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XXXIV.

Their Bonds,  
how to be dis-  
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such Bond, with Sureties, in the Manner and Form before directed, as to the Commissioners first before-mentioned, and their Clerk, respectively: Which Bonds, so to be given by the said One Commissioner, and his Clerk, shall be indorsed, recorded, and lodged, and Copies of the Records thereof be Evidence, in the same Manner as is herein before directed as to the Bonds of the said Two first mentioned Commissioners, and their Clerk.

The Com-  
missioner at  
what Time to  
take in Bills  
of Credit and  
draw Bills of  
Exchange on  
the Trustees.

At what Rate  
and how Bills  
to be drawn.

XX. And be it further Enacted, That the said Commissioner, so as afore-said to be appointed to receive and take in the Bills of Credit afore-said, and to draw Bills of Exchange for the Satisfaction and Discharge thereof, shall, after his being qualified in Manner afore-said, between the said Twenty-fifth Day of *June* Seventeen Hundred and Seventy-seven, and the Twenty-fifth Day of *December* then next inclusive, have and keep the Possession and Custody of the said Paper-Currency-Office Repository, and such One of the Iron Chests therein which shall not contain any of the said Bills of Credit not put into Circulation; and, that any Person or Persons who shall have the Possession of any Number or Quantity of the said Bills of Credit, shall be, and is hereby entitled, upon producing the same before the said Commissioner, in the said Office, between the last afore-said Times, to have, demand, and receive from the said Commissioner, Bills of Exchange for the full Value of the said Bills of Credit so produced, at the Rate of Four Shillings and Sixpence Sterling per Dollar, to be drawn by the said Commissioner upon the Trustees residing in *London*; and the said Commissioner is hereby directed, impowered, and authorized to draw one or more Sets of Bills of Exchange, payable at Forty Days Sight to the Person or Persons producing such Bills of Credit, to his or their Order, to the said Value or Amount of the said Bills of Credit so produced as afore-said: Which said Bills of Exchange shall be drawn upon the Trustees residing in *London*; and in the Body of each respective Bill of Exchange, it shall be directed that the Monies to be paid, shall be placed to the Account of the Province of *Maryland*.

The Trustees  
to accept and  
pay the Bills  
drawn by the  
Commission-  
er.

XXI. For the sure Payment of the said Bills of Exchange, so to be drawn by the Commissioner afore-said, in Manner afore-said, Be it Enacted, That the said Trustees, residing in *London*, shall, and they are hereby directed and enjoined to accept, in the usual Form, all and every of the said Bills of Exchange, immediately upon tendering and presenting the same. And, to enable the said Trustees to pay the said Bills of Exchange at the Time they shall become due, they, the said Trustees, are hereby directed, impowered, and authorized, at any Time between the Acceptance of the said Bills of Exchange, and the Time of Payment thereof, to sell and dispose of any Quantity of the said Capital Stock that may be necessary, for the best Price that can be had for the same, thereby to raise Monies for the Payment of the said Bills of Exchange.

The Com-  
missioner to  
lock up in  
the Iron  
Chest the  
Bills of Cre-  
dit by him  
received.

The Com-  
missioner's  
Salary.

The Clerk's  
Salary.

XXII. And be it further Enacted, That the said Bills of Credit, so to be received in by the said Commissioner, shall, on his Receipt thereof, be carefully locked up in the Iron Chest in the said Office, of which he shall have the Custody and Possession, and be there kept until the Meeting of Assembly which shall next happen after the said Twenty-fifth Day of *December*, Seventeen Hundred and Seventy-seven afore-said; and the said Commissioner shall also keep a fair, regular, and distinct Account of all Bills of Credit by him received, and Bills of Exchange by him drawn as Commissioner afore-said; and, for his Care and Trouble in the Execution of his Duty, he shall be paid by the Trustees afore-said, residing in *London*, Fifty Pounds Sterling; and the said Commissioner shall also draw Bills of Exchange on the said Trustees residing in *London*, in the Manner and Form before directed, to the Person who shall be employed and act as his Clerk as afore-said, for the Sum of Thirty Pounds Sterling, as and for the full Reward and Satisfaction of the