

N<sup>o</sup> 10, II.

## Parish on the North Side of Elk River.

That Newport Hundred shall be united to William and Mary Parish.

And the Inhabitants thereof to enjoy equal Privileges with the Inhabitants of the said Parish.

Majesty's Governour, Council and Assembly of this Province, and the Authority of the same, That from and after the First Day of June next ensuing after the End of this present Session of Assembly, the said Hundred of Newport shall be divided and taken from the said Parish called *King and Queen's* Parish in *St. Mary's* County, and be added and united unto *William and Mary* Parish in *Charles* County, in which the same lies, and shall, from and after the Time aforesaid, by vertue of this Act, be deemed, adjudged, reputed and taken as Part and Parcel of the said *William and Mary* Parish, and not as Part or Parcel of *King and Queen's* Parish in *St. Mary's* County; and that the Inhabitants thereof shall have and enjoy all Benefits and Privileges equal with any other the Inhabitants of the said Parish, any Law, Statute, Usage or Custom to the contrary notwithstanding.

At an Assembly begun  
April the 2d, 1706.

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## An Act for Erecting a Parish on the North Side of Elk River in Cecil County.

Laws of Maryland, 2d Edit. p. 88.

Preamble.

**F**Orasmuch as it hath been represented to this present General Assembly, That by the ill Situation of the Parish Church in Cecil County, being built on the South Side of *Elk* River, within the said County, the Inhabitants on the North Side of the said River cannot come to that Church, and are thereby deprived of the great Blessing of having the Gospel preached among them: for Remedy whereof it is prayed, that it may be Enacted, And be it Enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of her Majesty's Governour, Council and Assembly of this Province, and the Authority of the same, That from and after the First Day of May, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Six, all that Part of Cecil County lying on the North Side of *Elk* River, being bounded as followeth, (that is to say,) beginning at *Turkey Point* on the North Side of *Elk* River aforesaid, and running with the said River to *Smith's Mill* at the Head thereof, then East to the exterior Bounds of this Province, and with the exterior Bounds of this Province to *Susquehana* River, thence with the East Side of the said River, and Bay of *Chesepack*, to the first beginning, shall be, and is by this Act constituted, erected and made into a Parish, to be called by the Name of *North Elk* Parish, separated and divided as aforesaid, from the Parish already made in the said County, and shall be, and is hereby adjudged, deemed and taken to be a separate and distinct Parish, and

Enacted,

That all that Part of Cecil County lying on the North Side of *Elk* River, be a distinct Parish.

The Bounds of the same.