

from the lower House by Col Ward and M^r Chaires thus U. H. J. further endors'd Viz.

By the Lower House of Assembly Oct^r the 17th 1722
May it please Your Honours

The Deed from Birmingham to Riddlesden not being recorded according to the Directions of the Act of Assembly of Maryland unless that Defect be supplied, the Confirming the Deed from Riddlesden to Gandevit and Read will avail them nothing. Therefore It is proposed that as they pay the Consideration for the Land, they be in the same Condition as if all the Deeds had been duly acknowledg'd and recorded, and that it be an Amendment to the Bill, & that your Honours would Consent thereto.

Signed p order M: Jenifer Cl. Lo. Ho.

To which the following Message is prepar'd

By the Upper house of Assembly

Oct the 17th 1722

Gentlemen. The within Bill will pass with the Amendments propos'd in your message by Col Ward and M^r Chaires

Signed p ord^r Sam^l Skippon Cl. Up. Ho.

Which Answer is sent to the Lower House by Esq^r Hall who returns and says he delivered it.

Ordered that the following answer be made to the message from the Lower House yesterday by Col Mackall and five more Viz.

By the Upper House of Assembly Oct. the 17th 1722

Gentlemen. We are of opinion that the Evil Complained of in our Endorsment on the Bill for the Encouragem^t of Tillage &c. is not at all remedied with Relation to the Creditor by the methods proposed in your message of yesterday by Col Mackall and five more, in regard that it puts him to a greater Expence than before, and yet obliges him at last to accept the same Commoditys mention'd in the Bill as Satisfaction for his debt; for which Reason as well as for the Reasons before given we cannot consent that the Bill should pass.

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Signed p order Sam^l Skippon Cl Up Ho.

Which answer is sent to the Lower House by Col. Addison and Col Tilghman who return and say they delivered it.

Adjourn'd till the morning nine of the Clock