

Kenelm remaineth against the said John as to the said summe of Six hundred pounds of tobacco wholly undefended Therefore it is considered of by the Court here that the Said Kenelm recover against the said John Balley aswell the said Summe of Six hundred pounds of tobacco the debt aforesaid as also the summe of Seaven hundred pounds of tobacco for his costs & charges in this behalfe laid Out and expended and the said John in mercy. Liber M M

Thomas Chapman ag ^t Robert Downes	}	Robert Downes late of Charles County otherwise called Robert Downes of Charles County in the Province of Maryland planter was Sumoned to answer unto Thomas Chapman in a plea that he render unto him the sume of two thousand foure hundred pounds of tobacco which to him he oweth and unjustly deteineth.
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And whereupon the said Thomas by Kenelm Cheseldyn his Attorney Saith that whereas the Said Robert Downes the thirteenth day of July in the yeare of Our Lord One thousand Six hundred Seventy foure by his certaine writeing Obligatory Sealed with the Seale of him the Said Robert here in Court produced whose date is the same day and yeare abovewritten did bind himselfe his heirs executors administrators and assignes for to pay or cause to be paid unto M^r Thomas Chapman of Liverpoole merchant to him his heirs executors administrators or assignes or certaine Attorney the full and just Sume or quantity of two thousand foure hundred pounds of good Sound merchantable tobacco and casque to containe the same to be paid upon demand upon the then dwelling plantation at the mouth of Nangemy Creeke Notwithstanding which the said Robert the said summe of two thousand foure hundred pounds of tobacco though often thereunto required hath not paid but the same to pay hitherto hath and Still doth altogether deny to the damage of the Said Thomas three thousand five hundred pounds of tobacco And thereupon he bringth his Suite.

And the said Robert by Samuel Cressey his Attorney cometh and defendeth the force and injury when &c and prayeth liberty of Speakeing hereunto untill next Provinciaall Court the same day is given to both parties.

At which said next Provinciaall Court to wit the fifteenth day of ffebruary in the 43th yeare of his Lopps Dominion &c came the said Thomas Chapman by his Attorney aforesaid but the said Robert Downes Came not but made default therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said Thomas recover against the said Robert the said summe of two thousand foure hundred pounds tobacco the debt aforesaid as also the Summe of _____ pounds of tobacco for his costs and charges in this behalfe laid Out and expended and the Said Robert in mercy. p. 512