

dition of this Obligation is Such That if the abovebounden Thomas Williams his heirs execut^{rs} administrators or assignes doe well & truly pay or cause to be paid to the abovesaid Charles James or unto his heirs executors adm^{rs} or assignes the full Summe of five thousand pounds of good bright tobacco & caske at Some convenient place upon the Clifts in Calvert County that is to Say fiftene hundred pounds of the Said tobacco upon all demands & three thousand five hundred pounds of the Said tobacco upon all demands after the tenth day of October next coming at the place aforesaid conditioned as aforesaid that then this present Obligation to be void & of none effect otherwise to stand & remaine in full power force & vertue, which being read & heard the Said Thomas by his Attorney aforesaid prayeth liberty of Speakeing hereunto untill next Provinciaill Court and it is granted him the same day is given to both parties here. p. 619

Afterwards to witt the Sevententh day of November in the 44th yeare of the Dominion of Caecilius &c came the said Charles James by his Attorney aforesaid and the Said Thomas Williams by his Attorney came likewise and the said Thomas Saith that the Said Charles his action aforesaid against him ought not to have because he Saith that the Said writeing Obligatory is not his deed and of this he putts himselfe upon the Country and the said Charles likewise. Therefore it is Comanded the Sheriff that he cause to come here twelve &c But before the said jurors came the Said Thomas Saith nothing in barre or avoidance of the action aforesaid of him the said Charles because he oweth the said Charles the Said Summe of five thousand pounds of tobacco whereupon the Said Charles remaineth against the Said Thomas thereof undefended Therefore it is considered by the Court here that that Said Charles James recover against the said Thomas W^{ms} aswell the Summe of five thousand pounds of tobacco the debt aforesaid as also the Summe of thirteene hundred and Sixteene pounds of tobacco for his costs and charges in this behalfe laid out and expended. and the Said Thomas in mercy.

To John Rousby One of the Attornyes of the Provinciaill Court.

These are to desire and authorize up to plead for me at the next Provinciaill Court at the Suite of Charles James in an action of five thousand pounds of tobacco debt such plea as you Shall thinke fitt or if you shall thinke to suffer judgment to passe against me by default, and for your So doing this Shall be your Sufficient warrant Given under my hand & Seale this 28th day of April 1675.

Sealed & delivered in

Thomas Williams (Sealed)

the p^rsence of

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