

Saith that the Said Shallap with her rigging of the value of three thousand pounds of tobacco One chest of goods of the Value of four thousand pounds of tobacco & thirty pounds of Porke & two cheeses of the Value of One hundred pounds of tobacco the said Thomas with force & armes from him the said John did take & the same from him as yet doth deteine contrary to the Peace &c to the damage of the said John Wilson the summe of thirty thousand pounds of tobacco & thereupon he bringeth his Suite. Liber M M

And the said Thomas by Robert Carvile his Attorney cometh & defendeth the force & injury when &c & Saith that he is in no wayes guilty of the trespas of assault battery & false imprisonment in the declaration above complained off and of this he putts himselfe upon the Country and the plaintiff likewise Therefore it is comāded the Sheriff that he cause to come here twelve &c.

Now here at this day to wit the ninetenth day of November in the 44th yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius &c came the said John Wilson by his Attorney aforesaid & the said Thomas Oliver by his Attorney & the jurors of that jury likewise came to wit Richard Loyd Richard Ambrose James Ringold John Evans Edward Roe John Allen Joshua Doyne Richard Whitty Thomas Carvile Gerard Slye John Hollins & Vincent Atcheson who being impannelled Sumoned & sworne to say the truth in the premisses upon their Oathes doe Say The jury findes no cause of action. And for that the Court here will advise before they passe judgment the said John Wilson is committed into the custody of the Sheriff untill the morrow On which said morrow to wit the the twentieth day of November in the yeare aforesaid it is considered by the Court here that the said Thomas Oliver recover against the estate of the said John Wilson the summe of two thousand three hundred seventy five pounds of tobacco & the said John in mercy &c

Charles Calvert Esq^r } John Wells late of Kent County otherwise
 ag^t } called John Wells of Kent County in the
 John Wells } Province of Maryland planter was Sumōned
 to answer the Hon^{ble} Charles Calvert Esq^r in
 a plea that he render unto him foure thousand pounds of tobacco which to him he oweth and unjustly deteineth.

And whereupon the Hon^{ble} Charles Calvert by Vincent Lowe his his Attorney Saith That whereas the said John On the eighteenth day of february Anno Dom̄ One thousand six hundred Seventy three by his certaine writeing Obligatory Sealed with the Seale of him the said John and here in Court produced whose date is the day & yeare abovewritten did bind himselfe his heirs executors adm^{rs} & assignes to pay unto the Hon^{ble} Charles Calvert his heirs executors or certaine Attorney the just & neate quantity of foure thousand pounds of good Sound merchantable tobacco & casque upon demand p. 634