

purchased That then the said Thomas did binde himself his heires &c. to deliver unto the said John or his order the said seaverall Sumes as aforesaid Received at a Convenient Landing in st Jeromes Creeke, the said John Allowing for Caske & salt a Reasonable Price as is sold comonly from one to another And also takeing the said Meate att the Greene weight as it was first bought as by the said writeing Relation being thereunto had more fully & more at Large it doth & may appeare, and the said Thomas further sayth that in Pursueance to the writeing aforesaid he did the said Eighth day of January in the yeare 1680 aforesaid Deliver to the said John the said seaverall sumes of Porke Received as aforesaid in S<sup>t</sup> Jeromes Creeke aforesaid & then and there did fully account w<sup>th</sup> him the said John of the Tobacco and Porke aforesaid And this he is Ready to Averde and thereupon Demands Judgment of the Court if the said John his Action aforesaid against him Ought to have, **Whereupon** Robert Carvile the Pl<sup>ts</sup> Attorney produced to the Court here a Certaine writeing w<sup>ch</sup> followes in these words Viz Itt is this day being the Eight and Twentyeth day of ffebruary 1681 agreed that the account in question betweene John Pinke Plantiffe and Thomas Jones deft be referred to Henry Smith and Robert Mason Audito<sup>rs</sup> to heare and state the account to the Court as witnesse our hands.

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**Robert Carvile**  
**Thomas Jones**

And the said Thomas Jones being p<sup>r</sup>sent in Court acknowledged to have Consented thereunto:

Therefore itt is Considered by the Court here that the aforesaid Thomas Jones Account with the said John Pinke for the time he was Receiver of the goods and Tobacco of him the said John by the time aforesaid Received in the forme in wch the Plantiffe above hath Declared against him. And hereupon Harry Smith and Robert Mason gentl are Assigned Audito<sup>rs</sup> by the Court here to Audite State and Examine the said account soe as they make their Report thereof to the Justices of this Court, w<sup>th</sup> all Convenient speede, & that they the said Audito<sup>rs</sup> be Armed with a Comission to Empower them to audite state and Examine the said accompt in manner aforesaid & to Examine witnesses Upon oath if Occasion require touching and Concerning the premisses

And thereupon a Comission issued w<sup>ch</sup> followes in these words: viz **Charles** Absolute Lord and Prop<sup>ty</sup> of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltemore &c. To Henry smith & Robert Mason of s<sup>t</sup> Maryes County in our said Province of Maryland **Greeting** Whereas Thomas Jones late of Somerset County in Our said Province of Maryland was Sumoned to answeare unto John Pinke Marchant of a Plea that he rend<sup>r</sup> unto him his reasonable account for the time he was the Receiver of the goods & tobacco of