

Philip Shapleigh }  
 ag<sup>t</sup> } peremptorily to come to tryall next Court.  
 John Steward }

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John Charlsworth } It was Comānded the Sheriff of S<sup>t</sup> Maries County  
 ag<sup>t</sup> } that imēdiately he cause to come here twelve &  
 Mathias Decosta } to enquire what damages the Said John had Sus-  
 tained by Occasion of a certaine trespas upon the case comitted &  
 done by the Said Mathias whereof he is convict.

Att which said day to wit the Sixteenth day of April Came aswell  
 the said John Charlsworth by Kenelm Chiseldyn his Attorney and  
 the Said Mathias Decosta by Robert Carvile his Attorney as the  
 jurors of that jury likewise to wit W<sup>m</sup> Claw Raymond Staplefort  
 Thomas Vaughan William Hensley Richard Roystone George Mar-  
 shall James Green John Hailes John Ofley Thomas Browne Tobias  
 Wells and William Abestone who to Speake the truth in the pre-  
 misses upon their Oathes doe Say Wee find for the plaintiff damages  
 two thousand five hundred pounds of tobacco with costs of Suite

Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said John  
 Charlsworth recover against the Said Mathias Decosta aswell the  
 Said quantity of two thousand five hundred pounds of tobacco for  
 his damages Sustained by Occasion of the premisses as also the full  
 quantity of eighteen hundred ninety two pounds of tobacco for his  
 costs & charges in that behalfe laid Out and expended.

John Shancks } Charles Boteler Deputy Survey<sup>r</sup> being appointed by  
 ag<sup>t</sup> } this Court to lay Out the Land in question and  
 Edward Conery } haveing made no returne as yet thereof Ordered by  
 the Court here that this cause be Continued untill  
 next Court.

John Balley }  
 ag<sup>t</sup> } peremptory Order to come to tryall next Court.  
 John Russell }

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Richard Bayly } William King late of Calvert County was Sumōned  
 ag<sup>t</sup> } to answer unto Richard Bayly wherefore he tooke  
 William King } the cattle of him the said Richard and them unjustly  
 detained against Suertyes and pledges untill &c

And whereupon the Said Richard by Kenelm Cheseldyn his At-  
 torny complaineth that the aforesaid William the 14<sup>th</sup> day of De-  
 cember in the yeare 1673 at a certaine place called Back-Creeke at  
 Harvey-Towne in the County aforesaid tooke the cattle of him the  
 Said Richard that is to Say two Cowes two calves two heifers and  
 One bull and them unjustly detained against Suertyes and pledges  
 untill &c whereupon the Said Richard Saith he is dampnified and