

Liber B B sume of nine hundred pounds of good sound large tobacco and Caske according to Act of Assembly att his now dwelling plantacon in st Jeromes aforesaide at or before the 10<sup>th</sup> day of October last past, as by specialty under his hand may more at large appeare which said sume of nine hundred pounds of tobacco the said Gasper Guerin hath not paid and still refuseth to pay to yo<sup>r</sup> pet<sup>rs</sup> greate damage whereupon hee bringeth his suite And humbly prayes Order of this hon<sup>ble</sup> Court that the said Gasper Guerin may be Compelled to pay the said tob: unto yo<sup>r</sup> pet<sup>r</sup> w<sup>th</sup> damages and Cost of Suite, And he shall pray &<sup>c</sup>—

December 7<sup>th</sup> Thomas Paine demds writt agst Edward Perce Master of the Shipe Golden Fortune in accon of tresspass upon Detainer to the uallue of Two hundred pounds sterling

Warr<sup>t</sup> to sherriffe of St Marys County to arrest &<sup>c</sup>. Reñ next Prouinciall Co<sup>rt</sup> being 20<sup>th</sup> instant

Ditto Paine dds writt of summons for W<sup>m</sup> Price and Henry Hawkins to testifye in ditto Causo, upon perill of forfeiting 500<sup>th</sup> tob: each person in Case they appeare not according to summons, reñ ditto die ut supra

Thomas Paine p<sup>lt</sup>: } the p<sup>lt</sup> declares agst the def<sup>t</sup> for that the de-  
Edw<sup>d</sup> Pearce defend<sup>t</sup>} fend<sup>t</sup> doth as he shall proue Contrary to law  
detaine a Chest of goods w<sup>th</sup> other thinges to the uallue of One hundred and twenty pounds sterling by w<sup>ch</sup> detainer the p<sup>lt</sup>: is dampni-  
fyed uery much as he shall proue for the want of his Goods, For the  
which goods and apparant Damages the p<sup>lt</sup>: humbly Craues Order  
of this Hon<sup>ble</sup> Court—

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December 7<sup>th</sup> Thomas Nottley demd<sup>s</sup> writt agst John Walton in an accon of debt to the uallue of One thowsand seauen hundred pounds of tobaccoe due by bill—

Warr<sup>t</sup> to sherriffe of Charles County to arrest &<sup>c</sup> Reñ next prouin<sup>all</sup> Court being the 20<sup>th</sup> instant

To the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Gouverno<sup>r</sup> & Councell in Prouin<sup>all</sup> Co<sup>rt</sup> assembled

Thomas Nottley p<sup>lt</sup>: } The p<sup>lt</sup> declares agst the def<sup>t</sup> in an accon of  
John Walton defend<sup>t</sup>} debt For that the def<sup>t</sup> hath assumed upon  
himselpe to pay unto the p<sup>lt</sup>: One thowsand seauen hundred ffifty  
nine pounds of tob: w<sup>th</sup> Caske as by specialty may more att large  
appeare. Now soe it is the said sume of 1759<sup>th</sup> tob: by the p<sup>lt</sup>: hath  
been often demanded but the def<sup>t</sup> hath and still doth refuse to pay  
the said debt unto the p<sup>lt</sup>: Wherefore he humbly prayes Order of  
this Hon<sup>ble</sup> Court for the said sume of 1759<sup>th</sup> tob: w<sup>th</sup> damages and  
Cost of suite, And hee shall pray &<sup>c</sup>—