Liber W. C. Lord Baltemore & Annog Doni 1679 came the said parties by their Attorneys aforesaid And the said Miles by his said Attorney saith, that he did not assume upon himselfe nor to the said James make such promise as the said James hath above imposed upon him And of this he putts himselfe upon the Countrey And the said James likewise Therefore itt is comanded the Sheriffe of S<sup>t</sup> Maryes County that he cause to come here twelve &c by whom &c and who neither &c to recognize &c because as well &c which jurors being impanneld & called came to witt John Evans, Richard Sweatnam, Antho Evans, Nicholas Hacket, Robert Smith, John Watson, Theophilus Turford, James Harrison, Robert Graham, Henry Penniston, Richard Hill & Richard Royston, who being Elected tryed & sworne to say the truth in the p<sup>r</sup>misses upon their Oaths doe say that the said Miles Grey did assume upon himselfe & to the said James Lewis make such promise as the said James hath above imposed upon him And they assesse the damage of the said James Lewis to foure hundred pounds of tobacco. And thereupon the said Miles by his Attorney aforesaid moved the Court in Arrest of judgm<sup>t</sup> upon the Verdict of the jurors aforesaid, whereupon day is given to both parties untill next Provintiall Court

Now here att this day to witt the fourteenth day of ffebry in the fifth yeare of the Dominion of the right Honble Charles Lord Baltemore &c Annog Doni 1679 came the said parties by their Attorneys aforesaid And the said Miles Grey by his Attorney aforesaid fileth his reasons for Arresting the judgemt aforesaid which followes Vizt

Reasons for Arresting the judgemt in this cause The plaintiffe declares against the Defendt that he haveing a guelding in the Defendts possession of the Value of two thousand pounds of tobacco, & haveing six hundred & ninety pounds of beefe & ninety five pounds of porke & foure barrells & halfe of Corne in the possession of Randall Revell in Som<sup>r</sup>sett County which horse meat & Corne he was minded to have transported over to the plaintiffes plantacon, & haueing comunication, with the Defendt about the same the Sixteenth day of Decembr One thousand six hundred Seventy seven in considercon that the plaintiffe would sell & deliuer him a woman Servant named Bridgett who had about five yeares to service, the Defend<sup>t</sup> did assume to pay the plaintiffe a Mare & a Coult then ready downe, & would pay him att his plantacon in St Michaels hundred one hundred pounds of good salted sound porke, & transport over for the said plaintiffe the gelding the six hundred & ninety pounds of beefe & ninety fiue pounds of porke, & the foure barrels & halfe of Corne, & the same would deliver & putt on shoare att or before the fifteenth day of ffebruary then following, the plaintiffe trusting to his promise delivered the Servant, yet notwithstanding the Deft hath not paid the One hundred pounds of porke, nor the geldp. 77 ing the six hundred & ninety pounds of beefe, ninety five pounds of