

at his the Said Thomas Peirces house in S^t Inagoes hundred in the said County as the proper goods and Chattels of the said Benjamin Cooper and belonging to the said Shipp Elias whereof he was Comānder as aforesaid he the said Thomas Peirce being also present One long boate with a mast and boome, One grapnell two lee boards windlesse and David One maine saile, foresaile, shrowds, stay, Burton and pendant and One old fflat bottomed boate haveing sett the broad arrow upon the said Long boate and flatt bottomed boate for the whole, which said boates rigging and furniture I have left still in the possession of the said Thomas at his house aforesaid for his said Loꝓps Use And whereas the said Benjamin Cooper had left in the possession of the said Thomas Peirce One Sloop with mast sailes One Cable One grapnell a boate and other furniture to the said sloop and boate belonging and the said Thomas Peirce haveing by Order from the said Benjamin lett the Said Sloop and boate with the appurtenēces to hire to One Burgy Anderson Master of the north Boare rideing at Anchor at Wiccocomocco in this Province at the rate and price of five pounds and ten shillings sterling P^r month and the said Burgy Anderson haveing given to the said Thomas Peirce a noate under his hand for the redelivery of the said Sloop and boate with the appurtenēces and for payment of the said five pounds tenn shillings Sterling P^r month by bills of exchange I have also attached in the hands of the said Thomas Peirce the said noate or writeing under the hand of the said Burgy Anderson and the sloop boate and furniture to the same appurteineing so to be redelivered and the mony due or to be due to be paid for hire of the said sloop and boate which writeing also remaines in the custody of the said Thomas Peirce for his said Loꝓps Use and other goods of the said Benjamin I cannot find in my Bailiwick as Wittnesse my hand this 28th day of April 1674 Luke Gardnor Sheriff

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Now here at this day came aswell the said Sheriff and the said Caecilius Lord Baltemore by Robert Ridgley his Attorney likewise came but the said Benjamin came not but made default whereupon the said Caecilius Lord Baltemore prayed appraisment of the premisses aswell for the makeing of a certaine debt of forty two pounds two shillings Sterling due from the said Benjamin Cooper as also his costs and damages Sustained laid Out and expended in and about the prosecution of this Suite

Whereupon Ordered that Marke Cordea Mayor of this Citty and Walter Hall Gent appraise the said Long boate with mast boome grapnell Lee boards windlesse David maine saile foresaile shrowds stay Barton and pendant and One old flatt bottomed boate to the true Value thereof now in possession of the said Thomas Peirce and that the same be by the same Sheriff delivered to the said Caecilius Lord Baltemore or his Order he giveing security to the Court here to indempnifie the Court and make restitution of the