

Liber W. C.

Anthony Underwood Attorney for the defendants the  
Day and yeare abovesaid :

W<sup>m</sup> Cocks C<sup>l</sup>ke

Robert Yeates & W<sup>m</sup> Jones : } John Edmondson late of the County  
ag<sup>t</sup> } of Talbot Otherwise called John Ed-  
John Edmondson } mondson of Talbot County Marchant  
was Sumoned to answeare unto Robert  
Yeates and William Jones of Bristoll in the Kingdome of England  
of a Plea that he Render unto them the full and Just sume of Six  
thousand eight hundred twnty four pounds of good Sound Mar-  
chantable Tobacco & Caske w<sup>ch</sup> to them he oweth and unjustly  
Deteineth

p. 622 And Whereupon the Said Robert Yeates and William Jones by  
Anthony Underwood their Attorney Sayth that Whereas the Said  
John Edmondson the six and twentyeth day of Aprill in the yeare  
of Our Lord One thousand Six hundred Eighty one by his certaine  
bond or writeing Obligatory Sealed w<sup>th</sup> the Seale of him the Said  
John and here in Court produced Whose date is the day and yeare  
aforesaid Did acknowledge himself to be holden and firmly bound  
unto the said Robert Yeates & William Jones in the full and  
Just Sume of six thousand Eight hundred sixty four pounds of  
good sound Marchantable tobacco & Caske To be paid to the Said  
Robert Yeates and W<sup>m</sup> Jones or either of them their or either of  
their heires Executors Administrat<sup>rs</sup> or Assignes for payment of  
wch the Said John Edmondson did bind himself his heires Ex<sup>rs</sup>  
and Adm<sup>rs</sup> firmly by those p<sup>rs</sup>ents Notwithstanding w<sup>ch</sup> the said  
John Edmondson the Said Sume of Six thousand Eight hundred  
twenty four pounds of tobacco according to the Tenor of the Said  
bill or writeing Obligatory hath not payd to the said Robert Yeates  
or William Jones or either of them Although often thereunto re-  
quired, but the Same to pay hath denyed and Still doth denye  
Whereupon the said Robert and William say they are damnified  
and have losse to the vallue of Twelve thousand pounds of Tobacco  
And thereupon they bring their Suite

And Now here at this day (to wit) the thirteenth day of October  
in the Seaventh yeare of the Dominion of the Right hono<sup>ble</sup> Charles  
Lord Baltemore &c Annoq̄ Doni 1682 cometh the said John Edmond-  
son by Griffith Jones his Attorney and defendeth the force and  
Injury when &c<sup>a</sup> and Prayeth the hearing of the said bond and Itt  
is read unto him he prayeth the hearing of the Condition of the  
Said bond and it is read unto him in these words Viz The Condition  
of this Obliga<sup>o</sup>n is Such That if the above bound Thomas Vaughan  
and John Edmondson or Either of them their heires Ex<sup>rs</sup> Adm<sup>rs</sup>  
doe or shall pay or Cause to be paid unto the above named Robert  
Yeates & William Jones or Either of them their heires Ex<sup>rs</sup> Adm<sup>rs</sup>