

the same Charles in consideration thereof that Bill amounting to the ^{use} sum of merchants for all the time of use and approved the same day and year last mentioned at Somerset County aforesaid by the aforesaid Robert Machfarling delivered as aforesaid to the said Charles he the said Charles did accept and with his proper hand subscribed for seventeen thousand five hundred shingles part of the said nineteen thousand shingles contained in the aforesaid bill to him as aforesaid directed (as by the same bill and acceptance thereof more fully appears) and also then and there (to-wit) on the day and year at the place last mentioned upon himself did promise and to the same, Robert then and there faithfully did promise that he the said Charles aforesaid seventeen thousand five hundred shingles (part of the said nineteen thousand shingles in the said bill contained to the said Robert Machfarling when he should be thereunto requested he would well and faithfully pay and content of which said seventeen thousand five hundred shingles the said Robert Machfarling acknowledges himself to be satisfied four thousand Cyprus shingles parcel thereof seven the less the aforesaid Charles as to thirteen thousand five hundred shingles residue little regarding but wilfully and fraudulently intending the said Robert Machfarling in that part craftily and subtilly to deceive and defraud the aforesaid thirteen thousand five hundred shingles residue of the aforesaid seventeen thousand five hundred shingles or any part thereof unto the said Robert Machfarling hath not paid or for the same in any any sort contented altho to do the same by the aforesaid Robert Machfarling afterward (to-wit) on the aforesaid fifteenth day of November last did pay one thousand seven hundred and thirty four at Somerset County within the aforesaid the aforesaid Charles was requested but the same to him he thereto to pay or for in any sort content the said Charles hath refused and still doth refuse wherefore the said Robert Machfarling saith that he is the worse and hath damage to the value of twenty pounds Court money of Maryland and thereof he brings suit

Edgar & I the Doe Clerk Roe

whereupon came hereto Court Thomas Landow and John Ramsey both of Somerset County planters in their proper persons and undertook and each of them undertook and affirmed upon themselves likewise the said Charles Ramsey present here in Court in his proper person affirmed upon himself that if in case the said Robert Machfarling should recover Judgment in the plea aforesaid against the said Charles Ramsey or that the said Charles Ramsey should be known convicted that then he the said Charles Ramsey shall pay the Judgment of the Court thereupon or tender his Body in Execution of such Judgment to the Prison of the Sheriff of Somerset County in satisfaction thereof or that they the same Thomas Landow and John Ramsey or either of them will do the same for him &c. And thereupon the said Charles Ramsey prays that the said Robert Machfarling may give Security for Cost in case now suit be obtained against him in the plea aforesaid which is by the Court here granted. Whereupon a certain Robert Jenkins Henry of Somerset County hath present here in Court in his proper person and undertakes for the said Robert Machfarling that in case he be now sued in the plea aforesaid or otherwise Legally that then the said Robert Machfarling shall pay the condemnation of