

Liber N N the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Henry Coursey Esq One of his Lo<sup>pps</sup> justices of the Provincial Court of this Province by Christopher Rousby his Attorney & exhibiteth to the justices here his certaine bill against Peter Sayer One of the Attornyes of the same Court here present in Court in his proper person according to the Customes & Priviledges &c of the same Court the tenor of which bill is as followeth.

p. 397 Henry Coursey Esq One of his Lo<sup>pps</sup> justices of the Provinciaall Court by Christopher Rousby his Attorney complaineth That whereas Peter Sayer One of the Attornyes of the same Court otherwise called Peter Sayer of Talbot County Gent the sixteenth day of September in the yeare of Our Lord One thousand six hundred Seventy six & in the yeare of the Dominion of Charles &c the first by his certaine writeing Obligatory which the said Peter Sealed with the seale of him the said Peter here in Court produced whose date is the day & yeare abovewritten did acknowledge himselfe to be holden & firmly bound unto the said Henry Coursey in the full and just quantity of thirty foure thousand pounds of good Sound merchantable tobacco & caske to be paid to the said Henry Coursey or to his certaine Attorney his execut<sup>rs</sup> adm<sup>rs</sup> or assignes To which payment well & truly to be made he the said Peter did bind himselfe his heirs execut<sup>rs</sup> & adm<sup>rs</sup> & every of them firmly by those presents Yet the said Peter the Said thirty foure thousand pounds of tobacco & caske unto the said Henry though often thereunto requested hath not paid but the same to pay altogether denyeth whereupon the said Henry Saith he is dampnified & hath losse to the value of forty thousand pounds of tobacco And thereupon he bringeth his suite.

And the said Peter Sayer in his proper person cometh & defendeth the force & injury when &c & prayeth heareing of the said writeing Obligatory and it is read unto him he also prayes heareing of the Condition of the said writeing Obligatory and it is read unto him in these words. The Condition of the abovewritten Obligation is such That Whereas the above named Henry Coursey at the instance & Speciall request of the abovebound Peter Sayer by a certaine writeing Obligatory beareing date the tenth day of february last past before the date of the Obligation abovewritten Stand joyntly & severally bound unto Samuel Cooke of London marriner in the full & just quantity of Seventeene thousand One hundred fifty two pounds of good sound merchantable tobacco in caske being the proper debt of the said Peter Sayer with condition underwritten for the payment of the full & just quantity of Eight thousand five hundred seventy six pounds of tobacco & caske at a certaine day & place therein mentioned as by the Said writeing Obligatory & condition more plainly & at large may appeare If therefore the said Peter Sayer his heirs execut<sup>rs</sup> & adm<sup>rs</sup> & every of them doe & Shall from time to time & at all times hereafter discharge Save harmlesse & Keepe undempnified the said Henry Coursey his heirs execut<sup>rs</sup> & adm<sup>rs</sup> & every of them