

Order for a Speedy Trial. . . All which say here for the aforesaid John Wilson by his attorney aforesaid and the Sheriff to wit John Handy Gentleman now here Returned that he had Taken the aforesaid Philip Owen whose body here at this day he had ready to answer unto the aforesaid John Wilson of the aforesaid plea as to him it was Comanded and further the Same Sheriff Returned that he had Dowed the aforesaid Philip Owen with a Copy of the Declaration aforesaid according to act of Assembly in such Case made and provided &c

And the said Philip Owen in his proper person Comes and defends the force and Injury when &c and saith that he cannot deny the action aforesaid of the aforesaid John Wilson nor but that he did assume upon himselfe in manner and form as the aforesaid John Wilson above against him Complaind and as to the damage of the Same John by him by Occasion of the premises in that part Sustained the Same Philip saith and acknowledgeth that the aforesaid John has Sustained damage by Occasion of the premises beyond his Costs and Charge by him about his Suit in that part appoyed to four pounds One Shilling and Six pence Current money of Maryland and not more and because the aforesaid Philip denyes not this but the Same allegation grants to be true prayes Judgment for those damages above acknowledged together with his Costs and Charge aforesaid to him to be adjudged &c

Therefore by Consent of the parties aforesaid it is Considered that the said John Wilson Recover against the aforesaid Philip Owen his damages aforesaid to the aforesaid four pounds One Shilling and Six pence Current money of Maryland by the Same Philip in form aforesaid acknowledged as also

277 Charges aforesaid at his request by the Court now here of the grant of the parties aforesaid adjudged which Certain damage in the whole amount to four pounds One Shilling and Six pence Current money of Maryland and pounds of Tobacco and the aforesaid Philip in money &c

Robert Geddes }
Edmund Dickerson }
Somerset }
Edmund Dickerson }
planter otherwise called Edmund Dickerson of Somerset County planter &c
Summoned to answer unto Robert Geddes of plea that he Render unto him Seven pounds nine Shillings and Six pence Current money of Maryland which to him he Owes and unjustly Detaines &c. And whereupon the Same Robert by William Arbuckle his attorney saith that whereas the said Edmund this day of Antis Dow. Seventeen hundred and forty One at Somerset &c by his Certain Writing Obligatory which the Same Robert Sealed with the Seal of the said Edmund hereinto