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John Southy ag ^t Henry Turner	}	Henry Turner late of Dorchester County otherwise called Henry Turner of the same County and Province aforesaid Carpenter was summoned to answer unto John Southy in a plea that he render unto him five thousand three hundred Sixty two pounds of tobacco which to him he oweth and unjustly deteineth
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And whereupon the said John by Robert Carville his Attorney Saith that whereas the said Henry the three and twentieth day of March Anno Dom̄ 1674 by his certaine writeing Obligatory Sealed with the seale of the said Henry and here in Court produced whose date is the day and yeare abovewritten was holden & firmly bound unto him the said John in the full and just summe of five thousand three hundred Sixty two pounds of good tobacco & caske to conteine the same to be paid unto him the said John his heirs executors adm^{rs} or lawfull Attorney convenient in Little Choptanke River at or before the tenth day of October next ensueing the date hereof Notwithstanding which the Said Henry the aforesaid Summe of five thousand three hundred Sixty two pounds of tobacco to him the said John according to his said writeing Obligatory hath not paid although he hath bin often thereunto required but the same to pay hath altogether denyed and Still doth deny whereupon he saith he is dampnified and hath losse to the value of tenn thousand Six hundred pounds of tobacco and thereupon he bringeth his Suite.

And the Said Henry by Vincent Lowe his Attorney cometh and defendeth the force and injury when &c and prayeth the heareing of the Said writeing Obligatory and it is read unto him he also pray the heareing of the condition of the Said writeing Obligatory and it is read unto him in these words following vizt The Condition of the Obligation is Such that if the abovebound John Rawlings or Henry Turner them or other of them their heirs or execut^{rs} adm^{rs} shall well and truly deliver or cause to be delivered into the hands & possession of the said John Sowthy his heirs execut^{rs} adm^{rs} or to his lawfull Attorney so many bills of able sufficient mens payable in ffishers Creeke in the County and Province aforesaid to the quantity of two thousand six hundred eighty & One pounds payable to the said John Southy by the twelfth day of July next ensueing the date hereof to which payment well and truly to be made & done Wee bind Us and either of Us Our heirs joyntly and severally for the whole and in the whole and just sume then this Obligation to be void and of none effect if not to stand in full power force and virtue. Which being read and heard the said Henry prayeth liberty to imparle here untill next Provinciall Court the same day is given to both parties.

Att which day to wit the eleventh day of ffebruary in the yeare of Our Lord One thousand six hundred Seventy five came the said John Southy by his Attorney aforesaid & the said Henry by his Attorney came likewise and the said Henry Saith nothing in barre or