

Directs the which is offered to the House for their further L. H. J. Consideration.

It is also offered to this Committee as An Agrievance that there is a fine laid upon every poor man that is sued and Cost Thirty pounds of Tobacco in the County Court and fifty in the Prov<sup>t</sup> which were the Amerciam<sup>ts</sup> Ten Times Those Sums yet every man would think it Justice to Sue for a Just Debt which is referred to the House for their further Consideration.

It is also Offered to this Committee as an Agrievance that there is no Act of Assembly Provided to Oblige the Lawyers to pay Costs of Suite when the Client is Nonsuited thro<sup>t</sup> their Neglect or Mismanagement which is referred to the House for their further Consideracon

Signed p Order Ninian Mariarte Clk Comitte.

Coll. Addison from the Upp<sup>r</sup> House Delivers M<sup>r</sup> Speaker the Bill for Encouragement of Tillage with the following Message Viz:

By the Upp<sup>r</sup> House of Assembly 8<sup>ber</sup> the 17<sup>th</sup> 1722.  
Gentlemen.

Wee are of Opinion that the evill Complained of in Our Endorsment on the Bill for Encouragement of Tillage &c: p. 30 is not at all remedied with relation to the Creditor by the Methods proposed in your Message of Yesterday by Coll: 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 Comodities Mencōned in the Bill as Satisfaccon for his Debt; for which Reason as well [as] for the reasons before Given, We Cannot Consent that the Bill should pass

Signed p Order. Sam<sup>l</sup> Skippon Cl Upp H<sup>o</sup>.

The House Adjourns till to Morrow Morning nine of the Clock.

Thursday October the 18<sup>th</sup> 1722

The House meets according to Adjournment. Yesterdays proceedings are read.

James Stoddart Esq<sup>r</sup> from the Comittee of Laws returns the following report on William Wilsons Petition Viz:

By the Comittee of Laws October the 18<sup>th</sup> 1722

On Enquiry into the Truth of the Allegacons Contained in W<sup>m</sup> Wilsons Petition

Wee find that the Grant therein Mencōned to John Gray and