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thousand pounds of Tob<sup>b</sup>. & there of he brings this Suite & And the same Francis  
brings here into the Court the Writing Obligatory and which the Debt affinow  
and Willm<sup>t</sup> f<sup>t</sup> whose Date is the same day and year and

S<sup>t</sup> Hale of Quer<sup>t</sup> pledges & Doe<sup>t</sup> K<sup>t</sup> Koe

And the afo Peter Watson in his own proper person comes and defends the same and  
Injury where he says that he cannot gainsay but that the writing Obligatory and is right and deed  
~~can be say~~ <sup>can be say</sup> but that he owes the same Francis the afo eight thousand pounds of tobacco in manner &  
form as the afo Francis above against him declared

Therefore it is considered by the Court here the twentieth day of June and anno Domini  
one thousand seven hundred and twenty seven that the afo Francis Allen Recover against the afo Peter  
Watson eight thousand pounds of tobacco his debt and his damage by Reason of the detaining  
of the same Debt to three hundred and forty four pounds of tobacco to the  
same Francis by the Court here of his afoent adjudged and the afo Peter in Mercy &c  
Memorandum that the afo Francis by his attorney and gral<sup>r</sup>is here in Court remitteth to the afo Peter seven hundre  
and five hundred and eleven pounds of tobacco part of his debt and Therefore it is considered that the said  
Peter off the afo same seven thousand five hundred and eleven pounds of tobacco be exquitt<sup>r</sup>

If The same Somervell<sup>r</sup> Luke Watson late of somersett County planter ad. did<sup>r</sup> take Nation  
of Somersett County & Cader was sumoned to answer unto Francis  
Allen of afo that he render unto him eight thousand pds of good  
sound Merchantable leasse Tob<sup>b</sup> which to him he owes & from him  
he unjustly Detaines &

And whereupon of same Francis by S<sup>t</sup> Hale his attly saith that whereas  
the afo Luke on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of July Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred  
twenty six at Somersett C<sup>t</sup> within of Jur<sup>r</sup> of this Court by his certain written  
Obligatory Granted himselfe to be held & firmly bound unto y<sup>r</sup> same Francis  
in full just sum of eight thousand pds of good sound Merchantable leasse  
Tob<sup>b</sup> in Caske to be paid y<sup>r</sup> same Francis when afterwards y<sup>r</sup> said Peter Luke shalld  
be thereto requested y<sup>r</sup> the afo Luke though often thereto requested the said  
eight thousand pds of Tob<sup>b</sup> to the same Francis hath not rendered but y<sup>r</sup> said Peter  
the same hitherto to doe hath altogether Denyed & Still doth Deny & Injustly  
Detain Whereby y<sup>r</sup> same Francis says he is worse & hath Dam<sup>r</sup> to y<sup>r</sup> Tob<sup>b</sup> ad  
of Sixteen thousand pds of Tob<sup>b</sup> & there of he brings this Suite & same  
brings here into of Court of Writing Obligatory and which y<sup>r</sup> Debt affinow  
and Willm<sup>t</sup> f<sup>t</sup> whose Date is same Day & year and

And the afo Luke Watson in his own proper person comes & defends the same  
Injury where he says that he cannot gainsay but y<sup>r</sup> writing Obligatory and is his  
deed he can say but y<sup>r</sup> he owes the same Francis y<sup>r</sup> afo eight thousand pds of Tob<sup>b</sup>  
in manner & form as y<sup>r</sup> afo Francis above against him declared

Therefore it is considered by the Court here the twentieth day of  
June Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred & twenty seven the afo Francis  
Allen recover Against the afo Luke Watson eight thousand pds of Tob<sup>b</sup> his  
Date