

Liber M M aforesaid came aswell the said Christopher by his Attorney aforesaid & the Said Tobias by his Attorney and the jurors of that jury likewise came to witt Walter Hall W<sup>m</sup> Thomas John Gittings Richard Meekins James Ringold Arthur Wright Peter Watts David Holt Demetrius Carthwright John Tant George Charlsworth and John Garnish who being impannelled sumōned and Sworne to Say the truth in the premisses upon their Oathes doe Say The jurors find for the plaintiff Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the Said Christopher recover against the estate of the said Mary aswell  
 p. 618 the summe of foure thousand three hundred thirty three pounds of tobacco damages Occasioned by the trespas aforesaid as also the Summe of One thousand two hundred fifty two pounds of tobacco for his costs and charges in this behalfe laid Out and expended and the Said Tobias in mercy.

Charles James ag <sup>t</sup> Thomas Williams	}	Thomas Williams late of the County of Calvert planter otherwise called Thomas Williams of Calvert County in the Province of Maryland planter was Summoned to answer unto Charles James of a plea that he render unto him the Summe of tenn thousand pounds of good merchantable tobacco in casque which to him he oweth and unjustly deteineth &c.
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And whereupon the Said Charles James by Robert Ridgely his Attorney complaineth that whereas the Said Thomas Williams the fourth day of December in the fortith yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius Annoq; Doñ One thousand Six hundred Seventy One by his certaine writeing Obligatory Sealed with the Seale of him the said Thomas and here in Court produced whose date is the day and yeare abovesaid did acknowledge himselfe to be holden and firmly bound and also to owe and Stand indebted unto him the said Charles and unto his heirs executors and adm<sup>rs</sup> and assignes in the full Summe of ten thousand pounds of good merchantable tobacco and casque to the payment of which well and truly to be made the Said Thomas did bind himselfe his heirs execut<sup>rs</sup> and adm<sup>rs</sup> firmly by those presents Notwithstanding which the Said Thomas the said Summe of tenn thousand pounds of tobacco to him the said Charles according to the tenor of the Said writeing Obligatory hath not paid though often thereunto required but the Same to pay hath denyed and as yet doth deny to the damage of the Said Charles of Six thousand pounds of tobacco And thereupon he bringeth his Suite.

And the aforesaid Thomas Williams by John Rousby his Attorney cometh and defendeth the force and injury when &c and the Said Thomas prayeth the hearing of the Said writeing Obligatory and it is read unto him he also prayeth hearing of the Condition of the Said writeing and it is read unto him in these words The Con-