

from the parts beyond the seas into any Port place or Creeks of this Realm or other his Ma^{ty} Dominions by way of Merchandize and unshipped to be layd on Land, the Subsidie Customs and other Duties due or to be due for the Same not paid or lawfully tendered to the Collecto^r thereof or to his Dep^{ty} with the Content and Agreem^t of the Comptrollo^r or Surveyo^r there, or one of them at the least nor agreed with for the Same in the Custom house according to [49] the true meaning of the s^d Act That then from the 24th day of June in the Act afores^d expressed all the Same wines goodes and merchandizes whatsoever Should be forfeited to his Ma^{ty} the Moyety of the Rate thereof to his s^d Ma^{ty} the other moyety to him or them that will Seize the Same or sue for the Same as in and by the s^d Statute of Parliam^t relation thereunto being had more at large may appear Nevertheless one Charles Carroll late of S^t Maries County Gent well knowing the Statute afores^d to be in full force and unrepealed but Slighting and contemning the Same, and minding and maliciously contriving to deceave and defraud their Ma^{ty} and the good People of this Province of a certain Custom or Duty of 4^d per Gall: on all wines and other Strong Liquors imported into this Province to be Sold being given and granted to their Ma^{ty} for the good Use and benefit of this Province by an Act of Assembly of this Province intituled (An Act for the Imposition of 4^d per Gallon on liquors imported into this Province) which is yet in full Force and unrepealed as by the Same Act of Assembly relation thereunto being had more at large may appear, He the s^d Charles Carroll after the making and publishing the s^d Statutes of Parliam^t and the s^d Act of Assembly (that is to Say) the Twentiyeth day of January in the Year of our Lord 1692 At S^t Inagoes Creek in S^t Maries County within the s^d District divers goodes and merchandizes that is to Say Twenty Four hhd^s or Casks containing about 1300 gal^{ls} of Strong beer then lately imported into this Province in a certain Sloop whereof one Joshua Broadbank was Master from on Board the s^d Sloop or Vessell upon the Land and into his Warehouse did receive take a Shore and keep without any Certificate being produced from the Customers from whence the s^d Goodes were brought to the Collecto^r or other Customer of the s^d District or the s^d goods being Seen or Veiwed by any of them and without paying or tendering the Customes or duties imposed Upon the Same to the s^d Collecto^r or his Dep^{ty} or any other Customer of the s^d District or without making any Entry or Report thereof to the s^d Coll^r or other Customer of the s^d District in Contempt and derogation of their Ma^{ty} their Crown and dignity and contrary to the Form effort and true meaning of the s^d Statutes of Parliam^t and the Act of Assembly afores^d whereby the s^d Goodes and merchandizes are become lyable to Seizure and Forfeited to their Ma^{ty} the one moyety of the Rate thereof to their Ma^{ty} the other moyetie to the s^d Nehemiah who as well etc: being the Seizor of the Same according to the directions and appointm^t of the s^d Statutes, Whereupon the s^d Nehemiah who as well etc: prayeth the Advice of the Court in the p^rmises that the s^d Goodes and