

<p>W^m Dare Adm^r John Parker ag^t Richard Ladd & ux: Exec^x Horsley</p>	}	<p>Richard Ladd & Rosamond his wife Exec^x of the last Will & Testam^t of Joseph Horsely deceased were Sum^ooned to answer unto W^m Dare Adm^r of all & singuler the Goods Chat- tells rights & creditts of John Parker deceased of a plea that they render unto him the neat quantity of two thousand Eight hundred pounds of tobacco & caske which from him they unjustly detaine</p>	<p>Liber N N</p>
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And whereupon the said W^m Dare by Robert Ridgely his Attorney complaineth, that whereas the said Joseph Horsely in his life tyme to witt the seventh day of June one thousand six hundred & seventy by his certaine bill obligatory sealed with the Seale of him the said Joseph & here in Court produced whose date is the day & yeare aforesaid, did binde himselfe his heyres Exec^{rs} or assignes to pay or cause to be well & truely paid unto John Parker English M^rchant his heyres Exec^{rs} Adm^{rs} or assignes the neat quantity of two Thousand Eight hundred p^{ds} of tobacco & caske according to Act of Assembly without ground leaves or seconds, payment thereof to be made att the dwelling house of the said Horsely before the tenth day of October next ensueing the date of the same bill Yett the aforesaid Joseph Horsely in his life tyme nor the said Rosamond while she was sole, nor the said Richard & Rosamond since the Nuptialls between them celebrated the said two thousand Eight hundred pounds of tobacco to him the said George Parker in his life tyme nor to the said William since his death to whom Adm^cōn of all and singuler the goods Chattels rights & creditts which were of the said John Parker in his life tyme since his death hath been comitted according to the tenor of the said bill obligatory although often thereunto required hath not paid, but the same to pay hath denyed & as yet doth deny in retardacōn of the Adm^cōn of the goods & Chattells of the said John, & to the damāge of the said W^m foure thousand pounds of tobacco & thereupon he bringeth his suite And the said W^m bringeth into Court here the Letters of Adm^cōn to him granted upon the Estate of the said John Parker that itt may appeare to the Court here that he thereof hath the Adm^cōn

And the said Richard & Rosamond by George Parker their Attorney come & defend the force & injury when &c and pray liberty to imparle hereunto untill next Provinciaill Court & itt is granted unto them the same day is given to the plaintiff also

Now here att this day to witt the thirteenth day of March in the fourth yeare of the Dominion of Charles Lord Baltemore &c Annoq^{ue} Doni One thousand six hundred seventy Eight cometh as well the said plaintiffe as the said Defend^{ts} by their Attorneys aforesaid And the said Richard Ladd & Solomon [*sic*] his wife by their said Attorney say, That the said William his action aforesaid against them ought not to haue, because they say they have fully administred all the