

August Court 1719

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to the Court here on the third Tuesday in August to wit the 15th day of the
same month Anno Domini 1719 being the Day of return of said writ under
Copy Copy Dub Serod in limo p me Simon Wolmer Sheriff
Kent County Thomas Hart of the Irish Town in Kent County planter.
Margland et Dic Thomas Hart of the Irish Town in Kent County
planter was summoned to answer unto Owen Macgough
of a plea that he render him the just & Lawfull Summe of Six hundred
pounds of good Sound Merchantable well qualified Tobacco in Caske to
containe the Same of the value of Six pound Sterling money and
two barralls of Indian Corne of the value of Sixteen Shillings Sterling
money which he unjustly detains. And whereupon the
ap ptt by Thomas Bohne his atty saith that whereas the ap Deft
the Ninth day of November in the Year of our Lord Christ one
Thousand Seven hundred and Seven years by his certain Bill obligatory
which he the said Deft sealed with his seal and as his deed delivered
herinto Court brought the date whereof is the same day and year ap
bound himself to pay unto the said ptt the ap just and Lawfull Summe
of Six hundred pounds of good Sound Merchantable well qualified
Tobacco in Casque to containe the Same of the value of Six pound
Sterling money and the ap two barralls of Indian Corne of the value
of Sixteen Shillings Sterling money ap at or about the tenth day of
October which shall happen in the Year of our Lord Christ one
Thousand Seven hundred & Eighteen the said Tobacco to be paid on
the then dwelling plantation of the said Deft in Kent County ap
within the Jurisdiction ap yett the ap Deft altho often required the
ap just and Lawfull Summe of Six hundred pounds of Sound Merchantable
well qualified Tobacco or the two barralls of Indian Corne or either of them
to the ap ptt hath not paid but that he him to hinder or pay thereof
hath Denied and still both demie unjustly detaine to the
damages of him the said ptt twelve pound Sterling money
and thereupon he brings Suite v. Owen Macgough J. Doe. J. Doe.

Whereupon at the prayer of the ptt by his atty the said Deft is
adjudged to give Special baile to the Cuon ap and that the Sheriff of said
County keep the said Deft in safe Custody untill he shall give Special as
ap. Thereupon Benjamin Griffiths of said County here in Court undertake
for the said Thomas Hart that in case the said Owen Macgough shall
recover Judgment in the plea ap against the said Thomas Hart or that
he the said Thomas Hart shall be theron Convit that then he the said
Thomas Hart shall pay the Condemnation of the Court thereupon or render
his body to the Custody of the Sheriff of Kent County in satisfaction there-
of or that the said Benjamin Griffiths shall do it for him and