

Parties on both sides, but more Peticularly an account which the Said Defendant produced and made Oath upon the Same for four hundred thirty th[r]ee pounds of Tobacco which was adjudged a Sufficient Barr against the aforesaid Action.

Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Said Kathrine Willson and Joshua Cecell Executors of the Said Jonathan Willson Deceased take nothing by their Said Writt but be in mercy for their Falce Clammor and Lett the names of the Pledges be Sought for and that the Said Isaack Williams goe thereof without day.

John Meryton Plantife: George Plowden defendant

Georges Plowden Late of Prince Georges County Planter was attached to answer unto John Meryton one of the Attorneys of the Said Court according to the Liberties and Priveledges etc. in a Plea of Tresspass upon the Case.

And whereup the Said John in his Propper Person complains that whereas the Said George from the 22d day of June 1697 untill the month of January in the Same year Following at Charles Towne within the Jurisdiction of this Court in Consideration that the Said John att the Espeaciall Instance and request of the aforesaid George would be an Attorney for him the Said George and appear and Defend him the Said Georges in Severall actions brought and Commenced against him the Said George in the Said Court by Severall persons and att the like Instance and request of him the Said George would pay for him the Said George Severall County Clerks Fees he the Said George did assume upon himselfe and to the Said John did Faithfully Promise that the Said George would well and truely Sattisfy and Pay to the Said John his Just due Fees by the Court in Such Cases allowd to the Attorneys in this Court and allso would Sattisfie and Pay unto the Said John what County Clerks Fees he Should disburst for him the Said George when he Should be thereunto required and the Said John in fact Saith that he the Said John to the Promise and assumption of the aforesaid George in forme aforesaid made giveing Credditt did appear for him the aforesaid George to Severall actions brought and Commenced against him the Said George in the Said Court aforesaid and did allso pay for him the Said George Severall County Clerks Fees all which Said Attorneyes Fees and Clerks Fees due in the whole amount to the Sume of 500 lbs. of Tobacco as by a perticular account hear in Court may appear Yet notwithstanding the Said George his promise and assumption aforesaid not regarding but deviseing and fraudulently intending him the Said John of the Said Sume of 500 lbs. of Tobacco to him the Said John hath not paid altho often thereunto required but the Same to him to pay hath denyed and Still doth denye to the Damage of the Plaintiff of 1000 lbs. of Tobacco and thereup he brings his Suite.

Pledges to Prosecute. John Doe, Richard Roe. Meryton in propria persona Mr. George Plowden Debtor June the 22 1697.

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