

Custody for All fees due to Your peticoner and other officers an Accot of which is herto Annexd And Altho by the sd provincial Court an order was made that in case the said Harts former Master paid not his Criminall fees and Accepted his Service for the same Yo<sup>r</sup> peticoner should keep the said Hart without Jmprisonm<sup>t</sup> fees from that time till the next County Court for prince Georges County in November foll<sup>o</sup> And then present the said Hart to the Iustices of that Court to be Adjudg'd or disposed of as they thought fitt for satisfaction of the fees. But the said Harts Ma<sup>r</sup> one George Iones Absolutely refused to pay the fees And denied to Accept the Service of the said Hart And the Iustices of prince Georges County refus'd Any ways to intermeddle therein so that the said hart lyes Still in yo<sup>r</sup> peticoners Custody And is A great burthen and charge to him not being capable of Getting his livelyhood.

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Your peticoner therefore most humbly pray's the direction of this honorable Court for his releife in the premises And that by an order of this house he and other Officers may be paid their Iust fees out of the publiq

And will ever pray etc.

Thomas Hart D<sup>r</sup>

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| To Iosiah Wilson 228 days Imprisonm <sup>t</sup> fees                              | 4560   |
| To Comittment 100 Ferriage ouer two Rivers 8 <sup>s</sup>                          | 180    |
| To M <sup>r</sup> Attorney Gen <sup>l</sup>  | 400    |
| To the Secretary   | 400    |
| To the Sherriff of AA <sup>l</sup> County and }<br>Cryer of the provincial Court } | 1060   |
|  | 6600   |

Which being read and debated in the house This house haue Againe Resolvd that the Aboue fees be paid by Prince Georges County At laying their next leavy and that the neglect thereof will be taken as contempt to the Authority of this house.

And that An ordinance be prepar'd and sent up to the honob Council for their concurrence to that Purpose Viz<sup>t</sup>

By the house of Delegates

Sep<sup>t</sup> 22 1704

Upon reading the proceeding of this house and the returne of the Iustices of prince Georges County this house are of opinion that the said County ought to haue paid the said Fees by Vertue of the a<sup>l</sup>d order And now haue Againe Resolved that the said County pay the same the neglect whereof will be