

from Pennsylvania being read and assented to by the House of Delegates ^{was} ordered to be thus indorsed. May the 16th 1715

Read and assented to by the House of Delegates and signed off Order

The Maunemara N. Ho. Deb.

An ingrossed Bill repealing a Clause in an Act for Establishment of Religion worship and appointing the Oaths of Abjuration to be taken in this Province which being read and assented to by the House of Delegates was ordered to be thus indorsed viz: May the 16th 1715

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An ingrossed Bill for Limitation of certain Actions for avoiding Suits at Law being read and assented to by the House of Delegates is ordered to be thus indorsed

May the 16th 1715 Read and assented to by the House of Delegates and

Signed off Order The Maunemara N. Ho. Deb.

The aforesaid three ingrossed Bills are sent up to the Hon^{ble} Council by Mr. Warfield and Capt. Codd. They return and say they delivered the said Bills Lt. Col. Samuel Young and Col. Tilghman from the Honourable Council deliver Mr. Speaker the Bill for the better Administration of Justice in the several Courts ^{&c} and for Amendments in the Provincial and County Courts thus indorsed viz: By the Council in Assembly 16th Day May 1715

On reading this Bill its observed to contain Things of different Nature viz: The Recovery of small Debts out of Court before a single Justice and therefore it is recommended such Recoveries be provided for by a separate Law for that Purpose wherein the single Justices Jurisdiction may be enlarged to four hundred Pounds of Tobacco or thirty three Shillings and four Pence and that Times on Attorneys and others in this Bill be to his Majesty his Heirs and Successors for Support of Government and the Title of the Act altered. Signed off Order

W. Maden N. Council

The same is sent to the Committee of Laws to be amended accordingly

The House adjourns till to Morrow Morning Eight O'Clock

Tuesday Morning Seventeenth May 1715

The House met according to Adjournment. Present as on Yesterday

There was read the Proceedings of this House on Yesterday

The House taking into Consideration that Part of the Report from the Committee of Aggravances entered in Yesterdays Proceedings relating to foreign and Inland Traders and showing the vast Disadvantage the Inland Trader in this Province lies under being obliged to pay the foreign Trader Sterling Money; whereas by the Act for