Maryland Sc.

At a Provincial Court begun and held at the city of Annapolis in the County of Anne Arundel in and for the Province of Maryland on the second Tuesday of September being the ninth day of the same month in the Tenth year of the Dominion of the Right Honourable Frederick absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon, Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. and in the year of our Lord Christ One thousand seven hundred and sixty.

Present

The Honourable { John Brice Esquire Chief Justice; John Darnall, John Hepburn and George Stewart } Esquires Justices

Upton Scott Esquire Sheriff

Stevedy Ghiselen, Clerk

September Term 1760

DD. James Dick a James Corum } St. Mary's County Ss.

JH James Corum late of St. Mary's County planter was attached to Answer unto James Dick in a plea of Trespass upon the Case &c.

And the said James Dick by Daniel Dulany his Attorney complains that whereas by an Act in the Assembly of the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary that now is begun and held at Annapolis in Anne Arundel County on the day of in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred and among other things it was Enacted by the Authority of the said Assembly that all Tobacco which should be Exported out of this Province from and after the last day of November Seventeen hundred and Fifty three should be first brought to some or one of the Public Warehouses in the said Act mentioned and be there viewed and inspected in the Manner in the said Act expressed except such Tobacco as had been or should be inspected before the said last day of November under any Act of Assembly of this Province and whereas by the said Act it is enacted among other things that a Publick Warehouse for the Inspection of Tobacco Pursuant to the said Act should be kept at the County of Saint Marys at the Place herein after mentioned (that is to say) at Town Creek on the Land belonging to Hugh Hopewell under one Inspection And Whereas by the said Act it is also among other things enacted that if any Tobacco should be brought to any of the said Warehouses the Inspector if one only is Appointed to attend after he hath viewed examined and weighed the said Tobacco according to the Directions of the said Act should be Obliged to Deliver to the Person bringing the same as many Promissary Notes under the Hand of the said Inspector as should be required for the full Quantity received by him in which should be expressed whether the Tobacco so received be Stemmed Leaf, or Coloured which Notes should and by the said Act were declared to be Transferrable from one to another and should be paid and Satisfied by the Inspector who signed the same upon Demand and if any Inspector by whom any such Notes for Tobacco as aforesaid should be signed should refuse or delay to pay and Satisfy the same when Demanded every Inspector so refusing or delaying should Forfeit and pay to the Party in-

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