

August Court 1727
by their attorneys and the said Jacob Gough by his said attorney hereupon prayed further
leave to dispute hereunto until the next Court and he hath it and the same day is given
to the said Court here also &c

At which said next Court to wit the first day of August Anno Domini one thousand seven
hundred and twenty seven came again as well the said Joseph M^r Carter as the said Jacob Gough
by their attorneys and the said Jacob Gough by his said attorney as before Defendants the force
and injury when &c. and saith that he cannot give any the action of the said Joseph M^r Carter, nor but
that the said Jacob Gough did promise and assume upon himself in manner and form as the said Joseph
above against him hath complained, nor can he say but that the same Jacob Gough, the said Joseph the said
six hundred and twelve pounds of tobacco, and the declaration in all the words before expressly confessed
&c. &c. Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said Joseph M^r Carter recover against
the said Jacob Gough six hundred and twelve pounds of tobacco his damages and above in the declaration
also specified as also Two hundred & sixty five pounds of tobacco for his
costs and charges by him about his Suit in that part expended to the same Joseph by the Court here of
his assent and judgment and of ass^t doct^r in Merit &c

By Alexander M^rry }
Somerset }
William Freeman }
William Freeman of the County and and Province of Maryland Planter
was summoned to answer unto Alex^d. M^rry of a plea that he tender unto
him the full and just sum of seven thousand pounds of good bright sound Merchantable tob^o
in Cash which to him he owes and from him he unjustly Detains &c

And whereupon the same Alex^d. by Sam^l Gale his attorney saith that whereas
the said William the sixteenth day of February Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and
sixteen seventeen at Somerset County within the Jurisdiction of this Court by his certain
writing Obligatory granted himself to be held and firmly bound unto the same Alex^d.
in the sum of seven thousand pound of good bright Merchantable tob^o in Cash to be
paid the same Alex^d. when afterward the said Will^m should be thereto Required yett
the said William tho' often thereto Required the seven thousand pd^o of tob^o to the
same Alex^d. hath not rendered but the said William the same hitherto to do hath allego-
-ther Denied and still Doth Deny and unjustly Detains where by the same Alex^d.
says he is worse and hath Damage to the value of ten thousand pound of tob^o and
thereof he brings this suite - And the same Alex^d. brings hereinto Court the writing
obligatory and which I do set out in form of Writ of Habeas Corpus whose date is the same day & year
of the said Alex^d. M^rry of Dec^r Roe

And the said William Freeman in his own proper person comes and Defends the force
and injury when &c. and prays leave to dispute hereunto until the next Court
and he hath it and the same Day is given to the said Court here also &c