

Seized of your bodily Goods or Chattels Lands or Tenements for the use of the said Robert Geddes. in Case the said Saulk Townsend shall not pay and Satisfie to the said Robert Geddes the said One pound two and nine pence so as a^l. Recovered against him with the Additionall Costs thereon on the tenth day of November next. Taken before me this thirteenth day of May 1741 L^l. Scott

At N. John Henry
 Command was given to the sheriffe of Somerset County that he should take Henry Lawrence late of Somerset County Mariner 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 the third Tuesday of August Anno Dom one thousand seven hundred and fortie to Answer unto John Henry of a plea of trespass upon the Case. And the same day is given to the a^l. John Henry

At which day here came the a^l. John Henry by Robert Jenckins Henry his Attorney and the sheriffe to wit John Stancy Gent now heretofore that he had taken the a^l. Henry Lawrence whose body here at this day he had ready to Answer the a^l. John Henry of the a^l. plea as to him it was Commanded

At which day here came again the parties by their Attorneys a^l. and hereupon the said John Henry Complaind against the a^l. Henry Lawrence in the plea a^l. in form following

¶ Somerset s^r. Henry Lawrence late of Somerset County Mariner was Attached to Answer unto John Henry of a plea of trespass upon the Case. And Whereupon the same John by Robert Jenckins Henry his Attorney complains that whereas the a^l. Henry Lawrence the twenty fourth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred thirty and seven at Somerset County a^l. was Indebted unto the same John the sum of twenty and one pounds Eight shillings and seven pence and the half of one penny Current money of the province of Maryland for sundry Articles properly Chargeable in an Account (as by an Account thereof here into Court brought may appear) and so thereof Indebted being the said Henry Lawrence the same day and year a^l. at Somerset County a^l. in consideration thereof upon himself did assume and to the said John then and there faithfully promise that he the said Henry Lawrence the sum of money a^l. unto the same John when thereof a steward requested he would well and faithfully pay and Content and altho the a^l. Henry Lawrence one pound five shillings and two pence part of the said sum of twenty and one pounds eight shillings and seven pence and the half of one penny unto the same John he hath since paid and satisfied Nevertheless the a^l. Henry Lawrence as to twenty pounds three shillings and five pence half penny thereof residue his promise and assumption a^l. in form a^l. made little regarding but minding and fraudulently intending the same John that part craftily and suttlety to deceive and defraud the sum of money last mentioned or any penny thereof unto the said John (altho. the same to do the a^l. Henry Lawrence afterwards to wit the same day and year a^l. and often since that time at Somerset County a^l. by the same John requested hath not paid but the same to him to pay hitherto hath refused and still doth refuse to the damage of the said John thirty pounds Current money of the province a^l. thereof he brings suit

797/5 M ^r . Henry Lawrence	Do		
To 158 Bushells of Corn from the sevannah @ 2s p bushell	17	16	7 1/2
To 32 Bus Ditto from W ^m . Bradford a Ditto	3	1	2 0
E. Excep ^t of John Henry	2	1	8 7 1/2
			By 2 Gallons Mullasses & 4 Sugar
			By 1/2 bale of Punch & 2 nails
			By 2 bushells Sall
			By 1/2 bushells Ditto
			By 1/2 Bushell Ditto March 1740/1
			Paid due in my fav ^r
			20
			3 11 6 1/2
			21 8 7 1/2