

Said William hath not Rendered but the Same to him hitherto to render hath denyed and Still doth deny and Unjustly detain to the damage of the said William of ten thousand pounds of Tobacco and thereupon he brings Suite &c. *of Alleged the Cldg. def. J. Doe & Coe*

A Copy of the foregoing declaration was made and sent with the Writ in the plea aforesaid — At which said third Tuesday of June ~~of 1725~~ to wit the fifteenth day of the same month and Dowd One thousand Seven hundred and twenty five being the day of the return of the said Writ Cometh the said William Pepper by his attorney aforesaid and the Sherif of Somerset County to whom the foregoing Writ was directed *Litouris Cometh and made the return thereof endorsed in these words viz. Legi scriptis Joseph M. Fisher Sherif*

And the aforesaid Tobias Pepper in his own proper person Cometh and defends the fore and Injury aforesaid and says that he cannot gainsay the aforesaid his action aforesaid against him brought nor can he say but that the writing Obligatory aforesaid is his act and deed and that the debt therein mentioned is yett due & unsatisfied wherefore the said aforesaid Cray's Judgment for his debt aforesaid and his costs and damages sustained by Omission of the detaining the same debt &c. Therefore it is considered by the Court that here the fifteenth day of June and Dowd One thousand Seven hundred & twenty five that the aforesaid William Pepper Recover against the aforesaid Tobias Pepper as well the Sum of five thousand pounds of Tobacco his debt aforesaid as also the Sum of three hundred and seventy ⁽¹⁷²⁾ ~~Two~~ pounds of Tobacco for his costs and damages sustained by Omission of the detaining the same debt to the said William Pepper of his aforesaid by the Court here ad judged & the aforesaid Tobias in Money &c.

H. H. The Same } COMMAND was given to the Sherif of Somerset County that he should take Bowman
Bowman Townsend } Townsend ^{ad Duct} Sale of Somerset County planter Bowman Townsea planter in the County of Somerset if he should be found in his Bailiwick and him should safe keep so that if he might have his Body before the Justices of his Lordship's County Court of Somerset the third Tuesday of June then next to answer unto William Pepper aforesaid that he render unto him the Eight pound Nine Shilling Current money which to him he Oweth and Unjustly detainis &c. and that there of he should not fail &c.

And whereupon the said William by Francis Allen his attorney Saith that Whereas the said Bowman the twenty first day of Novemb. and Dowd One thousand Seven hundred and twenty One of Somerset County within the Jurisdiction of this Court by his certain bare Obligatory which the said William with the Seal of the said Bowman Signed here unto Court brings the date whereof is the same day and year did acknowledge himself to be bound unto the said William in the aforesaid Eight Pound Nine Shilling to be paid unto the said William upon the aforesaid tenth day of December Next the day the said Bowman the said Eight pound Nine Shilling to the said William upon the aforesaid tenth day of December hath not rendered but the same hitherto to render hath denyed and Still doth deny and Unjustly detain to the damage of the said William of fifteen pounds money aforesaid and thereupon he brings Suite &c.

William M. of D. Cldg. def. J. Doe & Coe.

A Copy of the foregoing declaration was made and to be kept at the Last place of above