

house the first Tuesdays of the said months yearly at Dorchester County Court house the first
 Mondays after, in Talbot County the Fridays after the second Tuesdays, at Queen Anne's County Court
 house the Wednesdays after the third Tuesdays in Kent County the Mondays after the third Tuesdays
 in the same months and at Cecil County Court house the Fridays following the same Determination
 Dispatch such business as shall be before them and be it enacted that in all actions now
 depending in the Provincial Court where the General Issue or other General Issue binding to an Issue
 in the Country is to be pleaded the Issues shall be made up and completed by the last Day of
 February next and that all Declarations in Actions to be returned in the Provincial Court shall
 be filed with the Clerk within thirty Days after every Appearance Court and the Issues made up where
 the General Issue or other General Issue binding to an Issue on the Country shall be pleaded shall be
 made up within thirty Days after the filing the Declaration but where special Pleadings are re-
 ceived the Court upon Motion may grant such Time as shall be thought reasonable and that the
 Plaintiff in every Cause to be tried before the said Justices shall give the Defendant or his Attorney
 Notice Ten Days at the least before the beginning of the Assizes that the Trial is to be of his Intention
 to insist on a Trial and that if after such Notice the Cause shall be delayed until another Assize
 the Party causing such Delay shall pay all the Cost and Charge that shall be occasioned thereby and
 be it enacted that the several Sheriffs shall summon forty of the most Capable and Substantial
 Freeholders within their Bailiwicks twenty Days before the Assizes shall begin to serve as Grand and
 Petit Jurors and that every Freeholder that shall be so summoned and shall neglect or refuse to
 appear shall incur the same Penalties and Forfeitures as Jurors summoned to the Provincial Court
 are liable to and that no person that is not incapable or disqualified by Law to serve as a Juror
 shall have any Exemption except Councillors, Clergy Men, Apprentices, Men, Magistrates and Constables and
 that every Grand Jury shall have an Allowance not exceeding four hundred pounds of Tobacco and
 every Petty Jury fifteen hundred pounds of Tobacco for every Days Attendance besides the lawful fees for
 Verdicts in Civil Cases to be allowed in the County every year as usual and be it enacted that the
 two Justices of Assizes shall be allowed by the Publick five thousand pounds of Tobacco each of
 them to be paid in the Counties where they respectively reside for every Circuit and no more and such
 of the County Justices as they shall associate with them the same as they are allowed for sitting in the
 County Courts and be it enacted that it shall and may be lawful for the said Justices to make
 all such Rules and Orders as may be convenient and necessary for the furtherance of Justice and
 Right and to impose reasonable Fines Forfeitures and Penalties upon such as shall transgress
 them provided always that such Rules and Orders shall be agreeable to the Laws of England
 and this Province and that all Sheriffs Bailiffs and other Officers and persons whatsoever shall
 give due Obedience to all process Warrants and precepts that shall be issued by or returnable
 to the said Justices and be it enacted that the next Provincial Court shall begin the third
 Tuesday of May which shall be in the year of Our Lord seventeenth hundred and twenty four and
 not before and that all actions now depending in that Court of what Nature soever shall be and are
 by this Act continued until the said third Tuesday of May next and that all Writts process and precepts
 already issued or to be issued out of the Provincial Court returnable to the next Court shall be returned
 to the said third Tuesday of May. And that all Sheriffs Coroners and other Officers that have arrested
 or shall arrest any person or persons by Virtue of any Writt precept or process returnable to the
 second Tuesday of April next shall be under the same Obligation to have the Parties arrested
 at Annapolis the said third Tuesday of May as if such Writts process and precepts were then returna-
 ble and that the Provincial Courts for the future shall begin the third Tuesdays in May and October
 yearly any Law Usage or other Cause Matter or thing to the contrary notwithstanding And be
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