

seeme meet or otherwise to doe therein according to his discretion and for his proceedings therein this shall be his warrant Witnes my hand and seale the second of October One thousand six hundred Seventy foure. Liber M M

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G Vsweringen

Thomas  Doxey (Sealed)

Thomas Houghton

To Robert Ridgely one of
the Attornyes of the
Provinciall Court.

John Quigley }
ag^t } Mathew Stone late of Charles County otherwise
Mathew Stone } called Mathew Stone of Charles County in the Prov-
ince of Maryland Gent was Summoned to answer
unto John Quigley Merchant of a plea that he render
unto him Sixteen hundred pounds of tobacco which
to him he Oweth and unjustly deteineth.

And whereupon the said John by Robert Carvile his Attorney complaineth That whereas the said Mathew upon the thirteenth day of June One thousand six hundred Seventy three by his certaine bill or writeing Obligatory Sealed with the Seale of him the said Mathew and here in Court produced whose date is the day and yeare abovesaid did confesse and acknowledge himselfe to owe and stand indebted to the said John Quigley in the summe of Sixteene hundred pounds of good Sound merchantable tobacco and caske to be paid to the Said John upon the tenth day of October next ensuing the date of the said bill at Some convenient landing in Charles County Notwithstanding which the said Mathew the said summe of Sixteen hundred pounds of tobacco to him the said John though often thereunto requested according to the tenor of the said bill hath not hitherto paid or satisfied but the same to pay doth deny and refuse to the damage of the said John two thousand pounds of tobacco and thereupon he bringeth his Suite. p. 449

And the said Mathew by Kenelm Cheseldyn his Attorney cometh and defendeth the force and injury when &c and prayeth liberty of Speakeing hereunto until the next Provinciall Court the same day is given to both parties.

Now here at this day to wit the tenth day of ffebruary in the 43th yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius &c came the said John Quigley by his Attorney aforesaid and the said Mathew Stone by his Attorney came likewise and the said Mathew Saith nothing in barr or avoidance of the action aforesaid of him the said John Quigley whereupon the said John remaineth against the said Mathew thereof undefended therefore it is Considered by the Court here that the said John Quigley recover against the said Mathew Stone the said summe of Sixteen hundred pounds of tobacco the debt aforesaid as also the summe