

Information wherein no Ejoyne Protection or wayer of Law to be allowed And
 in case of the death of any of the persons aforesaid in this act named to provide the
 Weights and measures and for keeping the Standard aforesaid the severall and
 Respective Commissioners of each Respective County Court shall from time to
 time nominate and appoint such other person or persons in their severall
 and Respective Counties to keep the said severall Standards in such convenient
 place in the County as they shall thinke fitt this act to endure for three years
 or to the End of the next Generall Assembly which shall first happen

An Act prohibiting the Importacion of all
 Horses geldings mares or colts into
 — this Province —

Forasmuch as the great Numbers of horses Geldings mares and colts within
 this province are so destructive to the Inhabitants thereof that with their
 yearly increase in the Countrey and their Importacion from forraigne
 parts would so greatly augment in few yeares that the whole Province
 would receive great Injuries thereby Wherefore for provencion for the
 future It is hereby Enacted by the Right Hon^{ble} the Lord and Prop^{ty}
 of this Province by and with the assent of the upper and lower houses
 of this present Generall Assembly and by the Authority of the same
 that no person or persons whatsoever from and after the end of this
 Assembly shall import or bring into this Province by sea or land
 any horses mares geldings or colts from any forraigne parts whatsoever
 under the penalty of forfeiting all such horses geldings mares or colts
 so by him or them imported or brought as aforesaid or the full value
 thereof one halfe to the Lord Proprietary the other halfe to the Informer
 or him or them that shall seize the same to be recovered in any Court of
 Record within this Province by Bill plaint or Information wherein no
 Ejoyne Protection or wayer of Law to be allowed This act to continue for
 three yeares or to the End of the next Generall Assembly which shall first
 happen

To the Right Honorable the Lord and Proprietary of the
 Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron
 of Baltomord &c^{ca}

The humble Petition of Alexander Dhyriossa of Foster
 Island in the County of Salbott and Maranetta his wife
 Alexander Johannis Peter Ni
 and Barbara sons and daughters of the said