May Term 1768.

T T Charles Croxall
vs
R G John Tyler

Commanded was given to the Sheriff of Dorchester County that he should take John Tyler late of Dorchester County in the Province of Maryland planter otherwise called John Tyler of Dorset County in ye province aforesaid if he should be found in his Bailiwick and him safe keep so that he might have his body before the Justices of his Lordship the Lord Proprietarys Provincial Court to be held at Annapolis the Third Tuesday of October then next to answer unto Charles Croxall of a Plea that he render unto him the sum of Sixty two pounds fourteen Shillings Current Money which to him he owes and unjustly detains and so forth and that he the said Sheriff thereof should not fail

And the aforesaid Charles Croxall by Thomas Johnson his Attorney declard against the said John Tyler in the Plea aforesaid as follows to wit Dorchester County to wit John Tyler late of Dorchester County in the Province of Maryland Planter otherwise called John Tyler of Dorset County in the Province aforesaid was Summoned to answer unto Charles Croxall of a Plea that he Render unto him the sum of Sixty two pounds fourteen Shillings Current Money which to him he owes and unjustly detains and so forth And Whereupon the said Charles by Thomas Johnson Junior his Attorney saith that Whereas the aforesaid John on the Seventh day of May in the Year Seventeen hundred and Sixty five at Dorchester County aforesaid by his Certain writing obligatory acknowledged himself to be held and firmly bound unto him the said Charles in the aforesaid sum of Sixty two pounds fourteen Shillings Current Money to be paid to him the said Charles when afterwards he should be thereunto required: Nevertheless the aforesaid John (altho' often thereunto required) the aforesaid sum of Money to him the said Charles hath not rendered or paid but the same to him hitherto to render or pay he hath altogether refused and still doth refuse wherefore he saith he is the worse and hath Damage to the Value of twenty pounds Current Money aforesaid and therefore he brings suit and so forth and brings hereunto Court the writing obligatory aforesaid sealed with the seal of the aforesaid John which the Debt aforesaid in form aforesaid Witnesseth the Date whereof is the day and year aforesaid and so forth &c

John Doe
and
Richard Roe

Thos. Johnson Junr. for Pl. Pledges ut supra

A Copy of which aforegoing Declaration was made and sent with the Writ in the Plea aforesaid

At which said Third Tuesday of October being the day of the same Month Anno Domini 1767 being the day of the return of the aforegoing writ comes the said Charles Croxall by his attorney aforesaid and the Sheriff of Dorchester County to whom the said writ Was directed likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here thus Endorsed Viz.t Capi Nar deliv.d the 25.th Sept.r

Se Answers John Dickinson Sheriff

And the said John Tyler being called upon appears thereupon at the prayer of the Plaintiff by his Attorney aforesaid the said John Tyler is adjudged to give special Bail to the Action aforesaid Whereupon a Certain Lewis Griffith (son of Lewis) and Peter Sherwan of Dorchester County present here in Court in their proper persons undertakes for the said John Tyler that in case the said Charles Croxall shall recover Judgment against the said John Tyler in the Plea aforesaid or that the said John Tyler shall be therein Legally Convict that then the said John Tyler shall pay the Condemnation of the Court thereupon or deliver his body to the Custody of the Sheriff of Dorchester County in Satisfaction thereof or that they the said Lewis Griffith (son of Lewis) and Peter Sherwan or one of them will do it for him

And the aforesaid John Tyler by Robert Goldsborough his Attorney comes and defends the force and Injury when &c.a and prays a hearing of the writing obligatory aforesaid and he hath it he prays also a hearing of the Condition of the said writing obligatory and it is read to him in the words following to wit The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the the above bound John Tyler his Executors and Administrators do & shall well & truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Charles Croxall his Certain Attorney Executors Administrators or Assigns the Just and full sum of Thirty one pounds Seven Shillings Current Money at or upon the Twentieth day of June next Ensuing the date hereof with Legal Interest for the same then the above obligation to be void Else to remain in full force and virtue in Law

John Tyler (Ls)

Sealed & delivered in the Presence of
John Moale

And the said John Tyler by Robert Goldsborough his Attorney aforesaid comes and defends the force and Injury when and so forth and prays leave to Imparle hereunto untill the next Court and he hath it and the same day is given to the Plaintiff also.

At which said next Court to wit the 17 day of May Anno Domini 1768 comes again as well the said Charles Croxall by his Attorney aforesaid as the said John Tyler by his Attorney aforesaid, and the said John Tyler by his attorney aforesaid comes and defends the force and Injury when &c.a and saith that he said Charles his Action aforesaid thereof against him the said John

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