

LII. And be it enacted, That if any Inspector or Inspectors Notes or Receipts be casually lost, mislaid, or destroyed, the Person or Persons intitled to receive the Tobacco, by virtue of any such Note or Receipt, shall make Oath, or Affirmation if a Quaker, before a Justice of the Peace of the County where the same is payable, to the Number or Date of every such Note or Receipt, to whom and where payable, and for what Quantity of Tobacco the same was given, and that such Note or Receipt is lost, mislaid, or destroyed, and that he, she, or they, at the Time such Note or Receipt was lost, mislaid, or destroyed, was lawfully intitled to receive the Tobacco therein mentioned, and shall take a Certificate thereof from such Justice: And, upon producing the Certificate to the Inspector or Inspectors who signed such Note or Receipt, and lodging the same with them, the said Inspector or Inspectors shall pay and deliver, to the Person obtaining such Certificate, the Tobacco for which such Notes or Receipts were given, if the same or any Part thereof shall not have been before by him or them paid by virtue of the said Notes or Receipts, and shall be thereby discharged from all Actions, Suits, and Demands, on account of such Notes or Receipts: And if any Person shall be convicted of making a false Oath or Affirmation, or producing a forged Certificate in the Case aforesaid, he shall forfeit and pay to the Party grieved Two Hundred and Forty Pounds of Tobacco for every Hundred Pounds of Tobacco contained in such Certificate, and so in Proportion for a less Quantity, and upon Conviction shall suffer as in Case of wilful and corrupt Perjury.

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LIII. And be it enacted, That all Tobacco due or to grow due and payable for such Public and County Levies and parochial Charges as aforesaid, which shall not be discharged and paid in Gold and Silver, as by this Act is directed, shall be paid and discharged in the following Manner, that is to say: The Public and County Levies in any of the Warehouses within the County on which the same shall be levied, and the parochial Charges aforesaid in some Warehouse within that Parish, if required: And if there be any Parish without a Warehouse, in such Case all the aforesaid parochial Charges or such Part thereof as shall not be paid in Gold or Silver, shall be paid by Inspector or Inspectors Notes, at some Warehouse or Warehouses in the next adjacent Parish, as the Case may require. *Provided always,* That no Transfer Notes of the preceding Year shall pass in any Tobacco Payment.

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LIV. And be it enacted, That at the Time of laying any Public or County Levies, there shall be levied for the Sheriff that is to collect and pay the same, Six Pounds of Tobacco per Cent, and no more, which the said Sheriff is hereby empowered to retain.

Sheriff's  
commissions.

LV. And be it enacted, That when any Tobacco shall be brought to any of the Public Warehouses, and refused by the Inspector or Inspectors there officiating, the same shall be immediately burnt by them, unless the Owner or Person bringing such Tobacco desires to sort and separate the same, and to pick out such as is bad, in which Case the Inspector or Inspectors shall permit the same to be done at the Warehouse to which the said Tobacco shall be brought, without Fee or Reward, but shall not, on any Pretence, suffer the said Tobacco to be removed or carried from the said Warehouse; and the said Inspector or Inspectors shall allow one Month for separating or picking such Tobacco, after which Time, if the same be not done, it shall be lawful for him or them to burn the Whole, except where the Tobacco is in a Sweat, or where the Circumstances or Accidents of Weather may have prevented the handling of it, in which

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