

An ACT to prohibit raising of Swine in Upper-Marlborough Town, in Prince-George's County.

WHEREAS, the Freeholders and Inhabitants of *Upper-Marlborough Town*, in *Prince-George's County*, by their humble Petition to the Lower House of Assembly, have set forth, That divers Persons living in the same Town, do raise and keep large Quantities of Swine within the same Town, to the great Prejudice of the Inhabitants thereof,

BE it therefore Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That no Person or Persons whatsoever, living or to live within the same Town, shall, after the Thirtieth Day of *November* next, under any Pretence whatsoever, keep or support, within the same Town, any Swine belonging to themselves, or any other Person whatsoever, unless such Swine be kept within such Person or Persons Inclosure so keeping or supporting such Swine.

AND be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, by and with the Advice and Consent aforesaid, That any Person or Persons that shall be convicted before any Magistrate, on Confession, or Proof, of transgressing against this Act, shall pay One Hundred Pounds of Tobacco for each Transgression: The same to be levied on the Body, Goods, or Chattels, of the Offender, by Way of Execution, as in Case of small Debts, and to be applied to the Use of the Free-School of the County aforesaid.

An ACT for the erecting a Town at the Bridge near the Head of Great Choptank River, in Dorchester and Queen-Anne Counties.

WHEREAS, the Inhabitants of *Dorchester* and *Queen-Anne* Counties, by their Petition, have made appear to this Assembly, the great Benefits that may arise to Themselves, and Others, by having a Town erected and laid out at the Bridge, near the Head of *Great Choptank River*, in *Dorchester* and *Queen-Anne* Counties:

BE it Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That *Mr. Peter Taylor, Captain Henry Hooper, Mr. John White, Mr. William Femsley, Mr. Solomon Clayton, and Mr. Edward Wright,* or any Three of them, shall be and are hereby appointed Commissioners for the Counties aforesaid, and are hereby authorized and impowered, as well to agree for the buying and purchasing Forty Acres of Land; that is to say, Twenty Acres in each County aforesaid, at the said *Choptank Bridge*, and such Part, not exceeding Forty Acres, as lies most convenient