

Such manner their Estates and their Raiment or Coines within the space
 of four years anything in this act contained to the contrary notwithstanding
 Read and assented to by the House of Delegates signed
 November 16 1709 Read and assented to by
 the Hon^{ble} Council in Assembly
 Signed by order of the W^{ch} Chamber & Council
 Nov^r 21 1709

On the behalf of her most Sacred Majesty Queen ANNE of Great Brittain &c
 We will this be a Law:

Edw. Lloyd	Thomas Greenfield
Wm. Holland	W. Greenberry
Wm. Courcy	Jn. Hall
Tho. Cunnally	Wm. Whittington

Lead

An Act Impowering Thomas Edmondson of Talbot County Surviving Executor
 of his father John Edmondson to sell and dispose of the Lands by the said John Edmondson
 Left for payment of his debts
Whereas John Edmondson late of Talbot County deceased by his last will and
 Testament in writing bearing date the 9th day of October in the year of our Lord
 one thousand six hundred ninety seven did give full power and authority to his
 Executors and Executor to dispose of all his Lands in the Territories of Pennsylvania
 or in Maryland which he had not by his said will given to Maintain his Children
 and to bring them up and to pay all his Just Debts and the Remainder to be
 divided among his wife and Children, and of his said will did constitute his
 wife Sarah his Sons James William and Thomas Sole Executors who after
 the death of the said John Edmondson took upon them the said Executorship
 paid the debts of the said John Edmondson so far forth as his personal Estate
 extended but that not being sufficient fully to satisfy and pay the said John
 Edmondson's debts, and before any of the said Lands Left to be sold could be
 disposed of and Legally conveyed the said Sarah the wife James & William the
 Sons dyed, and the said Thomas is only Left Surviving Executor and forasmuch
 as the said Thomas Edmondson as Surviving Executor by the words in the said will
 is not sufficiently Impowered to sell and dispose of the said Lands according to the
 Intent and Request of the Testator therefore prayed this present Generall Assembly
 that an act might pass to Impower him the said Thomas Edmondson to sell &
 dispose of the said Lands so Left to be sold for payment of the said John Edmondson's
 debts which being thought reasonable he humbly prays that it may be
 Enacted **And be it Enacted** by the Queens Most Excellent Majesty by and
 with the advice and Consent of her Majesty's Council and Assembly of this
 province by the authority of the same that the said Thomas Edmondson
 by Vertue of the said Last will and Testament of the said John Edmondson dece'd
 and of this present Act shall be and is hereby fully and amply authorized and
 Impowered to sell and dispose of all or any part of the said Land Left to be sold
 by the said John Edmondson and to make or cause to be made to any purchaser
 or purchasers and their heirs for ever a good and indefeasible Estate of
 Inheritance in fee simple and to execute and perform all the trusts reposed