

ACTS.¹

At a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis, in the County of Ann-Arundel, the 18th Day of July, in the 7th Year of the Dominion of the Right Honourable Charles, absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon, Lord Baron of Baltimore, &c. Annoq: Domini 1721, were Enacted the Laws following.

Bacon's
Laws

Charles Calvert Esq: Governor.

A Supplementary Act to the Act for Stay of Executions after the Tenth Day of May, yearly. Chap. IV

Whereas at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis, the Twenty-sixth Day of April, Anno Domini One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifteen, it was thought necessary for the Good and Quiet of the Inhabitants of this Province, to enact a Law, entitled, An Act for the Stay of Execution after the Tenth Day of May yearly: But forasmuch as by the aforementioned Law there is no Provision made for the Stay of any Execution issuing out of the High Court of Appeals, the High Court of Chancery, the Commissary's Court, nor of small Debts recovered before any one of the Justices of the County Courts; and this present General Assembly having taken the same into their serious Consideration, think it but just and reasonable, that all Executions issuing out of the Courts aforesaid, or Judgments in small Debts recovered before a Justice of the Peace, should be under the same Restrictions and Limitations, as to the Stay of Execution yearly, as those issuing out of the Provincial and County Courts: It is therefore prayed that it may be Enacted,

II. And be it 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 from and after the End of this present Session of Assembly, and after the Tenth Day of May in any Year, that in all Judgments or Decrees whatsoever, obtained in the High Court of Appeals, the High Court of Chancery, the Commissary's Court, or of small Debts

¹ Being the public general laws remaining in force at the date of the publication of Bacon's *Laws of Maryland at Large* (1765). The original record of the session laws is lost.