of their Attorneys aforesaid 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 ninth day of April Anno Domini 1765 Comes here again as well the said John Shee by his Attorney aforesaid as the said John Ward by his Attorney aforesaid And the said John Ward by his Attorney aforesaid as before, Defends the Force and Injury when and wherefore and saith that he with the Debt aff by Virtue of the writing Obligatory aff told in the Demand ought not because he saith that that writing is not the deed of him the said John Ward and of this he puts himself upon the Country and so forth and the aforesaid John Shee in like manner and so forth —

And the said John Ward by the leave of the Court here and according to the form of the Statute in such Case made and provided comes and further defends the Force and Injury when &c. and saith that the said John Shee his action aff thereof against him the said John Ward to have or maintain ought not because he saith that he the said John Ward before the Impetration of the Original writ of him the said John Shee in this behalf prefixed paid to him the said John Shee the aff sum of five hundred and thirty pounds eleven shillings and seven pence lawful money of Pennsylvania with legal Interest thereon according to the Force and Effect of the Condition aff and this is ready to verify &c. wherefore he prays Judgment if the said John Shee his action aff against him to have or maintain ought &c. —

And the said John Shee as to the second plea of the said John Ward saith that he by anything by the said John Ward above in his said second plea alleged from having and maintaining his action aff thereof against him the said John Ward to be precluded ought not because he saith that the said John Ward did not pay to him the said John Shee the said sum of five hundred and thirty pounds eleven shillings and seven pence lawful money of Pennsylvania with legal Interest thereon in manner and form as the said John Ward above in his said second plea hath alleged and of this he prays it may be enquired by the Country and so forth. And the said John Ward therefore in like manner and so forth —

Nevertheless the aforesaid John Ward by his Attorney aforesaid replying further to the Arrearments above by him pretended saith that he cannot deny the action aforesaid of him the said John Shee was aforesaid above against him brought, nor but that the writing Obligatory aforesaid is the deed of him the said John Ward nor but that he owe unto the said John Shee the sum of One thousand and sixty one pounds three shillings and six pence lawful money of Pensylvania of the value of One thousand and sixty One pounds three shillings and two pence Current Money of Maryland in manner and form as he the said John Shee above against him hath declared —

(Therefore)

Therefore it is considered by the Justices here that the said John Shee recover against the said John Ward as well the sum of One thousand and sixty one pounds three shillings and two pence Current Money of Maryland his Debt aforesaid in form aforesaid confessed and also the sum of

pounds of Tobacco by the Court hereunto him the said John Shee on his assent adjudged as well for his Damages sustained by Occasion of the Detention of 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. —

Memorandum The Plaintiff agrees to release the Imprisonment upon payment of the Principal Interest and Costs of Suit to allow any payments that can be made appear to have been made and to take Pennsylvania Currency for the same due —

Test Reverdy Ghiselin Clk

Tj Robert Couden against Thomas Lloyd JK

Command was given to the Sheriff of Cecil County that he should take Thomas Lloyd late of Cecil County Merchant otherwise called Thomas Lloyd of Cecil County & Province of Maryland Mercht if he should be found in his Bailiwick and him safe keep so that he might have his Body before the Justices of his Lordships Provincial Court to be held at Annapolis the Second Tuesday of April then next to answer unto Robert Couden in a plea that he render unto him Two hundred and twelve pounds Sterling money of Great Britain and Nine pounds three shillings Current Money of Maryland which to him he owes and unjustly detains and so forth and that thereof he the said Sheriff was not to fail &c. —

And the said Robert Couden declared against the said Thomas Lloyd in the plea aforesaid as follows to wit —

Cecil County ss. Thomas Lloyd late of Cecil County Merchant otherwise called Thomas Lloyd of Cecil County Province of Maryland Mercht was summoned to answer unto Robert Couden in a plea that he render unto him two hundred and twelve pounds Sterling money of Great Britain and Nine pounds three shillings Current money of Maryland which to him he owes and unjustly detains and so forth And whereupon the said Robert by Thomas Johnson junior his Attorney saith that whereas the aforesaid Thomas Lloyd on the twenty fourth day of November in the year of our Lord Seventeen hundred and Sixty three at Cecil County aforesaid by his Certain writing Obligatory with the Seal of him the said Thomas Lloyd sealed and to the Court now here shown whose date is the same day and year acknowledged himself to be held and firmly bound unto him the said Robert in the aforesaid Two hundred and twelve pounds Sterling money and Nine pounds three shillings Current money of Maryland to be paid unto him the said Robert when afterwards he should be thereunto required Nevertheless the aforesaid Thomas Lloyd (although often thereunto required) the aforesaid sums of money or either of them or any part of either of them to him the said Robert hath not rendered or paid but the

(same)