

At a County Court held for the Rth hon^{ble} Charles & Tho 16th day of August Anno 1688 Present Sam^l as aforesaid &

William Anderson pl^t)
 Ag^t)
 Simon Perkins vs)
 Declaration Read &c

That the County of Accomack County in Virg^a was Attached to answer and
 m^r Wm Anderson of Accomack County in Virg^a in a plea of Debt
 and thereupon the pl^t by James Langster his Attorney conds Delays that the s^r of
 the said County indebted unto the pl^t in the full Just Sume of One pound four shillings &
 pence of money being the balance of an Account for a greater Sume than hee in Court
 which said sume of One pound four shillings & pence shd^t the said def^t did faithfully
 promise & Assure the pl^t to satisfy & pay but the said def^t fraudulently & craftily
 intending to receive the pl^t the said sume hath not paid & yet engaged to pay to the pl^t
 great loss & damage to the value of Two pound Nyn^e shillings & eight pence like
 Money of England & hereupon Oringo his Child Langster

In Doc
 Rich^d Roe

Accomack County 1687

M ^r Simon Perkins Sec ^r for simon Perkins	0	0	0
To Wheeling and broad Iron Narrow Axes	0	1	8
To end Viler D. key for a Whiplaw	0	2	6
To end Viler Iron & plates	0	1	0
To a spike for a turning Lays	0	1	4
To making 2 wedges of iron	0	2	8
To end Roberts Ax	0	5	0
To a carry turning the axle	0	6	6
To a turning gouge	0	4	0
To a form of wheels	0	2	10
To a drawing knife	0	2	6
To a Round saw	0	2	2
To a spoke of iron	0	1	4
To 1 lb of Compasses at 8. & 2 gal of Oyl at 1.8. 10	0	2	4
Total	1	15	4

Ex^o & Accepted by Wm Anderson

This may certify that the 16th day being the eight day of June 1688 m^r William
 Anderson came before me & did declare upon the holy Evangelist that Simon Perkins
 was indebted unto him upon bill of Acc^t the sume of One pound four shillings
 and pence shd^t and that the said Anderson has not receiv^d any satisfaction
 that the said sume of 1. 4. 10. is still due and was promise to be paid in ready Money
 In testimony whereof I have herunto sett my hand dalt^e at the City of W^h Thomas W. COURTNEY
 And the said Simon Perkins came & defendeth the forced Divorc^e & for his
 plea saith that Wm Anderson aforesaid hath not brought his Action ag^t him in due
 time & forme according to an Act of Assembly held at the City of W^h Marye the 11th
 day of August Anno 1683 entituled an Act for preventing Unnecessary & vexatious
 Suits at Law Wherem it sheweth that whereas divers Deludory persons within this
 Province Contracting debts by Acc^t with Merchants & others for which they stand and
 Remains only debto^r upon their books of Acc^t the w^h the^r they be themselves & with
 dispersed to pay the same upon demand first had & required of the said deb^t by the said
 or other Lawfully Authorized to receive the same without which it is impossible for the
 said debto^r to know wher^e or to whom to pay the said debts yet severall of the
 Credito^r through a Vexatious & Avaritious humo^r doe daily Emance their Suits at