

not only to demand thear seuerall iust dewes but to threaten to leuy Liber B  
the same one the Plantiue by way of Execution and for quietnes sake  
the Plantiue hath Payd unto M<sup>r</sup> James Neale for his Cosin henry  
Neale 210 pounds of tobacco to william Gother 210 and still thear  
remaynes unsatisfied M<sup>r</sup> Robert Hendly whose Charge is 210 and to  
M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Hussey 210 who haue threatned to leauy it by way of  
Execution one the Plantiue and to George Thompson for his going  
and Coming to and from S<sup>t</sup> Maries and Attorneyshipe foure hun-  
dered pounds of tobacco for all which your Petioner humbly Craueth  
order of Court: that the sayd That the sayd Robins according to his [p. 421]  
discharg may satisfie what is unsatisfied and Repay unto the Plan-  
tiue what hee hath disbursted with Cost and Charge of suit:

In Confirmation of the aforsayd declaration the Plantiue Pro-  
duced the defendants discharge Recorded in this Record folio 153

Whearupon the Defendant obieteth against the discharge alleag-  
ing that of itself it was inuallid becaus it was interlined and not  
befor assignment the interline in wrighting mentioned

Thearupon the Plantiue humbly Requesteth that M<sup>r</sup> Henry Ad-  
dames and M<sup>r</sup> George Bradshaw might haue thear oaths giuen them  
Concerning the Praemisses which was granted

M<sup>r</sup> Henry Addames Sworne and examined in open Court sayeth  
that hee witnesseth that discharge but wheather or noe it was inter-  
lined when it was signed hee knows not and further sayeth not:

M<sup>r</sup> George Bradshaw sworne and examined in open Court sayeth:  
that to the best of his knowledge the interlining was interlined befor  
the seigning of the discharge and that hee this deponant wright it:  
and further sayeth not:

The defendants acknowledge that it is a discharge but a bad one  
Whearupon M<sup>r</sup> Mathews and M<sup>r</sup> Beane urged that this buisnes might  
bee tried by a Jury but neather party Imbracing of it M<sup>r</sup> Mathews [p. 422]  
then desired M<sup>r</sup> Marshall to giue in his voat Concerning the Authen-  
ticknes or invaliditie of the discharge who giuing in his opinion  
voated the discharge inuallid: whearupon the Plantiue immeadiatly  
Craued A Jury which was denied them seeing thay would not im-  
brace it when it was profered: and then it was by the whole board  
voated inuallid

The Court is Adiourned till the 12 of february till eight of the Cloke  
in the Morning

At A Court held in Charleses County the 12<sup>th</sup> of January february  
A<sup>o</sup> 1664

Presentes

M<sup>r</sup> Henry Addames  
M<sup>r</sup> James Lendsey

Commissioners

M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Mathews  
M<sup>r</sup> William Marshall