

William Stone and some will last us
assented unto by him, & as being very desirous
in what we may to comply with our said
- his from whom we had a great desire also on
their parts of compliance with us who of us
are very sensible. Have caused Eighteen of
said Acts or Laws as Now proposed to be En-
gaged together in Parliament, and to be here
annexed under our Greater Seals at New
and signed as by us. Declaring hereby our
Assent unto the said Acts or Laws for any
-ed hereunto as aforesaid with the words
with the Governor & the. you and good People

*2 said Provisions
Provision to be affixed
to the said Acts
to be observed by all People
of the said Province*

our said Province, and the yeards thereof to
belonging for the yeards for under the pena-
therein contained. And We do hereby give
power to our Lieutenant, our said Province
of Maryland for the yeards being till we or
our heirs shall signify for our or their plea-
sure to the contrary from time to time to
assent in our Name to any temporary Law
continuing in force there for some yeards
or only that he shall find necessary or requisite
for the good of our Colony there, Notwithstanding
any thing to the contrary in our Letters
you our said Lieutenant William Stone,
the Sixth day of August 1678. Provided how-
- less that No Law be assented unto by our said
Lieutenant the said for the yeards being, as
shall in any by us be contrary or repugn-
to any of the Acts or Laws hereunto annexed,
and assented unto by us as aforesaid, or to any
other Laws which we have formerly or shall
hereafter assent unto in your speciall writes
under our hand and Seals at New and
assented unto by the Major part of our
Governor all Assent by the said or which shall
repugnate or any way touching upon any
of the other Provisions concerning the Power
of assenting to Laws contained in our said
Commission to you our said Lieutenant
these now printed in all to any of our