

ducting the assessors valuation of the property so taken away or destroyed, since the last valuation thereof, from the value of such person's property, shall proceed to collect the tax due on the residue, in the manner and at the time of the collection of the second part of the tax imposed by the said act. C H A P.  
XXV.

X. **And be it enacted,** That further relief shall be given to the persons herein after mentioned, they having been very great sufferers, in great measure disabled to pay their taxes, and therefore ought to be further relieved, according to the intention of the said act, to wit: In Saint Mary's county, Robert Armstrong, Nicholas Sewell, and Herbert Blackstone; Anne Tilly and Anne Govane in Anne-Arundel county; in Calvert county, William Fitzhugh, William Allein, and John David; in Charles county, George Dent, senior, and Samuel Jones; in Somerset county, John Stewart; in Dorchester county, Benjamin Keene, Henry Keene, William Barnes, Valentine Barnes, and Alexander Douglals. Persons to be  
further re-  
lieved, &c.

XI. **And,** Whereas it appears, that the commissioners of the tax for Washington and Caroline counties have suspended the collection of the treble tax from certain nonjurors, contrary to the words and intention of the act passed last session, relating to the treble tax imposed on nonjurors and absentees:

XII. **Be it enacted,** That the commissioners of the tax for Washington and Caroline counties be directed to review their return, and the reasons assigned for suspension, and to suspend the collection of the treble tax from such nonjurors only, in their counties, as neglected to take the oath or affirmation of fidelity and support to this state, from scruples of conscience only, and not from attachment to Great-Britain, or disaffection to this state or its independence; and that they report the name of the nonjuror relieved, and his reasons for his neglect, to the general assembly at their next session; and that the collectors of the tax in the said counties of Washington and Caroline proceed in their collection of the treble tax from the nonjurors of their counties, where suspensions shall not be granted on review as aforesaid, in the same manner as if no suspension had been already made. Commission-  
ers for Wash-  
ington and  
Caroline to  
review their  
return, &c.

XIII. **And,** Whereas divers public officers, who were obliged by law to receive the old bills of credit till the twentieth day of March last, did receive sums thereof, and have not, from accident or want of time, delivered the same into the treasury in time:

XIV. **Be it enacted,** That the treasurer of either shore shall receive, of any of the said officers on his shore, the old bills of credit by such officers actually received on or before the twentieth day of March last, and which he ought by law to have received on or before that day, such officer lodging with such bills of credit his affidavit, that the bills delivered in were actually received by him in the course of his office on or before the said twentieth day of March. Old bills may  
be received,  
&c.

XV. **And,** Whereas it is prudent to provide for laying in a large quantity of provisions, which may be necessary for the use of the army, and the good people of this state, for want of timely notice of such demands,