

Laws & Votes
to go as Public
Letters.

VIII. *AND be it likewise Enacted*, That the several and respective Sheriffs within this Province shall, and they are hereby directed and required to receive and forward the said Laws, with the Votes and Proceedings aforesaid, to the Clerks of the several County Courts, and the Members of each House of Assembly, as other Public Letters are by the Laws of this Province directed to be forwarded.

Continuance.

IX. THIS Act to continue until the Twentieth Day of December, which shall be in the Year One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty Five.

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An Act for the speedy and effectual Publication of the Laws of this Province; and for the Encouragement of Jonas Green, of the City of Annapolis, Printer.	82

And the Four following Private LAWS.

An Act empowering the Incumbent and Vestrymen of Saint Michael's Parish, in Talbot County, and James Tilghman of the said County, and Anne his Wife, to make an Exchange of certain Lands therein mentioned.

An Act to cut off the Entail of Part of a Tract of Land called Charley, now lying in Charles and Prince-George's Counties, and to Entail Lands of equal Value in Lieu thereof.

An Act to Repeal an Act entituled, An Act for the Confirmation of the Lands therein mentioned, to Richard Bennett, Esquire.

An Act for the vesting and settling an Estate of Inheritance, in Fee Simple, of and in a certain Parcel, or Lot of Ground, in the City of Annapolis, containing One Hundred and Twenty Feet in Length, formerly by an Act of Assembly of this Province, confirmed to Robert Gordon, of the City of Annapolis, Merchant, on Horatio Samuel Middleton, and his Heirs for ever.