

sufficient pledges that he be & personally appear before our said Justices of our Provincial Court to be held at St Marys on the 14th day of April next to answer unto the said John of a plea of unjustly taking & withholding his said Goods And this You are in no wise to neglect upon the penalty that may come thereon And also that then & there make return of your Execution of this Writt Witness Char^s Calvert Esq^r our Lieutenant General & chief Justice of our s^d Province of Maryland the 14th day of February in the 35th Yeare of our Dominion over our said Province of Maryland Annoq Domini 1667

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John Blomfield

M^r Wells

I and M^r Morecroft are by M^r Richard Fitzallen both Employed on your behalf by John Wright. & accordingly We have proceeded as he will at large satisfy You he having payd me the Sum of one thousand pounds of tobacco in your behalf & M^r Morecroft the like, not else at present from your Friend

Daniel Jenifer

John Morecroft

This Paper produced by M^r Morris against M^r Morecroft

Robert Carville Clk.

Maryland ss

Robert Morris late of Talbot County in the Province afaid Mariner by a Writt of Privilege issuing out of this Court was attached to answer unto Jn^s Morecroft one of the Attornys &c. in a Plea of Trespass upon the Case, and Whereupon the said John in his proper Person saith That Whereas the said John hath been & is a faithful Liegeman of our Sovereign Lord the King that now is, & also hath been & is a faithful Man to the Lord Proprietor of this Province & so hath honestly & truly behaved & demeaned himself to all his neighbours & of all other the good People of this Province, hitherto hath been so noted & Respected without any suspicion of Fraud Deceit falsity or Corruption or any hurtful Crime hath lived & Continued unblemished and untouched, And Whereas the said John the space of three Years now last past was & is one of the Attornys of the Provincial Court of this Province & by all that time diverse Businesses Suits & Causes for his Clients in the said Court prosecuting & defending, justly & faithfully hath prosecuted & defended, & by reason such his faithful prosecution of the Businesses Suits & Causes af^d diverse fees Gains & Proffits justly & honestly acquired, Notwithstanding the s^d Robert not being ignorant of the Premisses maliciously intending the good Name Fame & Reputation of him the s^d John