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merchant grift mills, forges, furnaces, Itills and fulling mills, were not valued to the owners, under CHAP. pretext that they were excepted from taxation by the exception in the faid act, " of the working tools of mechanics and manufacturers," and fuch conduct in the affellors and commissioners was contrary to the letter, spirit and intention of the said act;

production of the state of the state of the II. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all mills, stills, forges and furnaces, Mills, &c. to be valued agreeable to the act of this tession to raise the supplies for the current year, and that such be valued, &c. valuation be immediately thereafter collected by the collectors of the tax from the owners of fuch mills or furnaces which were not valued this present year.

III. And, whereas from the extent and fituation of some of the counties of this state, it may be very convenient to the people, and not injurious to the public interest, that two places should be appointed in such county for the receipt of specifics, BE IT ENACTED, I hat the intendant of the reve- A place to be nue be authorifed) to appoint one other place on water navigation in such county, besides the one appointed, &c. named in the act to raise the supplies for the current year, and thereupon any specifics may be received at fuch place.

IV. And, as it is the duty of every citizen to pay the taxes imposed by the legislature by the time and in the manner prescribed, and that those who neglect may be known and distinguished, Br IT ENACTED. That the collectors of the tax in the leveral counties be directed and required, under the Collectors to penalty of fifty pounds current money, on or before the tenth day of June next, to make out an make alift, ac. alphabetical lift of all persons who shall pay the tax with which their property is chargeable before the first day of the same month of June next, and to lodge, before the said tenth day of June, one copy of fuch lift with the clerk of their county court, and to fend one other copy thereof, by the first conveyance, to the intendant of the revenue; and the faid collectors are also hereby directed and required, in the same manner, and under the same penalty, to make out and set up as aforesaid, on or before the tenth day of July next, and on or before the tenth day of every month thereafter, until all the taxes due in the county be collected, a similar list of those who shall have paid on the first day of each month, and to transmit a copy of such list as before directed.

V. AND BE IT ENACTED, That so much of the act, * entitled, An act to raise the supplies for Chapter 6. the year seventeen hundred and eighty-three, as imposes a tax or assessment of fifteen shillings on Part of an act married men not liable to be affested the sum of sifty pounds current money or upwards, be and is hereby repealed.

VI. AND BE IT ENACTED, That where any person shall deliver specifics at any of the places ap- Commission to pointed for the receipt thereof, out of the county where the tax arises, that the commission shall be be divided. equally divided between the person receiving the same and the collector of the county where such tax arifes.

At a SESSION of the GENERAL ASSEMBLY of MARYLAND, 1783. begun and held at the CITY of ANNAPOLIS, on Monday, the 21st of April, in the year of our Lord 1783, and ended the 1st day of June, the following laws were enacted.

WILLIAM PACA, Esquire, Governor.

C H A P.

An ACT respecting registers of vessels, and to direct the entry and clearing vessels from and to the Passed in of British dominions. Lib. TBH. No. A. fol. 285.

C H A P. An ACT for the relief of John Buckman, of Saint-Mary's county. Lib. TBH. No. A. fol. 285. A Private Act.

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