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Ought not to have according to the force of the Recovery if it be him it shall be made and
havey on the other that name of those by whom you make the same known and the writt shall be
wittnesse ^{of} Charles Ballard Justice of the Peace of Somerset County the 19th Day of Decem^r 1724
Eighty year of Our Dominion so Anno Dom^o 1724
(J. Deffelle)
Thomas Hayward Esq

At which said Court Tuesday of March to witt being the Saventh day of the same month Anno
Dom^o One thousand Seven hundred and thirteene being the Day of the returne of the said writt
Comer the said Merick Ellis By his Attorney and the Sher^{of} of Somerset County to whom the
forgoing writt was directed Likewise Comer and Make returne thereto of the same here End or
In these words following Viz: To the worship^{ful} Justice of Somerset County, I Humbly Certifie
that I have Made Known unto & within Named Robert Dodge that he ^{has} appear before the
Justice within Mentioned at the time and Place within Contained to shew Cause why the within
Named Merick Ellis should not have his Execution against him for the Debt and Costs with
in Contained Before Matthew Hopkins and John Doo Good and Lawfull Men of my Bailiwick
as by the within writt I am Comanded so to do for
Jes. McClester Sher^{of}.

Whereupon the said Robert Dodge By William Laxwell his Attorney Comer and Defend the
force and Injury when so and prayes Leave to Impale hereunto notice & next Court and shew
it the same Day is given to the Def^{and} also - All which said next Court to witt the tenth
day of June Anno Dom^o One thousand Seven hundred and twenty four Comer again the said
Merick Ellis By his Attorney and prayes that the said Robert Dodge to his writt of Supplic^{ation}
of May answer & that the said Robert Dodge all thing solemnly Call Comer not nor shew
Cause why & shal make default where by the said Def^{and} Remaine against the said
Def^{and} thereof undefended - Therefore it is Considered By the Justice here the same day
and year Last mentioned that the said Merick Ellis have his Execution against the said
Robert Dodge for as well the Summe of One thousand One hundred and Twenty and One
pounds of tobacco his Debt as also the Summe of two hundred and nine pounds of tobacco Costs
of Suite in the Indgt as above specified as also the Summe of Two hundred & Sixty Six
pounds of tobacco by the Court here as justly & lawfully claimed by reason of
266 Delay of Execution of the Indgt as above -

At June Court Memorandum the Def^{and} By Francis Allen her Attorney Pled Out this Lordship
agst { writt of Supplic^{ation} against the Def^{and} the tenor where of follows in these words
D^o Anne D. h. l. Viz: Somerset County ss Charles a Justice of the Peace of the Province
of Maryland and as also Lord Baron of Baltimore Lord Sher^{of} of Somerset County greeting
Whereas a certain Anne Jones lately in Our County found of Somerset to witt On the tenth day
of March in the fourth year of Our Dominion so Anno Dom^o One thousand Seven hundred
Nineteen Before the worship^{ful} Charles Ballard Justice and his associates the then Justice
of Our said Court (at Dwiding Creek) and by consideration of Our said Court Recovered
(against)