Overton Carr against Bennett Wheeler	Same proceedings and Judgment Mutatis mutandis as same plaintiff against Joseph Wheeler entered in page five hundred and fifteen except that in this Case the Costs of suit are one thousand and five pounds of tobacco.

Test John Gwinn Clk.

State of Maryland at the Instance and for the use of James Cheston's admrs. against Philemon Griffith	Be it remembered that heretofore to wit, on the twenty ninth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight. The State of Maryland by William Cooke its attorney, sued out of the General Court here the writ of said State of Capias ad respondendum directed to the sheriff of Montgomery County in form following, to wit.

The State of Maryland &c. To the sheriff of Montgomery County. Greeting, You are hereby commanded to take Philemon Griffith late of Montgomery County planter otherwise called Philimon Griffith if he shall be found in your bailiwick and him safe keep so that you have his body before the Judges of the General Court to be held at the City of Annapolis on the second Tuesday of May next to answer unto the State of Maryland of a plea that he render unto the said State the full and just sum of thousand pounds Current money, which to the said State he owes and unjustly detains and so forth. Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there this writ. Witness the honourable Robert Goldsborough Esquire chief Judge of the said Court the 29th day of January Anno Domini 1798.

Issued the 29th day of March 1798. W.C. John Gwinn Clk.

At which said second Tuesday of May being the Eighth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight and the day of the return of the aforegoing writ comes into the General Court here the said State of Maryland by its attorney aforesaid and the sheriff of Montgomery County to whom the said writ was directed makes return thereof to the Court here this endorsed to wit.

N. Est Benja W. Jones Sheriff.

And the said Philemon Griffith by Richard Ridgely his attorney voluntarily appears in court here and defends the force and injury when and so forth, and prays leave of the Court here to imparle untill the second Tuesday of October next and to him it is granted the same day

day is granted to the said State of Maryland also.

At which said second tuesday of October being the ninth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight to which said day the said Philimon Griffith had leave to imparle come again into the General Court here as well the said State of Maryland by its attorney aforesaid as the said Philimon Griffith by his attorney aforesaid and thereupon on motion of the said Philimon Griffith by his attorney aforesaid It is ruled by the Court here that the said State of Maryland Declare against the said Philimon Griffith in the plea aforesaid or Judgment by the Court here will be rendered against the said State in default hereof and the said State of Maryland by its attorney aforesaid prays leave of the Court here to Imparle untill the second Tuesday of May next and then to declare against the said Philimon Griffith in the plea aforesaid and to the said State it is granted the same day is given to the said Philimon Griffith also.

At which said second Tuesday of May being the fourteenth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine to which said day the said State of Maryland had leave to imparle and then to Declare against the said Philimon Griffith in the plea aforesaid come again into the General Court here as well the said State of Maryland by its attorney aforesaid as the said Philimon Griffith by his attorney aforesaid and the said State of Maryland by its attorney aforesaid on the twenty third day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine filed in Court here its declaration against the said Philimon Griffith in the plea aforesaid and the oyer of the Bond in form following to wit.

Western Shore State of Maryland Montgomery County &c.

Philimon Griffith late of Montgomery County planter otherwise called Philimon Griffith was summoned to answer unto the State of Maryland in a plea that he render unto the said State the full and just sum of five thousand pounds Current money which to the said State he owes and (w) unjustly detains and so forth.

And whereupon the said State by William Cooke its attorney saith that whereas the aforesaid Philemon on the fourteenth day of October in the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety four at Montgomery County aforesaid by his certain writing obligatory acknowledged himself to be held and firmly bound unto the aforesaid State of Maryland in the aforesaid full and just sum of five thousand pounds Current money to be paid to the said State when afterwards he should be thereunto required.

Nevertheless