

On Which said Third day of November being the day of the returne of the Writt aforesaid the record and process of the plea aforesaid With all things thereunto relating to her Majestys president and Councill of Maryland with mentioned is sent in A certaine Record to the Writt Annexed as Within I am Comanded (So answers William Holland, Chief Justice) the tenour whereof follows Viz^t

In the Records and proceedings of her Majestys Provinciaall Court amongst other things is thus contained Viz^t

Att A Provinciaall Court held at the Port of Annapolis the twelfth day of May in the Eighth Year of the Reigne of King William the third etc. Annoque Dom. 1696 before his Majestys Justices thereunto Authorized whereof then

Present: The Hon^{ble} John Hammond; Tho^s Tasker; Henry Llowe; W^m Hatton; Rich^d Hill; Edw^d Jones, Justices

[265] Their Majestys v Michaell Miller.

MARYLAND ss. Michaell Miller late of this Province otherwise called Michaell Miller of Kent County Gentⁿ was Summond to answer unto our Sovereigne Lord and Lady King William and Queen Mary etc. of A plea that he render unto our said Lord and Lady the full and just Sume of One thousand pounds Sterling Which to our said Lord and Lady he oweth and from them unjustly detayneth.

And Whereupon the said Lord and Lady by George Plater their Attorney say that whereas the said Michaell Miller the Eleaventh day of November in the fifth year of their Majestys Reigne etc. Annoque Domini 1693 at Kent County aforesaid by his certain bond or Writing obligatory Seald with the seale of him the said Michaell Miller and here in Court produced Whose date is the day and Year aforesaid did owe and stand Justly indebted unto our said Lord and Lady their heirs and Successors in the full and just Sume of One thousand pounds Sterling Which payment Well and truly to be made he the said Michaell Miller Did bind himself his heirs Executors and Administrators firmly by these presents Notwithstanding which the said Michaell Miller the said Summe of One Thousand pounds Sterling altho' often demanded hath not paid but the same to pay hath denied and still doth deny Whereupon the said Lord and Lady say they are damnified and have loss to the Value of Twelve Hundred pounds sterling and thereupon they bring their suite.

And the said Michaell Miller by Samuel Watkins his Attorney cometh and defendeth the force and injury when etc. and prayeth the hearing of the above recited bond or writing Obligatory and it is read unto him he alsoe prayeth the hearing of the Condition and it is read unto him in these words following Viz^t The Condition of the Aboue obligation is such that if the aboue bounden Caleb Hubbard or his Assignes shall with his abovesaid