At which said next Court to wit the 8th Day of April Anno Dom. 1744 Come again the said Parties Plff and Defd by their Attorneys aforesd and the said Defend by his said Attorney prays further leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and he hath it and the same Day is given to the Plff also

At which said next Court to wit the 11th Day of Septr Anno Dom. 1744 Comes again as well the said Benjamin Chew lessee of the said Benjamin Tasker by his Attorney aforesd as the said Moses Ruth by his Attorney aforesd and the said Moses Ruth by his said Attorney as before Defends the force and Injury when &c. And saith that he is not Guilty of the Trespass and Ejectment aforesd in manner and form as the aforesd Plff above against him hath Complained And of this he puts himself upon the Country And the Plff also

Whereupon the said Benjamin Chew lessee of the said Benjamin Tasker by his Attorney aforesd Offers himself ready for Tryal against the said Moses Ruth in the Plea aforesd But the said Moses Ruth altho Solemnly Called Comes not but makes Default whereby the said Plff remains against the said Defend wholly undefended. Therefore it is Considered by the Justices here that the said Benjn Chew lessee of the said Benjn Tasker recover against the said Moses Ruth his Term to Come and unexpired of in and unto the aforesd Tract Parcel or Manner of Land in Cecil county aforesd Called Susquehannah Manner containing by Estimation thirty two thousand acres with the appurtenances And that he have thereof his Possession against the said Moses Ruth &c And it is also Considered that the said Benjn Tasker lessor of the said Benjamin Chew recover against the said Moses Ruth the sum of

Pounds of Tobacco by the Court here unto him on his Agreed Adjudged for his Costs & Charges by him about his suit in this behalf laid out and Expended and the said Defend in Mercy &c

Test. Burdett Clk

Benjn Tasker's lessee } Maryland ss. John Smith late of Cecil County Farmer was attached to
ad } answer unto Benjamin Chew of Cecil County Gentl of a Plea wherefore with
John Smith } force and Arms into all that Tract Parcel or Manner of Land in Cecil aforesd
Called Susquehannah Manner bounded as followeth (Beginning at the farthest North East head of North East River by a line Drawn North West till it Intersect Octorora River then by the said River till it falls into Susquehannah River and by the said River to the Mouth thereof from thence by the head of the Bay of Chesepeak to the Mouth of North East River and by the said River to the head thereof Containing by Estimation thirty two Thousand Acres with the appurtenances which Benjamin Tasker of Annapolis Esqr Agent of the Right Hontle the Lord Proprty of Maryland by Virtue of the Powers and Authorities to him given and granted by the said Lord Proprty to the same Benjamin Chew demised for a Term which is not yet Past he Entred and him from his farm aforesd Ejected and other harms to him did to the Great damage of the said Benjamin Chew and against the Peace &c And Whereupon the same Benjamin Chew by Daniel Dulany his Attorney Complains that Whereas the aforesd Benjamin Tasker by Virtue of the Powers and Authorities before mentioned the twenty fifth Day of March in the Year of Our Lord Seventeen hundred and forty three at Cecil County aforesd demised to the same Benjamin Chew the Tract Parcel or Manner of Land with the appurtenances To have and to Occupy the same unto him the said Benjamin Chew and his Assigns from the feast of St Michael then last past until the full end and Term of Seven Years then next following fully Compleat and ended by Virtue of which said Demise the same Benjamin Chew into the Premises aforesd with the appurtenances Entred and was thereof Possessed and the same Benjamin Chew being so thereof Possessed the aforesd John Smith afterwards to wit the Twenty Sixth Day of March in the Year of Our Lord Seventeen hundred and forty three aforesd with force and Arms into the said Premises with the appurtenances which the said Benjamin Tasker in form aforesd demised for the Term aforesd which is not yet Past Entred and him from his farm aforesd Ejected and other harms to him did to the Great damage of the same Benjamin Chew and against the Peace &c Whereupon the same Benjamin Chew saith that he is the worse and hath damage to the Value of two Thousand pounds Current money of Maryland and thereof he brings Suit &c.

Pledges &c John Doe and Richd Roe

And the said John Smith by James Calder his Attorney comes and Defends the force and Injury when and Enters into the Common rule and prays leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and he hath it and the same Day is given to the Plff also

At which said next Court to wit the 10th Day of April Anno Dom. 1744 Come again the said Parties Plaintiff and Defd by their Attorneys aforesd And the said Defend by his said Attorney prays further leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and he hath it and the same Day is given to the Plff also

At which said Next Court to wit the 11th Day of September Anno Dom. 1744 Comes again as well the said Benjamin Chew lessee of the said Benjamin Tasker by his Attorney aforesd as the said John Smith by his Attorney aforesd And the said John Smith by his said Attorney as before defends the force and Injury when &c And saith that he is not Guilty of the Trespass and Ejectment aforesd in manner and form as the aforesd Plff above against him hath Complained and of this he puts himself upon the Country, And the Plff also (Whereupon

Whereupon the said Benjamin Chew lessee of the said Benjamin Tasker by his Attorney aforesd and Offers himself ready for Tryale against the said John Smith in the Plea aforesd but the said John Smith altho Solemnly Called Comes not but makes Default whereby the said Plaintiff remains against the said Defend wholly undefended.

Therefore it is Considered by the Justices here that the said Benjamin Chew lessee of the said Benjamin Tasker recover against the said John Smith his Term to Come and unexpired of in and unto the aforesd Tract Parcel or Manner of Land in Cecil County aforesd Called Susquehannah Manner containing by Estimation thirty two thousand Acres with the appurtenances, and that he have thereof his Possession against the said John Smith &c And it is also Considered that the said Benjn Tasker lessor of the said Benjamin Chew recover against the said John Smith the sum of

Pounds of Tobacco by the Court here unto him on his Agreed Adjudged for his Costs and Charges by him about his Suit in this behalf laid out and Expended and the said Defend in Mercy &c

Test. Burdett Clk

Benjn Tasker's lessee } Maryland ss. Robt Mills late of Cecil County Farmer was attached to answer
ad } unto Benjamin Chew of Cecil County Gentl of a Plea wherefore with force and
Robt Mills } Arms into all that Tract Parcel or Manner of Land in Cecil aforesd Called
Susquehannah Manner bounded as followeth Beginning at the farthest North East head of North East River by a line drawn North West till it Intersect Octorora River then by the said River till it falls into Susquehannah River and by the said River to the Mouth thereof from thence by the head of the Bay of Chesepeak to the Mouth of North East River and by the said River to the head thereof Containing by Estimation thirty two thousand Acres with the appurtenances which Benjamin Tasker of Annapolis Esqr Agent of the Right Hontle the Lord Proprty of Maryland by Virtue of the Powers and Authorities to him given and granted by the said Lord Proprty to the same Benjamin Chew demised for a Term which is not yet Past he Entred and him from his farm aforesd Ejected and other harms to him did to the Great damage of the same Benjamin Chew and against the Peace &c And Whereupon the same Benjamin Chew by Daniel Dulany his Attorney complains that Whereas the aforesd Benjamin Tasker by Virtue of the Powers and Authorities before mentioned the Twenty fifth Day of March in the Year of Our Lord Seventeen hundred and forty three at Cecil County aforesd demised to the said Benjamin Chew the said Tract Parcel or Manner of Land with the appurtenances To have and to Occupy the same unto him the said Benjamin Chew and his Assigns from the feast of St Michael then last past until the full end and Term of Seven Years then next following fully Compleat and ended by Virtue of which said Demise the same Benjamin Chew into the Premises aforesd with the appurtenances Entred and was thereof Possessed and the same Benjamin Chew being so thereof Possessed the aforesd Robt Mills afterwards to wit the Twenty Sixth Day of March in the Year of Our Lord Seventeen hundred and forty three aforesd with force and Arms into the said Premises with the appurtenances which the said Benjamin Tasker in form aforesd demised for the Term aforesd which is not yet Past Entred and him from his farm aforesd Ejected and other harms to him did to the Great damage of the same Benjamin Chew and against the Peace &c Whereupon the same Benjamin Chew saith that he is the worse and hath damage to the Value of two Thousand pounds Current money of Maryland and thereof he brings Suit &c

Pledges &c John Doe and Richd Roe

And the said Robt Mills by James Calder his Attorney comes said defends the force and Injury when &c and enters into the Common rule and prays leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and he hath it and the same Day is given to the Plff also

At which said next Court to wit the 8th Day of April Anno Dom. 1744 Come again the said Parties Plff and Defd by their Attorneys aforesd and the said Defend by his said Attorney prays further leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and he hath it and the same Day is given to the Plff also

At which said next Court to wit the 11th Day of September Anno Dom. 1744 Come again as well the said Benjn Chew lessee of the said Benjn Tasker by his Attorney aforesd as the said Robt Mills by his said Attorney as before defends the force and Injury when &c And saith that he is not Guilty of the Trespass and Ejectment aforesd in manner and form as the aforesd Plff above against him hath Complained and of this he puts himself upon the Country and the Plaintiff also

Whereupon the said Benjamin Chew lessee of the said Benjamin Tasker by his Attorney aforesd Offers himself ready for Tryal against the said Robt Mills, But the said Robt Mills altho Solemnly Called Comes not but makes Default whereby the said Plff remains against the said Defend wholly undefended.

Therefore it is Considered by the Justices here that the said Benjamin Chew lessee of the said Benjamin Tasker recover against the said Robt Mills his Term to Come and unexpired of in and unto all the aforesd Tract Parcel or Manner of Land in Cecil County aforesd Called Susquehanna Manner containing by Estimation thirty two thousand Acres with the appurtenances, And that he have thereof his Possession aforesd against the said Robt Mills &c And it is also Considered that the said Benjn Tasker lessor of the said Benjn Chew recover against the said Robert Mills the sum of

Pounds of Tob by the Court here unto him on his Agreed Adjudged for his Costs and Charges by him about his

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