

Liber B John Douglas Prefereth this ensuing petition
 To the Worshipfull Commissioners of Charleses Counti the
 humble petition of John Douglas sheweth

That Whearas your petitioner was to this Court arested by william Snags and nothing proued thearupon your Petitioner had an order of Court with execution as per Record Relation beeing thearunto had may appeare and the sayd snages was by vertue of the sayd Execution in the sherifs hands your Petitioner humbly pray that the valew according unto the order of Court may bee satisfied or the Prisoner Produced And hee shall pray

[p. 42] Whearupon James Lendsey heigh Sheriff of Charleses Counti Craued a referance till the next Court which was granted

Francis Gray Plantiue	} The Plantiue aresting the defendant in an action of debt Prefereth his petition as followeth
William heard Administrator	
to samuell Parker defendant	

To the Worshipfull Commissioners of Charleses Countie the
 humble petition of francis Gray Attorney to Richard Stearman
 Sheweth :

That William heard the Administrator of Joane the wife of Samu-
 uell Parker deceased standeth indebted to your Petitioner the iust
 sum or quantitie of four hundered and twentie fue pounds of Prin-
 cipall tobacco and Caske as by specialtie your petitioner can make
 appear the Premisses Considered your petitioner humbly Craueth
 order that william heard shall forthwith make satisfaction to your
 petitioner the aboue sayd sum of tobacco and Caske and your peti-
 tioner shall humbly Pray

and the defendant alleaging that his action and petition did not agree
 hee being arested in an action of debt as dew from him selue and
 now petitions for a debt dew from samuell parker to on stearman
 humbly Conceau that the Plantiue shoold bee nonsuited whearpon
 the plantiue produced the bill and his letter of Attorney as followeth

This bill bindeth wee samuell Parker and henry lilly ioyntly and seuerally owr heirs and Assignes to pay or Cause to bee payd unto Richard stearman or his assignes the sum of four hundered twenty fue pounds of prinsiple good tob: in Caske to bee payd at Nominei at or befor the tenth of October next ensuing the date hearof as witnes this my hand this 6 th day of June 1655		Samuell Parker
Witnes Thomas Broughton		henry h l Lilly
John Martine		his marke

[p. 43] I Richard Stearman who married the Relict Widow of Edmond
 Brent deseast doe Constitute and appoynt M^r Francis Gray my trew
 and lawfull Attorney for the receauing of a debt dew to me from
 henry Lilly and doe giue my Attorney as full power as if I my self