

March Court 1719

pounds Sterling money which he unjustly detains &c.
 AND whereupon the app^t p^t. by Thomas Bourne his attly^r sueth
 that whereas the app^t Deft^r the twentieth day of October in the
 year of our Lord Christ one Thousand seven hundred & Eighteen
 at St. Pauls parish in Kent County within the Jurisdiction of
 this Court. By his Certam Bill obligatory which he the Said
 Deft^r sealed with his Seal & as his deed & delivered hereunto
 brought the date whereof is the same day & year app^t Bound
 himselfe to pay to the app^t p^t. the app^t full and just sum
 of four thousand four hundred & forty six pounds of good sound
 Clean dry Tobacco Clear of all Ground Lease and Rent in Charge
 of the app^t value of forty four pounds. And money Concomitant
 in the Said County at or before the tenth day of November next
 ensuing the date of the Said. Bill Obligatory Never the less the
 app^t Deft^r altho' often required the app^t sum of four thousand
 four hundred & forty six pounds to the Said p^t. hath not paid
 But that to him to render or pay better to hath denied & still
 doth deny and unjustly detaine to the damage of the Said p^t.
 Eight thousand Eighty hundred & ninety two pounds of the
 Tobacco and thereupon he brings into the Court a Bill of
 AND the app^t Deft^r by David Macbride his attly^r comes and
 defends the force and injury whereof. And prays leave to impede
 hereunto untill next Court and he hath it And the Same day
 is given the p^t also

Att^r what said next Court to wit the 17 day of November Anno
 Dom 1719 comes again as well the said p^t by his attly^r as
 the said Deft^r by his said attly^r and the said cause is continued
 untill the next next Court

Att^r what said next Court to wit the 15 day of ~~March~~ Anno Dom
 1719 comes again as well the said p^t by his attly^r as also the
 Deft^r by his said attly^r and no plea being put into the said Court this
 Court gives rule to the said Deft^r to file a plea by the 17 day of March
 and otherwise Judgment to be rendered in the same cause ag^t the app^t.
 Deft^r. AND note at this day to wit the 21 day of March Anno Dom 1719
 the said Deft^r by his attly^r and having not pleaded to the app^t Avow^r but
 makes default whereby the said p^t may remain against the said
 Deft^r without further defence therefore it is considered by the Justices
 here to wit the 21 day of March Anno Dom 1719 app^t that the said
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