

the same Thomas in that part craftily and suttly to deceive and defraud the as^{se} sum of Two pounds fourteen shillings and nine pence or any penny thereof unto the said Thomas altho^{ugh} the same to do the said Wilson afterwards (to witt) the same day and year last above mentioned and often since that time at Somerset County as^{se} by the same Thomas was requested hath not paid or him for the same in any sort Contented but hath refused to pay for the same and hath altogether refused and still doth refuse whereupon the same Thomas says he is worse and hath damage to the value of five pounds current money of the province of Maryland and thereupon he brings Suit &c

{ Reg^d. J. P. Doe R. Roe

A Copy of the foregoing declaration was made and sent to be served in on the defendant in order for a speedy tryall. At which day here came the as^{se} Thomas Sanders by Robert Jenckins Henry his Attorney and the sheriffe to witt John Handy Gent. now here returned that he had taken the as^{se} Wilson M^r Dorman whose body hereat this day he had ready to answer the as^{se} Thomas Sanders of the as^{se} plea as to him it was commanded. And further the said sheriffe returned that he had served the as^{se} Wilson M^r Dorman with a copy of the foregoing declaration according to Act of Assembly in such case made and provided &c

And the as^{se} Wilson M^r Dorman present herein Court in his proper person at the prayer of the as^{se} Thomas Sanders is adjudged to give speciall bail to the action as^{se} — Thereupon came hereinto Court a certain James Noble of Somerset County planter in his proper person and undertook for the said Wilson M^r Dorman (likewise the said Wilson M^r Dorman present herein Court in his proper person assumed upon himself) that if it should happen that Judgment in the plea as^{se} should be rendered for the same Thomas Sanders against the said Wilson M^r Dorman or that he the said Wilson M^r Dorman should be therein convicted that then he the said Wilson should pay and satisfy unto the said Thomas Sanders the Judgment of the Court thereupon or tender his body in Execution of such Judgment to the prison of the sheriffe of the County as^{se} in satisfaction thereof or that he the said James Noble will doe the same for him &c

And Wilson Dorman in his proper person comes and says that he is the same person as^{se} whom the as^{se} Thomas Sanders brought his writ as^{se} by the name of Wilson M^r Dorman and defends the force and injury when &c. And saith that he is called and known by the name of Wilson Dorman and not by the name of Wilson M^r Dorman as by the writ as^{se} it is supposed and this he is ready to verify whereupon the same Wilson Dorman prays Judgment of the writ as^{se} &c

And Whereupon the as^{se} Thomas Sanders prays leave thereof to Imparle here untill next Court to be held at dividing Creek the third Tuesday of August then next following and he hath it and the same day is given to the as^{se} Wilson M^r Dorman here also &c

At which day here came the as^{se} Thomas Sanders by his Attorney as^{se} as the as^{se} Wilson M^r Dorman in his proper person. And the as^{se} Thomas Sanders says that the plea as^{se} of the as^{se} Wilson is Abatement of the Writ as^{se} above pleaded