

Liber N N Our Rights and Revenues of Common pleas and likewise for the determining of all matters of Equity for which any releife is Shall or may be justly or reasonably desired in Our said Court Willing and by these presents assigning and constituteing and appointing that Our Said justices or any foure or more of them (of which Our Said deare Unckle and Our Said deare Couzin alwayes to be two) Shall be a Sufficient Court for the determining the pleas and matters of equity aforesaid Wittnes Our Selfe at Our Citty of st Maries the sixth day of April in the first yeare of Our Dominion over Our Said Province of Maryland Annoq Dom One thousand Six hundred Seventy Six.

Eodem die.

Then were John Quigley and George Thompson Gent admitted and sworne Attornyes of this Court.

p. 89 Eodem die.

Kenelm Cheseldyn of st Maries County Gent was Sworne his Lopps Attorney Generall.

Richard Covell	}	Henry Mitchell and Thomas Bowdle late of Calvert County otherwise called Henry Mitchell and Thomas Bowdell of Calvert County Planters were Summoned to answer unto Richard Covell of London marriner of a plea that they render to him tenn thousand pounds of tobacco which to him they Owe and unjustly deteine &c.
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Henry Mitchell & Thomas Bowdle		

And whereupon the said Richard by Robert Carvile his Attorney complaineth that whereas the Said Henry and Thomas the fifteenth day of June in the yeare of Our Lord One thousand six hundred Seventy five, by their certaine writeing Obligatory Sealed with the Seale of him the Said Henry and him the said Thomas and here in Court produced whose date is the Same day and yeare abovewritten did grant themselves to be bound and firmly obliged unto Richard Covell of London marriner in the quantity of ten thousand pounds of tobacco and caske to be paid to the Said Richard Covell or to his certaine Attorney his executors administrat^{rs} or assignes, to the which payment well and truly to be made they did bind themselves their heirs execut^{rs} & administrat^{rs} and either of them joyntly and Severally for the whole and in the whole firmly by those presents notwithstanding which the Said Henry nor the Said Thomas the Said quantity of ten thousand pounds of tobacco unto him the Said Richard though often thereunto required hath not paid but the Same to pay hitherto hath and Still doth altogether deny to the damage of him the Said Richard fifteen thousand pounds of tobacco And thereupon he brings his Suite

And the Said Henry cometh and defendeth the force and injury