

March Court 1701

Therefore it is considered by the Court here viz. this 27 day of March Anno Domini 1701 that the said Plaintiff Henry Brayley doo recover from the said Defendant as well the sum of thirteen pounds five shillings. Doob due upon bill. as also the sum of four hundred thirty four pounds of cost of Suits & the said Thomas Polley in Mary

J. Dowdall Clerk

Command was given to the Sheriff of Kent County on the 23 day of Novem. Anno Domini 1700 that he take Thomas Polley alias dutab Thomas Polley of Kent County planter if found in his bailiwick & him safe keep soe that he have his body before our Justices at the next Court to be holden for our said County on fourth Friday of Jan. next to answer unto Corrine Browne and Comp. Merchants of Aplea of Doob and Co. and which next Court viz. the 28 Day of Jan. Anno Domini 1700 being an adjourned Court all the people were continued in the error Constable the next fast day untill the next Court and at which next Court viz. the 28th day of Feb. Anno Domini 1700 the day of the return of the writt according to adjournment. And Elias King High Sheriff of said County and made returne thereof in these words viz. and

Levi Corpar / Elias King Sheriff

But the said Plaintiff by Richard Marklin their Att. moved the Court that the said Defendant Thomas Polley might be committed into the Sheriff's custody & that he should remaine untill he find Sufficient bail to the said action which was granted unto him. Therefore ordered that the Sheriff of Kent County doo take into his custody the body of the said Thomas Polley into his custody & that he should remaine untill he find Sufficient bail to the said action who was committed accordingly.

J. Dowdall Clerk

And now heard at this Day viz. the 27 Day of March Anno Domini 1701 James the said Plaintiff by his said Att. & Thomas Polley otherwise called Thomas Polley of Kent County planter was summoned to answer unto Corrine Browne & Company Merchants of Aplea that he render them the sum of three thousand four hundred thirty three pounds of good & true Merchantable Tote in full due of ground & cause & other trash which them he oweth from them he unjustly and unlawfully.

And whereupon the said Plaintiff by Richard Marklin their Att. says that whereas the said Thomas on the 24 day of June ant. Domini 1700 at Kent County within the jurisdiction of this Court by his will and writing Olegatory Bailed his said self & his heirs & assigns to the said Court brought whose date is the 27th day of June 1700 and did bind himself & his heirs & assigns to pay or cause to be paid unto the said Will Frisby or laborer for the said Plaintiff the sum of three thousand three hundred forty pounds of good & true Merchantable Tote in full due of ground & cause & other trash which them he oweth from them he unjustly and unlawfully. And whereas the said Thomas in his said Bailing did avow that he was the said Plaintiff's debtor in the sum of three thousand three hundred forty pounds of good & true Merchantable Tote in full due of ground & cause & other trash which them he oweth from them he unjustly and unlawfully. And whereas the said Thomas in his said Bailing did avow that he was the said Plaintiff's debtor in the sum of three thousand three hundred forty pounds of good & true Merchantable Tote in full due of ground & cause & other trash which them he oweth from them he unjustly and unlawfully. And whereas the said Thomas in his said Bailing did avow that he was the said Plaintiff's debtor in the sum of three thousand three hundred forty pounds of good & true Merchantable Tote in full due of ground & cause & other trash which them he oweth from them he unjustly and unlawfully.

On which day the said Defendant Thomas Polley comes into Court together with James Wallis his Security and the said James avowed himself that the said Thomas Polley shall pay the said sum of cost or else he will pay it for him and