

time attending the Councill upon all occasions haue and Receiue the sum of  
thirty pound sterling <sup>per</sup> Annum the said Councillours to whom such allowance is  
made defraying their own expences without any charge to the publick whatsoever  
And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid that the sum of thirty  
pound sterling to the person or persons as aforesaid due shall be payed and  
paid out of the aforesaid subsidy of fourteen pound <sup>per</sup> tun the Remainder to goe  
to the supply of this Province with sufficient provision of Armes and Ammunition  
any thing herin contained to the contrary notwithstanding, Provided always  
and it is the true intent and meaning of this Act that no vessel or vessels  
whatsoever properly belonging to this Province coming in and trading  
within this Province shall pay or be charged with any Port duties or  
Anchoridge whatsoever other then five shillings for entering and five shillings  
for clearing for the Respective entries & clearings of each respective  
vessel properly belonging to this Province as aforesaid any Law statute or  
usage to the contrary in anywise notwithstanding

An Act for the due Recording of all the Lawes in this Province  
in the Secretaries Office

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The Governour and Councell Burgesses & Delegates of this present Generall  
Assembly taking into their serious Considerations the great danger and incon-  
-venience that heretofore haue and hereafter may happen by the care-  
-lessness and negligences of the Lawes of this Province by neglect of the severall  
Officers and Ministers of this Province in suffering the same to lye in loose  
papers and unrecorded for prevention whereof for the future Be it enacted  
by the King and Queens most Excellent Majesties by and with the advice &  
consent of this present Generall Assembly and the Authority of the same  
that the Secretary of this Province in whose Custody the Records of this  
Province Remains Doe at or before the tenth day of September next ensue-  
-ing cause all such Acts of Assembly & Lawes of this Province as shall be of-  
-fered at the end of this present session of Assembly to be entered upon Record  
in a large new booke of a large folio and good substantiall paper well bound  
in aldothor cover for that purpose to be kept only in the Secretaries Office in  
a faire legible hand and Character and shall also cause the same to be