Hopkins and John Hawkins or any one of you having
taken the Same are Empowered to Administr the oath called ap-
pointed by act of parliam.t as alsoe the oath of Justice
and Justices of the Sd Court within mentioned and that you
the Said and respective Justices within named are hereby
required to Subscribe the test as alsoe the association before
they and every of them have taken the oaths above
mentioned And for soe doing this Shall be yr Sufficient
Authority WITNESS our trusty & well beloved Nathl
Blackiston Esq.r our Capt. Gl & Gov.r in chiefe in and over
the province of Maryland this 25 day of April in
the 14 yr of our reigne etc Anno Dni 1702

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Whereupon John Pollard admitted the usuall oaths of Allegiance
& abjuration into the hand Thomas Smallson Esq.r who likewise
took the Oath of Chiefe Justice of the Said Court Signed the
test and association which being done he took the place
of Chiefe Justice of the Sd Court

And afterwards were Sworne in Court as they are in Commission
Viz.t

Phillips Hopkins John Pollard
Thomas Greenfield John Hale
Samuell Young Seth Biggs
Tho.s Smith Esq.rs

Who having likewise Signed the test & association book —
their Seats placed in Court Accordingly

And the Court thereupon adjourned till to Morrow Morning
Eight a Clock April the 30: 1702

The Cort. again met & were sworne Viz.t

The Hono.ble Tho.s Smallson Esq.r Chiefe Justice

Phillip Hopkins
John Pollard
Tho.s Greenfield
John Hale
Sam.ll Young
Seth Biggs
Tho.s Smith
} Esq.rs Justices

The Hono.ble — Tho.s Smallson Esq.r Chiefe Justice

The Cort. having ordered that the appearance Docquet
be called over on Saturday first the Sheriffs and
Tipstaffs ordered to give their attendance at that day
and in the mean time the Court proceeds to trying
relating to Matters of Com.on Law in.to Follows in this
book all Criminall Matters being Entred in a book —
preceeding to this

Robert Goulsborough
v
John Anderson

This being a writt of trespass upon the Case filed
out the 3d day of this ag.t the Sd Deft the Deft
att the returne of the Sd writt in his own proper person
appeared and acknowledged himselfe Justly indebted unto
the pltf in the what quantity of Eight hundred pounds
of tob being due to the Sd pltf from the Deft for an attr.s
for for in.to the the Sd Deft acknowledged himselfe willing
that Sing.l Judge should be Entred ag.t him Therefore it is Consid
red by the Court here that the Sd Robert Goulsborough
recover ag.t the Sd John Anderson as debt the Said Sum of
Eight hundred pounds of tob the debt aft as the Sum
of [illegible] pounds of tob for Costs
of Suite in that behalfe laid out and expended and
that the Deft be in mercy etc

John Taylor & Comp.a
v
Thomas Sparrow

Thomas Sparrow of Annearundele County
Gent was attached to answer unto John Taylor
of London Merchant & Comp.a of a plea of —
trespass upon the case

And thereupon the Sd John Taylor & Comp.a by his Atto
(the Atto