Liber F F County of St Marys ss:

To the Hon^{ble} the Gouerno^r & Councell of the Prouince of Maryland The humble petⁿ of Thomas Gerrard ags^t Philip Combes-Most humbly sheweth

That whereas yor petr formerly (that is to say) in the yeare of Our Lord 1663 in the Month of March did agree and Contract wth the said Philip Combes to serue yor petr for the yeare then next ensueing as his Ouerseer for and untill the prefecting and finishing of one Cropp of tobaccoe and doeing and prforming of other Seruices and Labours, by vertue whereof the said Combes into the said seruice Entred dureing which aforesaid time of his seruice he had & received of and from yor petr severall Goods and merchandizes: and allsoe the said Combes did otherwise dampnifye yor petr during his said seruice to the uallue of Two thowsand pounds of tobacco, soe that vor Petr was made worse and had damage by the said Combes the sume and quantity of two thowsand fower hundd and seauenty pounds of tobaccoe and Caske, all which vor pet hath often in freindly manner requested the sd Combes to pay which he the said Combes hath heitherto refused to doe and still doth refuse to yor petitionrs damage of three thowsand pounds of tobaccoe and Caske-

May it therefore please yor Honnors to Consider the prmisses and grant yor petitioner Ordr against the said Combes for his damages aforesaid wth his Costs-And as in duty bound &c—

[p. 45] Henry Hudson dds writt agst Zachariah Wade late sherriffe of Charles County in an accon uppon his Case to the uallue of 20000th tobaccoe

Warr^t to sherriffe of Charles County to arrest &c. Ret: first August next Prouin^{all} Court—

To the Honble Gouernor & Councell

The humble petⁿ of Henry Hudson ags^t Zachchariah Wade late sherriffe of Charles County Humbly sheweth

That whereas in the Generall Assembly holden att S^t Johns for this prouince the fourth day of March which was in the yeare of Our Lord One thowsand six hundred ffourty seauen amongst other thinges then and there Ordained & done a Certaine Act Entituled an Act for the Extent of Attachments and Execuçons was conceiued and made, by w^{ch} it is Enacted that noe Attachm^{ts} shall and may be laid uppon any the Goods or Chattles of any Inhabitants in this prouince, Except the true Owner thereof be not at that time Resident or dwelling in the prouince, & whosoeuer shall attach more then a fourth part ouer & aboue the uallue of the debts shall beare the damages of the attachm^{ts} and the damages of the party; And yor pet^r doth declare unto yo^r Honno^{rs} that the said sherriffe by an At-