

Henry Mitchell } William Taylor late of Charles County in the Prov- Liber W. C.  
 ag<sup>t</sup> } ince of Maryland Planter, Otherwise called Wil-  
 William Taylor } liam Taylor in Charles County of the Province of  
 Maryland was Sumoned to answe unto Henry  
 Mitchell of Calvert County in the Province aforesaid of a plea that  
 hee Render unto him the Sume of Two thousand pounds of Mar-  
 chantable Tobacco in Casq̄ w<sup>ch</sup> to him hee oweth and unjustly  
 detaineth

And Whereupon the said Henry Mitchell by George Parker his  
 Attorney sayth That Whereas the said William Taylor upon the  
 thirteenth day of September in the yeare of our Lord god 1676 By  
 his certaine bill or writeing obligatory Sealed w<sup>th</sup> the Seale of the  
 said William Taylor and here in Court produced, whose date is the  
 day and yeare above written Did acknowledge himself to owe and  
 bee indebted unto Henry Mitchell of Calvert County in the Province  
 aforesaid in the sume of Two thousand pounds of Marchantable  
 Aronoco Tobacco in Casq̄, To bee payd to the said Henry Mitchell  
 or to his Certaine Attorney his heires Executo<sup>rs</sup> Adm<sup>rs</sup> or assignes  
 upon Demand att some Convenient Plantacon in Calvert County  
 aforesaid, Itt being for a Valluable Consideracon in hand already  
 received, To w<sup>ch</sup> payment well and truely to bee made the said  
 William Taylor did binde himself his heires Executo<sup>rs</sup> and Adm<sup>rs</sup>  
 firmly by those p<sup>s</sup>ents, Notwithstanding w<sup>ch</sup> the said William  
 Taylor the said sume of Two thousand pounds of Tobacco to him  
 the said Henry Mitchell though often demanded hath not paid or  
 satisfyed but the same to pay and Satisfy hath hitherto denied, and  
 still doth denye & refuse to pay the same Whereupon the said Henry  
 sayth he is Damnified and hath Losse to the Vallue of three Thou-  
 sand pounds of Tobacco And thereupon hee brings his suite

And the said William Taylor by George Thompson his Attorney  
 cometh & defendeth the force and Injury when &c and prayeth Lib-  
 erty to imparle thereunto untill next Provinciaall Court and Itt is  
 granted unto him, The same Day is given to the Plantiffe Likewise

Now here att this day to witt the Eighteenth day of ffebruary in p. 344  
 the Sixth yeare of the Dominion of the right Hono<sup>ble</sup> Charles Lord  
 Baltemore &c Annoq̄ Domini 1680 Came the said partyes by their At-  
 torneys aforesaid. and the said William Taylor by his sayd Attorney  
 sayth That hee is not informed by the said William of any answe  
 by him to the action of the said Henry to bee given, and nothing  
 else sayth thereupon, By w<sup>ch</sup> the said Henry Remaineth against the  
 said William thereof wholly undefended Therefore Itt is Considered  
 that the said Henry Mitchell Recover against the said William  
 Taylor aswell the sume of Two Thousand pounds of Tobacco debt,  
 as also the Sume of Thirteene hundred and eighty pounds of To-  
 bacco Costs of Suite and the defendant in mercy &c