

**Liber B** Whearupon the defendant ioyning issew puts in his plea Nihill debet alleaging that the Plantiue Refused to deliuer unto the defendant a bill of sayle for the sayd mare and that hee hath the sayd Maer in his possession and that without a bill of sayle thear was no alienation and so Consequently no debt: and thearfor humbly Craueth a nonsuit:

Whearupon the Plantiue humbly Requesteth that Meuerell huls henry bayly and John Lambert might haue thear oath giuen them: which is granted:

Meuerell huls sworne and examined in open Court sayeth that John Neuill deliuered a maer unto M<sup>r</sup> Lewgar excepting a bridell and saddell and further sayeth not:

[p. 419] Henry Bayly sworne and examined in open Court sayeth that hee heard M<sup>r</sup> Lewgar say that hee had baught A Maer of M<sup>r</sup> neuill and that hee woold pay him for it in Case the sayd neuill woold giue him a bill of sayle for her and hee sayd hee woold if hee woold write it and hee the sayd Lewgar denied to wright it:

John Lambert sworne and examined in open Court sayeth that M<sup>r</sup> Lewgar sayd hee had bought a Maer of M<sup>r</sup> Neuill and that hee the sayd neuill had not a bill of sayle for her but if in Case hee the sayd Neuill knew that shee was ran away he woold bee up with all speed and further sayeth not:

The Plantiue not beeing abell to proue his declaration and the defendant humbly Crauing a nonsuit It is ordered that the Plantiue shall bee nonsuited and Pay the Cost and Charge of suit: which is as followeth: (folio 213 B)

Richard Dode Plt: } The Plantiue Aresting the defendant in an  
Robert Robins Deft: } action of the Case Prefereth his declaration  
as followeth:

Robert Robins Defendant  
Richard Dod Plantiue

[p. 420] The Plantiue declaers against the defendant in an action of the Case for that the defendant hauing giuen the Plantiue a generall dischards from all orders of Court and all Court Charges and also from all bills bonds debts and demands from the begining of the world untill the seauenth of May A<sup>o</sup> 1664 one bill onely of seauen hundered and twenty pounds of tobacco and Caske baring also daet the seauenth of May A<sup>o</sup> 1664 only excepted: for all which the defendant Refuseth to satisfie seuerall Persons thear iust dewes and demands for Court Charges in a differance Commenced by the sayd defendant: against the P<sup>lt</sup> in the Prouinciall Court: held at S<sup>t</sup> Maries on the sixth of Aprill A<sup>o</sup> 1664 and before the sayd Court which hath Caused seuerall of them (as the Plantiue is abell to make appeare)