

wast or imbezell the estate of the said John Hatton deceased & this he is ready to averre & therefore demands judgm^t of this Court whether the aforesaid debt of One hundred thousand pounds of tobacco of the Lands and chattells of him the said ffrancis ought to be rendred to the said Samuel Hatton assignee of the said Lord Proþry & Adm^r of the said John Hatton according to the forme of the Said writeing in the nature of a recognizance aforesaid. Liber M M

And the Said Samuel Saith that the Said writeing in the nature of a recognizance Ought by the said Act for preservation of Orphants estates by the judge for probate of wills & granting administracōns to be assigned over to the Said Samuel for his releife against the wasting and imbezelling of the Said estate of the Said John Hatton deceased by the first Administrat^r of the said estate & of this craves judgment of the Court.

Now here at this day to wit the twentieth day of November in the 44th yeare of his Lopps Dominion &c. Annoꝝ Doḿ 1675 the Court here haveing fully heard what can be alleaged by the Attornyes on either Side of & in the premisses and fforasmuch as it appears to the judge for probate of Wills and granting Administrations that the estate of the Said John Hatton deceased is by the first Administrat^r wasted and imbezled to the Value of twenty Seven thousand Seaven hundred and eleven pounds of tobacco Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said Samuel Hatton the present Administrator recover against the Said ffrancis Holland aswell the Said Summe of twenty Seaven thousand seven hundred and eleaven pounds of tobacco as also the Suḿe of Seven hundred forty Seaven pounds of tobacco Costs of Suite.

Novem^r 17th 1675

Then were John Jones of S^t Maries County and Peter Sayer of Talbott County Gent admitted and Sworne Attornyes of this Court according to the usuall Oath of Attornyes of this Court.

Robert Carvile ag ^t Arthur Wright	}	Arthur Wright late of Dorchester County otherwise called Arthur Wright of the County of Dorchester in the said Province Gent was Sumōned to answer unto Robert Carvile One of the Attornyes of this Court according to the priviledges &c of a plea that he render unto him the suḿe of twelve hundred pounds of tobacco which to him he oweth & unjustly deteineth &c.
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And whereupon the Said Robert in his proper person Saith that whereas the Said Arthur upon the Second day of October in the yeare of Our Lord One thousand Six hundred Seventy two by his certaine bill or writeing Obligatory Sealed with the Seale of him the Said Arthur and here in Court produced whose date is the day and