

Maintaining Free Schools.

N^o 14, 15.

said; that then, as they shall be enabled as aforesaid, the said Rector, Governours and Visitors shall proceed to erect, found and build one other Free School at the Town of Oxford, on the Eastern Shore of this Province, in Talbot County, or in such other Place of the same County as to the said Rectors, Governours and Visitors aforesaid shall seem most expedient; and after the same shall be built, founded and established, to appropriate and apply to the said second Free School, out of the Treasure accruing to them for the Benefit and Advantage of Free Schools aforesaid, over and above the One hundred and twenty Pounds per Year, allowed as aforesaid to the first Free School, the like Sum of One hundred and twenty Pounds per Year, for the Benefit, Advantage and Support of such second Free School, and shall and may place a Master, Usher and Scribe therein, as in the other first Free School as aforesaid; and shall in all respects be under the same Benefits, Privileges, Injunctions and Restrictions as the said first Free School. And also, after the said second Free School is built, erected, founded and furnished, the said Rectors, Governours and Visitors shall, as fast as they shall be enabled as aforesaid, proceed to the erecting other and more Free Schools in this Province, (that is to say) in every County of this Province at present, one Free School: And shall and may be empowered to establish, constitute and enjoin, and restrain to and under the same Benefits, Advantages, Instructions and Restrictions as aforesaid, and appropriate and apply such and so much of the said Revenue, not before disposed or ordained to each Free School, as to them shall seem most convenient and expedient, not exceeding One hundred and twenty Pounds per Annum, as aforesaid.

Another School to be erected at Oxford, and governed as aforesaid.

More Free Schools to be erected, viz. one in each County.

III. And be it hereby Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That a Supplementary Act for Free Schools made at a Sessions of Assembly begun and held at the City of St. Mary's, the Twenty-first Day of September, One Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Four, be, and is hereby utterly repealed and made void.

A Supplementary Act repealed.

At an Assembly begun
July the 1st, 1696.

Part of an Act, Intituled,

An Act for laying an Imposition on several Commodities exported out of this Province.

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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,

Enacted,

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Laws of Maryland, p. 28.
3d Edit. p. 28.
See N^o 26.