

grant their Warrant to the Sheriff of the County, requiring him to impanel a Jury of Freeholders next adjacent, which Commissioners and Jury shall proceed as directed by an Act of Assembly, intituled, *An Act empowering the Commissioners of the several Counties to take up and purchase Lands for their County Court Houses.* V. inf. Courts. S. 9.

V. An. 11 W. 3. 1699. p. 52. As often as the necessity of each respective Parish Church shall require Repairs or Supplies, the Vestry-men and Churchwardens thereof, shall apply themselves to the Justices of the County Court, who shall raise by equal Assessment by the Pole on the Inhabitants of such Parish, such sums of Tobacco as shall be adjudged necessary, not exceeding the sum of 10*l.* of Tobacco *per* Pole in one year; which shall be levied by the Sheriff, and by him paid to the Vestry-men of the respective Parish, who shall give a True account to the said Justices, how, and for what they have laid out the same.

Colledges and Schools.

I. *An. Dom.* 1696. p. 40. Enacted, that for the propagation of the Gospel, and the Education of the Youth of this Province in good Letters and Manners, a certain Free-School or Schools, or place of Study of *Latin*, *Greek*, Writing and the like, consisting of one Master, one Usher, and one Writing-Master to a School, and 100 Scholars, more or less, may be made, erected, founded and established, to be called King *William's* School, and under his Patronage, and the Arch-bishop of *Canterbury* to be Chancellour of the said Schools. To be managed by certain Trustees in the Act named, and their Successors.

II. The said Schools to be erected at *Ann-Arundel* Town, upon *Seavern* River, and at such other place or places, as by the General Assembly shall be thought convenient, to be supported and maintain'd in all time coming.

III. The said Trustees, or longest livers of them, are enabled to take, hold, and enjoy, Mannors, Lands, Tenements, Rents, Rectories, &c. and all other Inheritances, &c. whatsoever, Spiritual or Temporal, to the value of 1500*l.* Sterling, and all Goods, Chattels, Mo-