

forty shillings and altho' the same to pay the as^s Benjamin the first day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred forty and one and often since that time at Somerset County a^s was by the said William requested but the as^s two Sums of forty shillings each unto him the said William heither to to pay hath altogether refused and still doth refuse Whereupon the same William says he is worse and hath damage to the value of ten pounds Curr^t money of Maryland and thereof he brings Suit & *Wedge* *vs* *J. Doe* & *R. Roe* &

A Copy of the foregoing declaration was made and sent to be served on the defendant in order for speedy tryall - At which day here came the as^s William Lockwood by Robert Jenkins Henry his Attorney and the sherriffe to witt John Handy Gent. now here returned that he had taken the as^s Benjamin Warrington whose body here at this day he had ready to answer the as^s William Lockwood of the as^s plea as to him it was Commanded - And further the said sherriffe returned that he had served the as^s Benjamin Warrington with a Copy of the foregoing declaration according to Act of Assembly in such case made and provided &

And the as^s Benjamin Warrington present herein Court in his proper person at the prayer of the as^s William Lockwood is adjudged to give speciall bail to the Action a^s - Thereupon came here into Court a certain Robert Adkins of Somerset County planter in his proper person and undertook for the said Benjamin Warrington Likewise the said Benjamin Warrington present herein Court in his proper person and assumed upon himself that if it should happen that Judgment in the plea a^s should be rendered for the same William Lockwood against the said Benjamin Warrington or that he same Benjamin Warrington should be therein convicted that then he the said Benjamin should pay and satisfy unto the said William Lockwood the Judgment of the Court thereupon or tender his body in Execution of such Judgment to the prison of the sherriffe of the County a^s in satisfaction thereof or that he the said Robert Adkins will doe the same for him &

And the as^s Benjamin Warrington by Francis Allen his Attorney comes and defends the force and Injury when & prays a hearing of the Originall writt of the as^s William and to him it is read in these words - Somerset County sh Charles Absolute Lord and proprietary of the provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore & To the sherriffe of Somerset County greeting we Command you that you take Benjamin Warrington late of Somerset County planter Carpenter if he shall be found in your bailywick and him safe keep so that you have his body before our Justices of our County Court of Somerset to be held at dividing Creek in the same County the third Tuesday of August next to answer unto William Lockwood of a plea of trespass upon the Case & hereof fail not at your perill and have you then and there this writt Witness John Scott Gent. one of our Justices of our said Court this Nineteenth day of June in the 27th year of our Dominion & Anno Domini 1741 which being read and