

Entituled An Act Prohibiting Trade with Indians for any flesh dead or alive
except deer and wild fowls. The same and every of them be and are
by force of Law and continued to stand in full force and vertue for and
among the terms of three years or to the end of the next Generall
Assembly which shall first happen.

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The Lower house have
read and signed for.

The Upper house have assented
Signed for.

William Gentl

Tho: Gurnwin Ch of Assembly

An Act for Preservation of Orphans Real Estates

Whereas a good and Profitable Law was made at an Assembly
held at the City of Maryland the tenth day of October in the fortieth Year
of the Dominion of the Right Hon^{ble}: Cecilius of noble memory and in the
Year of our Lord one thousand six hundred Seventy and one Entituled An
Act for the Preservation of Orphans Estates the which said Act nor any
other ~~Act~~ heretofore as yet made hath any way Effectually Provided
against Waste Sale and destruction comitted off in or upon the Real
Estates of Orphans to witt dwelling houses Outhouses Lands woods
Orchards and fencing otherwise then what the Law of England hath
prescribed which is thought too strict and sever for the present constitu-
tion of this Province, where men cannot enjoy the benefit of the said
land without clearing of the same in doing whereof Timber must be
fallen which by the Law of England aforesaid is Waste, and the
Damages thereupon ensuing is farre greater many times then the full
value of the Land here, And it is most apparent that Notwithstanding
Parents of such Orphans and persons of great Estates whilst living
at their Orphans or heirs should come to possess and enjoy any
thing more then the Lands and plantations by them left, for the remedy
whereof for the future. Be it Enacted by the Right Hon^{ble}: the Lord
Proprietor by and with the advice and consent of the Upper and Lower
houses of this present Generall Assembly and Authority of the same

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