releasing all the Errors that may happen upon the said Judgment being out Execution there-
upon or in any of the Proceedings thereunto relating As Witness my hand & Seal this —
fifteenth Day of April 1726 which being read & heard the said George Neilson by his said
Attorney Saith that he Cannot Gainsay the Pltfs their Action &c as afd against him —
brought nor Can he say but that the Writing Obligatory afd is his Act & Deed & that
the Debt therein mentioned is yet Due & unsatisfyed Wherefore the said Pltfs pray —
Judgment for their Debt afd & their Costs & Damages sustained by Occasion of Detain-
ing the same Debt to them to be adjudged &c —

Therefore it is Considered by the Justices here this 21st Day of October —
Anno Dom 1729 that the said Edmund Jennings & Ariana his Wife & Cas afd recover
against the said George Neilson as well the Sum of One hundred & Ninety five
Pounds fourteen Shillings Current Money their Debt afd as also the Sum of
565 Pounds of Tobacco by the Court here adjudged unto them for their Costs
& Damages sustained by Occasion of Detaining the same Debt And the Debt in —
Money &c —

1c Will Pltfs Lord Propry — } Command was given to the Sheriff of St Marys County that he should
vs } take Thomas Wanghop Senior late of St Marys County Gent otherwise
Mr Thomas Wanghop } Called Thos Wanghop Senr of St Marys County in the Province afd if he
should be found in his Bailywick & him should safe keep so that he —
might have his body before the Justices of his Lordships Provincial Court to be held at —
Annapolis the third Tuesday of October next to answer unto the Right Honble the Lord Propry
unto the Lord Propry his two hundred thousand Pounds of good Sound Merchantable Leaf Tobacco & Cask
which to the Lord Propry he owes & unjustly detains &c And that thereof he should not fail &c
On the Back of the aforegoing Writ at the time of the issuing thereof was thus
Indorsed (Vizt) Mond. the within Deft is sued on Coll Jno Baker late Sherd St —
Marys County his Sherfs bond dated the 6th day of June Anno Dom 1728 at 20lt & prayer
of Willm Cumming of the City of Annapolis in Ann. County
Test Nicholas Dorsey Clerk pro

And the said Lord Propry by William Cumming his Attorney Declared against the
said Thomas Wanghop in the Plea afd as follows Vizt Maryland ss
Thomas Wanghop —
Senior late of St Marys County Gent otherwise Called Thos Wanghop Senr of St Marys —
County in the Province afd was Summoned to answer unto the Right Honourable the
Lord Propry &c of a Plea that he render unto the said Lord Propry two hundred thousand
Pounds of good Sound Merchantable Leaf Tobacco & Cask which to the said Lord Propry he
owes & unjustly detains &c —

And whereupon the said Right Honble the Lord Propry by Wm Cumming
his Attorney Saith that whereas the afd Thomas Wanghop on the Sixth Day of June Anno —
Dom One thousand Seven hundred & twenty Eight at St Marys County afd by his Certain
Writing Obligatory did acknowledge himself to be held & firmly bound to the said Lord —
Propry in the afd Sum of two hundred thousand Pounds of good Sound Merchantable Leaf
Tobacco & Cask to be paid to the said Lord Propry when afterwards he should be thereunto
requested Nevertheless the afd Thomas Wanghop at the often requested the afd two hun-
dred thousand pounds of good Sound Merchantable Leaf Tobacco & Cask to the said Lord-
Propry hath not paid but the same to him to pay or any wise to Content hath refused
& still doth refuse Whereupon he Saith he is Damnified & hath loss to the value of
(two)

two hundred thousand Pounds of Tobacco & thereof he brings the Suit &c And he brings here —
into Court the Writing afd which the Debt afd in form afd doth testify whose Date is the Day &
year afd — Pledges &c Jno Doe & Rd Roe —

And the afd Thomas Wanghop by his Attorney Comes &
defends the force & Injury when &c And prays a hearing of the Writing Obligatory afd &
it is read unto him he likewise prays a hearing of the Condition of the same Writing
Obligatory afd & it is read unto him in these Words Vizt The Condition of the above —
Obligation is such that if the above bounden John Baker Senr do well & truly serve the
Right Honble the Lord Propry his Heirs & Successors in the Office of High Sheriff of the
County of St Marys within the Province afd & in all things well & faithfully Execute the same —
Office & also shall render unto the said Lord Propry & other his Officers a true faithfull and
perfect Account of all & singular his said Lordships rights & Dues & of his Officers a true & just
Account of their fees that he shall or may be intrusted with by his said Lordships Governour
& other his Officers within this Province to receive & Collect & his Account to the said Lord —
Propry his Heirs & Successors & of his & their Governour there for the time being for the Sum
& forfeitures & other Dues belonging to his said Lordships Governour as also his Account
of all fees Dues & Sum of Money or Tobacco due to any of the good People within this —
Province for any Sum or Sums of Money or Tobacco whereof with the said Sheriff shall
be intrusted during the time of his Sheriffally for this present or to such of them as shall
require the same shall pass & render by the Sixth Day of May next ensuing the Date
hereof & in all other things as Sheriff of the County of St Marys shall behave himself
well & honestly to all Persons according to the best of his power skill & knowledge then
this Obligation to be Void & of None Effect Else to stand in full force Strength & Virtue —
A Copy of which foregoing Declaration & Condition was made & sent with
the Writ in the Plea afd —

At which said third Tuesday of October to wit the 21st Day of the same —
Month Anno Dom 1729 being the Day of the return of the foregoing Writ Comes the —
said Lord Propry by Wm Cumming his Attorney And the Sheriff of St Marys County to
whom the same Writ & Declaration was directed likewise Comes & makes return —
thereof to the Court here thus Indorsed (Vizt) Copi Copy left in time
George Clark Sheriff —

And whereupon the said Thomas Wanghop by Philip Key his Attorney Comes
& defends the force & Injury when &c And Saith that he Cannot Gainsay the Pltfs
his Action afd so as afd against him brought nor Can he say but the Writing Obliga:
tory afd is his Act & Deed & that the Debt therein mentioned is yet due & unsatisfyed
Wherefore the said Lord Propry prays Judgment for his Debt afd & his Costs & Damages
sustained by Occasion of Detaining the same Debt to him to be adjudged &c —

Therefore it is Considered by the Justices here the 21st Day of October
Anno Dom 1729 afd that the said Right Honble the Lord Propry &c recover against
the said Thomas Wanghop as well the Sum of two hundred thousand Pounds of good
Sound Merchantable Leaf Tobacco & Cask his Debt afd as also the Sum of
765 Pounds of Tobacco by the Court here unto him adjudged for his Costs
& Damages sustained by Occasion of Detaining the same Debt And the Debt in —
Money &c —

And the above named Wm Cumming at whose request this Action was
brought release as all the above Judgment but 16lbs Tobacco & Costs of Suit —