the said John Sims may be adjudged to give security for Cost in case he shall happen to be Nonsuited in the Plea aft. But the said John Sims altho. solemnly called comes not but makes Default nor does he further Prosecute his Writ against the aft. James Edelin in the Plea of Therefore it is considered by the Justices here that the said John Sims take nothing by his Writ aft. But that he and his Pledges of Prosecuting be in Mercy and that the Names of his said Pledges be caught for and that the said James Edelin go thence without Day And its also considered that the said James Edelin recover against the said John Sims the sum of Pounds of Tobacco by the Court here unto him in his aforesaid adjudged for his Costs and Charges by him about his Defence in this behalf laid out and expended and that he have thereof his Execution &c.

Test R Burdett Cltk

(Fd) John Ultoman vs Joseph Hardman (D 22) — Command was given to the Sheriff of Frederick County that he should take Joseph Hardman of Frederick County Innholder otherwise called Joseph Hardman of Frederick County and Province aforesaid Innholder if should be found in his Bailywick and him should safe keep so that he might have his Body before his Lordships Justices of the Provincial Court to be held at Annapolis the second Tuesday of September then next to Answer unto John Ultoman in a plea that he render unto him the Sum of Three hundred and forty seven Pounds Current Money which to him he Owes & from him unjustly detains and that thereof he the said Sheriff should not fail &c.

At which said Second Tuesday of September to wit the 11th day of the same Month Anno Dom: 1753 being the Day of the return of the foregoing Writ comes the said John Ultoman by Henry Darnall his Attorney and the Sheriff of Frederick County to whom the same Writ was directed likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here thus Endorsed viz.

Execi Geo: Gordon Sheriff

And the said Joseph Hardman by Edward Dorsey his Attorney comes and defends the force & injury when &c. And prays leave to Imparle hereunto until next Court & he hath it & the same Day is given to the Plaintiff also. At which said next Court to wit the 21st day of May Anno Dom: 1754 come again the said Parties Plaintiff and Defendant by their Attorneys aft. & the said Defendant 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 Plaintiff also

At which said next Court to wit the 15th Day of October Anno Dom: 1754 comes again as well the said John Ultoman by his Attorney aft. as the said Joseph Hardman by his Attorney aft. & the said Joseph Hardman by his said Attorney as before defends the force and injury when &c. And saith that he cannot Deny the Action aft. of the said John Ultoman is as aft. against him brought nor but that he Owes to the same John Ultoman the aft. Sum of Three hundred & forty seven Pounds Current Money — Therefore it is considered by the Justice here that the said John Ultoman Recover against the said Joseph Hardman as well the Sum of Three hundred & forty seven Pounds Current Money a certain Debt as also the Sum of Pounds of Tobacco by the Court here unto him in his Against adjudged as well for his Damages sustained by means of detaining that Debt as for his Costs and Charges by him about his Suit in this behalf laid out and expended & the said Defendt. in Mercy &c. Test R Burdett Cltk

(Fd) John Ultoman vs Martin Whitral (D 23) — Command was given to the Sheriff of Frederick County that he should take Martin Whitral of Frederick County Farmer otherwise called Martin Whitral of Frederick County Farmer if he should be found in his Bailywick and him should safe keep so that he might have his Body before his Lordships Justices of the Provincial Court to be held at Annapolis the second Tuesday of September then next to

(Answer)

Answer unto John Ultoman in a plea that he render unto him the Sum of Three hundred and forty seven Pounds Current Money which to him he Owes and from him unjustly detains and that thereof he the said Sheriff should not fail &c. At which said second Tuesday of September to wit the 11th day of the same Month Anno Dom: 1753 being the Day of the return of the foregoing Writ comes the said John Ultoman by Henry Darnall his Attorney and the Sheriff of Frederick County to whom the same Writ was directed likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here thus Endorsed viz.

Execi Geo: Gordon Sheriff

And the said Martin Whitral by Edward Dorsey his Attorney comes and defends the force and injury when &c. And prays leave to Imparle hereunto until next Court and he hath it and the same Day is given to the Plaintiff also

At which said next Court to wit the 21st Day of May Anno Dom: 1754 comes again the said Parties Plaintiff and Defendant by their Attorneys aft. and the said Defendant 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 Plaintiff also

At which said next Court to wit the 15th Day of October Anno Dom: 1754 comes again as well the said John Ultoman by his Attorney aft. as the said Martin Whitral by his said Attorney as before defends the force and injury when &c. and saith that he cannot Deny the Action aft. of the said John Ultoman is as aft. against him brought nor but that he Owes to the same John Ultoman the aft. Sum of Three hundred and forty seven Pounds Current Money

Therefore it is considered by the Justice here that the said John Ultoman Recover against the said Martin Whitral as well the Sum of Three Hundred and forty seven Pounds Current Money a certain Debt as also the Sum of Pounds of Tobacco by the Court here unto him in his Against adjudged as well for his Damages sustained by means of detaining that Debt as for his Costs and Charges by him about his Suit in this behalf laid out and expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &c.

Test R Burdett Cltk

(Fd) Wm. Trover, Bartholomew Pomeroy & Joseph Jenson Assignees of Jos. Chilpott & John Hutchinson late of London Merchants Bankrupts vs Nathanel Wickham Junr. (D 24) — Command was given to the Sheriff of Frederick County that he should take Nathaniel Wickham the Younger late of Frederick County Gentleman otherwise called Nathaniel Wickham Junior of Frederick County Gentleman if he should be found in his Bailywick & him should safe keep so that he might have his Body before his Lordships Justices of the Provincial Court to be held at Annapolis the second Tuesday of April then next to Answer unto William Trover, Bartholomew Pomeroy and Joseph Jenson Assignees of the Debts Goods and Chattels of John Chilpott and John Hutchinson late of London Merchants Bankrupts according to the form of the Statute made and provided concerning Bankrupts of a plea that he render unto them One Hundred and thirty Pounds eight shillings and eight pence Sterling Money of Great Britain which to them he Owes and unjustly detains &c. And that thereof he the said Sheriff should not fail &c. At which said second Tuesday of April to wit the 10th day of the same Month Anno Dom: 1753 being the Day of the return of the foregoing Writ comes the said Wm. Trover Bartholomew Pomeroy and Joseph Jenson by Daniel Dulany their Attorney and the Sheriff of Frederick County to whom the same Writ was directed likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here thus Endorsed viz. Execi Jacob Beall Sheriff And the said Nathanel Wickham Junr. being called upon appears Thereupon at the Prayer of the Plaintiff by their Attorney aft. the said Nathanel Wickham Junr. is adjudged to give special Bail to the Action aft. Thereupon Joseph Ogle of Frederick County Farmer present here in Court Undertakes for the said Nathanel Wickham that in case the said William Trover Bartholomew Pomeroy and Joseph Jenson shall Recover Judgment against the said Nathanel Wickham Junr. in the Plea aft. or that the said Nathanel Wickham shall be therein legally Convict that then the said Nathanel Wickham shall pay the Condemnation of the Court thereupon or render his Body into the Custody of the Sheriff of Frederick County in satisfaction thereof or that he the said Joseph Ogle will do the same for him. And the said Nathanel Wickham Junr. by Henry Darnall his Attorney comes and defends the force and injury when &c. And prays leave to imparle hereunto until next Court & he hath it and the same Day is given to the Plaintiff also

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