Pl. Jer. Jennill } Plts Bring an Action of Trespass upon the
Def. Richd Stallings } Case against the Defendt and Committed
to this Court for want of Special bayle, and
into this Court but no Bayle appearing to ye Court hereupon
Bayle for his appearance taken by the Court Recognizance to be of
the penalty of [illegible] the tenor of which bayle follows in these
words viz.

Jeremiah Jennil plff ags Richard Stallings defendant

You John Moore and Absolom Kent bind yourselves of you do undertake for
the said Richd Stalling defendt in the summe of fifty pounds sterling money of great
Brittain to be levyed on your and either of your Lands and tenements goods and
Chattells to the use of the said Jeremiah Jennil the plff upon Condition that
if the said Jeremiah Jennil do obtain Judgmt in an action of trespass upon
the Case depending in this prov. Court against the said Richd Stallings the
defend that then the said Richd Stallings shall pay the Condemnation or deliver
himself to the prison of our Soveraigne Lady the Queen or you will do it for him
they acknowledge themselves to be Content thereunto this Eighteen day of July 1712
before me Jos. Ledels

To the Honble the Justices of
the prov. Court

Whereupon the pts ruled by the Court and Consent of parties that the defend
file his plea in this action by the first of March or Judgmt to be Entred as of this
Court and thereupon the said action is Continued untill next Court provided the
rule be Complyed wth as aft

Wm Tom Bladen for her majty } Maryland ss William Gray and Richard Dallam late of
att Rd Richd Dallam Tom Gray } Calvert County Gentn adms of all and singular the
adms of Thomas Gray } goods Chattells & Creditts which were of Thomas Gray
late of Calvert County Merchn deceased at the time
of his death otherwise heretofore called Thomas Gray of
Maryland Gentn were summoned to answer unto William Bladen Esq attorney
Genll of our Lady the Queen that now is who for our said Lady the
Queen prosecuteth the said William Gray and Richard Dallam of a plea
that they render unto our said Lady the Queen the Juste and Just summe
of one thousand pounds sterling money of the said Kingdom of England which
from her they unjustly detayne &c

And whereupon the said Wm Bladen her majtys attorney Genll aft who for our
said Lady the Queen in this behalf prosecuteth saith that whereas the said
Gray in his Lifetime to wit the 7th day of May in the fifth year
of the reign of our said Lady the Queen that now is at Annapolis by
his Certain writting obligatory sealed wth the seal of the said Thomas and
here in Court brought the date whereof is the day and year aft had acknow-
ledged himself to be held and firmly bound unto our said Lady the Queen
in the aft summe of one thousand pounds sterling money of the said Kingdom
of England to be paid to our said Lady the Queen when he had been
(thereto)



thereto required Nevertheless the said Thomas in his Lifetime nor the said
Wm Gray and Richd Dallam to whom Recourse of the last will and testament
of the same Thomas was in due form of law Committed since his death or
any of them altho' often thereto required the aft summe of one thousand
pounds sterl money of the late Kingdom of England to our said Lady
the Queen have not rendered but the same to her to render have denyed
and the said Wm Gray and Richd Dallam the same to her said majty to
render do still deny and from her unjustly detaine to the damage of our
said Lady the Queen of one thousand pounds sterling and this the said
att Ny Genll for our said Lady the Queen is ready to Verify & therefore he prays Judgmt

And the said Wm Gray and Richd Dallam by Edward Hunt their attorney
come and defend the force and injury when &c and pray the hearing of
the aft writting obligatory and it is read unto them they also pray
the hearing of the Condition of the aft Obligation and it is read unto
them in these words viz. The Condition of this obligation is such
that whereas the ship or Vessell called the Selby whereof the above
bounden is master is now at Patuxent river and bound for London if
now the said ship or Vessell shall load or take on board any sugar
tobacco Cotton wool Indico Ginger Cacao, Logwood fustick or other
dyeing wood, or any Rice, Mollasses or Tarr, pitch, Rosen Turpentine, hemp
Masts yards or bowsprits and shall Carry the same to some other
her majtys plantations or to some port of England, or Wales or town
of Berwick upon Tweed and there unload and put the same on shore
the dangers of the seas only Excepted and a Certificate of the landing
and discharging the said good accordingly shall within Eighteen months
from the date hereof be produced to the governour or the person by
him appointed to receive the same then this obligation to be Void or
else to remain in full force and Vertue

Which being read and heard the said William Gray & Richd Dallam
adms as aft as well the said Richd Dallam in his proper person as by
their attorney aft Comd & defend the force & injury & wished & pray
leave to Imparle hereunto untill next Court and they have it &
the same day is given to the said Wm Bladen her majtys said attorney
Genll who for her said majty in this behalf prosecuteth also
All which said next Court to wit the 7th day of October Anno Domi
1712 Comes again as well the said Wm Bladen her majtys said attorney
Genll who for her said majty in this behalf prosecuteth as the said
Richd Dallam & Wm Gray adms as aft as well the said Richd Dallam
in his proper person as by their attorney aft And thereupon the
(said)