John Pugh Compl
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James Smith — } This being a Ca Sa for 24377 lb tobbacco due 563 of tobbacco ffor the Shrif made returne thereof Cepi ffi me Edw: Sweatnam Shr

Sr Thomas Lawrence
at
Robt Benson — } Ca Sa for M 1200 of tobbacco ffor 535 lbs the Shrif made returne thereof Sandy ffi James Macwell Shrif

Robt Brownson
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John Cornish — } This being a writt of Fieri fac for 31 : 03 : 11 New England Money 3766 lbs of tobbacco ffor of fees the Shrif made returne thereof Habeas Corpus ffi me Wm Whittington Shr

John Tellman
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John Browne Compl — } This being an attachmt for the sum of two thousand eight hundred and seventeen pounds of tobbacco the Shrif made returne thereof that he has attached in the hands of Robert Ward the sum of two thousand eight hundred and seventeen lbs of tobbacco and summoned him before Henry Hewitt and John Gray two Lawfull Men of my Bayliwick to appear and shew cause if any they have why the said Robert Ward should not be condemned to the use of the said John Tellman according to the Custom of Maryland Now heard at this day to wit the twenty fourth day of October Anno Domini 1697 came the said John Tellman by William Rose his atty and prayed condemnation of the said sum of 2817 lbs of tobbacco and the said Robert Ward being solemnly called to come into Court and shew cause if any he had why the same should not be condemned came not whereupon it is considered by the Court that the same be condemned in the hands of the said Robert Ward

John Doman
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John Ottley — } Attachmt for 600 lbs of tobbacco the Shrif made returne thereof Nulla Bona ffi Wm Peirce Shr

3: The writt commands to take Thomas Collins otherwise or and the Deed containes that Thomas Collins late of Talbott County Gent was summoned which is a variance between the Deed & the writt and between the Deed & writt and the specially in the Defts addition and his place of abode

4: The Shrif of Kent County could not goe out of his Bayliwick to serve — process in Talbott County and the pltff in his Deed hath showed Thomas Collins late of Talbott County was summoned which could not be done by the Shrif of Kent County unlesse that the pltff had showed that Thomas Collins had been within Kent County and therefore Error

5: There is a great variance between the Deed and the specially and consequently between the writt and the specially for that the specially doth not oblige the Deft to pay 1658½ lbs of tobbacco in express words which the writt expresseth and if any of these are broader or narrower then the other as they are it is Error

6: The Pltff could not have Debt upon this Deed because the Deed obligeth to doe a thing Morally Collateral such an act as was not required by a Certain by the Deed it self and was not then in Esse at the time of making the Deed but he ought to have Covenant and because he hath brought Debt where Debt did not lye the Judgt therein given is erroneous

7: The Judgt is very uncertaine as to what Cost shall be recovered and therefore erroneous for all which Errors and divers others in as well in the process and pleadings as also in the rendering of Judgment and the Proceedings thereunto the Deft prayeth that the Judg given by him in the County Court may be reversed holden for none and set aside and he wall that he hath lost thereby may be restored (Gentlemen)

Now here at this day to wit the 26th day of October 1697 came the said Thomas Collins by Robt Gould of Bracken his atty and the said John Chairs by William his atty and the Proceedings of the County Court aforesaid and the Errors aforesaid being Read and the Arguments and pleadings on both side being by the Court fully heard and understood It is considered by the Court that the errors aforesaid are not sufficient in Law to set aside the Judg aforesaid But that the Judg aforesaid be affirmed and ordered that Proceedendo issue accordingly with the sum of thirteen hundred and fifty — — — pounds of tobbacco to the said John Chairs by the Court adjudged for his cost & charges laid out & expended in this cause