

9. Shall immediately without any formality ~~and~~ <sup>of</sup> Law;  
(or tenus) swear and determine the matter and difference ac-  
cording to their descriptions, and their Judgments shall be  
final;

And be it further enacted by the Authority  
aforesaid by and with the advice and Consent aforesaid, that  
y<sup>e</sup> Surveyors shall have and Receive for Surveying and  
Laying out Each Respective Town into Streets and Lots aforesaid  
the Sum of one Thousand pounds of Tobacco and no more to  
be paid and Allowed him by Each Respective County, in the  
County where such Town shall be laid out. And in case  
the taking up of such Lot or Lots refuse and Neglect to build  
upon such Lot or Lots within the time aforesaid by this Act  
Appointed, that then it shall and may be Lawfull for any  
Other person or persons whatsoever to Enter upon y<sup>e</sup> said  
Lot or Lots so as aforesaid not built upon, Paying such  
Sum of Tobacco as shall be first set and Assessed upon such  
Lot to y<sup>e</sup> Com<sup>md</sup> aforesaid or such other person as y<sup>e</sup> Com<sup>md</sup> in  
Each respective County or y<sup>e</sup> Major part of them shall nomi-  
nate and Appoint to Receive the Same, for the Publick Use  
and Benefit of such Town where in such Lots shall lie, and  
be taken up the second time;

Provided always that such taking up or purchase  
be build and finish within one year after such his Entry  
such House as in this Act is before limited and Appointed  
to be built by y<sup>e</sup> first taking up, which House so built, shall  
give and setle as good Estate to all intents & purposes to  
such second taking up and builder as aforesaid his heirs and  
Assigns as in and by this Act before limited and settled  
upon the first taking up and builder, Subject to y<sup>e</sup> same  
and Reservations in and by this Act before limited and  
Appointed;

And in case any the said Lots shall be neglected to be  
taken up in any the Ports or Towns aforesaid in any County  
of this Province for and During the term of Seven years  
next after the publication of this Act, that then and