

March Court 1717

John Sutton of Kent County planter otherwise called John Sutton
 of Kent County Carpenter was summoned to appear unto Giles Bond
 in manner of a plea that he render unto him the full just quantity of
 one thousand three hundred and forty pounds of Clean every well
 conditioned ^{Job} in Cash to Contain the Same of the value of
 thirteen pounds three Shillings and four pence Current Silver money
 of the ap^{pe} province of Maryland which from him he unjustly
 detains &c. And Whereupon the Same Giles by James Earle his
 atty says that Whereas the ap^{pe} John Sutton the twenty fourth
 day of August Anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred &
 fourteen at Chester now Town in Kent County ap^{pe} and within
 the Jurisdiction of this Court by his certain bill obligatory with
 the Seal of the Said John Sealed acknowledged himself to
 owe & stand indebted to the ap^{pe} Giles in the ap^{pe} sum or quantity
 of one thousand three hundred & forty pounds of ^{Job} qualified
 and conditioned as ap^{pe} in Cash to Contain of Same as ap^{pe} to be
 paid to y^e Same Giles Environment in Chester River by or before y^e
 tenth day of November next Enjoining the ap^{pe} twenty fourth day
 of August in y^e year Seventeen hundred & fourteen ap^{pe} and for
 y^e performance thereof the ap^{pe} John Sutton did bind himself
 his heirs Executors & Administrators firmly by the Same bill
 Nevertheless the ap^{pe} John altho often requested the ap^{pe} Giles
 of one thousand three hundred and forty pounds of ^{Job}
 qualified and conditioned as ap^{pe} in Cash Environment as ap^{pe} to
 Contain the Same of the ap^{pe} value of thirteen pounds three
 Shillings & four pence Current Silver money ap^{pe} to the ap^{pe} Giles
 hath not paid but the Same to him to pay hitherto hath
 refused and still doth refuse to the Damage of the Said Giles
 Twenty pounds Current Silver money ap^{pe} and therefore he brings
 this Sute &c. and also brings into Court y^e bill obligatory ap^{pe}
 whose date is the day and year first above written which Joseph
 & the debt ap^{pe} James Earle of Quer p^{er} & c^o Do R^{es}pond
 and the Said Debt being Called came and the Said p^{er} by his
 atty ap^{pe} prays that the Said Debt may give Special baile to
 the ap^{pe} Quon which is granted after which Michael Hackett
 of Said County here in Court cometh and acknowledges himself
 as Special baile in the ap^{pe} Quon (that is to say) He doth undertake