

March Court 1717

and the said Deft. in his proper person appears to the above Action and prays liberty thereof to impare thereto and to answer at next Court which being granted the same day was given the ptt also

At which said next Court viz the Twentieth day of March Anno Domini One thousand seven hundred and seventeen came the ap ptt by their attys and And the said Deft. in his proper person and said that he cannot gain say the Action of either the said ptt nor but that the writing obligatory above mentioned is his Act and deed and that he woth into the ap ptt. the sum of Fifteen thousand eight hundred and fourteen pounds of Tobacco And is willing that Judgment should be entered for the same and Cost thereon accruing: Therefore it is Considered by the Court here viz the same day last mentioned. That the ap ptt. William Sweatnam and John Whittington do recover against the said Deft. Thomas Sheakston as well the ap Summe of Fifteen thousand eight hundred and fourteen pounds of Tobacco Debt as also the Summe of Four hundred and Twenty Six pounds of Tobacco Cost by the ap ptt about their Sute in their behalfe expensed and by the Court here of their assent adjudged And the said Deft. in mercy &c

Sam Smith

A Bill of Cost of the ap Judgment was made out and delivered to one of the ap ptt viz William Sweatnam and the same William Sweatnam and the ap Deft Thomas Sheakston delivered the said Bill Cost againe and they the said William Sweatnam and Thomas Sheakstone required me to enter a receipt on the Records of the ap County which was on the back of the said Bill of Cost which was viz

May 3^d 1718 Here Recd by the hands of Thomas Rasui on Account of the within Thomas Sheakston the Summe of Sixty five pounds Seventeen Shillings and Eleven pence Sterling money of Great Brittain and four hundred Twenty Six pounds of Tobacco it being in full of the within Judgment and Cost being Sixteen thousand Two hundred and forty pounds of Tobacco I say Received in full in behalfe of selfe and John Whittington

Wm The Rasui

W Sweatnam

Simon Wilmer
at
also Robinson
I agreed Nathl Hyman
Cornelius Doo
J. Lucas
Nathl Hyman
Cornelius Doo
Defendant
by the barons
ptt atty