

August Court 1718

AND the ap Deft in his proper person appeared to the ap eluion and saith that he cannot gain say the eluion of him the said ptt nor bid that the writing obligatory above mentioned is his Act and deed and that he is indebted to the ap ptt the sum of eleven hundred thirty two pounds of Tobacco and is willing that ptt should be entered against him for the same and all thereon accruing therefore it is considered by the Court here by this twenty second day of August Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and eighty that the ap ptt Gilbert Higginson do recover against the said Deft Abram Taylor as well the ap sume of eleven hundred and thirty two pounds of Tobacco Debt as also the same of two hundred eighty seven pounds of Tobacco Cost by the ap ptt a bond his sale in this behalf expence and by the Court here of his apent adjudged and the said Deft in mercy &

John Johnson

Commanded it was to the Sheriff of Kent County the nineteenth day of June in the fourth year of his Lordships Dominion that he take John Hanskin late of Kent County in the province of Maryland planter abt John Hanskin of the aforesaid County and province if he should be found in his Bailiwick and him safe keep so that he have his body before his said Lordships Justices of the peace for said County at a Court to be held for said County at the Court house in the town of Chester in said County to answer unto John Johnson and Isabella his wife Countess of all singular the goods & Chattells Rights & Credits which were of Wm Blay her late husband decd of a plea that he render unto her the full sume of five thousand pounds of good Merch Tobacco w. from her he unjustly detains & And that he have then and there the said writ & att which said writ Court by the nineteenth day of August the same year last mentioned the day of return of said writ came Simon Wilmor Sheriff of said County and made return thereof in these words thereon endorsed as followeth viz. Capit Corpnus Simon Wilmor Sheriff

AND the ap Deft being called came and the ap ptt by Thomas Bowne their attorney prays that the ap Deft may give special bail to the ap eluion which was granted and that he be kept in safe custody by the Sheriff of said County until he shall give special bail

After which George Sanders of the ap County comes into Court and acknowledges himself as special bail in the ap eluion and doth undertake for the ap Deft the payment of the Debt ap and Cost thereon accruing if the ap Deft shall be cast in the same and the Exoneration shall not take, he nor himselfe to the custody of the Sheriff of said County deliver or that the ap George Sanders the body of the said Deft shall not render & And a Decd which folo by