

due by Execution as by my last years Book will appear that your Respond<sup>t</sup> let the Corn lye near two Months after this in all which time your Respond<sup>t</sup> never heard from the said Ingram that then one Mr. Richard Couch gone Master near Neighbours were Sworn Appraisers by Mr Thomas Powell did see the Corn measured and appraised and when done the Value in Tob<sup>o</sup> if anyone would depo- site Your Respond<sup>t</sup> told them he would not meddle with the Corn but finding none he yet let the Corn lye about six weeks before he sent for it to his particular Damage That some considerable time after this the said Ingram came to your Respond<sup>t</sup> for a Copy of his Debts which was given him and the County Court following made a Complaint against your Respond<sup>t</sup> who asking him the reason of it He told before John Pitt he had not done it but that Weicks set him on and told him he should get 3 or 4000 of Tob<sup>o</sup> of me and all his Corn again or Words to that purpose that if the said Ingram had any Injury he may have his Action at Law.

To the fourth Article wherein the said Tilghman was taxed for extorting of Fees from the Inhabitants of the County in relation to his Office contrary to an Act also in that Case made & provided

This Respond<sup>t</sup> saith that he is ignorant of any Fees extorted from any person contrary to Act of Assembly that if any such are they may have their Action at Law

To the fifth Article wherein the said Tilghman was taxed for commencing vexatious Suits against some of the Inhabitants of that County and more especially against John Hinson & Nicholas Brooke as by both their Petitions & other papers annexed may appear, This Respond<sup>t</sup> saith that John Hinson having wounded one John Tabell by a shot This Respond<sup>t</sup> was employed about the Cure of him for the payment whereof & other debts of his own the said Hinson Entered into Bond to this Respond<sup>t</sup> for 3500 Tob<sup>o</sup> or thereabouts and a considerable time after the Bond was due to the said Hinson entreated this Respond<sup>t</sup> to put it to two men which with much Importunity of the said Hinson & faithful Promise on his part to perform whatsoever they awarded, This