

Liber N N have not paid but the same to pay have denyed & gainsayd & to pay the same as yet doe deny & gainsay to the damage of the said Robert two thousand pounds of tobacco & thereupon he produceth his suite.

And the said John by Kenelm Cheseldyn his Attorney cometh & defendeth the force & injury when &c & saith nothing in barr of the action aforesaid of him the said Robert in forme aforesaid brought Whereupon it is granted by the Court here the first & twentieth day of April 1677 That the said Robert Ridgely recover against the estate of the said Margaret Penry the summe of sixteen hundred pounds of tobacco damages occasioned by the trespas aforesaid as also five hundred thirty six pounds of tobacco costs of Suite.

John Quigley	}	} these foure causes are agreed.
ag ^t		
Garret Vansweringen	}	
Jn ^o Quigley		
ag ^t	}	
John Baker		
Kenelm Cheseldyn	}	
ag ^t		
John Irland	}	
John Darnall		
ag ^t	}	
Jn ^o Edmondson & W ^m Dare		

p. 289 John Hyland } Henry Ward late of Cecil County Gent was Sumoned
 ag^t } to answer unto John Hyland of a plea wherefore he
 Henry Ward } tooke the Cattle of him the said John Hyland & them
 unjustly detained against Suertyes & pledges &c.

And whereupon the said John Hyland by Robert Ridgely his Attorney complains that the aforesaid Henry Ward the thirteenth day of July in the year of Our Lord 1675 at Cecil County aforesaid tooke the Cattle that is to say a black mare five Cowes and two Calves being the proper Cattle of him the said John Hiland & them unjustly detained against suertyes & pledges untill &c whereupon he Saith he is dampnified & hath damage to the value of six thousand pounds of tobacco & thereupon he bringeth his suite.

And the said Henry by Robert Carvile his Attorney cometh & defendeth the force & injury when &c & saith he doth well avow the takeing & deteineing the said Cattle & Mare aforesaid for that he saith that One Abraham Coffin deceased being in his life time to witt in the month of June in the yeare of Our Lord 1674 possessed as his Owne proper Goods & Chattells of the said black mare five Cowes & two calves in the declaration mentioned he the said Abraham Coffin dyed so possessed intestate after whose death Letters of administration of the goods & chattells of the said deceased were upon