

shall take and receive for the several Services by him to be done by virtue of this Act, to be paid by the several Persons taking up the Lots as aforesaid.

Rent, 1 d.
Sterl. per Lot.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That all and every Person and Persons taking up and possessing the Lots aforesaid, or any of them, shall be, and are hereby obliged to pay unto the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, his Heirs or Assigns, the yearly Rent of One Penny, Current Money of *England*, for each respective Lot by them so taken up and possessed, to be paid in the same manner as his Lordship's Land-Rents of this Province now are or hereafter shall be paid.

Saving to his most Sacred Majesty, his Heirs, and Successors, the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, his Heirs, and Successors, and to all Bodies Politic and Corporate, and all Persons not mentioned in this Act, their several and respective Rights; any Thing in this Act to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

An Act to enable the Justices of *Baltimore* County Court to Assess and Levy on the Taxable Inhabitants of *St. Paul's* Parish in the said County, a quantity of Money for the Uses and Purposes therein mentioned, and also to Divide the said Parish, and for erecting Part thereof into a new one.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is represented to this General Assembly by a Petition from the Rector, Vestry-men, Church-wardens, and other the Inhabitants of the Parish of *St. Paul*, in *Baltimore* County, that the Church of the said Parish stands very inconvenient to a great Part of the Parishioners of the said Parish, and especially to the Forest Inhabitants thereof, who could not without difficulty attend the said Church as frequently as they ought, by reason of the distance of more than Thirty Miles which many of them Live from the said Church. And whereas it is also by the said Petition represented, that many of the Parishioners of the said Parish had agreed upon a voluntary Subscription for the Purchasing a piece of Land in a convenient Place, and Building a Chappel of Ease thereon, and lest the same might not be sufficient to carry on so religious a Design, it was therefore Prayed that it might be Enacted,

Persons appointed to receive voluntary Gifts towards Building a Chappel.

And 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 from and after the End of this present Session of Assembly, it shall and may be lawful for *Mr. William Hamilton, Mr. Christopher Gist, Mr. Samuel Owings, Mr. Christopher Randall, and Mr. Nicholas Hayles*, of the Parish aforesaid, and they, or the major Part of them, are hereby directed, impowered and appointed to collect and receive from all or any of the Parishioners of the said Parish, all, and every Sum and Sums of Money, Tobacco, and other Goods and Effects which all or any of