

of this House has had notice thereof by the Or^r of Edward Mason
and the said Tibb's certificate thereof is given to bring in a
Bill as prayed - A further supplementary bill to the act for
killing Wolves &c. was read the first and second times by Especial
Order and sent which was so read and sent to the upper
House by Mr. Tyler and Mr. King - They return and say they deliv^d
it - John Rousey Esq. from the Upper House delivers Mr. Speaker
the Bill for the relief of Francis Gaudent and John Read thus ended
Brief c^d

By the Upper House of Assembly, Oct^r the 16th 1722
We conceive that to give Gaudent and Read an Absolute Estate
of Inheritance in fee simple in the Lands mentioned in this bill
would be to Cut off Birmingham from any claim or title in the
said Lands which (by what it appears to us) he has never yet
legally made over to any person whatsoever and not only so but
would also cut off any claims or titles from any other person who
might have a right previous to said Birmingham but it ap-
pearing by Birmingham's certificate sealed with the seal of
New Castle that he is willing to acknowledge and make over
the said Lands to the said Gaudent and Read upon their procuring
an act of Assembly for having the said Lands in satisfaction
of their debt and also upon their giving him the said Birming-
ham good security to Indemnify the said Birmingham his heirs
&c. from said Riddlesden. we are of opinion that the intent
of the petitioners in desiring an act of Assembly in their
favour is only that we should make good the deficiencies
in Riddlesden deed of Conveyance for want of due acknow-
ledgement and give them as full right and title in the said
Lands as Riddlesden himself had or they should have had,
had the said deed been duly executed. The Bill being altered
according to these sentiments (as above expressed) will pass -

Signed for Order: Sam^l. Shippon Clk. Up. House
Which was read and the bill committed for Amendment accordingly
Col^l. Holland from the Upper House delivers Mr. Speaker the
Supplementary bill to the act for killing Wolves &c. thus ended by.
By the Upper House of Assembly, October the 16th 1722
Read and will pass

Signed for Order Sam^l. Shippon Clk. Up. Ho
Which was read againe and passed for Engraving - The petition
of Mrs & Mary Smith in Charles County was read and on hearing
the allegations as well on behalf of the Vestry of the said parish
as of King and Queen parish in S^t. Marys County - The petition