

and offence of committing an Assault and Battery in form aforesaid
the sum of three hundred and thirty eight pounds of Tob. Court money
on the promises and oaths of officers of this Court ~

Sam Smith

This Lordship Inform^r of a fault
John Adams Esq. ~ }
This Lordship Inform^r of a fault
John Atkins } an mistake ~

T. This Lordship Touch Francis Gent. Attorney of the right Honourable
Charles Smith } the Lord Prop^r of this Province of Maryland
Informs the Court that the said Charles Smith from
Talbot County feloniously stolen a horse of the good
and Cattle of him the said Francis on which the Court orders
Shew of Trent County to bring the said Charles into Court who appeared at
the Bar and thereupon it is ordered by the Court here that the said
Charles Smith enter into Recognizance with good security for his appearance
at next March Court to be held for Talbot County at the Court house in said
County to answer unto what shall be objected against him on his Lordships
behalf on Suspicion of feloniously stealing the said Horse and Goods
and that the Shew of Trent County keep him of said Charles in safe custody
untill he shall enter as aforesaid

Whereupon Charles Smith of Trent County planter present here in Court in
his proper person doth Acknowledge himself Indebted unto the right Hon^{ble}
the Lord Prop^r of this Province of Maryland &c. in the sum of forty pounds
sterling money of great Brittain to be made and Levied of his goods and
Cattle Lands and Tenements for the use of the said Lord Prop^r his heirs
and Successors conditionally that if the same Charles shall not make his
personal appearance before the Justices of the next March Court to be held
for Talbot County aforesaid at the Court house aforesaid to answer unto what shall be
objected against him on Suspicion of feloniously stealing a horse of the
Goods and Cattle of the said Francis and if that in the mean time
he shall not be of good Behaviour wherewith the said Charles doth Acknow-
ledge himself to be content ~ Also ~

John Clayton and Robert Meckoy both of Trent County aforesaid Planters
present here in Court in their proper persons do Acknowledge themselves
Indebted