

this cause was sued out by the esq James Bremm against the esq Thomas in the County of Calvert and returned by the sherrife or Coroner of the said County that the said Thomas in the said County of Calvert was not found contrary to the act of assembly in such case lately made and provided and this the said Thomas is Ready to verify wherefore he prays Judgment if the Court here will take further Cognizance of the plea aforesaid.

And thereupon the same James Bremm prays thereof day to day and to him it is given ^{to} and whereupon day thereof is given to the parties aforesaid before his Lordships Justice until at Next Court to be hold at dividing Creek in the County aforesaid the third Tuesday of June then next following and then to reply &c.

At which day here came againe as welle the esq James Bremm by his attly aforesaid as the esq Thomas Watkins in his proper person and whereupon the esq James Bremm shewing there his writt aforesaid against the esq Thomas Watkins did not prosecute with effect but voluntarily suffered his suit to be discontinued.

Therefore afterward to witt that same day by Discretion of the Justice here were adjudged the same Thomas Watkins in that part sustained amounting to the sum of ^{four} pounds of shillings for his Costs and Charges by him about his defence provided and the esq James in Merry and the esq Thomas have thereof Execution &c.

Wth Tench Francis
esq: Thomas Watkins

Command was given to the Sheriff of Somerset County that he should take Thomas Watkins Late of Somerset County Merchant if he should be found in his bailiwick 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 dividing Creek in the same County the third Tuesday of March.

And Dond one thousand seven hundred and thirty seven to answer unto Tench Francis of a plea of trespass upon the Goods and the same day is given to the said Tench there &c.

At which day here before his Lordships Justices at a Court then held