

November Court Anno Dom. 1700

The which plea & demurrer being read by the Court heard and fully understood Judgment was given in favor of the Plaintiff for his Debt of £100 of the Court of Chancery and therefore it is considered by the Court here viz. the Twenty Eighth Day of November Anno Dom. 1700 That the said Plaintiff John Dowdall hath Execution against the Estate of James Smith as well for the said Sum of forty eight pounds of £48 as also for the Sum of Two hundred Sixty nine pounds of £269 of the Court of Chancery

Forman was given to the Sheriff of Kent County on the 26. day of June Anno Dom. 1700 That he should Waller Esq. of Kent County the Jurisdiction if found in your barbaunt & him Ralph Starbunson that you have this body before us May be Justified at the next Court to answer unto Ralph Starbunson of Sal. Coll. County Inholder of a Plea of Trespass upon the Case and

At which next Court viz. the 27. day of August Anno Dom. 1700 the day of the Returns of said writt came Elias King High Sheriff of said County & made returns thereof in these words viz. In which said day the said Defend. by Richard Macklin his Att. appeared & prayed for a writt of Habeas Corpus which was granted unto him the same day was given in favor of the Plaintiff & the which cause being continued from Court to Court until this present Court came at which said Plaintiff by Michael Earls his Att. as also the said Defend. by his said Att. of the said Cause standing for Trial & Plaintiff Debt and

Kent County the said Walter Esq. of said County the Jurisdiction attached to answer unto Ralph Starbunson of Sal. Coll. County Inholder of a Plea of Trespass upon the Case and

And whereas upon the said Ralph by Michael Earls his Att. took that whereas the said Ralph by lawfull license granted unto him by the Justices of the said Sal. Coll. County Court hath taken Ordinary or house of Entertainment in Sal. Coll. County viz. Ever since the 25. day of August Anno Dom. 1699. until the 30. day of August 1700 In which time to wit. on the 7. day of August Anno Dom. 1699. and at divers other times afterwards continuing until the 18. day of January Anno Dom. 1699. in Sal. Coll. County viz. the Jurisdiction of this Court the said Ralph at the instance & request of the said Walter took and received unto him the said Walter divers quantities of Liquors & other Ordinary Accommodations as also other Instances & request in the year of our said 1699. and within the Jurisdiction of the said Court and delivered unto him the said Walter divers valuable Commodities all which Ordinary Accommodations and Commodities appeared by an account hereunto annexed & shown in Court brought remaining

The whole to the Sum of Six hundred ninety Three pounds of £693. In consideration whereof the said Walter upon himself & his heirs and unto the said Ralph faithfully promised that he the said Walter should pay the said Sum of Six hundred ninety three pounds of £693. unto him the said Ralph he would & truly pay when thereunto afterwards required & he the said Walter his heirs & assigns & assumption before made not minding nor in any manner regarding but plotting contriving & fraudulently intending him the said Ralph in this behalf & finally & finally to deceive & defraud the said Sum of Six hundred ninety three pounds of £693. unto the said Ralph he hath not paid or the said Sum demanded but the said Sum to pay he hath denied & refused & still doth deny & refuse

to pay the said Sum of Six hundred ninety three pounds of £693. unto him the said Ralph one Thousand three hundred pounds of £1300

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