

November Court 1718

Thomas Tyer Commanded it was to the Sheriff of Kent County the nineteenth day of June in the fourth year of his Lordship's Dominion & That he take Thomas Mahon of Kent County planter if he should be found in his Bailiwick and him safe keep so that he have his body before his said Lordship's Justices of the next Court to be held for said County at the Court house in the Town of Custer in said County to answer unto Thomas Tyer of a plea of trespass of the Case And that he have there and there the said writ be.

All which said next Court viz. the nineteenth day of August the same year last mentioned the day of return of said writ came Simon Wilmer Gent. high Sheriff of said County and made return thereof in these words thereon endorsed as follows viz. Capi Copus to Simon Wilmer Sheriff. And the app. Deft. by Michael Howard his Attorney appeared to the above Court and prayed Liberty thereof to imparle thereto and to answer at next Court which was granted the same day was given the 1st in like manner.

All which said next Court viz. the Twenty first Day of November Anno Domini one Thousand Seven hundred and Eighteen came the app. ptt. by Thomas Borvic his atty and the said Deft. by law app. atty and informs the Court that the ptt. hath not declared against the said Deft. whereby the said Deft. cannot in any wise make answer to the same action against. Therefore it is considered by the Court here viz. the same day last mentioned that the app. ptt. Thomas Tyer take nothing by his writ app. but that he and his pledges be in mercy and that the said Deft. go thereof without and that the said Deft. recover against the said Deft. the sume of two hundred and forty two pounds of Tobacco Cest by the said Deft. expended about his Defense according to the form of the Statute. *Samuel Hill*

John Ward Commanded it was to the Sheriff of Kent County the nineteenth day of June in the fourth year of his Lordship's Dominion & That he take Nathaniel Pearce of Kent County planter als. Did Nathaniel Pearce of Kent County planter if he should be found in his Bailiwick and him safe keep so that he have his body before his said Lordship's Justices of the peace of the next Court to be held for said County at the Court house in the Town of Custer in said County to answer unto John Ward of a plea that he render him the full and just sume of nine thousand pounds of good Sound Merchantable safe Tobacco and Cest of the value of forty five pounds Sterling money which from him he unjustly detains &c. And that he have there and there the said writ &c. All which said next Court viz. the nineteenth day of August the same year last mentioned the day of return of said writ came Simon Wilmer Gent. high Sheriff of said County and made return