Whereas complaint was made to this Court this day to witt the Liber N N ffifteenth day of October in the third yeare of the Dominion of P. 740 Charles Lord Baltemore &c Annog Doni 1678 by George Parker gent<sup>†</sup> Attorney for John Machen plaintiffe against John Sannders defendt that the said John Sannders by order of this Court was remanded to the Sheriffe of Charles County there to lye in prison untill he putt in special bayle to the plaintiffes accon in a plea of debt of floure hundred hundred pounds stert And for as much as since the said order the said Saunders hath made an Escape & is fled away out of this Province into Virginia or some other remote parts so that he cannot be found by the said Sheriffe to be taken into custody And itt not being known whether the said Sheriffe be chargeable with the Escape aforesaid And the said Sannders haveing left in the said County a psonall Estate which may be imbezilled to the defeating the said Machen of his debt Itt was therefore prayed that

Whereas att a Provinciall Court held att St Maryes this instant April judgem<sup>t</sup> did passe ag<sup>t</sup> Thomas Binkes of Calvert County for the Sume of foure thousand six hundred & odd pounds of tobacco att the suite of the right Honble the Lord Propry And whereas the said Thomas Binkes hath humbly besought me that Execucon might not yet issue out for the same for divers reasons & consideracons which he hath alleadged These are therefore to will & require you W<sup>m</sup> Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> Secretary of this Province that you doe not suffer Execucon to passe out of your Office for the same untill further order from me Given under my hand this Nineteenth day of April in the third yeare of the Dominion of the right Honble Charles &c over this Province Annog Doni 1678

the Sheriffe of Charles County doe take & seize into his hands such & so much of the Estate of the said Saunders as are within his bailywick, & the same to keep in his hands till this Court take other order

therein, which this Court doth order accordingly

To the Honble Wm Calvert Esqr Secry

Thoma Notley

of this Province of Maryland

These

To the Honble Thomas Notley Esqr chiefe Governor of Maryland

The humble peticon of Thomas Binkes

Sheweth

That the Attorney Gen<sup>II</sup> on behalfe of the Lord Prop<sup>ry</sup> exhibitted to the Provinciall Court in ffebruary last a certaine Informacon against your Peticon<sup>r</sup> for concealing & detaining (as was alleadged) several Goods formerly belonging to W<sup>m</sup> Davis deceased, whereupon judgemt passt against your peticon a ordered a writt of Enquiry of damages; the Jurors found for the Propry foure thousand six hundred & Eighty pounds of tobacco damages And two thousand