

... or sign, maner of the said Lord Proprietary or his heirs or shall steal any of the said true Balloons without lawfull warrant and authority of the Province or shall affix any of them to any deed warrant or writing and shall afterwards in this Province publish or make any use of any such deed warrant or writing and authority as aforesaid shall be punished by loss of hands upon forfeiture during life or by the payment of death confiscation of all his lands goods and chattels and the Council of this Province for the tyme being or any three of them whereof the said Governor or Chancellor to be one shall thinke fitt

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Forasmuch

as the strength of the Lord Proprietary of this Province doth consist in the love and affection of his people on which doth he relye to relye upon a assistance upon all just and honorable occasions and that therefore enacted by the Lord Proprietary with the advise and assent of the upper and lower house of this present Parliament of this Province or on their merchandise goods or chattels without the consent and approbation of the Assembly of this Province

An Act against raising of money in the said Province without consent of the Assembly

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This Assembly humbly prayeth that it maye be enacted

And be it enacted by the Lord Proprietary with the advise and assent of the upper and lower house or Deputies Secretaries or other chief Governour or Governours of this Province shall all any tyme hereafter make any warrant out of the Countie or parts of this Province first had and declared the assent of this Province shall be nor shall be obliged or compelled against their consent to aid or assist in their persons or estate of all attendants or supply concerning or in relation to such warre any land usage or customs to the Countie hereof in any wise notwithstanding the authority aforesaid that no martial lawe shall all any tyme hereafter be exercised in this Province but only in tyme of Siege or Garrison and that in aforesaid that all charges and impositions by descent of the Province against any invasion of any enemy or enemies or against any domesticque in this government established hereon and under the said Lord Proprietary his heirs Lords and Proprietaries of this Province shall be defrayed by this Province by any mthid Act or in any other Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

An Act concerning the levying of

War within this Province

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Be it enacted by the Lord Proprietary with the advise and consent of the upper and lower house of this Assembly that what person or persons

shall all any tyme hereafter Carriages for Ordnance Gunnes Cannon powder or other Ammunition the value of twenty shillings or upwards provided or to be provided from tyme to tyme hereafter by his Lord or his heirs of the Province or otherwise for the publique defence hereof for all and lawful warrant from his Lord and his heirs Lords and Proprietaries of this Province for for doinge Secretaries office of this Province shall be punished by death and confiscation of all his and their lands goods and chattels in this Province to the Lord Proprietary of this Province by the authority and with the assent aforesaid that no person shall all any tyme hereafter presume to seize seize or knowingly purchase or receive the said Ordnance Carriages Gunnes Ammunition or any other thing what so ever within this Province or any Island Port or place hereon and them without lawfull warrant and authority for so doinge from his Lord and his heirs Lords and Proprietaries of this Province under his and their hands and this Province every offender hereon shall forfeit unto his Lord and his heirs Lords and Proprietaries of this Province treble the value of any such Ordnance Carriages or any other thing what so ever seized or sold or disposed of as aforesaid to be levied upon the person for and estate of every such offender and all such offenders shall be punished and every such offender shall also be punished during the pleasure of his said Lord and his heirs Lords and Proprietaries of this Province for the tyme being

An Act prohibiting the transportation or sale of his Lord's

Ordinances Ammunition goods or chattels

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Be it enacted by the Lord Proprietary of this Province with the consent and approbation of the upper and lower house of this Assembly that all debts

to his Lord or his heirs Lords and Proprietaries of this Province shall be first paid and satisfied within the said Province before any other debts which

An Act for the speedy payment of debts due to the Lord Proprietary

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Be it enacted by the Lord Proprietary with the advise of the upper and lower house of this Assembly that every taxable person

planting tobacco shall plant tobacco for plant tobacco as aforesaid two hundred pounds of tobacco for every hundred pounds of tobacco for every hundred acres that hee shall have or that hee shall have of that proportion provided that any person for in this Act shall be punished hereon according as the Governour Countie then present or other Judge in his or their best discretion shall thinke fitt and the Constables in every maner and for his paynes therein shall be allowed and paid by every respective offender against this present Act fifty pounds of tobacco for every acre that hee shall have of that proportion and the person for assisting hereon as aforesaid

An Act for the planting of tobacco