

of the said laws to be entered in the said Booke & an Index or Table of
 Principle matter therein contained to be made Alphabetically
 for the more easie & ready finding out the matters therein
 contained, & in default thereof by the time aforesaid the said Society
 shall pay as a Fine for the same the sume of Ten Thousand
 pounds of Tobb One halfe thereof to the Prop^{ty} & the other
 halfe thereof towards the building of a place to receive the
 Records & when the same is done & entered in the said Soc^y shall
 at the next Gov^{ts} Assembly be allowed exp^d out of the Publique
 Levy soe much Tobb as the said Soc^y shall reasonably deserve

An act Regulateng Ordinaries Limiting the Number of them w^{ch} in this Province.

~~For the better Regulateng Ordinaries~~ Keepers & Inn Holders w^{ch} in
 this Province for the future Be it Enacted by the Hon^{ble} the
 Prop^{ty} of this Province with the Advice & Consent of the Upper &
 Lower houses of this present Gov^{ts} Assembly & the Authority of the
 same in force aft^r the Publication hereof the Com^{rs} of each Res-
 pective County w^{ch} in this Province at their severall Respec-
 tive County Courts & the Maj^{ty} Recorder & Aldermen of the City of
 St. Maries at their Maj^{ty} Court be & are hereby Authorized & impow-
 ered from time to time & as often as need shall require to grant
 Licences to such persons or persons as they shall think fitt to be Ordinary
 Keepers or Inn Holders for the keeping of Ordinaries & houses of Enter-
 tainment for so long time in such & so many places w^{ch} in the
 severall & Respective Counties & City aforesaid for ease & Conve-
 niency of the Inhabitants Travellers & Strangers as to them respectively
 shall seeme meete & convenient for w^{ch} Licences the said persons if shall be
 soe licenced to keep Ordinary as aforesaid shall at all time of this or thine
 taking such licence or licences be bound & obliged to pay unto the
 Hon^{ble} the Prop^{ty} his heirs & Successors if he or they keep Ordinary
 within the City of St. Maries or within two Miles thereof the
 sume of two Thousand pounds of Tobb yearly for a fine for every such
 Licence, if he or they keep Ordinary in any County within the
 sume of twelve hundred pounds of Tobb & give bond for due per-
 formance thereof: And it is hereby further Enacted by the Authority
 aforesaid of the Clerk of each Respective County Court w^{ch} in this
 Province & Clerk of the Maj^{ty} Court of the said City shall Cause
 such Licence & fines for granting the said Licences & securities given
 for paymt^t & performance thereof be duly entered upon Record in their
 severall Courts & then transmitt the said Bonds to the Justices of the
 Court for his use for w^{ch} the said Licences & Bonds aforesaid such
 Ordinary Keepers shall pay to such Respective Clerks sixty pounds
 of Tobb & no more, & it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid of the
 Com^{rs} of the Province