

forthwith to pay as a ffine to his Ldp one thousand pounds of ^{Liber B.} Tobacco and Caske or else be whipt with Thirty nine Lashes & as is till then to Stand Committed, And upon the Said Charles Thurstones acknowledgm^t of his offence alledging he was ignorantly Drawne into the Attempt upon the Colonells information that the Same was approved of by the Governour and Justifyable, the Court giving Credit to his relation in that particular, and his Carriage having been formerly in his tradeing here faire and unrepveable for ought appears to the Contrary (the Governor being pleased to remitt this his offence) he is by the Court discharged thereof, And upon the Sheriffs motion for an allowance for his Extraordinary pains taken upon this occasion the Court thinks fitt to allow him 300^t of Tob: & Caske w^{ch} the Said Colonell Yardley is Ordered to pay unto him accordingly and also the other Court Charges in this Suit.

13 ffebr. I John Cornelius of the Province of Maryland planter for me my heirs & Executors doe Justly acknowledg my Self indebted unto Colonell ffrancis Yardley or his Assignes the true and Just Sume of two thousand four hundred twenty and one pounds of the best Leafe Tobacco in Caske payable upon Demand and for the assurance of the Said payment I the Said John Cornelius doe acknowledge Judgm^t before the Honble Cap^t William Stone Esquire Governour of Maryland this 23th of November 1651 p. 510
 Acknowledged before me the day John Cornelius
 and year above. W^m Stone

Indōrs inde
 I Col ffrancis Yardley doe assigne and Sett over unto Cap^t Thomas Corwalleys all my right to this within Specified Judgment under my hand this 23th of November 1651
ffrancis Yardley

13^o ffebr 1653. Execuco inde ad Satisfaciend Versus pson
 John Cornelius & requisicōn Tho: Corwalleys
 Ar assign Col: Yardley.

At a Court held at S^t Maries } present { Governour }
 the 15th day of ffebruary 1653 } } Secretary }

According to the direction of an Order of Court of the Sixt of this Month Some of the Creditors to the Estate of John Stringer deceased now attending the Court, And nothing appearing to the Contrary but that m^r Willm Allen Merch^t (claiming on the behalf of himself and Cap^t Rich^d Husbands) is the greatest Creditors to the Said Estate, It is thought fitt and m^r Secretary is willing (in case the Said m^r Allen in Con-