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John Cowdere ag <sup>t</sup>	} Mary Roe executrix of the last will & Testament of Edward Roe late of Talbott County Gent de- ceased was attached to answer unto John Cowdere of a plea of trespas upon the case.
Mary Roe ex <sup>rx</sup>	
Edward Roe	

And whereupon the said John Cowdere by Robert Ridgely his Attorney complaineth that whereas the said Edward in the life time of him the said Edward that is to say from the three & twentieth day of October One thousand six hundred Seventy five to the sixteenth day of December then next following bought had & received of the Said John divers goods & merchandizes amounting to in the whole the summe of twelve thousand One hundred pounds of tobacco a particular whereof is by the said John here in Court produced In consideration whereof the said Edward did assume upon himselfe & to the said John faithfully promise that he the said Edward did assume upon himselfe & to the said John faithfully promise that he the said Edward him the said John the said summe of twelve thousand One hundred pounds of tobacco when thereunto required would well & truly content & pay And the said John in fact saith that he the said Edward by the hands of Samuel Hatton received in part of the said twelve thousand One hundred pounds of tobacco the summe of foure thousand foure hundred & sixtene pounds of tobacco & the aforesaid Edward Roe in his life time nor the said Mary since his death to whom the execution of the Testament of the said Edward since his death hath been committed the summe of seaven thousand six hundred eighty foure pounds of tobacco residue of the said twelve thousand One hundred pounds of tobacco to him the said John though often thereunto required have not paid or given any Satisfaction for the same but the same to pay have denyed and as yet doe deny to the damage of the said John tenn thousand pounds of tobacco And thereupon he bringeth his suite.

And the said Mary Roe by Robert Carvile her Attorney Cometh & defendeth the force and injury when &c and saith that the Said Edward Roe in his life time paid to the Said John Cowdere in part of the said summe of twelve thousand One hundred pounds of tobacco the summe of five thousand six hundred & nine pounds of tobacco and as for the Six thousand foure hundred ninty One pounds of tobacco residue of the said twelve thousand One hundred pounds of tobacco she saith she cannot gainsay the action of the aforesaid John because the same is due to the aforesaid John as he hath above declared Therefore it is considered by the Court here the fifth day of October One thousand six hundred seventy Seaven that the said John Cowdere recover against the estate of the said Edward the said summe of six thousand toure hundred ninty One pounds of tobacco damages occasioned by the trespas aforesaid as also the summe of \_\_\_\_\_ pounds of tobacco costs of suite.