in this province and to be examined and adjusted by the Judge for the time being
for probat of Wills &c until the fifteenth day of Sept.r One thousand seven
hundred and fifteen to wit at the County of Ann Arundele aforesaid the twenty fifth day
of April One thousand Seven hundred and fourteen And further the said Nich.s
Salth that the said Jacob Reale afterw.ds to wit the fifteenth day of Sept.r in the year
Your Lord God One thousand seven hundred and fifteen at Annapolis in Ann.
County aforesaid the time so as aforesaid allowed and given him to make addender the Acc.t
in and by the said Cond.n mentioned Specified did make a just and true Acc.t of his
Adm.on of the aforesaid Thomas Bulk late of the Acc.t was then and there examined and
adjusted by the said Wm Bladen Esq.r then hitherto and as yet being the Judge appointed
for probat of Wills &c which Acc.t amounts in the whole to two hundred thirty eight
pounds eleven shills and two pence and which remains registred in the prerogative
Office for probat of wills &c at Ann. County aforesaid which Acc.t is just and true and the
several sums therein mentioned were paid by the said Jacob & Sarah as aforesaid
for debts really and bona fide due to the said Persons in the said Acc.t mentioned from
the said Thomas Bulk in his Lifetime which Acc.t so as aforesaid made and rendered the said
John Bladen then being County Gen.l and Judge appointed at that time for probat
of Wills &c did then and there receive and admit in Compliance with and discharge
of that part of the Cond.n to the making of a true and just Acc.t of the said Est.e Bulk late
relating, And the said Nicholas in fact saith that the said Wm Bladen as County
General and Judge appointed for probat of Wills &c then and there had power so to do
And the said Nicholas Ryland further in fact saith that the said Sarah whilst sole
and the said Jacob and Sarah after the Espousalls between them, and the said Jacob after
her death at all and every time and times after the date of the said Obligation to him
the said Wm Bladen as aforesaid duely Acquitted discharged and save harmless her said Majesty her Judges and
all other her Officers and ministers from all persons having or pretending to have
any right title or Interest of in and to the Goods Chattels and Credits which that
Sarah when sole and the said Jacob and Sarah after the Espousalls between them and
the said Jacob after her death in all and every thing did pay Accomplish perform
and fulfill all and every the payments and Articles in the said Cond.n mentioned
according to the forme and effect of the said Cond.n And this he is ready to Averr
wherefore he prays Judgm.t if the said Wm Bladen Attorney Gen.l who prosecuteth
for our said Lord the King this Accon as.d ag.t him to have Execution &c

2.dly And the said Wm Bladen Attorney Gen.l who for the said Lord the King in
this behalf prosecuteth Sayth that by any thing pretledged from having his Accon
aforesaid he ought not to be barred because he the said Nicholas in the Condition
of the writeing obligy aforesaid mentioned while sole or the said Jacob and Sarah after
the Espousalls between them Celebrated or the said Jacob after the decease of the said
Sarah or any of them have not in any wise Observed performed paid or kept any the
Conditions Clauses Articles payments Matters or Agreements in the Condition of the
writeing obligy mentioned on her the said Sarah's part to be performed according to the
(forme)

forme force or Effect of the Condition aforesaid for plea he saith that the plea aforesaid by the said Nich.s
in manner and forme aforesaid pleaded and the Matter therein contained are not Sufficient in Law
to barr him from having the Action aforesaid for the said Lord the King ag.t the said Nicholas
to which plea he hath no need nor by the Laws of the Land is held to Answer, And this for the said
Lord the King he is ready to Averr which forasmuch for want of a due answer in this part the
same Wm Bladen prays Judgment and the debt aforesaid together with the damages by occasion
of detaining the same debt to the said Lord the King to be adjudged &c And for Cause of
Demurr in Law to that plea the same Wm Bladen according to the forme of the Statutes in such
Cases made and provided shews to the Court here the Cause following Viz.t

1.st That the Notice of the County General to the said Jacob Reale to Exhibit and return the Acc.t
therein Mentioned by the fifteenth day of September One thousand Seven hundred and
fifteen or the Acceptance of the said Account at that time by the County Gen.l in discharge
or Compliance with any part of the Condition of the said writeing obligy cannot
discharge the Matter of the Cond.n of the same writeing obligy as to the returning
an Account according to the Condition thereof &c

2.dly That there is no time or place alledged when or where the said County Gen.l gave the
pretended Notice or that either the said Notice was given or the Acc.t thereby
Exhibited before the Suing out of the Original writt in this Cause or before the time for rendering
such Account was Elapsed

3.dly That the said Nicholas ought to have shown in his plea aforesaid how much the List of debts
debts therein mentioned Amounted to and how the said Jacob had paid such Estate and to whom
and by what Obligations or of what Nature the debts were that he so Satisfyed

4.thly That the aforesaid plea is wholly uncertain insufficient wants averments of time and place to the
several sums therein alledged Contains many blanks and is wholly insufficient & uncertain
wants forme &c

And the aforesaid Nicholas Ryland for that he hath above alledged Insufficient matter in Law in
his plea to barr the aforesaid Wm Bladen Esq.r Attorney Gen.l who for the Lord the King in this
behalf prosecuteth from the Action aforesaid ought not the same to barr Nicholas ag.t the King he is ready
to Averr ag.t the Matter the same Wm Bladen Esq.r Attorney Gen.l who for the King hath not Gainsayd
nor thereunto any ways answered but the same Averment to admit hath altogether
refused as before by Judgment and that the aforesaid Wm Bladen Esq.r Attorney Gen.l who for
the King in this Action aforesaid against him the said Nicholas Ryland be barred &c

Whereupon all and Singular the premisses being by the Court here seen heard
and fully understood and Matured deliberation thereupon had for that it seems to the
Court of the Rt Hon.ble the Lord Proprietor here, That the plea aforesaid by the same Nicholas
in manner and forme aforesaid pleaded and the matter therein Contained are not Sufficient in Law to
barr him the said Wm Bladen Esq.r Attorney Gen.l from having the Action aforesaid for the said Lord
the King ag.t the same Nicholas
Therefore it is Considered by the Justices here the 8.th day of April Anno Dom.i 1718 aforesaid
That the said Lord the King recover ag.t the said Nicholas Ryland the same
of two hundred pounds Sterling his debt aforesaid And the defend.t in Mercy &c

Rule by the Court that leave be given that Writt of Error in
this Cause upon Suggest.n to be Entred by the party at their req.t and
obtained if they think fit to require the same