

PROCEEDINGS AND ACTS
OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
OF MARYLAND

At a Session held at Annapolis, April 26 to June 3, 1715.

CHARLES CALVERT, LORD BALTIMORE,
Proprietary.

JOHN HART,
Governor.

THE UPPER HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

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Be it enacted by the authority advice and consent that no negro or other slave within this province shall be permitted to carry any gun or any other offensive weapon from off their masters land without license from their said master and if any negro or other slave shall presume so to do he shall be liable to be carried before a Justice of Peace and be whipped, and his gun or other offensive weapon shall be forfeited to him that shall seize the same and carry such negro so offending before the Justice of Peace.