

900 l. by the
Treasurer of
the Western-
Shore :

And, 1099 l.
12 s. by the
Treasurer of
the Eastern-
Shore :

6000 l. in the
Whole,

For replacing
the said Sum,
every Pedlar
to take out
License :

The Form.

To pay 4 l.
for each Li-
cense, and a
Fee of 5 s. to
the Clerk.

To take the
Oaths to the
Government.

Penalty on
Pedlars for
travelling
without a
License.

such Payments: And that the Treasurer of the Western-Shore of this Province for the Time being shall, and he is hereby directed and empowered to pay unto the said *Horatio Sharpe*, Esq; or his Order, or to the Commander in Chief for the Time being, or his Order, the Sum of Nine Hundred Pounds Current Money, for the Purposes aforesaid: And that the Treasurer of the Eastern-Shore for the Time being shall, and he is hereby directed and empowered to pay unto the said *Horatio Sharpe*, Esq; or his Order, or to the Commander in Chief for the Time being, or his Order, the Sum of One Thousand and Ninety Nine Pounds Twelve Shillings Current Money, for the same Purposes. And for the Repayment and Replacing of the said several Sums, amounting in the Whole to Six Thousand Pounds, to be paid to the said *Horatio Sharpe*, Esq; or the Commander in Chief for the Time being, or his or their Order,

III. *BE it further Enacted, by the Authority, Advice and Consent aforesaid*, That all and every Hawker, Pedlar, or Petty-Chapman, travelling on Foot, or Horse-Back, or otherwise carrying Goods and Merchandize from Place to Place, or to the Dwelling-Houses of the good People of this Province, or to Fairs and Markets within the same, after the First Day of *October* next, shall, before they trade, barter, or sell, any such Goods or Merchandize, take out License, from some County Clerk within this Province; and every County Clerk within this Province, for the Time being, is hereby directed and obliged, upon Application of any such Hawker, Pedlar, or Petty-Chapman, to make out License for such Pedlar, Hawker, or Petty-Chapman, in the Words following, *viz.* "License is hereby granted unto *A. B.* to travel
" and trade as a Hawker, Pedlar, and Petty-Chapman, within the Province
" of *Maryland*, for the Space and Term of One Year, to commence from
" the Date hereof, he behaving himself well. Given under my Hand and
" the Seal of the Office, at _____, in _____ County, this _____ Day
" of _____, 175 _____." For which License and Seal, such Pedlar, Hawker, or Petty-Chapman, shall pay the Sum of Four Pounds, Current Money, to such County Clerk; as also, for a Fee, the Sum of Five Shillings, Money aforesaid: And all such Hawkers, Pedlars, and Petty-Chapmen, shall, and they are hereby obliged, before they shall trade or barter as aforesaid, to renew such License yearly, and every Year, paying the like Sum of Four Pounds for such License, as also, for a Fee on every such License, the Sum of Five Shillings, with the same Clerk from whom he or they first took such License, or with some other County Clerk within this Province.

IV. *AND be it likewise Enacted*, That before any License shall be granted to any Hawker, Pedlar, or Petty-Chapman, to trade within this Province, such Hawker, Pedlar, or Petty-Chapman, shall, and he or they are hereby obliged to take the several Oaths (or Affirmation if a Quaker) of Allegiance, Abhorrency, and Abjuration, and sign the same, and repeat and subscribe the Test, before such County Clerk from whom he or they shall obtain License as aforesaid, which County Clerk is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed, to tender and administer the same accordingly.

V. *AND be it likewise Enacted*, That in Case any Hawker, Pedlar, or Petty-Chapman, shall, after the Time aforesaid, be found travelling with Goods for Sale within this Province, without first applying for and obtaining a License for that Purpose, according to the Intent and Directions of this Act, such Hawker, Pedlar, or Petty-Chapman, shall forfeit and pay the Sum of Eight Pounds, Current Money, one Moiety whereof to be paid to the

Sheriff