

Slaves during the said Meetings, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis, the sixteenth Day of May, One thousand seven hundred forty and seven, be and is hereby continued, and shall remain and be in full Force for and during the Term of three Years next ensuing, and to the End of the next Session of Assembly which shall happen after the End of the said three Years.

An Act to oblige the Naval Officers to give sufficient Bonds for what Moneys they shall receive belonging to the Public.

**B**E 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 all and every Naval Officer of this Province shall, on or before the tenth Day of November, Anno Domini Seventeen hundred and fifty-one, give Bond with two sufficient Sureties, to be approved by the Governor or Commander in chief for the Time being, payable to the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary of this Province, in the Sum of one thousand Pounds Sterling Money, for the Use of the Public of this Province, before a Provincial Magistrate, Conditioned, "That he the said Naval Officer will, during his Continuance in the said Office, transmit to the Trustees residing at London for the Time being, agreeable to the Directions of an Act entitled, *An Act for emitting and making current ninety thousand Pounds Current Money of Maryland, in Bills of Credit, good Bills of Exchange,* and account for and pay to the Treasurer or Treasurers for the Time being, from Time to Time, the several Sums of Money which he the said Naval Officer shall receive by the Laws of this Province, on Account of the Public:" Which Obligation or Obligations shall be no ways affected by the Act of Limitations; any Law, Usage, or Custom, to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding. Which said Justice or Justices, taking such Bond as aforesaid, shall be, and he or they are hereby directed and obliged to lodge such Bond or Bonds with the Clerk of the Council for the Time being, in the Council Office, there to be kept.

Naval Officers obliged to give Bond;

Which Bonds are to be lodged in the Council Office.

An Act for erecting a new Market-House in the City of Annapolis.

**W**HEREAS it is, by the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Common Council Men, and sundry Inhabitants, of the City of Annapolis, by their humble Petition to this present General Assembly, represented, that the Market-House of the said City is found to be of very little Use to the Inhabitants, by means of the Situation of it: It is therefore by the said Petition prayed that it may be Enacted;

Preamble;

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 it shall and may be lawful to and for the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common Councilmen of the said City, to set up and expose to Sale the present

The present Market-House, &c. to be sold;