

Hugh Ryley, foreman, Archable Edmonson, William Conley, John Forrest, Edward Willett, Allexander Magruder, Joshua Hall, Paul Busey, James Brooke, Christopher Baynes, Robert Orme, Guy White. Sumoned per Thomas Greenfeild, Sheriffe.

Who to Speake the truth Conserving the premises being Elected tryed and Sworne Doe Say upon their oath that they find for the plantiffe.

Then Came John Garrett And Appealed to the Provintiall Court and for the due procecution of the Same brought into open Court Thomas Hatton and William Bladen who Acknowledged this Recognizance Following (Viz.)

Thomas Hatton and William Bladen Acknowledged themselves bound unto John Davis in the Sume of three thowsand Six hundred Sixty four pounds of tobaccoe to bee Leavyed on their goods and Chattles Lands and tenements to and for the use of the Said John Davis upon this Condition that if the Said John Garrett Shall at the Provintiall Court now next Ensueing procecute the directions of an Act of Assembly of this province Entituled an Act for Appeales and Regulating writts of Error) According to the Rules of the Provintiall Court and procecute his Appeale with Effect and Alsoe Satisfie and pay unto the Said John Davis his heires Executors Administrators or Assignes in Case the Judgment now given against the Said John Garrett Shall be Affirmed as well the Damages and Costs Adjudged by the aforesaid verdict as alsoe all Costs and Damages that Shall be awarded by the Provintiall Court for the delaying of Execution that then this Recognisance Shall be voyd and of no Effect otherwise to Stand and be in full force and Vertue.

William Creed plantiffe: George Plowden Defendant

Prince Georges County Ss. George Plowden late of Prince Georges County otherwise Called George Plowden of Calvert County in the province of Maryland [219] Planter was Sumoned to Answer unto William Creed of a plea that he Render unto him the full Sume and Just quantity of three hundred and thirty two pounds of good Sound Marchantable tobaccoe and Caske which to him he oweth and Unjustly Deteyneth etc.

And whereupon the Said William by William Stone his Attorney Saith that whereas the Said George the 19th day of March in the yeare of our Lord 1695 [1696] Att Calvert County that is to Say att Charles Towne within the Jurisdiction of this Court by his Certaine bill Obligatory which the Said William with the Seale of the Said George Signed bringeth here into Court the date whereof is the Same day and yeare aforesaid the Said George by the Said bill Obligatory did bind himselfe his heires Executors and Administrators to pay or Cause to be paid unto the Said William Creed his heires Executors Administrators or Assignes the full Sume and Just quantity of three hundred and thirty two pounds of good Sound Marchantable tobaccoe in Caske Convenient in Calvert County aforesaid upon Demand after the tenth day of October next Ensueing the date of the Said bill Obligatory Notwithstanding which the Said George the Said Sume of 332 lbs. of tobaccoe in Caske According to the tennor of the Said bill Obligatory Although Often demanded hath not paid but the Same to pay to the Said William hath denyed and Still doth denye to the damage of the Said William of 600 lbs. of tobaccoe and thereupon he brings his Suite etc.

Pledges etc. John Doe, Richard Roe. William Stone.

And the Said George Plowden by John Meriton his Attorney Cometh and defendeth the force and Injury when etc. And prayeth leave thereof to Imparle here untill the next Court and it is granted unto him the Same day is given to the