

March Court 1717

Loughlin the sum of two pounds one Shill and Tenn pence Curr^t money of part
 of the afo^r sum of four pounds four Shill. & six pence Curr^t money of the other
 the afo^r Christopher his severall promises & assumptions afo^r as to y^e sum of two
 pounds two Shill. & eight pence Curr^t money of y^e remaining part of y^e
 afo^r sum of four pounds four Shill. & six pence little regarding but alto-
 gether minding and fraudulently intending him the said Loughlin in
 this part craftily & subtilly to deceive & defraud y^e sum of two pounds
 two Shillings & eight pence Curr^t money of Maryland w^{ch} altho' to do
 y^e same he the said Christopher has bin often therunto required by
 the said Loughlin particularly the first day of October Anno Domini
 one thousand seven hundred & sixteen at a old Chester Town in Kent
 County and within y^e Jurisdiction afo^r & divers other days and times as w^{ch}
 before as sine hath not paid but the same to the said Loughlin to pay
 hath refused & still doth refuse wherefore he says he is y^e worse & hath
 lost to y^e value of four pounds six Shill. Curr^t money afo^r & therefore
 he brings this sute &c. J. Carle of Queer s^rke Ju^r Doe & Roe

And the afo^r Deft by Thomas Boone his atty came and defended the
 force and injury and swearing to himselfe all manner of advantages & ex-
 ceptions as well to the writ as to the Doct of the afo^r p^t. prayd liberty to
 impare thereto and to enforce at the then next Court.

At which said next Court viz. the thirtieth day of March Anno
 Domini one thousand seven hundred and sixteen the same cause
 was continued until the then next Court in Course

At which said next Court viz. the eighteenth day of June Annoque
 Domini one thousand seven hundred and sixteen the same cause
 standing for tryall came the afo^r p^t by his afo^r atty and the said Deft
 by his atty afo^r who pleads as folo^w viz.

And the afo^r Deft by Thomas Boone his atty comes and defends the force
 and injury when &c. and saith that as to afo^r severall assumptions above sett
 forth he did not assume upon himselfe in manner and forme above declared
 and of this he puts himselfe upon the Country & Boone of Deft.

And the p^t in like manner & Card of p^t

There upon Command was given to the Sheriff of Kent County that he immedi-
 ately cause to come Twelve w^{ch} By whom &c. because as well w^{ch} who neither
 w^{ch} to Recognize w^{ch} and the Sheriff returned that he had ready twelve w^{ch} as he
 was Comanded who being called likewise came viz. John Wilson John Davis
 Ebenezer Blackiston Fredrick Hanson Philip Davis Henry Davis Samuel
 Norris James Weyatt John Wall Marke Noble William Jones Nicholas
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