

Liber FF to the aforementioned Walter Story and John Emerson to dispose of the same in the Summer that he would doe well to leave the same at the said Notleys disposing for the Use of the said John Long there being part of the same Goods perishable to lye in the Country till the said Long should send in Order for the disposing of the same.

Margarett Floyd Servant to Thomas Paine of S^t Maries County was then adjudged by the Court to be between eighteen and two and twenty yeares of age.

[p. 598] John Harrington who married the Relict of Francis Mogg petitioneth the Court that either he may be allowed consideration for the keeping and maintaineing the Children of the said Francis or that they may continue with him dureing the pleasure of this Court.

The Court haveing viewed the said Children doe Order that they remaine with the petitioner dureing the Courts pleasure, and that the eldest daughter of the deceased be exempted from the How and the mortar.

George Day ag^t } Morecropt p̄ quer in an action of trespas upon
 Luke Gardner } Notley p̄ def^t the case

The plaintiff at the last provinciall Court sued the def^t for three Cowes and calves in consideration of a Grey Gelding bargained and sold the def^t, time was then Granted the def^t till this Court, to putt in his plea which is as followeth, vizt.

And the said Luke Gardner by Thomas Notley his Attorney comes and defends the force and injury when &c and Saith that the aforesaid George Day Ought not to have his action aforesaid against him for that whereas in the Assembly of Caecilius &c at S^t Johns in S^t Maries County within this Province the fourth day of march One thousand six hundred forty seaven in the sixteenth yeare of his Dominion holden Sett forth (amongst Other things) it was enacted by the Authority of the same Assembly that no contracts or Other Reckonings upon accompt, booke or Otherwise then by specialty Only which shall be above nine months Standing shall be pleadable within any Court within this province except such as were before the ending of the same assembly contracted as by the same Act may more fully appeare And the said Luke by his aforesaid Attorney for plea farther saith that long before the day of the procureing the Originall writt against him there was above nine months time elapsed and past between the tyme alleadged by the aforesaid George in his declaration when the Supposed assumption by the said Luke was made and the sueing forth the said Originall writt and this he is ready to averr Whereupon he demandeth judgm^t if the aforesaid George his action aforesaid against him Ought to have &c.

Tho: Notley.