

the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That an Act of Assembly of this Province entituled, An Act to enable the several and respective County Clerks within this Province to remove some of the County Records and Papers, from the Public Offices, made at a Session of Assembly, begun and held at the City of Annapolis, the tenth Day of May, One thousand seven hundred forty and eight, be, and is hereby continued, and shall remain and be in full Force, for and during the Term of three Years, next ensuing, and to the End of the next Session of Assembly, which shall happen after the End of the said three Years. Liber B.L.C.

7<sup>th</sup> June 1751  
Read and Assented to  
by the Lower House of  
Assembly  
Signed p Order  
M Macnemara Ct. lo. ho.

On behalf of the Right  
Honble the Lord Propy  
of this Province I will  
this be a Law  
Sam: Ogle

7<sup>th</sup> June 1751  
Read and Assented to  
by the Upper House of  
Assembly  
Signed p Order  
J Ross Ct. Up. H.

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An Act to enable the Justices of Charles County, to assess and levy No. 9  
on the taxable Inhabitants of that Part of the late Rev. Mr. Donaldson's Parish, which lies in the said County, Fifty-five thousand Pounds of Tobacco, and for other Purposes therein mentioned.

Whereas the Vestrymen, Churchwardens, and other Inhabitants [Preamble.]  
of that Part of the late Reverend Mr. Donaldson's Parish, which lies in Charles County, have by their humble Petition to this present General Assembly set forth, that the Church which is now used by the said People is so old and ruinous, that it would be misapplying Tobacco to attempt to repair it; and also, that it is so situate as to be very inconvenient to many of them: And have therefore prayed that an Act may pass to enable them to raise a Quantity of Tobacco, not exceeding fifty-five thousand Pounds of Tobacco, for the building a new one, at such Place as the Majority of the Protestant Freeholders of the said Parish may choose.

Be it therefore Enacted by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That the Justices of Charles County Court, for the Time being, be, and they are hereby authorized and empowered, on Application of the said Vestrymen, and Churchwardens, at their laying their County Levy in November Court, in the several Years Seventeen hundred fifty-one, Seventeen hundred fifty-two, and Seventeen hundred and fifty-three, to assess and levy on the taxable Inhabitants of the said Parish, in the County aforesaid, a Quantity of Tobacco not exceeding fifty-five thousand Pounds of Tobacco, together with the Sheriff's Salary of five per Cent for Collection; which Tobacco, so by the said Sheriff received, shall be paid [Justices of Charles County to levy a Sum of Tobacco on the Inhabitants of the late Mr. Donaldson's Parish.]