

April Court --- 1723 ---

the Court Administrators or assigns the Just Sum of One thousand three hundred pounds of Tobacco in the
 value in the Product of this province as sett forth by act of assembly both in Commodities and Sums to be
 paid to be paid at Snow white by the tenth day of November next Ensuing the date hereof in testimony where-
 of wee have hereunto sett Our hands and Seales this 22^d of June in the 5th Year of Our Dominion And
 Dowd One thousand Seven hundred and twenty if there about to be payed at Robert Mitchel he also prays
 the bearing of the Indorment on the back of the same writing Obligatory and it is read unto him in these
 words following vizt. If there be any mistake I will allow out of the Justed Brie Will: Robison which
 being read and heard the said John and Richard say that the said William his action afd thereupon agt
 them to have and maintain ought not because they say that they the said John and Richard did give
 the Brie afd to him the said William as Security for a certain Francis Starger upon his pretending
 that the said Francis was Indebted unto him the said William for which the said William then
 and there out of his Lordships County Court for Summervelt County had sued forth his Certain Original
 writt of Cap: against the said Francis for the debt afd by vertue of which the said Francis at the time
 of the Capturing of the Brie afd was in Custody of Robert Martin Esq: then and now Sheriff of the County
 of Summervelt at Dividing Creek in the said County of South York and the said William then and there
 at the time of the Capturing of the Brie afd did prof promise that he the said William would settle
 auct: with the said Francis and would accept of the Ballance that should appear Justly due and dis-
 charge them the said John and Richard of the said Brie upon their paying the said Ballance when
 reduced to a certainty by the said William and Francis as by the Indorment afd may plainly appear
 and the said John and Richard in fact saith that the said Francis Starger on the day of
in the year One thousand Seven hundred and twenty afd did at Snow white town in the County
 of Summervelt afd within the Jurisdiction of this Court tender himself and then and there was ready to
 auct: with the said William to reduce the said Ballance to a certainty and that they the said John and
 Richard then and there did tender themselves and were ready to satisfy and pay to him the said Will:
 the Just Ballance if any should appear to be due to him according to the Contents of the Brie and Indor-
 ment afd which he then and there refused and the said John and Richard further in fact say that they
 the said John and Richard always were and still are ready to pay unto the said William the Ballance
 afd when reduced to a certainty according to the Contents of the Brie and Indorment afd and that the said Francis
 always was and still is ready to auct: with the said William to reduce the said Ballance to a certainty and
 that they are ready to verify and Cray Judgment: if the said William his action afd against them the said
 John and Richard thereupon to have and maintain ought & Allen Coester

Thereupon the said William Robison by his attorney afd Crays Leave to Jurgarle
 himself unto the next Court and he hath it and the same day is given to the doct: also ---

At which said next Court (to witt the thirtieth day of June Anno: Dowd One thousand
 Seven hundred and twenty three) come againe the said John and Richard Starger ^{by their attorney afd} but the said
 William Robison altho: solemnly called to answer the Plea of the said John and Richard Starger
 about it can plead Comer not but makes default, nor is his writt in the Plea afd further prosecuted
 against them the said John and Richard Starger

Therefore it is considered by the Justices here the same day and year last
 mentioned that the said William Robison and his Cledgs in prosecuting be in Mercy & and lett
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