

Offence, such forfeitures & fines to be levied by the Justices of the respective County Courts where such Constables & Inhabitants doe dwelle, & by them to be disposed of for the use of the respective Counties as the said Justices shall think fit And to be enacted that no person for the future may be ignorant what persons are Taxable & what not, Be it Enacted by & with the advice & consent aforesaid & the Authority of the same, that all Male Children borne within this Province & resident in it shall be taken & accounted Taxable at the age of Sixteen years & upwards And all Male Servants imported into this Province at the age of Sixteen years & upwards shall be accounted Taxable And all Slaves whatsoever whether Male or Female imported or borne in this Province above the age of Sixteen years shall be accounted Taxable & so rated And that all Free men in this Province (except Ministers & Preists & such poore & impotent persons shall receive Almes from the County) shall be Taxable above the age of Sixteen years & right to continue for three years or to the end of the next Genell Assembly which shall first happen)

An Act to prevent the unnecessary delays of Execution

Forasmuch as his Lordys good People of this Province are now more commonly holden from their just debts, & often in danger to loose the sume by means of writs of Error & Appeals which are more commonly sued than heretofore they have been, for prevention whereof for the future be it Enacted by the Right Hon^e the Lord Propry & by & with the advice & consent of the upper & lower houses of this present Genell Assembly & the Authority of the same That from & after the end of this present Session of Genell Assembly that no Execution upon any Judgement in any Court of Record in this Province shall be stayed or delayed by any Writ of Error or Appeal from the County Courts of this Province or any Superior Court upon any such Writ of Error or Appeal shall be sued out for the Reversing of such Judgement given or to be given in any Court of Record in this Province upon any Action whatsoever Unlesse such person or persons in whose name or names such writ or Appeal shall be brought and obtained with sufficient Secrecy or Sureties such as the Court where such Judgmen^t shall be given shall allow of, shall before such stay made by a writ of Error or Appeal as aforesaid or Superior Court awarded to come unto the party for whom any such Judgmen^t is or shall begin by Recognition to be attested before the same Court in double the sume adjudged to be recovered by the said former Judgmen^t to prosecute the said writs

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