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Saith that he the said Gilbert trusting to the faithful promises of the said John Jones afterwards by the said Thirteenth day of March in the year aforesaid at the parish County & Jurisdiction aforesaid at the instance and request of the said John Jones to the said Thomas Tolly the sum of five hundred pounds of Tobacco at twelve Shillings a hundred Nevertheless the said John Jones his promises and Oath aforesaid in form aforesaid made little regarding but plotting & fraudulently intending the said Gilbert in that behalf craftily to deceive & defraud the sum of five hundred pounds of good Tobacco to the said Gilbert after the said Thirteenth day of March did not pay neither to the said Gilbert as much Tobacco as at the rate of eight Shillings a hundred amounts to the sum of three pounds Current money of Maryland which last mentioned Tobacco at the rate of eight Shillings a hundred amounts to seven hundred & fifty pounds of Tobacco which the said John Jones paid altho' to pay the same seven hundred and fifty pounds of Tobacco & the said three pounds Current money of Maryland of the value of the said seven hundred & fifty pounds of Tobacco the said John Jones on the second day of December and often after in the year aforesaid at the parish County and Jurisdiction aforesaid by the said Gilbert was thereunto required But the said sum of seven hundred and fifty pounds of Tobacco or 4 said sum of three pounds Current money of Maryland of the value of 4 said seven hundred & fifty pounds of Tobacco to the said Gilbert to pay he the said John Jones thereto hath denied & still doth deny to the damage of the said Gilbert 50 pounds Current money of Maryland and thereupon he complains &c.

Wherefore the Court doth order

At the prayer of the said by his atty aforesaid the said Debt is adjudged to give Special Bail to the said aforesaid and that the Sheriff of said County keep the said Debt in safe Custody until he shall give Special Bail aforesaid and thereupon the said Cause was continued until the next Court

At which said next Court to wit the 16th day of June Anno Domini 1719 comes again as well the said Debt by his atty aforesaid as the said Debt in Custody of the Sheriff of said County and the said Cause is further continued until the next Court

At which said next Court to wit the 18th day of August Anno Domini 1719 comes again as well the said Debt by his atty aforesaid as the said Debt in Custody of