the aft. John Clapham and William Eddis do recover against the said James Chalmers the sum of four hundred and fifty Pounds Sterling the Debt aft. as also

for their Damages which they have sustained as well by occasion of the Detention of that Debt as for their Costs and Charges by them about their Suit in this part appoyed unto the aft. John Clapham and William Eddis by the Court here adjudged and so forth.

James Earle Clk

John Clapham & William Eddis - - against Collier Fountain	The State of Maryland sent to the Sheriff of Somerset County her close Writ in these words following to wit. The State of Maryland. To the Sheriff of Somerset County Greeting Whereas it appears by the Records

of our General Court for the Eastern Shore of Maryland that Collier Fountain late of Somerset County did by his certain Writing Obligatory now affiled of Record in the same Court bearing Date the eighth day of June in the year seventeen hundred and seventy four acknowledge himself to be held and firmly bound unto John Clapham and William Eddis Commissioners for emitting Bills of Credit established by Act of Assembly of the Province of Maryland in the sum of four hundred and fifty Pounds Sterling And whereas the said Collier Fountain hath failed in the Payment of the aforesaid sum of four hundred and fifty Pounds Sterling And need now requires that the said Writing Obligatory be sued for the better securing the said sum We do therefore hereby Command you that by good and lawful Men of your Bailiwick you make known to the said Collier Fountain that he be and appear before the Judges of our said General Court for the Eastern Shore of Maryland to be held at Talbot County Court house on the second Tuesday of April next to shew cause if any he hath why our Commissioners aforesaid for our Use should not have Execution of the Debt aforesaid against the Body Goods or Chattels Lands or Tenements Rights or Credits of the said Collier Fountain according to the form of the Act of Assembly in such case provided if to him it shall seem meet And have you then and there the names of those before whom you make the same known unto him and this writ. Witness The Honourable William Paca Esqre chief Judge of our said Court this 21st day of September A Dom. 1778. Issued 18th day December 1778. Jennings.

James Earle Clk.

At which aforesaid second Tuesday of April seventeen hundred and seventy nine came the aforesaid John Clapham and William Eddis by their Attorney aforesaid And the Sheriff of Somerset County aft. made return of the Writ aft. in the words following to wit.

Somerset Sc. By Virtue of the within Writ to me directed on the 31st day of March by Elijah Tull and William Fountain good and lawful Men of my Bailiwick I made known to the within named Collier Fountain that he be and appear before the Justices within mentioned as by the within Writ I am Commanded so answers W. Gillis Sheriff S. C.

At which aforesaid second Tuesday of April seventeen hundred and seventy nine cometh the aforesaid John Clapham and William Eddis by their Attorney aforesaid And the aforesaid John Clapham and William Eddis by their Attorney aforesaid Prayed that the aforesaid Collier Fountain to the writ of them the same John Clapham and William Eddis may answer And the aforesaid Collier Fountain although solemnly called cometh not nor to the writ of them the same John Clapham and William Eddis doth answer but maketh Default.

Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the aforesaid John Clapham and William Eddis do recover against the said Collier Fountain the sum of Four hundred and fifty Pounds Sterling the Debt aforesaid as also

for their Damages which they have sustained as well by occasion of the Detention of that Debt as for their Costs and Charges by them about their Suit in this part appoyed unto the aforesaid John Clapham and William Eddis by the Court here adjudged and so forth.

James Earle Clk.

John Clapham & William Eddis - - against James Chalmers.	The State of Maryland sent to the Sheriff of Kent County her close Writ in these words following to wit. The State of Maryland. To the Sheriff of Kent County Greeting. Whereas it appears by the Records of our General Court for the East

-ern Shore of Maryland That James Chalmers late of Kent County did by his certain writing obligatory now affiled of Record in the same Court bearing Date the eighth day of June in the year seventeen hundred and seventy four acknowledge himself to be held and firmly bound unto John Clapham and William Eddis Commissioners for emitting Bills of Credit established by Act of Assembly of the Province of Maryland in the sum of four hundred and fifty Pounds Sterling. And whereas the said James Chalmers hath failed in the payment of the aft. sum of four hundred and fifty Pounds Sterling. And need now requires that the said writing obliga-tory be sued for the better securing the said sum We do therefore hereby Command you that by good and lawful Men of your Bailiwick you make known to the said James Chalmers that he be and appear before the Judges of our said General Court for the Eastern Shore of Maryland to be held at Talbot County Court house on the second Tuesday of Sep-