

Liber B. full Satisfaction of m^r Thomas Hatton Upon a Bill of Twelve hundred and odd pounds of Tobacco and Caske entred into by the Said m^r Hatton to the Said m^r Rich^d Thurston the Said Bill being delivered up by me to the Said m^r Hatton. Wittness my hand this tenth of Aprill 1654

In the presence of
William Stone

Charles Thurston

At a Court held at S^t Maries the
tenth day of Aprill 1654

Present { William Stone Esq Governour
Cap^t John Price
m^r Thomas Hatton Secretary

m^r Thomas Hatton his Ldps Secretary and Attorney Generall on his Ldps behalf and on the behalf of himself this day declared against Luke Gardiner for detaining Elinor Hatton his Neece a Girle of about twelve years old from him the Said Secretary and her Mother Endeavouring to trayne her up in the Roman Catholick Religion with other things in the Said Attorneys declaration Contained, the Said Luke appearing in this Suit upon a Speciall Warrant from the Governour and both parties being heard at large touching the Matter in question, The Court for the present pronounced noe other order therein, but onely that the Said Elinor Hatton who was present in Court and brought in upon the Said Speciall Warrant, Should be returned and left to the disposition of the Said Attorney her Uncle. The Said Warrant, declaracōn and other proceedings thereupon being hereafter upon Record fol.

John Norman plte } m^r John Metcalfe the Sheriffe of this County
Edward Bowles def^t } Moving the Court on the defend^{ts} behalf for a Respite till the Next Court informing that the defendant was not able to Travell, It is thereupon Ordered that the hearing be respited till the next Court, And that then the Compl^t Shall have Such releife touching his Corne and Clothes and attending the Court as Shall be fitt

p. 564 Know all men by these presents that I Lawrence Ward of Nansanum in Virginia doe Constitute my friend m^r Richard Collet my Lawfull Attorney for me and in my Name to receive all Such debts as are due to me in Putuxent River in the Province of Maryland ratifying all that he Shall doe or Cause Lawfully to be done as I my Self were present. In Wittness whereof I have Sett my hand this 8th of December 1653

Law: Ward

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