

alphabetical list of the persons in each hundred chargeable for the property therein, the amount of the valuation of each person's property respectively, as returned by the assessors, or as corrected by them, expressing the sum to be paid thereon by this act.

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XLII. And be it enacted, That every person shall, on or before the first day of June next, pay to the collector of the county, or his deputy of the district where his property was valued, one half part of the assessment imposed by this act; or he may, in discharge thereof, pay any of the articles following, that is to say, good fresh merchantable pork, delivered before the first day of March next, well fatted on corn, and each hog exceeding ninety pounds weight, at forty shillings per hundred; good beef on the hoof, adding the fifth quarter to the weight of net beef, at thirty-three shillings and four-pence per hundred; good merchantable barreled pork, containing at least two hundred and twenty pounds of net pork, at six pounds per barrel; good merchantable wheat, weighing not less than fifty-eight pounds per bushel, at seven shillings and six-pence per bushel; good, sweet, fresh, merchantable, fine wheat flour, and packed in strong seasoned barrels, at eighteen shillings and nine-pence for each short hundred weight, with allowance of three shillings for the barrel and nails; transfer tobacco, inspected since the first day of September last, at eighteen shillings and nine-pence per hundred; crop tobacco, inspected since the first day of April last, in hogheads weighing not less than nine hundred and fifty net, at twenty-two shillings and six-pence per hundred, with an allowance of four per cent. for the cask; or bar iron, at thirty pounds per ton.

How the assessment is to be paid, &c.

XLIII. And be it enacted, That the bills of credit emitted by act of assembly in the month of May last shall be taken in payment of the assessment imposed by this act at the rate of one dollar for seven shillings and six-pence current money; and any of the state continental bills of credit emitted in the month of June seventeen hundred and eighty, shall be received in payment of the assessment aforesaid at the rate of three dollars for seven shillings and six-pence current money; and any of the state bills of credit emitted in the same month and year, shall be received in payment of the assessment aforesaid at the rate of two dollars for seven shillings and six-pence current money.

How bills of credit are to be received.

XLIV. And be it enacted, That where any person, whose property is chargeable with the rate by this act imposed, shall be under the age of twenty-one years, if the parent or guardian of such infant shall make payment, the same shall be allowed him in his account with such infant.

Guardians, &c. may pay for infants.

XLV. And be it enacted, That if any executor or administrator shall have any personal estate of the deceased in his hands, chargeable with the assessment imposed by this act, he may inform the assessor, and on payment of the rate the receipt of the collector shall be sufficient evidence to discharge such executor or administrator for the sum by him paid.

Executors, &c. may pay for deceased persons estates, &c.

XLVI. And be it enacted, That Benjamin Chambers (who shall reside at the city of Annapolis) shall be and he is hereby appointed commissary of provisions for this state for one year, to commence on the first

Commissary appointed, &c.