

An ACT for the further Assessment of Forty Thousand Pounds of Tobacco, on the Inhabitants of St. Anne's Parish in Anne-Arundel County, towards enlarging and repairing the Church in the City of Annapolis; and building a Chappel of Ease in the said Parish; and for a Payment of a Fourth Part of the Charge, by a Publick Assessment on the whole Province, for the Enlargement and Reparation of the said Church.

WHEREAS it appears to this General Assembly, by the Representation of the Inhabitants of St. Anne's Parish, in Anne-Arundel County, That the Quantity of Forty Thousand Pounds of Tobacco, granted to be assessed on them, by Virtue of an Act for Repairing and Enlarging of the Church in the City of Annapolis; and for the building a Chappel of Ease, &c. was not sufficient for that Purpose :

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of His Lordship's Governour, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That the Justices of Anne-Arundel County Court, shall and may, and they are hereby authorized and directed, on the Application of the Vestry and Church-Wardens of the said Parish, to assess and levy, by Two further several Assessments (over and above the Forty Thousand Pounds of Tobacco granted to be assessed and levied by Virtue of the aforementioned Act) on the Inhabitants of the said Parish, any Quantity or Quantities of Tobacco not exceeding in the Whole the Quantity of Forty Thousand Pounds of Tobacco. And which said Quantity or Quantities of Tobacco, so to be assessed and levied, shall be collected by the Sheriff of the said County; who is hereby authorized and directed to collect the same; and who shall have for such Collection, at and after the Rate of Five Pounds *per Cent.* And the said Tobacco, when so collected, shall be paid to the said Vestry and Church-Wardens; who are hereby authorized and required to apply the same for the Enlargement and Reparation of the said Church, and building of the Chappel aforesaid, in the same Manner, as the Quantity of Forty Thousand Pounds of Tobacco, already granted to be assessed and levied as aforesaid, was directed to be applied.

AND WHEREAS, It is very fit that there should be Pews in the said Church of *Annapolis*, particularly assigned for the Use of the Governour of this Province, and the Members of His Lordship's Council, and the Speaker of the House of Delegates, and Members of the same House :

BE IT ENACTED, That the Vestry and Church-Wardens aforesaid, shall, and they are hereby impowered and directed to leave, or cause to be left, a Place and Room vacant in the Body of the Church, large enough to contain these Pews, *viz.* A handsome One for the Governour of this Province; another for the Honourable the Members of His Lordship's Council, if they shall be pleas'd to leave or diluse the Pews, which they at present possess in the Gallery of the said Church; also another Pew for the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Delegates; and Five others, large