

Nov: Court 1707

William Pott as to Conveyance to the Damage of them the said William Pott of nine thousand pounds of Tobacco as it is said and such where the proceedings in our said Court that the afo. William his Damages by reason of the premises against the said Anthony Knowlman and his wife ought to have and recover but because it is ~~not~~ known what Damages the afo. William hath sustained by reason of the premises we Command you that by the Oath of at least twelve honest and Lawfull men of this Baywick that he diligently Inquire what Damages the afo. William hath sustained as well by the Reason of the premises as for Costs and Expenses by him about this Sute in this behalfe laid out, and the Inquisition you make thereof make known unto our Justices at the next Court to be holden in said County at our Town and port of Chester under his Seal and the Seals of those by whose Oaths he make the Inquisition and that he have the names of those by whose Oaths he make the Inquisition and that he have them and there the said Writ &c.

At W. the said next Court on the twenty fifth day of November in the year afo. the day of the returne of said Writ came Edward Scott high Sheriff of said County and made returne thereof in these words Viz Marylande We the Jury of Enquiry of Damages between William Pott Plaintiff and Anthony Knowlman and Mary his wife Defendants doe Declare that the said William Pott hath not sustained any Damages as he hath set forth in his Writ of Enquiry of Damages as Witness our hands and Seals this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October Anno Domini 1707

- Edw. Scott Sheriff
- George Smith
- John Gough
- George Turkin
- Abraham Almbros
- Thomas Siner
- Wm. Bateman
- A. Miller
- Wm. Wood
- Wm. Redging
- Edward <sup>March</sup> Cadrel
- John Wooddaall
- Robert <sup>March</sup> Foreman

And now here y. S. Def. by their afo. Atty move that they may have Judgm. for a Non suite upon y. Verdict of y. Jury afo. And y. afo. Atty by his afo. Atty moves in stay of Judgm. but it is not to him granted Therefore it is Considered by y. Co. here that y. S. Atty take nothing by his Writ & doed. afo. but for his false plaint he payes  
Redger