II. Be it Enafted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and CHAP. with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and VIII Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That the same Act tual. shall be Perpetual, and is hereby continued, to be and remain in full Force tor ever.

C H A P. IX.

An ACT continuing an Act, entitled, o An Act to remedy some Evils relating Passed 21" to Servants. Lib. H.S. fol. 437.

1750, ch. V. Hereby continued, &c. for and during the Term of Three Years, and unto

the End of the next Session of Assembly which shall happen after the Expiration of the said

C H A P.

An ACT continuing an Act, entitled, * An Act to prevent Masters of Ships, and Vessels, from clandestinely carrying Servants * 1753, ch. 9. and Slaves, or Persons Indebted, out of this Province. H.S. fol. 438.

THEREAS an Act of Assembly of this Province, made at a Session Preamble. of Assembly, begun and held at the City of Annapolis, on the Second Day of October, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fiftythree, entitled, An Act to prevent Masters of Ships, and Vessels, from clandes- The Act of tinely carrying Servants and Slaves, or Persons Indebted, out of this Province, 1753, ch. 9, hath fince, by Experience, appeared to be a good and wholesome Law, and very beneficial to the People of this Province:

II. Be it therefore Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, made Perpeby and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper tual. and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That the same Act shall be Perpetual, and is hereby continued, to be and remain in full Force for ever.

H A P. XI.

An ACT continuing an Act, entitled, f A Supplementary Act to the Act, en-Passed 21th titled, An Act ascertaining the Height of Fences, to prevent the Evil occasioned Nov. 1763. by the Multitude of Horses, and restraining Horse Rangers within this Province, and to redress the great Evil accruing to this Province, by the Multiplicity of useless Horses, Mares, and Colts, that run in the Woods. Lib. H.S. fol. 438. 1750, ch. XXV. Hereby continued, &c. for and during the Term of Three Years, and unto the End of the next Session of Assembly which shall happen after the Expiration of the said Three Years.

> H A P. XII.

An ACT continuing an Act, entitled, & An Act for the Gauge of Barrels for Pork, Beef, Pitch, Tar, Turpentine, and Tare of Barrels for Flour, or Bread. Lib. H.S. fol. 439.

g 1745, ch. XV. Hereby continued, &c. for and during the Term of Three Years, and unto the End of the next Session of Assembly which shall happen after the Expiration of the said Three Years.

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A Supplementary ACT, to the Act for the Relief of Creditors, and Ditto. to prevent Frauds and Deceits, occasioned by secret Sales and Mortgages, and Gifts of Goods and Chattels. Lib. H.S. fol. 439.

THEREAS it hath been found by Experience, That the Setting up Preamble. Parol Gifts of Negroes, and other Slaves, where the Donor hath retained the Possession and Use, is productive of Disputes and Law Suits, and hath a tendency to introduce Corruption and Perjury, and that such Gifts have been often established upon very slight and suspicious Testimony; For Remedy thereof,

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