. fol. 186.

Supplementary, &c. Acts, 1721, ch. 4; 1728, ch. 24; and 1732, ch. 22.

WHEREAS many of the Inhabitants of this Province are, and have been exceedingly grieved and burthened by Executions laid upon them in the Summer Time, when it is not possible for them to procure Effects for the Payment and Satisfaction of their Creditors, by means whereof they are oftentimes kept in Prison a long Time, and thereby disabled from making and tending their Crops, to the great Prejudice, if not Ruin, of many the Inhabitants of this Province, being thereby left destitute of any Means to satisfy their Creditors; For Prevention whereof for the future;

Preamble.

II. **Be it Enacted**, by the King's most excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Majesty's Governor, Council, and Assembly of this Province, and the Authority of the same, That after the Tenth Day of *May*, in any Year, no Execution shall issue out of any Court of this Province, against the Body or Goods of any Person or Persons inhabiting within this Province, 'til the Tenth Day of * *November* next, or until the Tenth Day of *November*, in any Year ensuing, for any Debt or Debts, or upon any Action, Judgment or Judgments, sued, had or recovered, against the Inhabitants of or within this

No Execution for Debt or Judgment to be issued in any Court from the 10th May to the 10th November, in any Year. (See the Note.)