

Liber N N Barnabas Shuttleworth } Be it remembered that the Sevententh day
 ag^t } of April in the second yeare of the Domin-
 Mathew Warde } ion of the Right Hon^{ble} Charles Absolute
 Lord & Proprietary &c & in the yeare of
 Our Lord 1677 Came here in Court Barnabas Shuttleworth of the
 City of Bristoll marriner by Christopher Rousby his Attorney &
 exhibited to the justices here his certaine bill against Mathew Warde
 Gent One of the Attornyes of the same Court present here in Court
 in his proper person according to the Customes & priviledges &c of
 the same Court The tenor of which bill is as followeth

Barnabas Shuttleworth marriner by Christopher Rousby his At-
 torny complaineth that whereas Mathew Warde One of the At-
 tornyes of the same Court otherwise called Mathew Warde of Tal-
 bott County in the Province of Maryland Gent the third day of
 march in the yeare of Our Lord 1674 by his certaine writeing
 Obligatory sealed with the seale of the said Mathew & here in Court
 produced whose date is the same day & yeare abovewritten did bind
 himselfe his heirs executors & adm^{ts} to pay or cause to be paid to
 the said Barnabas Shuttleworth his execut^{rs} adm^{ts} or assignes the
 summe of eighteen hundred pounds of good sound merchantable
 tobacco in caske at some convenient place in Chester River in Talbott
 County aforesaid upon the tenth day of October then next ensueing
 Yet the said Mathew Warde the said eighteen hundred pounds of
 tobacco in caske unto him the said Barnabas hath not paid though
 often thereunto required but the same to pay hath denyed & still doth
 deny Whereupon the said Barnabas Saith he is dampnified & hath
 losse three thousand pounds of tobacco & thereupon he brings his
 suite.

And the said Mathew the six & twentith day of April 1677 in his
 proper person cometh & defendeth the force & injury when &c & Saith
 nothing in barr or avoidance of the action aforesaid of him the said
 Barnabas by which the said Barnabas remaineth against the said
 Mathew as to the said eighteen hundred pounds of tobacco wholly
 undefended Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said
 Barnabas recover against the said Mathew aswell the summe of
 eighteen hundred pounds of tobacco the debt aforesaid as also the
 summe of five hundred ninty two pounds of tobacco costs of suite
 but so as execution cease untill the tenth day of October next.

Thomas Jackson } Thomas Pattison late of Dorchester County other-
 ag^t } wise called Thomas Pattison in the Province of
 Thomas Pattison } Maryland Inholder was Summoned to answer
 unto Thomas Jackson of a plea that he render
 unto him the full & just summe of fifteen hundred pounds of good
 sound merchantable tobacco in caske which he oweth him & unjustly
 deteineth