

Liber N N of _____ pounds of tobacco costs of suite but So as
 execution Stay untill assetts.

W ^m Hatton ag ^t Garret Vansweringen	}	Garret Vansweringen late of s ^t Maries County was attached to answer unto W ^m Hatton adm ^r of the goods & chattells of Richard Hatton deceased in a plea of trespas upon the case.
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And whereupon the said W^m by Kenelm Cheseldyn his Attorney complaineth that whereas Daniel Clocker late of s^t Maries deceased, in his life time Stood indebted to the said Richard Hatton in his life time the summe of two thousand three hundred & fifty pounds of tobacco the Said Garret the nine & twentieth day of January in the yeare of Our Lord 1674 in Consideration that the said Richard Hatton would discharge the Said Daniel from the said debt of two thousand three hundred & fifty pounds of tobacco & accept the same to be paid by him the said Garret the said Garret did assume upon himselfe & to the Said Richard did faithfully promise that he the Said Garret when thereunto required the Said Summe of two thousand three hundred & fifty pounds of tobacco to him the said Richard would well & truly content & pay and the Said W^m in fact saith that the Said Richard did discharge the said Daniel & accept the said Garret for pay. Notwithstanding which the Said Garret the sd sume of two thousand three hundred & fifty pounds of tobacco to him the said Richard in his life time hath not paid nor to the Said W^m Since his death to whom administracōn of all & Singular the goods & chattells which were the said Richards at the time of his death Since his death to him granted though often thereunto required hath not paid according to his promise but the same to pay hitherto hath & Still doth deny to the damage of the said W^m foure thousand pounds of tobacco & thereupon he bringeth his Suite.

And the said Garret by Robert Ridgely his Attorney cometh & defendeth the force & injury when &c & prayeth liberty to imparle hereunto untill the next Court & it is granted unto him the same day is given the said William.

Now here at this day to wit the six & twentieth day of April 1677 Came the said partyes by their said Attornyes & the said Garret Saith nothing in barre of the action aforesaid of him the Said W^m in forme aforesaid against him brought Whereupon it is granted by the Court here that the said W^m recover against the Said Garret aswell the summe of two thousand three hundred & fifty pounds of tobacco damages occasioned by the trespas aforesaid as also the Summe of fourteen hundred fifty & six pounds of tobacco costs of suite.