

Liber M M certaine writing Obligatory Sealed with the Seales of them the said Thomas and John here in Court produced whose date is the day & yeare abovewritten did acknowledge themselves holden & firmly indebted unto George Beckwith of Patuxent in the County of Calvert in the aforesaid Province Gent in the full & just quantity of eighteen hundred pounds of good Sound large bright & every way well conditioned tobacco & caske to be paid to the said George Beckwith or to his certain[e] Attorney or Attornyes execut^{rs} adm^{rs} or assignes upon all demand To which payment well & truly to be made & done they bound themselves and every of them their & every of their heirs executors & administrat^{rs} Severally and joyntly for the whole & in the whole firmly by those presents notwithstanding which the said Thomas and John the said summe of eighteen hundred pounds of tobacco to him the said George though often thereunto required hath not paid but the same to pay hitherto have and Still doe altogether deny to the damage of him the said George three thousand pounds of tobacco & thereupon he bringeth his suite.

And the said Thomas by Kenelm Cheseldyn his Attorney cometh and defendeth the force & injury when &c & prayeth liberty of Speaking hereunto untill the next Provinciaall Court and it is granted him the Same day is given to both parties.

Now here at this day to wit the foure & twentieth day of November in the 44th yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius &c came the said George by his Attorney aforesaid & the said Thomas by his Attorney likewise came & the Said Thomas Saith that as to nine hundred pounds of tobacco part of the said eighteen hundred pounds of tobacco he cannot gainsay for that he oweth the same to the said George in manner & forme as is above declared Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said George Beckwith recover against the said Thomas Lomax the said Summe of nine hundred pounds of tobacco the debt aforesaid as also the summe of Six hundred thirty five pounds of tobacco for his costs & charges in this behalfe laid Out & expended & the said Thomas Lomax in mercy.

November 23th 1675.

p. 639 Came Kenelm Cheseldyn One of the Attornyes of this Court and moves the Court here that he hath Severall bills to file against John Quigley One of the Attornyes here which may be comprized in One so that the said John Quigley take no advantage thereby whereupon it is Ordered that no advantage thereupon be taken by the said John Quigley.

November 24th 1675

Then was Peter Eure of S^t Maries County Gent admitted & sworne one of the Attornyes of this Court.