

Richard Edwards plantiffe: Courtny Crotoff Defendant

The plantiffe by John Meriton his Attorney Sues the Defendant in a plea of Debt for four hundred lbs. of tobaccoe due by bill bearing date the 21th day of January 1696 [1697] as by the Declaration filed Appeareth etc. And the Said Courtny Crotoffe by William Bladen his Attorney Cometh and Defendeth the force and Injury when etc. and Craveth Lycence thereof to Imparle here untill the next Court and it is granted unto him the Same day is given to the plantiffe Likewise. Att which Said next Court to witt the 25 day of January Annoque Domini 1697 [1698] Came here as well the Said Richard Edwards by his Attorney Aforesaid as the Said Courtny Crotoffe by his Attorney Aforesaid And the Said Richard Edwards prayeth that the Said Courtny Crotoffe to his Declaration aforesaid may Answer etc. Whereupon Came the Said Courtny Crotoff by William Bladen his Attorney Cometh and defendeth the force and Injury when etc. And Saith nothing in barr of the Action of the Said Richard Edwards by which the Said Richard Edwards Remaineth against the Said Courtny Crotoffe thereof without Defence etc.

[293] Therefore itt is Considered that the Said Richard Edwards Recover against the Said Courtny Crotoffe the Sume of four hundred pounds of tobaccoe his Debt Aforesaid And his Damages by Occation of Deteyneing the Said Debt two hundred and Sixty pounds of tobaccoe to the Said Richard Edwards of his Assent by the Court here Adjudged etc. And the Said Crotny Crotoffe in mercy etc.

These 15 Actions are Continued untill next Court: Thomas Tench, Esq., against Edmonsons Administrator – trespass on the Case; William Stone against the Same Administrator – trespass on the Case; Henry Truemans Administrator against John Davis – Debt 474; the Same Administrator against Ninian Beall – trespass on the Case; Richard Charletts Administrator against Richard Stevens – Debt 914; the Same against Thomas Sprigg Sr. – trespass on the Case; the Same against John Sprigg – trespass on the Case; Matthew Mockeboy against George Plowden – trespass on the Case; Zachariah Allen against Rawlings Administrator – Debt 502; Lord Baltemore against Benjamin Evins – Attachment, Debt 2400, Cost 0328; Richard Charletts Administrator against John Cooper – trespass on the Case; the Same Administrator against Richard Wallis Administrator – Debt 2640; the Same Administrator against Samuell Warren – Debt 2249; Henry Truemans Administrator against Ignatius Creycroft – trespass on the Case; Charletts Administrator against Lawrence Rowlands Administrator – Debt 11087.

These 9 Actions are Agreed: Thomas Gatton against Edward Jones – trespass on the Case; Charles Walker against Thomas Scott – trespass on the Case; Hugh Furguson against John Greene – trespass on the Case; Thomas Box against John Davis – Debt 800; William Groome against John Davis – Assault; Richard Keene against James Moore – trespass on the Case; James Fenlay against Steven Smith – trespass on the Case; George Cole against William Rothery – trespass on the Case; John Dorsett against Keniston Administrator [of] Bayley – trespass on the Case.

These 4 Actions are Discontinued: John Meriton against Nicholas Terretts Administrator – trespass on the Case; Allexander Dehjnjosey against John Murfey – Debt 400; Francis Nichollson against Coopers Administrator – trespass on the Case; William King against the Same Administrator – Debt 2400.

John Forrest against Thomas Keniston – trespass on the Case: this Action Discontinued, the plaintiff being Dead.