

his body before his Said Lordships Justices of the next Court to be hold at our Court house in the Town of Chester in Said County to answer unto William Woodland of a plea of Trespass upon y^e Cas. and that he have there & there the Said writ &c. All which Said next Court by the usual day of March the same year last mentioned the day of return of Said writ came William Frisby Gent High Sheriff of Said County and made return thereof in these words thereon endorsed as folo^l by

Wm Frisby Sheriff

AND a Dec being rd and a Copy thereof served therewith according to Act of Assembly of this Province in such Cases made at West County Maryland & William Ruggold late of West County Gent was summoned to answer unto William Woodland of a plea of Trespass on the Case. AND whereupon the Said plt by John Johnson his atty complains that whereas the ass^{deft} the first day of August in the year of our Lord one Thousand Seven hundred & Fifteen at the Parish of St. Pauls in the County aford & within the Jurisdiction of this Court in consideration that the ass^{plt} had at the special instance & request of the Said Deft and for his the Said Deft's proper use and behoof done and performed divers works Labour & Services as in the Acc^o hereunto annexed memoried did then and there upon himself assume & to the Said plt then and there faithfully promised that he the Said Deft so much Merchantable Lease Tobacco as the Said plt for the Said work Labour & Services at the time of the doing & performing thereof should reasonably deserve to the Said plt when he should be thereunto required would well & truly contain & pay and the ass^{plt} in said fact that for the Said work Labour & Services then & there done and performed as ass^{at} at the time of the doing & performing thereof he well & reasonably deserved the sum or quantity of Seven hundred pounds of Tobacco as the Acc^o annexed appears of which the Said Deft the day and year ass^{at} at the Parish County & Jurisdiction ass^{at} had Notice Nevertheless the ass^{deft} his promise & assumption ass^{at} as to the Said sum of Seven hundred pounds of Tobacco he hath not minded But altho he hath paid & satisfied to the Said plt the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds of Tobacco of the ass^{deft} Seven hundred pounds of Tobacco part yet the ass^{deft} his promise and assumption ass^{at} as to the sum of five hundred & fifty pounds of Tobacco