for John Lynch M'chant to M' Christopher Rousby in the Lib. R. summe of 8500<sup>1</sup> tob° by bond for the Double quantity, and soe indebted yo' Pet' charged a note upon the sd Thomas Tailler to pay the same 8500<sup>1</sup> tob° out of the said summe of 13022<sup>1</sup>: tob° wch the said Thomas Tailler promised to Doe and to pay the remaind' to yo' Peticoners Ord'

Yett yo' Pet' sheweth to yo' Hon's that the said Thomas Tailler hath not onely violated the Publick ffaith & neglected to pay the sd summe of tobacco but hath suffered yo' Pet' to be sued for the non-payment of the same to the great Damage and Loss of yo' Pet' in his creditt and reputation being in severall respects exceedingly thereby Damnified. And yo' Pet' being soe sued and Damnified did at the last Court file a Bill against the said Thomas Tailler to we'he refused to appeare not being arrested, and now the Court being adjourned for soe long a time yo' Pet' is like to loose his Debt this yeare alsoe which will be almost the undoing of yo' Peticoner if not p'vented by yo' Hono's

Yor Petr therefore humbly prays yor Honors consideration in the premisses and to ordr him satisfaction out of the Bonds given by the said Thomas Tailler to the Lord Propry for reparation of his Damage, or to afford him such other releife

herein as to yor Honors shall seeme just.

And yor Petr shall pray &ca

Whereupon Ordred viz.

By the Governor & Councell Octob: the 23th 1678:

The Peticon<sup>r</sup> giveing good Security in to the Secrys Office in the summe of 4000<sup>t</sup> tob<sup>o</sup> to make good his allegation sett forth in his peticon: the Secry is then Desired to Deliver to the Atto<sup>r</sup>ny Gen<sup>ll</sup> the within mentioned Taylors Bond of Sheriffaldry to prosecute the same in behalf of the right Hon<sup>ble</sup> the Lord Prop<sup>ry</sup> to the End that the Pet<sup>r</sup> may receive Satisfaction out of the same for the Damages he hath & may susteine for the reasons within mentioned

Signed p ordr and appointmt T N &c

At a Councell held at John Bakers house at the Citie of S<sup>t</sup> Maries the 24<sup>th</sup> Day of October in the 3<sup>d</sup> yeare of the Dominion of the R<sup>tt</sup> Hon<sup>ble</sup> Charles &c<sup>a</sup> Annoq Domini 1678:

Thomas Notley Esq<sup>r</sup> Governo<sup>r</sup>
Philip Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> Chancelo<sup>r</sup>
William Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> Secry:
Baker Brooke Esq<sup>r</sup> Survey<sup>r</sup> Gen<sup>n</sup>
L<sup>n</sup> Coll: Thomas Tailler
Coll Henry Coursey
Majo<sup>r</sup> Benjamin Rozer