DDLD Benjamin Johnes Lessee of Benson Bond & others
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Abraham Turbulent Saml Lawrence & Jas & John Machall Tenants

Marylandss Abraham Turbulent of Calvert County Labourer was attached to answer unto Benjamin Johnes of a plea Wherefore with force & arms into one Messuage and Two hundred & fifty Acres of Plantable Land in Calvert County being part of a Tract of Land called Lower Bennett which Benson Bond & Mary his Wife James Heighe & Betty his Wife Richard Young & Rebeccah his Wife & John Bond and Ann his Wife to the said Benjamin Demised for a Term which is not yet past did enter and him from his farm aforesaid did Eject & other harms to him did to the great Damage of the said Benjamin and against the peace &c

And Whereupon the same Benjamin by Daniel Dulany his Attorney Complains that Whereas the said Benson Bond & Mary his Wife James Heighe and Betty his Wife Richard Young & Rebecca his Wife John Bond and Ann his Wife the Twenty fourth day of June in the year of our Lord Seventeen Hundred forty six in Calvert County aforesaid Demised the said Messuage and Two hundred and fifty Acres of Land with the Appurtenances to the said Benjamin to have and to hold to him the said Benjamin for the Term of Seven years then next ensuing to be fully compleat and ended by Virtue of which Demise the said Benjamin into the said Messuage and Two hundred & fifty Acres of Land did enter and was thereof Possessed and being so thereof Possessed the said Abraham afterwards to wit the first day of July in the year aforesaid into the Messuage and Two hundred & fifty Acres of Land aforesaid with the Appurtenances which the said Benson & Mary his Wife James & Betty his Wife Richard & Rebecca his Wife & John and Ann his Wife to the said Benjamin for the Term aforesaid which is not yet past with force & arms did Enter and him the said Benjamin from his farm aforesaid did Eject & other harms to him did to the great damage of him the said Benjamin and against the peace &c Whereby he saith he is damnified and hath Loss to the Value of One hundred pounds Current Money of Maryland & therefore he brings this Suit &c

Pledges &c { John Doe, Richard Roe

To which aforegoing Declaration was annexed the following Rule Vizt

Unless the Tenants in Possession or him her or those under whom they claim do at the next Provincial Court to be held in Annapolis the Second Tuesday in April next Ensuing appear to this Declaration & make him her or themselves Defts thereto & by Rule of Court confess Lease Entry & Ouster and Insist on the Title only at the Trial the Deft will suffer Judgment to go for the Plaintiff by default and the Tenants will be Turned out of Possession Abraham Turbulent

To Samuel Lawrence, Richard Gooding and James Ent. Machall Tenants in Possession

And now here at this day to wit the 14th day of April anno Dom 1747 Comes into Court the Sheriff of Calvert County to whom the aforegoing Declaration was directed & Certifies to the Court here that he delivered Copy thereof to the Tenants in Possession of the Premises aforesaid Whereupon the Plaintiff by his said Attorney prays that the said Defendants the Tenants in Possession or those under whom they claim to his declaration aforesaid may answer but the said Abraham Turbulent nor the said Samuel Lawrence nor James John Machall nor any other Person or Persons Whatsoever appear to his Declaration aforesaid according to the Rule aforesaid but make default

Therefore it is Considered by the Justices here that the said Benjamin Johnes Lessee of the said Benson Bond & Mary his Wife James Heighe & Betty his Wife Richard Young & (Rebecca)

Rebecca his Wife and John Bond and Ann his Wife Recover their Term to come and unexpended of in and unto one Messuage and Two hundred & fifty acres of plantable Land in Calvert County being part of a Tract of Land called Lower Bennett and that he have thereof his Possession against the said Abraham Turbulent and that the said Defendant be taken &c

Test R Burges Clk

DB John Brice Esqr
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Samuel Hyde } Memd the Plaintiff sued out his Lordships Writ of attachment the Tenor whereof follows in these words Vizt Maryland ss Charles absolute Lord & Propry of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c To the Sheriff of Ann Arundell County Greeting We Command you that you attach any of the Goods Chattels Rights or Credits Lands & Tenements of Samuel Hyde late of London Merchant if they shall be found in your Bailywick to the value of Ninety five pounds three Shillings & Two pence Sterling & five Thousand pounds of Tobacco and when you have the same so attached or any part thereof the same in your Custody safe keep so that you have the same before the Justices of our Provincial Court to be held at Annapolis the Second Tuesday of April next then & there to be Condemned according to Act of Assembly to and for the use of a certain John Brice unless he the said Samuel Hyde by himself or his Attorney shall appear and answer unto the said John Brice of a plea of Trespass upon the Case according to Law and that by good and Lawfull Men of your Bailywick you make known unto the Person or Persons in whose Hands you make the same Attachment that he she or they be and appear before the Justices of our Provincial Court to be held as aforesaid to shew cause if any he she or they have why the same Goods Chattels Rights or Credits so attached in his her or their Hands ought not to be Condemned and Execution thereof had and made according to the direction of the Act of Assembly in that Case made and provided & to him her or them it shall Concern and how you shall Execute this Writ that you make known unto our said Justices at the day & place aforesaid have you then there this Writ Witness Benjamin Tasker Esqr Chief Justice of our said Court the 22d day of September in the 22d year of our Dominion &c Annoq Dom 1746

Test the 22d day of September 1746 (Bordley) R Burges Clk

At which said Second Tuesday of April to wit the 14th day of the same Month anno Dom 1747 being the day of the Return of the aforegoing Writ Comes the said John Brice by Stephen Bordley his Attorney & the Sheriff of Ann Arundell County to whom the same Writ was directed likewise comes & makes Return thereof to the Court here thus Endorsed Vizt I hereby Certifie to the Honourable the Justices within mentioned that by Virtue of the within Precept to me directed I attached on the 22d September 1746 in the Hands of Joseph Dumphrey the several Sums of Money & Tobacco within mentioned as of the Rights and Credits of the within mentioned Samuel Hyde to and for the use of the within mentioned John Brice and have made known unto the above mentioned Joseph Dumphrey before Rachel Denton & Robert Swan Two good & Lawfull Men of my Bailywick that he be and appear before the Justices within mentioned at the day & place within Contained to shew cause &c as by the Within Writ I am Commanded So Answers Wm Thornton Sheriff

Whereupon the said John Brice by his said Attorney prays that upon giving Security according to Act of Assembly the Sum of Six pounds Sixteen Shillings & four pence Sterling part of the aforesaid Sum of Money attached in the Hands of the said Joseph Dumphrey may be Condemned as of the Right (and)