

goods of him the said Josias ffendall and deteined them against suertyes & pledges untill &c Whereupon he Saith he is dampnified three thousand pounds of tobacco & thereupon he bringeth his suite. Liber N N

And the said James Neale by Robert Ridgely his Attorney cometh & defendeth the force and injury when &c and prayeth liberty of Speakeing hereunto untill the next Provinciaall Court and it is granted unto him, the same day is given to the said Josias.

Now here at this day to witt the Seven & twentieth day of April in the yeare of Our Lord 1677 came the said Josias by his Attorney aforesaid and offered himselfe against the said James Neale in the plea aforesaid but the said James came not but made default, and the said Josias prayeth that the said James may gage deliverance of the tobacco & Corne aforesaid and it is granted unto him whereupon the said Josias remaines against the said James thereupon wholly undefended, for which the said Josias his damages by Occasion of the takeing & unjust deteineing of the said tobacco & corne against the said James Ought to recover but because it is not Knowne what damages the said Josias hath sustained by Occasion of the takeing & unjust deteineing the tobacco and corne aforesaid, his Lopps writ of inquiry of Damages is granted the Said Josias.

Comãnd was given to the Sheriff of Kent County That whereas complaint is made to his Loꝝp by Edward Dorsey adm^r of the goods and chattells of Nicholas Wyatt deceased That Thomas Bland & Damoris his wife have disposed of the estate of the said Nicholas and deny to render any accompt thereof to the said Edward Dorsey, & the said Edward haveing comẽced his action here against the said Thomas & Damoris for compelling them to render an accompt of the estate of the said Nicholas to the Said Administrator, And that the said Thomas Bland is upon departure Out of this Province & may depart before he hath answered the said Action & thereby no releife can be had for him the said Edward, That he take the body of him the said Thomas Bland if &c & him safe Keepe so that he enter into recognizance with Sufficient Suertyes to this Court not to depart this Province untill he hath Answered the sd suite & to doe & performe what this Court should doe & determine therein. Now here at this day to witt the 17th day of April 1677 the same Sheriff maketh returne of the writt aforesaid endorsed. By virtue of this writt The body of the within named Thomas Bland. I have taken & here have him ready. Jn^o Welsh Sher.

Att which said 17th day of April in the yeare aforesaid the said Thomas Bland appeareing in his proper person the same Sheriff is discharged & the said Edward Dorsey by Robert Carvile his Attorney prayes Speciall bayle whereupon it is Ordered by the Court here the said Thomas Bland be in custody of the Sheriff of s^t Maries County untill he gives speciall bayle to answer the said Suite. Afterwards