

Or to some Justice of the peace of Complying and observing all Acts and orders of this Province during their stay and being in the Province —

And Bee itt further enacted by the Authority aforesaid that all masters or skipers Commanders of Ships or other lesser vessels Trading or being in this Province that shall presume or attempt to punish any Inhabitant of this Province either by striking or tying to the Capsterns or by any other way whatsoever Inflicting or attempting to Inflict any punishment within or upon their said Ships or vessels on any Inhabitant as aforesaid Contrary to the peace of the Lord Proprietary of this Province shall Forfeit and pay Four thousand pounds of Tobacco the one half to the Lord Proprietary And the other half to the party grieved —

Act made at a session of Generall Assembly begun and held at Saint Marys the first of Aprill one thousand six hundred sixty two by the Hon. Charles Calvert Esq. Governour of the Province of Maryland

An Act Concerning Indians —

Whereas many Complaintr have been made by severall Inhabitants alledging that the Indians under pretences of killing wild Hogs doe hunt and drive away their tame hogs and Cattle and doe murther sell and Trade both with the Inhabitants of the Province and likewise with Forreigners or Strangers for Beefe and Porkes For prevention of which for the future Bee itt enacted by the Lord Proprietary by and with the Assent of this Generall Assembly that all and every Inhabitant of this Province Stranger or Forreigner upon what pretences soever trading or buying of any Indian or Indians more or lesse quantity of such beefe or porkes shall Forfeit for every such offence five thousand pounds of Tobacco the one moiety to the Lord Proprietary the other moiety to the Informer to be recovered by action of debt or Information wherein noe wager Effoyne or Protection of Lawe to be allowed this Act to endure for three yeares or to the end of the next Generall Assembly —

An Act for the purchasing of a Statehouse and Prison

Whereas It is most necessary that a house and place be provided for the holding Provincially Courts Requisite for the Administration of Justice and keeping of Assembly in this Province. As also a prison for the detaining Malefactors and other Exorbitant persons.

And the Members of this Lower house of Assembly finding it convenient (as farre as the present Condition of the Country can now stand) to prevent greater Charge upon the same) to purchase a house and Plantation of Hannah See the List of such See also the end and purpose aforesaid for which summe of money and plantation to the said Hannah demanded the value thousand pounds