

The Court adjourned till to Morrow Morneing 8 of the Clock and then mett and Satt.

Present. Mr. Thomas Hollyday, Mr. William Hutcheson, Mr. Robert Bradley, Mr. Samuell Magruder, Mr. Robert Wade, Mr. Thomas Sprigg, Mr. James Stodart.

[474] Mr. Robert Clarke being Speaciall Baile for Martin Poartwood he being Sued and Cast at the Suet of Nathaniell Jenkinson brought the body of the Said Martin into Court and was Discharged from the Same Whereupon the Said Poartwood was Comitted into Custody untill it be made appear the Debt and Cost be paid and Satisfyed that he was Sued for.

The Court adjourned for half an hour for want of Mr. Cecell and then mett and Satt.

Present. Mr. Thomas Hollyday, Mr. William Hutchison, Mr. Robert Bradley, Mr. John Hawkins, Mr. Robert Wade, Mr. Samuell Magruder, Mr. Thomas Sprigg, Mr. James Stoddart.

Command was given to the Sheriffe that he Summon another Jury.

Francis Wheeler fined 100 pounds of Tobacco for not appearing as a Juryman. [*fine*]

Mr. Cecell and Mr. Stone Fined 100 lbs. of Tobacco Each of them for their foule pleadeing but upon their Submission the fines was remitted.

John Cliffoard, base borne Child of Abigaile Clifford by the Consent of his mother he being then five months Old was bound out to Edward Willett or his assignes till he arrive to the age of one and twenty years of age.

Mr. James Moor made Oath to an account against Mr. Thomas Taney.

Mr. Small made oath to an account of Jackson and Company against John Chapman.

Mr. Cecell made Oath to the best of his Knowledge to Jacksons account against Ditto.

Joseph Jackson and Company Plaintiff: John Chappman Defendant

John Chapman Late of Prince Georges County planter was attached to answer unto Joseph Jackson and Company of London Merchants of a plea of Tresspass upon the Case etc.

And whereupon the Said Joseph and Company by Joshua Cecell their Attorney Compleineth that whereas the Said John the 12th day of September in the year of our Lord 1698 att Charles Towne within the Jurisdiction of this Court was indebted unto the Said Joseph and Company in the Sume of five hundred and Eight pounds of Tobacco being as well for his promise and assumption to pay to the Said Joseph and Company for one James Williams four hundred pounds of Tobacco as also for two Gallons one Quart of rome by David Small Factor of the Said Joseph and Company Sold and Delivered to the Said John as by a Peticular account thereof here in Court produced