and the said deft by his attorney Counsel and Defendeth
the force and injury when &c and saith that he did not assume in manner
& forme as the plt against him above hath declared and of this he puts &c
himself upon the Country &c
Now here at this day to wit the first day of October in the twelfth yeare
of the dominion of Charles &c came the said Robert Clasell by his attorney
aforesaid and the said John Smith tarried not but made default whereupon
it is considered by the Court here that the said John Smith take nothing
by his said writt but be in mercy for his false clamour and that he go thence
Robert Classell goes thereof without day And it is further considered by
the Court that the said Robert Classell Recover against the said John
Smith the sum of fifty hundred seaventy six pounds of Tobacco for his
cost and charges in this behalfe layd out and expended according to the
forme of the Statute in that case made and provided

John Smith ag. Robert Classell } Maryland ss.

Robert Classell late of Somerset County Merchant was summoned to answer
unto John Smith Merchant of a plea That he render unto him the debt which
he owe and ought for the hire he was his Bayliffe of him the said John Smith at
divers times in the County aforesaid and whereof he him to render the ought
And whereupon the said John Smith by Robert Carroll his attorney complaineth
That whereas the said Robert Classell was Bayliffe of him the said John
Smith at divers times in the said County of Somerset from the Eighth day of
March in the yeare of our Lord 1681 to the Eighteenth day of December in
the yeare of our Lord 1682 and by the same time having the care & Monstration
of divers goods & Merchandizes of him the said John Smith & particular
debts & Merchandizes of him the said John Smith & particular
debts owing to him in the said time due & belonging amounting
to the summe of 62 l. 16 s. 08 d. of lawfull money of England to Merchandize
and make the profit thereof for him the said John Smith and to Render
a reasonable account thereof when he should be thereunto required yet
notwithstanding the said Robert Classell alias afterwards that is to say
the first day of March in the yeare of our Lord 1682 at Annapolis
aforesaid was by the said John Smith thereunto requested hath not yet
rendered his reasonable account aforesaid to the said John Smith but thereto
denyeth to Render unto him the same & thereupon the said John Smith
saith he is damnified and hath losse to the value of 150 s. sterling due
thereupon he bringeth his suit &c. And the said Robert Classell by
his attorney Counsel and Defendeth the force and
injury when &c. and prayeth liberty to imparle hereon to the next Court
provinciall Court which is granted unto him the said day is given to the
plt likewise
Now here at this day to wit the first day of October in the twelfth yeare of
the Dominion of Charles &c. Annoq; Dni 1684 came the said Robert
Classell by his attorney aforesaid and said that he ever was ready
of the aforesaid plaintiff to Render unto him an account thereof when he
should be thereunto required in manner & forme aforesaid as the aforesaid
plt above against him hath declared and of this he puts himself upon
the Country But the said John Smith saith he ought not nor made any Reply
to the plea aforesaid whereupon it is considered by the Court here
That the said John Smith take nothing by his said writt but be in mercy
for his false clamour and that the said Robert Classell go hence
without day and it is further considered by the Court here that the said
Robert Classell Recover against the said John Smith the sum of fifty
hundred and eight pounds of Tobacco for his cost & charges in the
behalfe layd out & expended according to the forme of the statute in
that case made and provided

Richard Collins ag. Thomas Mountford } Charles absolute Lord & Propry of the province of Maryland & Avalon Lord Baron of
Baltimore &c. To the Sheriffe of Talbot County Greeting Lord Command you that
you take Thomas Mountford if he shall be found in your Bayliwick & him safe
keepe so that you have the body before our Righteous of our provinciall Court
to be held at our City of St. Marie the last Tuesday of September next to
satisfy unto Richard Collins Esquire the summe of fifteen hundred and
seaventeene pounds of Tobacco a certaine debt for damages recovered &c
against him before our Righteous of our provinciall Court held at our City of
St. Marie the 20th day of March last whereof he is convicted also the summe
of fifteen hundred sixty three pounds of Tobacco for cost of suite whereof fail
not at your perill and have you then there this writt Witnesse our selfe the
25th day of July in the twelfth yeare of our Dominion &c. Annoq; Dni
1684. Thos: Gerrard Ch
By Lordy Esquire.

At which said last Tuesday in September the Sheriffe aforesaid made return
of the said writt as followeth viz. The within mentioned Thomas Mon-
tford I have taken who by vertue of this superseded and mainprised
released &c. p Sayer Sheriffe.
Therefore in the name of the Right honble the Lord Propry to will & require
you to supersede an Execution now in your hands against Thomas Mon-
tford at the suite of Richard Collins for fifteen hundred and seaventeene
pounds of Tobacco and 56 s. cost of suite whereof the Tenth day of October
the said Mountford with John Edmondson having confessed judgment
for the said summe before me according to an Act of Assembly in that case
made and provided and hereof you are not to fail Given under my hand
this 16th day of September 1684. Henry Courtney.

Richard Keyston ag. Thomas Mountford } Charles absolute Lord and Propry of the province of Maryland and Avalon Lord
Baron of Baltimore &c. To the Sheriffe of Talbot County Greeting Lord
Command you that you take Thomas Mountford if he shall be found in
your Bayliwick and him safe keepe so that you have the body before our
Justices of our provinciall Court to be held at our City of St. Marie the last
Tuesday of September next to satisfy unto Richard Keyston Esquire
the summe of Eighteene hundred pounds of Tobacco Recovered against him &
before our Righteous of our provinciall Court held at our City of St. Marie the
twentieth day of March last whereof he is convicted also the summe of &c
seaventeene hundred eighty five pounds of Tobacco for cost of suite whereof
fail not at your perill and have you then there this writt Witnesse our selfe the
25th day of July in the twelfth yeare of our Dominion &c. Annoq; Dni 1684.
By Lordy Esquire. Thomas Gerrard Ch

At which said last Tuesday in September the Sheriffe aforesaid made re-
turne of the said writt as followeth viz. The within named Thomas
Mountford I did take who by vertue of this superseded and mainprised released was
p Sayer Sheriffe.
These are in the name of the Right honble the Lord Propry to will & require you
to supersede an Execution now in your hands against Thomas Mountford at
the suite of Richard Keyston for eighteene hundred pounds of Tobacco and
seaventeene hundred eighty five cost of suite whereof the Tenth day of
October the said Mountford with John Edmondson having confessed judgment
for the said summes before me according to Act of Assembly in that case
made and provided and hereof you are not to fail Given under
my hand this 16th day of September 1684. Henry Courtney