

THE said Bills of Credit shall pass in Payment, Satisfaction and Discharge of all Contracts to be made for current Money: And all of any of the Inhabitants of the Province may and are by this Act enabled to discharge all Lawyers Fees and Levies (the *Forty* per Poll, and all Tobacco directed by any Act of Assembly of the Province to be levied and applied to the building or repairing any Church or Churches, herein excepted) in the said Bills of Credit or Gold and Silver rating Tobacco at *Ten Shillings per Cent* in the said Bills of Credit or Gold and Silver; and all Bounties, Rewards and Allowances given and allowed by any Act of Assembly of this Province, and also all Fines, Forfeitures and Penalties settled and established in Tobacco by any Law of the Province, shall and may be satisfied and discharged in the said Bills of Credit or in Gold and Silver, rating Tobacco at *Ten Shillings per Hundred Pound*, and in Proportion for lesser Quantities.

AND all Rates, Duties and Impositions upon the Importation of any Goods, Wares or Merchandizes, Servants and Slaves (the Duties on Tobacco per the Hoghead, Chest or Case, and Tonnage on Ships or Vessels and all other Money to become due or payable to the Lord Proprietary, not being for the Breach of any penal Law or Penalty for any Offence excepted) allowing the usual Allowance of *Thirty Three Pounds Six Shillings and Eight Pence* per Hundred, between Sterling and Currency.

*N. B.* As by Inspection inspected Tobacco is deemed one fourth better than Tobacco before the Inspection took place, *Twelve Shillings and Six Pence* is now the Rule and Standard in current Money for the Hundred Pounds of Tobacco.

It is provided, that no Person shall be obliged to pay the said Bills of Credit or Gold and Silver in lieu of Tobacco, but are at Liberty to pay Tobacco for the said Levies, Fees and Penalties, as if this Act had never been made.

EVERY Person who shall not tender or pay such Bills of Credit or Gold or Silver by the Tenth Day of April yearly, during the Continuance of this Act, shall be obliged to pay all Levies in Tobacco; and all Persons who shall not tender the said Bills of Credit or Gold and Silver for any Lawyers Fees, when the Causes shall be ended, for any Fees from them justly due and owing in Tobacco, shall be obliged to pay in Tobacco, as if this Act had never been made.

THE said Bills were circulated by distributing *Thirty Shillings* in Bills of Credit for and to every taxable, by delivering said Sum to every Master or Mistress of a Family, for the Master and each of his Taxables, and the like Sum to every taxable free Person, of which the County Clerk kept Account, and had *Ten Pounds* in Bills of Credit for his Trouble.