

nihil dicit for the debt aforesaid wherefore it is considered by the Court here to witt the eleventh day of February in the xxxviiith yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius &c Annoq; Doñ MDClxix that the said Benjamin recover against the said John the debt aforesaid with costs, whereupon it was comãded the Sheriff of S^t Maries County that he take the said John and him safe keepe so that he have his body here the twelfth day of April next to satisfie the said Benjamin the debt aforesaid & two hundred pounds of tobacco for costs of suite &c

Liber JJ

John Wilson ag^t } Abraham Hughes late of Petuxent in the County [p. 72]
 Abraham Hughes } of Calvert Marriner was attached to answer unto John Wilson of a plea wherefore by force and armes an assault did make and him did beate wound imprison and evill entreate so that of his life he did dispaire and other enormities to him did doe to the great damage of him the said John contrary to the peace of the Lord Proprietary.

And the said John Wilson by John Morecroft his Attorney Saith that the said Abraham the first day of November in the eight and thirtieth yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius &c and also on the fourth day of the same month and also on the three and twentieth day of the same month of November upon him the said John Wilson by force and armes an assault did make and him did beate wound imprison and evill entreate so that of his life he did dispaire and other enormities to him did doe to the great damage of him the said John Wilson and contrary to the peace &c whereupon he saith he is dampnified and hath losse to the value of two hundred pounds Sterling and thereupon he bringeth his suite

And the said Abraham Hughes by Robert Carvile his Attorney cometh and defendeth the force and injury aforesaid when &c and saith that he is not in any sort guilty of the trespas assault and imprisonment by the said John in the declaration above complained off and of this he prayes may be enquired of by the Country and the said John also wherefore Comãd is given to the sheriff of s^t Maries County that he cause imediately to come here twelve &c by whom &c who neither &c because aswell &c

Att which day to witt the eleventh day of February in the xxxviiith yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius &c the jurors betweene the parties aforesaid in the plea aforesaid appeared and the said John Wilson by John Morecroft his Attorney and the said Abraham Hughes by Robert Carvile his Attorney appeared likewise and the said Jurors being impannelled and sworne say upon their Oathes that the said John Wilson Sustained damages to the value of fifteen pounds Sterling by reason of the said trespas assault battery and imprisonment with costs of suite, therefore it is considered of by the Court here that the said John Wilson recover against the said Abraham Hughes