

Toward the Discharge of all such Just Debts due and Demands  
as are at this time due to and Demandable by any Creditor from  
the said Tho: Dent and his Wife

November the third 1722

Read and reported to by the lower  
house of assembly of Virginia  
Attest  
Thos. Jenifer C. Secy

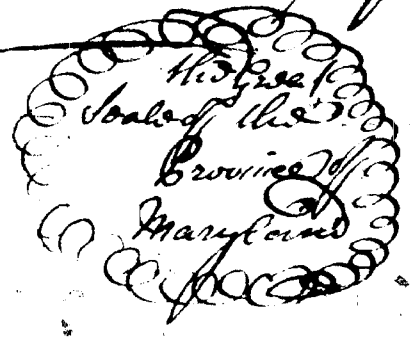
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On Petition of his Lordship the Duke of Montagu the Lord Proprietor  
of this province with this be a law

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Thos. Calvert



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An Act for the Relief of Tom Griffin of Calvert County and Robert Morris a Sanguishing  
prisoner in Calvert County and Robert Morris a Sanguishing  
prisoner in Annapondale County

Whereas Tom Griffin and Tom Jarvis of Calvert County, & Rob: Morris  
of Ann Arundell County have by their humble Petitions to the present Genl  
assembly severally set forth that they have continued prisoners for Debt in  
Custody of the Sher: of the several Counties aforesaid viz: Tom Griffin & Tom Jarvis  
in the Custody of the Sher: of Calvert County and Rob: Morris in the Custody  
of the Sher: of Ann Arundell County for a considerable time past and still  
continue in the like deplorable Circumstances not being able to redeem  
their Bodies with all the Estate or Interest they have in the world  
which they would readily surrender up and part w<sup>th</sup> to their several  
and respective Creditors if they would accept of the same and grant the  
said petitioners their Liberty w<sup>ch</sup> seems so unlikely for them to obtain  
that unless relieved by a particular Act to be pass in their favour  
which by their said petition they have humbly prayed, they must  
inevitably continue prisoners for Life and thereby their families utterly  
ruined and for that the truth of the said petitioners Allegations is made  
appear to this Honable assembly by suff: Testimony and that the said  
(Petitioners)