

security according to Law as by the said proceedings remaining upon Record in the said County of Ann Arundell relacōn being thereunto had may appeare Afterwards the said Thomas the day of att Ann Arundell County aforesaid accompted with him the said Richard, & paid him the said Richard the full ballance of all accompts between them And the said Richard by a certaine writeing of Acquittance him the said Thomas fully did discharge And also gave unto the said Thomas one order under the hand of the said Richard to Robert Carvile gentl Attorney of the said Richard, adviseing & thereby ordering him to withdraw the accōns depending before his Lordppps Justices of the Provinciaall Court upon the Appeale aforesaid att the suite of the said Richard against the said Thomas Yet the said Richard being one of the Justices of the County Court of Ann Arundell maliciously intending deviseing & plotting unlawfully & unjustly to grieve & trouble him the said Thomas in this behalfe, & him the said Thomas to vex perplex trouble & impoverish aft^rwards that is to say the Twenty seventh day of ffebruary One thousand six hundred seventy seven maliciously unlawfully & corruptly without any new judgem^t of the County Court given or bill of costs signed or procedendo returned from his Lordppps Justices of the Provinciaall Court did prosecute procure & obtaine out of the said County Court of Ann Arundell a certaine writt of capias ad satisfaciendum against the said Thomas in his own name & att his own suite to the Sheriffe of the County of Ann Arundell directed, by which same writt the Lord Prop^{ty} comānded the said Sheriffe that he should take the body of the said Thomas & him in safe Custody keep so that he should have the body of the said Thomas before the said Justices of the County of Ann Arundell att the next Court to be held in the County aforesaid on the second Tuesday in March next ensueing to satisfie unto Richard Hill one of his Lordppps Justices the sume of ffive hundred ninety Eight pounds of tobacco being a certaine Costs & Court charges due unto the said Rich^d Hill upon a certaine judgem^t by him recovered against the said Thomas Bland att a Court held in the said County in March 167⁶/₇ And that he should have then & there that writt As by the said writt remaining on Record in that County itt doth appeare Upon which said writt the said Thomas The said Twenty seventh day of ffebruary att the Towne of Ann Arundell in the County aforesaid was taken & Arrested by the Sheriffe of the said County, & by the said Sheriffe in the prison of the Lord Prop^{ty} in the same County in Execucōn for the said sume of five hundred ninety eight pounds of tobacco for the costs of suite aforesaid the said Twenty seventh day of ffebruary in the yeare aforesaid untill the twelfth day of March then next following unjustly unduely & illegally was detained Upon which said twelfth day of March in the yeare aforesaid the said Thomas the said five hundred ninety Eight pounds of tobacco together with costs & charges for his

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