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George Stewart and Alexander John Bullen Survivor of the aforesaid Robert Gordon or their Successors or Trustees as aforesaid be Lawfully Satisfyed you Safely keep and all the Lands and Chattles of him the said Joseph Garnett in your Baliwick by the oath of Good and Lawfull men of the said Baliwick where by the Truth of the matter may be the better known according to their true value diligently to be Enquired and appraised and unto our hands to be seized you cause that them the aforesaid Charles Hammond George Stewart and John Bullen Exrs. or Trustees as aforesaid of their Just untill to them the Debt aforesaid shall be fully Satisfyed you may cause to be Delivered according to the forme of the ordinance there of made and know this our Precept shall be Executed that you may make known unto our Justices of our Provencial Court on the third Tuesday in October Next by your Letter Sealed and Have there this writ Witness John Beale Esqr. Chief Justice of our said Court the 21st Day of May in the 6 year of our Dominion Anno Domi 1756

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At which said third Tuesday of October to wit the 19 Day of the same month Anno Domini Being the Day of the Return of the aforegoing writ Comes the said Commissioners or Trustees in their Proper person and the Sheriff Ann Arundel County to whom the Same writ Was directed likewise Comes and unto us return thereof to the Court here that Judgment to be Satisfyed the Plaintiffs principal and Interest and Cost Satisfyed the Shff. Wm Hyde Shff.

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not the Deed of him the said Thomas and of this he puts himself upon the Country and so forth

And the said Thomas with the leave of the Court here according to the form of the Statute in such Case lately made and provided further defends the force and Injury when and so forth and says that the aforesaid William his Action aforesaid against him the said Thomas to have or maintain ought not because he saith that he the said Thomas at Baltimore County aforesaid did pay unto the aforesaid William the aforesaid sum of Two thousand seven hundred and eighty pounds five shillings and eleven pence of good and lawful Money of Great Britain together with Interest for the same at the Rate of five pounds by the hundred pounds by the Year according to the form and Effect of the Condition aforesaid and this he is ready to verify and so forth Whereupon he prays Judgment if the aforesaid William his Action aforesaid against him to have or maintain ought and so forth Nevertheless the said Thomas Harrison by his Attorney aforesaid relinquishing the Averments aforesaid above by him pretended saith that he cannot deny the Action of the said William Perkins aforesaid nor but that the Writing aforesaid is the Deed of him the said Thomas Harrison nor but that he owes to the said William Perkins the said sum of five thousand five hundred and sixty pounds eleven shillings and ten pence of good and lawful Money of Great Britain in manner and form as the said William Perkins above against him hath Declared

Therefore it is Considered by the Justices here that the said William Perkins recover against the said Thomas Harrison as well the sum of five thousand five hundred and sixty pounds eleven shillings and ten pence of good and lawful Money of Great Britain his Debt aforesaid as the sum of

272½ Pound of Tobacco by the Court here unto the said William Perkins on his Agreed Adjudged as well for his Damages which he hath Sustained by the Occasion of the Detention of that Debt as for his Costs and Charges by him about his Suit in this behalf Expended And the said Defendant in Mercy and so forth

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