

it further Enacted that all persons that shall  
tender payment in surety & waynes etc upon Publick  
payment of rent or wages or money debts shall be allowed  
for the same as aforesaid whiche money shall pass  
in discount of to barre debts at 2. p. 100. This Acte to  
Endure for three yeares or to the end of the next  
Generall Assembly

The Lower  
House  
assembled  
William Brouncker

The Upper House have assented  
John Jennings Esq

An Acte concerning the  
payment of fees due from crimi-  
nall persons.

Whereas Divers Complayntes have been made by  
severall Countyes of this Province occasioned for  
that they have been forced to pay the fees of imprisoned  
Criminalls, the persons by whom such fees ought to  
be paid beinge edwase and getting free to the greates  
burden against offenders for the redemption of whiche for y<sup>e</sup>  
future Be it Enacted by the Lord Proprietary with the  
consent and approbation of the Upper and Lower house  
of this present Generall Assembly that from hencefor-  
ward no person either Sheriffe or Goaler shall for  
either their owne County to which they belonge or  
publicklye any fees for any Criminall whatsoe-  
ver committed to his charge And be it further Enacted  
whenever such Criminall is discharged according to order  
of the Court of Lawe then such Criminall shall pay his  
owne fees due to such Sheriffe or Goaler as are  
by Acte of Assembly either by servitude or otherwise  
Provided that when such Criminall is discharged  
by order as aforesaid such Sheriffe or Goaler shall  
not demand fees from and after the tyme when such  
order given, but the person soe freed as aforesaid shall  
delay payment of such fees by servitude or otherwise Provi-  
ded alsoe that this Acte shall not in hind to Malefactor  
whoe are Excluded or to such other persons who shall be  
banished havinge no estate in the Province In all  
Cases the Sheriffe or Goaler shall receive his fees  
either upon the County where such Criminall