Edward and Dudley Carleton plantiffe: Thomas Tracey Defendant

Prince Georges County Ss. Thomas Tracey late of Prince Georges County planter was Summoned to Answer unto Edward and Dudley Carleton of London Merchants of a plea of trespass upon the Case etc.

And Whereupon the Said Edward and Dudley by William Stone his Attorney Complaineth that whereas the Said Thomas the 29th day of August in the yeare of our Lord 1696 Att Charles Towne within the Jurisdiction of this Court was Indebted unto the Said Edward and Dudley the Sume of 862 lbs. tobaccoe upon the ballance of Accounts as by a pertickeler Account thereof here in Court produced Relation being thereunto had may more at Large Appeare And the Said Thomas to the Said Edward and Dudley in manner aforesaid being Indebted Inconsideration thereof did Assume upon himselfe and to the Said Edward and Dudley then and there faithfully promise that he the Said Thomas them the Said Edward and Dudly the Said Sume of 862 lbs. of tobaccoe when he Should be thereunto Requested would well and truly Content and pay Nevertheless the Said Thomas his promise and Assumption Soe as aforesaid made Little Regarding but minding and Fraudulently intending them the Said Edward and Dudley in this behalfe Craftily and Subtilly to deceive and defraud the Said Sume of Eight hundred Sixty two pounds of tobaccoe to them the Said Edward and Dudley or to Either of them hath not paid Although the Said Thomas to doe the Same by the Said Edward and Dudley Afterwards the day and place aforesaid was often thereunto Requested but the Same to pay hath hitherto denyed and Still doth denye to the damage of the Said Edward and Dudley of 1500 lbs. of tobaccoe and thereupon they bring their Suite etc.

Pledges etc. John Doe, Richard Roe. William Stone. 1696 Thomas Tracey Debtor 21th August.

	lbs.	tobaccoe
To 1 Jackett and briches 320, to 1 Castor hatt 80, to 2 pair of Falls		۲90
pair worsted hose 42		532
Ivory knife 10		235
To 7 yards of Crape 84, to 6 doz: Silk buttons 36, to 1 double hank of 29th	Silk 18	138
To 1/2 lb. browne 1 oz. Cullored thred 24, to 1 pair gloves 12, to 1 furniture and Curb bridle 170		206
108, to 1 pair falls 45		202
To 1 hank of Silke 18, to 6 yards of Caddis 10, to 1 pair wrott hose 21		049
	-	1362
per Contra Creditt. By John Prater	·	500
Memorandum Due to ballance	-	862
	·	1362

[251] Aemd: March 6th 1696/7 Then Robert Bradley Came before us two of His Majesties Justices for Prince Georges County and tooke his oath on the holly Evangelist that the above is a Just and true Account And that he hath Received noe part thereof more then Creditt given.

Juratt Coram Nobis. Thomas Hollyday. David Small.

And the Said Thomas Tracey by John Meriton his Attorney Cometh and Defendeth the force and Injury when etc. And prayeth Leave thereof to Imparle