have received of and from the Said William Dorrington the Said Liber M M Severall Summes of nine thousand Six hundred pounds of tobacco and three pounds Sterling and I doe by these presents for me my heirs execut^{rs} and adm^{rs} remise release and for ever quittclaime and discharge him the said William Dorrington his heirs executors & admrs of and from all and all manner of bills bonds suites actions trespasses claimes and demands whatsoever from the beginning of the world to the day of the date hereof In Testimony whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and Seale this twelfth day of ffebruary in the yeare of Our Lord 1674. Charles Calvert (Sealed)

Sealed and delivered in

the presence of, Philip Calvert. Inº Darnall.

John Allen

John Beale & ux] John Allen late of Charles County in the Province of Maryland merchant was Sumoned to answer unto John Beale and Jone his wife in a plea that He render unto them the summe of foure thousand pounds of tobacco which to them he oweth and unjustly deteineth

And whereupon the said John Beale and Jone his wife by Kenelm Cheseldyn their Attorny Saith that whereas the said John Allen the twentith day of July in the yeare One thousand Six hundred Seventy foure did by his certaine writeing Obligatory Sealed with the Seale of the Said John Allen here in Court produced whose date is the same day and yeare abovewritten bind himselfe his heirs executors and administrators to pay or cause to be paid to the said Jone while she was Sole of Calvert County in the Province aforesaid her heirs executors admrs the full and just quantity of foure thousand pounds of good Sound and well cured merchantable tobacco in caske to be paid at or before the tenth day of October next after the date thereof Notwithstanding which the said John Allen the said Summe of foure thousand pounds of tobacco according to the tenor of his said writeing Obligatory to her the said Jone while she was Sole nor to the said John and Joane Since espousalls between them celebrated though often thereunto required hath not paid but the same to them to pay hitherto hath and Still doth altogether deny to the damage of them the said John and Joane the summe of five thousand pounds of tobacco And thereupon they bring their Suite.

And the said John Allen by Robert Carvile his Attorny cometh and defendeth the force and injury when &c and prayeth liberty of p. 507 Speakeing hereunto untill next Provinciall Court the same day is given to both parties

Att which Said next Provinciall Court to wit the fiftenth day of ffebruary in the 43th yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius &c Annog Dom One thousand Six hundred Seventy foure came the