

Did bind himself his Heirs Ex. and Adm. to pay or cause to be paid unto the sd Edward Bathurst of London M<sup>th</sup> his H<sup>ty</sup> Heirs Ex. & Adm. the just sum and neat quantity of 2921 of lbs. qualified as aforesaid convenient in Kent or Cecil County &c. yet notwithstanding the sd sum of 2921 of Tobacco according to the Tenor of the said Bill unto the sd Edward he hath not paid all the often demanded but the same to pay he hath denied and refused and still doth deny and refuse to the damage of the sd Edward Bathurst the sum of 5842 of Tobacco and thereupon he bringeth this Action

Marking of: p<sup>er</sup> p<sup>ro</sup> q<sup>ue</sup> r<sup>es</sup> p<sup>ro</sup> q<sup>ue</sup> r<sup>es</sup> In: Doe R<sup>es</sup> R<sup>es</sup>

And the sd Thomas Coursey Att<sup>y</sup> of the sd D<sup>o</sup> comes into Court and pleades Non Sum Informatus

Therefore it is considered by this Court that the Pet<sup>er</sup> D<sup>o</sup> Bathurst doo Recover from the Defend<sup>er</sup>: Samuel Goudge of with the sd sum of two thousand nine hundred shobilly and One pound of Tobacco as also the sum of two hundred & Sixty and Nine pounds of Tobacco cost of suit

J. Wilmer *att*

Command was given to the Sheriff of Kent County the tenth day of September Anno Dom 1697 that he take Thomas Golling if he should be found in his Bailiwick and him safe keep so that he have his Body before his Maj<sup>ty</sup> Justices at the next Court to Answer unto John Hodgins of a plea of Trespass upon the case

At which Court viz: the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September Anno Dom 1697 the day of returns of D<sup>o</sup> Bathurst came Capt<sup>ain</sup>: Edward Sweetnam High Sheriff of said County and made return of D<sup>o</sup> Bathurst in these Words viz: Copi<sup>er</sup> for p<sup>er</sup> q<sup>ue</sup> r<sup>es</sup> p<sup>ro</sup> q<sup>ue</sup> r<sup>es</sup> Edward Sweetnam Sheriff