

Geo. Duncan Murray ..

ff. Charles Rankliffe son
of Eldo

Command was given to the Sheriff of Somerset County that he should take
Charles Rankliffe son of Eldo late of Somerset County planter if he should
be found in his bailiwicks and him should safe keep

so that he might have his body before the Justices of His Lordships County
Court of Somerset to be held at deviding trees in the same County the third
Tuesday of June Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and thirty eight.

to answer unto Duncan Murray of a plea of trespass upon the Case &c.

And the same day is given unto the ass. Duncan Murray there ~~at~~ Geo.

And hereupon the ass. Duncan Murray deputed against the ass. Charles Rankliffe in the plea aforesaid in form following

Somerset s. Charles Rankliffe son of Eldo late of Somerset County planter
was attached to answer unto Duncan Murray of a plea of trespass
upon the Case &c.

And whereupon the said Duncan by Geo. Douglas his
attorney complains that whereas the said Charles after the first
day of May Anno Domini MDCCV to witt on the eleventh day of
August Anno Domini MDCCXXXVI at Somerset County ass.
did make his certain note in writing called a promissory note
with his proper hand subscribed bearing date the day and year last aforesaid and
that note to the same Duncan then and there did deliver by which note the
said Charles did promise to pay to the said Duncan or his order the sum of
five pounds ^{last} nine shillings and nine pence current money of Maryland
on or before the first day of January then next ensuing the date of the
said Note for value received by means whereof and by force of the statute
in that case lately made and provided the said Charles became charge-
able to pay to the said Duncan the said five pounds nineteen shillings
and nine pence according to the tenor of the said note and so being thereof
chargeable afterwards to witt the day and year last aforesaid at the County