

for Encouragement of Tillage &c. And are willing that the Clause relating to Tenders -  
Extend no further than upon the Debtors Tendering such Commodities after any Decree  
or Judgment in any Court or before any Single Justice and Certificate there of  
Made that the Creditor shall take o'm within two Months from the time of such  
Tender or that in Delay of his taking them within that time such Certificate of  
such Tender and Delay shall Amount to an absolute Stay of Execution till the  
next Session which shall be supposed to be always to hold the last day of Novem:  
and the last day of April in each year after which time he shall be obliged  
to take any the Commodities as in the same Manner as before if the Debtor has not  
then the Species contracted for, but as to Officers fees we cannot apprehend that there  
is any reason for Excepting them out of the bill but that they ought to be under  
the same Circumstances as other Creditors of receiving their fees in the Commodities of the  
County for as much as they being residents in the County ought to share with  
their fellow Subjects in Submitting to such Inconveniences as are absolutely necessary  
for the relief and Ease of the poor - As to the Commodities being too high rated  
we are of Opinion that they are reasonably enough rated being they're only in  
Current Money - We likewise propose that an Amendment be made in provision  
of the bill that they shall not Extend to the Discharge of any Debt that arose due for  
bills of Exchange or money really and bona fide borrowed by such Debtor of such  
Creditor. with which Amendments if your Hon:<sup>rs</sup> favour the bill may be amended  
Accordingly. Signed J. Broder - M<sup>rs</sup> Jenifer Sec<sup>ry</sup> V<sup>o</sup> G<sup>o</sup>

which being approved of was sent to the Upper house by Mr. Macthall and five other  
Members of this house - they return and say they Delivered it

The petition of Tom Anglin a Sanguishillig prisoner in Annapolis was read &  
Ordered that Cap<sup>t</sup> Schoey his Creditor have Notice that if he thinks fit he may appear  
this Session and make his Objections there to - The petition of Tom Collier  
of Ann Arundell County praying Leave to bring in a bill for confirming to him  
two hundred and twenty five Acres of Land in Ann Arundell County was read and  
referred to the Committee of Laws that they may Examine the Allegations and make  
their Report thereon to the house which was so Ended

The petition of Tom Brimmer praying to be released from his Commitment on  
Account of Excessive Bayles required from him for the keeping the peace was read  
and referred to some provincial Justice to take reasonable Bayles from him which was done

On a Motion being made the Question was put whether the Act for Speedy  
recovery of Small Debts before a Single Justice shall be Amended or not

Carried in the Negative by the Majority of Votes - The house Adjourns till  
till to Morrow Morning next of the Clock

Wednesday October the 17<sup>th</sup> 1722

The house meets according to Adjournment Yesterday's proceedings are read  
Thomas Bondy Esq<sup>r</sup> is added to the Committee of Laws - The bill for the  
forceable Entry &c. was read again and the Question being put whether the  
bill shall pass or not - It was carried in the Negative by the Majority of  
Votes - There upon the bill is Rejected - The petition of Major Swoll  
is referred to the Committee of Laws for their Examination, and report thereon

The bill for the relief of Francis Gandoit and John Read was read with the  
Amendment proposed by the Upper house and proposed that the following Amend:  
be added viz<sup>t</sup> - The Deed from Birmingham to Middleton not being recorded according  
to the Directions of the Act of Assembly of Maryland unless that Defect be supplied  
the Confirming the Deed from Middleton to Gandoit & Read will avail them nothing  
therefore it is proposed that as they pay the Consideration for the Land they be in the