

Baltimore

Charles Absolute, Lord and Proprietary of the
 Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore, &c.
 Our right trusty and wellbeloved Samuel Ogle Esq. Lieutenant Gov.
 of our said Province of Maryland, and to Our right trusty and wellbeloved
 the Upper and Lower Houses of Our Assembly there, and to all Others
 in Our said Province of Maryland for the time being Greeting
 Whereas An Act Entituled "An Act for the Assessment & Payment
 of the publick Charge of this Province," passed the twenty second Day of
 June 1741 hath been transmitted to Us; by which said Act the Sum
 of Eleven thousand five hundred and ten Pounds nine Shillings and
 fourpence Current Money of the said Province is directed to be assessed
 on and levied from the several Taxable Inhabitants of the said Province
 by an Equal Levy or Assessment this Year, and to be paid to the several
 publick Creditors on or before the first day of August which shall
 be in the Year One thousand seven hundred forty and two: We taking
 the said Act into Our serious Consideration, and having a most tender
 Regard to the Prosperity and Ease of the Inhabitants in Our said
 Province, who would be very sensibly affected and aggrieved by the
 Payment in One Year of the said unusual & extraordinary large Sum
 of Eleven thousand five hundred and ten Pounds Nine Shillings and
 fourpence over and besides the ordinary Sum annually assessed on &
 levied from them: For All this Motive and that so heavy a Load when
 hereafter discharged may be the better born by the said Inhabitants by
 apportioning the Payment thereof in several Years: We have thought
 fit, and judged it necessary to disapprove dissent to and annul the
 said Act: And We do hereby disapprove dissent to and annul the
 said Act, and declare the same accordingly void and of no Effect and of