Commaud was thereupon given to the Shrift of Ann Arundell County that forthwith he cause to come here twelve of his ffreehold who neither of kin to ye prisoner nor Strangers to the Cause as well of the Shrift made return thereof that he had there ye day twelve of as by his precept he was commanded (viz) Charles Gilloy John Gadsby Thomas Roberts Wm Ray Robt Shirlon John Hamer Nathaniell Ringlon Tobias Wells Lazarus Maddox Charles Stevens James Bowen and Thos King

Now here at this day to wit the fifteenth day of November in the Tenth Year of the Reigne of King William the third of England &c Annoq: Dominij 1698 Came as well the Plaintiff by their Attys aforesaid and the Jurors impanelled as aforesaid being called to serve came who severally the truth concerning the premisses being sworne and sworne upon their Oathes doe say Wee of the Jury find for the Defendant whereupon it is considered by the Court that the said William Collins take nothing by his Writ but be in Mercy for his false Clamor and that the said Matthew Mandby go thereof without day and it is further considered that the said Matthew Mandby pay to the said Wm Collins the Sum of fourteen hundred Severally ye pounds of Tobacco by the Court here at his request adjudged Sum for his said Charges in this behalf Sustained and expended according to the tenor of the Statute in such Case made and provided

Thomas Moreweather Atty ag Alexander Lumby

Alexander Lumby late of Ann Arundell County Esqr was attached to answer unto Thomas Moreweather of a plea of Trespass upon the Case &c and whereupon the said Thomas by Wm Deul his Atty Complaineth that whereas the said Alexander the twentieth day of June in the year of our Lord 1698 at Selapsoe in Ballimore County aforesaid was indebted unto the said Thomas in the Sum of Seventeen pounds Sterling being for a Servant woman by the said Thomas sold and delivered and the said Alexander to the said Thomas in Manner aforesaid being indebted the said Alexander in Consideration thereof did assume upon himself and to the said Thomas then and there faithfully promise that he the said Alexander the said Sum of Seventeen pds Sterling to the said Thomas when he should be thereunto required would well and truly Content and pay Nevertheless the said Alexander his Promise and Assumption aforesaid regarding but minding and fraudulently intending him the said Thomas in this behalf Craftily and subtilly to deceive and defraud the said Sum of Seventeen pds Sterling or any pt thereof to the said Thomas hath not paid although the said Alexander to doe the same by the said Thomas afterwards the day and place aforesaid was requested but hath hitherto wholly and still doth refuse to the damage of the said Thomas of 20ti Sterling and thereof he bringeth this Suit &c and the said Alexander by James Crawford his Atty Comes and defends the force and injury when &c and saith that the said Thomas did not sell and deliver to him the said Woman for which he agreed to pay the said Thomas the said Sum of Seventeen pounds Sterling as in the Declaration is mentioned or otherwise to the said Thomas and of this he puts himself upon the Country and the plaintiff also

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Zachary Atkins Symon Stevens

Zachariah Atkins late of Ann Arundell County Labourer was attached to answer unto Symon Stevens of an Assault in and upon the said Annidie made and the said Symon with force and Armes and Willy in Treat so that of his Life it was despaired and other harmes to the said Symon did to the great Damage of the said Zachariah and against the Peace &c And whereupon the said Zachariah and Ann by William Deul their atty complaine that the said Symon the 26th day of April in the year of our Lord 1697 at West River in Ann Arundell County with force and Armes that is to say with swords Staves and Clubs an Assault in and upon the said Ann did make and her did beat wound and Willy in Treat so that of her Life it was despaired and other harmes to her did to the great Damage of the said Zachariah and against the Peace &c whereupon they say they are Damnified and have loss to the value of 4000 pds of Tobacco and therefore they bring their Suit And the said Symon Stevens by Wm Paden his atty comes and defends the force and injury when &c and says that he is not guilty of the Assault in such Manner and form as above is set forth and of this he puts himself upon the Country and the Plaintiffs also

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