44. Anglo Containing Acres he broke and entered and their Grass
to the Value of forty Shillings Current Money of Maryland with his feet by
walking tred down and Consumed and their trees there also growing to wit
twenty five Sasafrages Twenty three Oaks five Dogwoods two Chestnuts
and one Hickory of the Value of Ten Pounds like Money cut down took and
Carried and in the soil of the said Close to wit fifteen feet Square of
Ground with Hoes there digg whereby they the said Mary Susannah &
Sarah the Profit of their aforesaid soil for a long time to wit for the Space
of lost and other Harms to them then there did to the great Damage
of them the said Mary Susannah & Sarah and against the Peace of the right
Honourable the Lord Proprietary that now is and so forth Wherefore they say
they are Prejudiced and have Damage to the Value of Twenty Pounds
Current Money and therefore they bring suit & so forth
Pledges &c John Doe & Richd Roe

At which said third Tuesday in June then next to wit the 16th Day of the same
Month Anno Domini 1763 being the Day of the return of the writ aforesaid
Come here at Prince Frederic Town before the Justices of Calvert County
Court Judicially Sitting the aforesaid Mary Susannah & Sarah Johnson
by their Guardian and Attorney aforesaid and the Sheriff of Calvert County
to whom the writ aforesaid was directed at the same time & place likewise
likewise comes and makes return thereof endorsed in hec Verba scilicet Copy
test in tuno "Leonard Hollyday Sheriff" A Copy of the aforegoing
Declaration having been made and sent with the writ in the Plea aforesaid
Whereupon the aforesaid John Beveridge by James Key his Attorney comes
and defends the force and injury when & and prays Liberty thereof to imparle
untill the third Tuesday in August next and he hath it the same Day is
given to the Plaintiffs also At which said third Tuesday in August then
next come again the said Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attorneys aforesaid
and the said Defendant by his Attorney aforesaid defends the force &
injury when &c forth and prays further leave to imparle untill the third
Tuesday in November next and he hath it and the same Day is given to
the Plaintiffs also At which said Third Tuesday in November then next
come again the said Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attorneys aforesaid
and the said Defendant by his Attorney aforesaid defends the force & injury
when &c and prays further leave thereof to imparle until the third Tues-
day in March next and he hath it and the same Day is given to the
Plaintiffs also &c At which said third Tuesday in March then next come
again the said Plaintiffs and Defd by their Attorneys aforesaid and

(prays)

44 prays yet further leave to imparle until the third Tuesday in June then next
and he hath it the same Day is given to the Plaintiffs also &c At which said
third Tuesday in June then next that is to say now here at this Day to wit the 19th
Day of the same Anno Domini 1764 Come again as well the Plaintiffs aforesaid
by their Attorney aforesaid as the said Defendant by his Attorney aforesaid and the
said Defendant by his said Attorney defends the force & injury when &c and pro-
to the Court here his Lordships the right Honourable the Lord Proprietarys
writ of Habeas Corpus cum causa issuing out his said Lordships Provincial
Court of this his Province of Maryland To the Justices and Sheriff of Calvert County
directed the Tenor whereof follows in hec Verba Maryland to wit Frederic
Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Province of Maryland and Avalon &c
Baron of Baltimore &c To the Justices and Sheriff of Calvert County Greeting
Whereas a certain John Beveridge by whatsoever name the Parties be called in this
plea aforesaid together with the Day and Cause of his Caption & Detainer and
all things thereunto relating before the Justices of our Provincial Court to be
held at Annapolis the second Tuesday of September next that the said Justices may
further Proceed therein as is Justice Appertains hereof fail not at your Peril and have
you there this writ Witness John Brice Esquire Chief Justice of our said Provincial
Court the 10th Day of April in the 19th Year of our Dominion &c and in the Year of
our Lord Seventeen hundred and Sixty four
Reverdy Ghiselin Clk
Issues the 23d Day of April 1764 Allowed per Jno Brice (Tho Johnson)

June 19th 1765 The aforegoing writ being by the Justices here seen and heard is allowed
of and Ordered that the Clerk of this Court make out a transcript of the Proceedings
herein this Action in this Plea aforesaid under the seal of the same Court and
Transmit the same to the Honourable the Justices of the Provincial Court the
Second Tuesday of September next and that all further Proceedings therein there cease
Calvert County ss In Testimony of the truth of the aforegoing Record the Seals of the
County Court aforesaid is hereunto affixed the 12th Day of July Anno Domini 1764
Jno Ireland Clk Cal Cty

And now here at this Day to wit the aforesaid Second Tuesday in September being
the 11th Day of the same Month Anno Domini 1765 Come into Court as well the said Mary
Susannah & Sarah Johnson by John Hall their Attorney as the said John Beveridge
by Thomas Johnson his Attorney aforesaid and the said John Beveridge by his
said Attorney Prays leave to imparle hereunto untill next Court & he hath it
and the same Day is given &c to the Plaintiffs also &c At which said next Court
to wit the ninth Day of April Anno Domini 1765 Come again as well the
said Plaintiffs by their Attorney aforesaid as the said Defendant by his
Attorney aforesaid and the said Defendant by his said Attorney Prays

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