

you shall present all offenders done against the severall Acts made for the
repressing of Drunkenness and also lawfull presentment made of all Blood-
sheds assaults outrages Rescues and other Offences Committed against the
Majestys peace within your Limits you shall well and truly execute all
precepts and warrants to you directed from the Justices of peace of the
County or higher Officers and you shall well and truly according to your
power Knowledge and ability do and execute all things belonging to the
Office of a Constable so long as you shall continue in this Office.

So Help you God.

And if the person or persons so appointed shall before any
Justice of the peace refuse to take the severall Oaths aforesaid or shall
refuse to provide a sufficient person to supply his place appearing in the
said Office and taking the Oaths aforesaid that then such person so
refusing shall be fined to our Majesty in the sum of five hundred
pounds of Tobacco towards the paying the publick Charge of that
County And that such Justice before whom such refusal shall be made
shall issue his warrant to the Sheriff to levy the said fine by distress and sale
of the goods and Chattels of such person fined as aforesaid returning to him
the Overplus which said Sheriff is lawfully empowered and required to levy the
same accordingly and render an Account thereof to the Justice of peace of
that County at the time of the paying the County Levy.

And be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid by and with
the Advice and Consent aforesaid that every Constable shall on or before the tenth
day of June in every Year respectively repair in person to every house or habitation
within his hundred and there require of the Master Mistress Dame or other Chief
person of the Family a true List from under his hand of all their Taxable persons
they and every of them have within their respective Families out of which the said
Constable shall make two true Lists under his hand and one he shall send to the Sheriff
of the County and the other he shall present to the next County Court to be set up
and in case any Master Mistress or Dame or other Chief person of a Family shall refuse
or delay to give such List or in their absence leave at their dwelling house or other
dwelling such a List or account of their Taxable persons of their several Families
the said Account shall concern any Taxable person or persons in this or

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