Jeremiah Adderton — Thomas Seymour

Memo: that said Jeremiah Adderton by Danl Dullany his attorney sued out her majtys writt of Corl against the defendt the tenor of which follows in these words viz:

Maryland ss: Anne by the grace of God of Great Brittain France and Ireland Queen defender of the faith &c To the Justices and Clerk of Charles County Court greeting Whereas a Certaine Jeremiah Adderton has commenced his Certain action of trespass upon the Case against one Thomas Seymour Esqr in your said County Court which said action still depends before you our said Justices as it is sayd undetermined and we being willing for divers Causes that the action aforesaid undetermined as aforesaid be heard and determined before the Justices of our prov: Court Wee therefore Command you that the record and process aforesaid in the said action aforesaid and all things thereunto relating under your hands and seals distinctly and openly you send and Certifie to our Justices of our prov: Court at Annapolis the first tuesday of October next that our said Justices of our prov: Court may further proceed therein as to Justice appertaineth &c hereof you also not to fail and send you then there this writt Witness Wm Holland esqr Chief Justice of our said prov: Court the 18th day of July in the 11th year of our reigne Annoque Domi 1712 Dullany

Attest Wm Calvert Clk

At which said first tuesday of October to wit the Seventh day of the same month Anno Domi 1712 the said Justices & Clerk return to the Court here in Compliance with the said writt the following read viz:

Charles County ss: At a County Court of our Soveraigne Lady Anne by the grace of God of Great Brittaine France and Ireland Queen defender of the faith &c held at Portobacco in said County on the twelfth day of August in the Eleventh year of the reigne of the Lady the Queen Anno Domi 1712

before Jno Hanson Gent Phillip Hoskins:
Gent Tom Herbert Robert Yeatty
Gent Hugh Craig: Gerrard Fowke
Gent Edmund Howard Gent
Justices authorized — Capt Thomas Deal high sheriff

In the records of said Court proceedings amongst other things is contained as viz:

Jeremiah Adderton — Plt
vs
Thomas Seymour — Defd

Charles County ss: Anne by the grace of God of Great Brittaine France and Ireland Queen defender of the faith &c To the sheriff of Charles County greeting Wee Command you that you take Thomas Seymour Late of Charles County Esqr if he shall be found in your bailywick and him safe keep so that you have his body

(before)



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before the Justices of our next Court to be held at Portobacco the third tuesday Instant by Adournment from the second tuesday to answer unto Jeremiah Adderton of a plea of trespass upon the Case as hereof said not at your peril and have you then and there this writt Witness Philip Hoskins Gent Chief Justice of our said Court at Portobacco the thirteenth day of November in the tenth year of our reigne Anno Domi 1711 Jno Rogers Clk

Good bail 20s

Dullany for Defd

And nowhere this day to wit the said third Saturday & twenty eth day of November Came the said Jeremiah Adderton by Danl Dullany his attorney and offered himself against the said Thomas Seymour of the plea aforesaid and the sheriff as he was Commanded now returneth that he hath taken the body of the said Thomas Seymour and the same hath here in Court ready and thereupon the same day Came into Court before the Justices &c in their proper person Abigall Beeson Jacob Miller and Barton Smoot of Charles County planters and acknowledged themselves and each of them to be Indebted unto the aforesaid Jeremiah Adderton in the sum of twenty pounds Ster to which said sum the said Abigall Beeson Jacob Miller and Barton Smoot yeilded to and granted and each of them for themselves and their heirs to be made and levyed of their Lands and Chattells to the use and behoof of the said Jeremiah Adderton and also Came hereinto Court same day before the Justices &c in his proper person Thomas Seymour of Charles County Esqr and acknowledged himself to be Indebted unto the said Jeremiah Adderton in the sum of forty pounds Ster which said sum the said Thomas Seymour yeilded to and granted for himself and his heirs to be made and levyed of his Lands and Chattells to the use and behoof of the said Jeremiah Adderton

On Condition that if it should happen Judgmt in this same Court here in the plea aforesaid against the aforesaid Thomas Seymour should be had obtained that then the same Thomas Seymour all damages which to the said ~~Thomas Seymour~~ Jeremiah Adderton by occasion of the plea aforesaid against the said Thomas Seymour in the same Court here should be adjudged would satisfie or his body in Execution of such Judgmt to be Kept Custody of the sheriff would rendred

Charles County ss: Thomas Seymour late of Charles County Esqr was attached to answer unto Jeremiah Adderton of a plea of trespass upon the Case &c

And whereupon the same Jeremiah by Danl Dullany his attorney Complaineth that whereas within the province of Maryland and the Citty of London in England there is and hath been time Contrary whereof in the memory of man is not known an annual

(Landall &c)