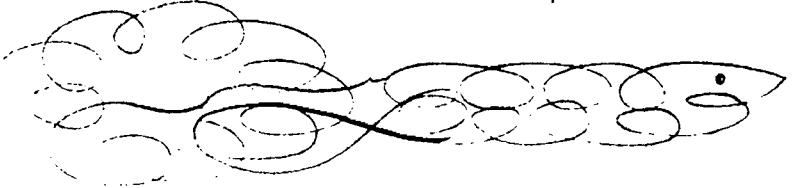


June 11<sup>th</sup> 1691

The Exposition of Francis Hoag, aged about thirty five years, this Exponent saith that being at the house of Mr. Ellis Coleman, he there saw Colonel Brown and Mr. Broxton, to whom he said Mr. Coleman and Mr. Starbroug did refer some controversies and differences in accounts, to be decided by them. and the said Mr. Brown & Broxton, did go forth, as if the Exponent understood, to end the said difference, and where again, declaring that the difference was so small they would not declare of which side it was, so the said Coleman, and the said Starbroug did declare that they were both fully satisfied, with what Mr. Brown and Mr. Broxton had done, which to the Exponent's understanding, was a final end & conclusion of the said difference between the said Mr. Starbroug relating to their accounts, this the Exponent saith & further saith not. witness my hand this 7<sup>th</sup> day of March 90

The said Exponent made Oath of the truth of all above written before me the day above written. witness my hand. Sam<sup>l</sup> Hoag Esq.

Francis: F H Hoag



The said Hoag to In form the worshipfull Court of Somerset County, that Growing to the house of Mr. Ellis Coleman, some time about the last of February last, did there meet with Mr. David Brown, Mr. Broxton and Mr. Starbroug, and a few some small stay. Mr. Brown with Mr. Broxton went out as if understood upon arbitration, about a difference between Mr. Matthew Starbroug and Mr. Ellis Coleman, and a few some small stay they came in, and declared there was some small difference, but the thing was so small that they would not tell which side it was, to the truth of which I am ready to give my Oath when opportunity serves. witness my hand this 26<sup>th</sup> day of Feb<sup>r</sup> 1691. Francis: Hoag

The may certify that what above is here signed by Mr. Hoag is the truth of what was transacted betwixt Mr. Ellis Coleman here by Mr. Broxton & David Brown.

The Court having rightly considered the full proceedings, do Ord<sup>r</sup> a Non suit against the pl<sup>t</sup>.

Charles Sindall. Pl<sup>t</sup>.  
Henry Lynch. Merc. Def<sup>t</sup>.

Somerset County p. Henry Lynch of that County Sheriff was summoned to answer unto Charles Sindall Cordwainer in a plea by the said Charles Sindall the pl<sup>t</sup>, eight hundred pounds of tobacco being to him due and unjustly detaining and the whereupon the pl<sup>t</sup> by James Sangster his Attorney Comd and sayd. that the debt is become & stand indebted.

unto the pl<sup>t</sup> in the full and just sum of eight hundred pounds of tobacco as doth and may appear by a certain writing under the hand of the said def<sup>t</sup> bearing date the 27<sup>th</sup> day of December last. Anno 1688. where the said def<sup>t</sup> being by him self to pay upon sight of the said writing the above sum of 800 sum of eight hundred pounds of tobacco but the said def<sup>t</sup> fraudulently and craftily intending to deceive the sum hath conveyed and yet doth convey the same unto required to the great loss and damage of the pl<sup>t</sup> to the value of eight hundred pounds of tobacco, the whereupon being thus satisfied.

James Sangster p. Qu. & Qu. pl<sup>t</sup> per. { Jno. Sangster }  
 { King: Re. }

And the said Sante the hath satisfied the sum of five hundred and fifty pounds of tobacco part of the said debt, and the said Sante of the Bill, one hundred and fifty pounds of tobacco, the said Sante hath under him satisfaction and the said may be enquired of by the Court. Done at Qu. Sangster.