

Public of Deer Creek aforesaid until the fifteenth day of October next, and Record the said Rangers so as aforesaid to be appointed are hereby Enjoyned Office. London. & required to Range with half partys weekly that is to say with four C. O. 5, persons and so by turns for the ease of each other yearly and every Vol. 731, Maryland. year and their several posts & stations to be appointed unto them as From his Excellency the Govern^r for the time being shall think fitt. In 1694-1702.

Acts consideration of which services such persons so Ranging as aforesaid shall have & receive the severall & respective Sallarys following that is to say each person principally commanding as aforesaid shall be paid & allowed the sum of Eight hundred pounds of Tobacco p month for every month he shall be in service Each Lwetenant seven hundred pounds of tobacco p month for every month that he shall be in Service, and each private Centinel the sum of Six hundred pounds of tobacco p month for every month that he shall be in service aforesaid the said several & respective Salarys to be levyed by the Govern^r aforesaid & his Council on the Inhabitants of this Province by way of equal Assessment any Act or Custom to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding, Provided allwayes and it is the true intent and meaning hereof that this Act nor anything herein contained shall be construed or taken to limitt or debarr his Excellency the Governour for the time being from Levyng or raising any greater force without the Advice & consent of the Freemen on any Emergent Occation and as often as there shall seem to him to be just cause and the Sallary payable to such forces so extraordinarily raised as aforesaid to Levy as aforesaid provided the same do not extend beyond or exceed the sum of sixty thousand pounds of tobacco by the year any thing in this Act contayned to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding. And be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid by & with the advice & consent aforesaid that all persons that shall at any time hereafter be prest by any person or persons whatsoever being thereunto Lawfully Authorized upon any Publique Service whatsoever or that have any accompts to put into the Publique for the future they prove their accompts before the Justices of the County Courts where they do dwell & reside and do send them down by one of the Deligates of the said County that then the said accompts shall be received & taken as sufficiently proved, and shall be allowed and paid to them out of the publick. And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid by and with the Advice and consent aforesaid that the former Act of Assembly made at a Generall Assembly begun & held at City of St. Maryes the one & twentieth day of September in the year of our Lord one Thousand six hundred ninety four Intituled An Act for the Appoynting of Rangers for the defence of this Province is hereby repealed.

Acts of An Act Imposing the Duty of Ten p Centum Upon all European Oct. 1695. Commodeties Exported out of this Province.
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Be it Enacted by the Kings most Excellent Maj^{ty} by & with the advice & Consent of this present Generall Assembly and by the