

Novem. 1701
The which cause being cont. from Court to Court until this p^{re}sent Court
and now here at this Day viz. 2^o day of Novem. Anno Dom. 1701 & said cause
standing for Fryall came as well & said Defend^t James Williams by his said att^y
as also & said Plaint. by his att^y att^y and & said cause standing for Fryall as att^y
& plaintiff Port viz. a . . .

Kent & James Williams alias datus James Williams of Kent County in the Province
of Maryland planter was summoned to answer unto Elias King Esq^r att^y & Capt
will^t & Testam^t of Edward Sweetnam late of Kent County Esq^r Dec. who
was att^y & Testam^t of Richard Sweetnam late of Soth Cott
County Esq^r Dec. of ap^{er} that he under him the full & just sum of
Two thousand three hundred ninety & Six pounds of good sound merchantable
Leafe Tob. and Casque which from him he unjustly detain^s
and whereupon & said Elias King in his att^y capacity by Richard Macklin his att^y said
whereas & said James Williams & 21^o day of Sep. Anno Dom. 1696 at Kent County in
jurisdiction of this Court by his certain bill or writing obligatory sealed wth his Seal
his att^y & good deliver^d and here into Court brought whose date is the day & year aforesaid
and himself his heirs Exors and Adors to pay or cause to be paid unto & said Richard
Sweetnam his heirs Exors or assigns the full & just sum of Two thousand three
hundred ninety & Six pounds of Tob. qualified as att^y & Testam^t in & County aforesaid
or upon & fourth day of Ap^{ril} Jan^ury next ensuing & date of & said bill or writing obligatory
viz. notwithstanding & said James Williams & said sum of 2396 Tob. unto & said
Richard Sweetnam in his life time he hath not paid nor to & said Edw. Sweetnam in his
Capacity since & death of & said Richard he hath not paid the same neither hath he paid
same unto & said Elias in his att^y Capacity since & death of & said Edw. Sweetnam
although the rounde afflon required but & same to pay he hath never refused & still
vols^t unjustly detain^s to & damago of & said Testator Glade 9700^o of like Tob. and
thereupon he brings this Suld and into Court he brings & Letters Testamentary ad
well of & said Richard Sweetnam as att^y & said Edward Sweetnam who is
The & of & & & and & said Defend^t by Michael Bart^{le} his att^y comes & defend^s & forc^e
& Sweetnam . . . Injury whereof and craves over of & att^y power to Sw^{ear} a . . .
James Williams - But & said Defend^t making nod other defend^s to this action
Judg^t was given by & Court & & said Defend^t for & said sum of 2396 Tob. & cost

Therefore it is considered by & Court here viz. this 2^o day of Novem. Anno Dom.
1701 that & said Plaint. Elias King in his said Capacity do recover
from & said Defend^t James Williams as well & sum of Two thousand three hundred
ninety & Six pounds of Tob. Debt as also & sum of three hundred ninety & Six
pounds of Tob. cost of Suld & & said James Williams in mercy - In Dec^{re} & C^{our}