

and altogether unjustified

The Jesh<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Tompson being called for<sup>e</sup> times appeared neither  
by himselfe nor his Attorney And hereupon the pl<sup>t</sup> saith  
he had time enough to bring the said Richard Tompson and  
having made appear that the said Tompson transported the  
said Tompson out of his Province humbly (recom<sup>d</sup>?)  
ag<sup>t</sup> William Tompson for his Debt; Whereupon the Co<sup>r</sup>  
finding that the said Tompson hath transported out of his  
County and Province the said Richard Tompson doe order  
that W<sup>m</sup> Tompson doe pay or cause to be paid unto Henry  
Smith or his order foure hundred Twenty seven pounds of  
Tobacco with Cost of Suite & execution

Com<sup>r</sup>: Present  
m<sup>r</sup>: George Johnson  
m<sup>r</sup>: Charles Ballard  
m<sup>r</sup>: David Browne  
m<sup>r</sup>: James Dafford  
m<sup>r</sup>: Edward Smith

At d<sup>o</sup> County Co<sup>r</sup> held the 14<sup>th</sup> day of Sept: in the xxxviii<sup>th</sup> year of the  
Dominion of G<sup>r</sup>: Hon<sup>r</sup>:ble Cecilius over Maryland Anno Domini 1675 before  
his Sup<sup>r</sup>: Justices herunto assigned and Authorized

To the Worp<sup>r</sup>: Com<sup>r</sup>: of Somerset County

The humble Petition of John Marston

Humbly sheweth

That yo<sup>r</sup>: Pet<sup>r</sup>: have bene caried to Prison this day for Debt which  
is already paid wherefore yo<sup>r</sup>: Pet<sup>r</sup>: humbly crave, that he  
may have the Priviledge to come to the Court to speak for my  
selfe And yo<sup>r</sup>: Pet<sup>r</sup>: shall always be Tray

This Co<sup>r</sup> ord<sup>r</sup>: that John Marston be brought  
before the Co<sup>r</sup>:

And the said John Marston appearing for himselfe saith that