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Ed: Ezekiel Wise)
Adam Brafford ..)
Sons of the Hon^{ble} Charles absolute Lord and Proprietary of the provinces
of Maryland and avelon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. To the sherriffe
of Somerset greeting Whereas Adam Brafford late of Somerset County
Taylor was attached of being in our Court before our Justices at deviding Creech in the
County afo^r to answer unto Ezekiel Wise of aplea wherefore whereas the said Adam on
the twenty eighth day of May Anno Dom^o seventeen hundred thirty and six at the Court
afo^r was and still is a Taylor and whereas the said Adam on consideration that he
the said Ezekiel then and there did assume to pay to the said Adam as much as he
should reasonably deserve for making a fly Coat and did then and there deliver to the
said Adam as Coats and triming for the said Coat four yards and one half yard
of Kersey of the value of twelve shillings and six pence Curr^t money of Maryland
each yard and four yards of shalloon of the value of three shillings and six pence
of like money each yard and two dozen of Coat Buttons of the value of one shilling
and ten pence half penny of like money each dozen and one dozen of small buttons of the
value of one shilling of like money and one handk of silk of the value of one shilling and
three pence of like money and two sticks of mohair of the ~~value~~ value of six pence like
money each stick and one yard of Course linen of the value of one shilling and eight
pence of like money upon himself did assume and to the said Ezekiel on the day and
year afo^r at the County afo^r faithfully promise that he the said Adam the afo^r fly Coat
of the materials afo^r for the said Ezekiel would well and in workman like manner
for the said Ezekiel make and the same so as afo^r made would deliver to the said
Ezekiel on or before the last day of June then next ensuing and altho^{ugh} the said Ezekiel
hath always been ready to pay to the said Adam as much as he should reasonably deserve
for making the Coat afo^r Never theless the said Adam his promise and assumption
afo^r in form afo^r not regarding but minding and fraudulently intending the said Adam
in that part craftily and subtilly to deceive and defraud the afo^r fly Coat for the said
Ezekiel on or before the afo^r day and year last mentioned did not make and to the said
Ezekiel deliver but the materials afo^r to witt the Kersey shalloon buttons mohair silk and
linen afo^r in his hands and possession so long after the day and year last mentioned did keep
and detain that the Kersey shalloon buttons mohair silk and linen afo^r so eaters with
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