

1743 shall be void and the said officers and

shall lose their office and be deprived of their recovery of the same any Law Statute or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

And that whereas the said Officers are prohibited from taking fees upon any process whatsoever during the time they remain in Office to the Intent the said Officers may receive no damage by the

Act of Assembly for Limitation of Accounts.

Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid that the terms the said Officers remain in Office shall not be reckoned or accounted in the Act of Limitation. And that whereas it hath been the practice of several Sheriffs of this province to allow a person to be in prison at the suite of two or three several persons or to take for the satisfaction of two or more several Judgments for the Sheriff to charge twenty per day for each account or Judgment for provision whereof.

Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid that if any Sheriff after the publication of this Act shall exact and take any more than twenty pounds of Tobacco per day of any prisoner the Sheriff for the satisfaction of several Judgments he shall be liable to the pains and penalties of a certain Act of Assembly for setting Officers fees.

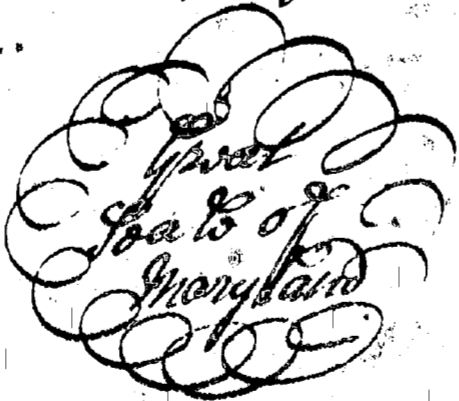
September 23^d 1704
Read and assented to by the House of Delegates W. Sayland Clerk.

September 26th 1704
Read and assented to by Her Majesty's hon^{ble} Council W. Baden Clerk

Maryland October 3^d 1704

On the behalf of Her Majesty we do will this to be a Law.

Jo: Seymour



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