

March Court 1727.....

And the said John Blijard Esq. as aforesaid by George Darwell his attorney (and defend. the
force and Injury when he and pray leave to Impell herunto until the next Court
he hath it and the same day is Quere to the said James Martin & Mary his wife here also Esq.

At which said next Court to wit the Nineteenth day of November and said one
thousand seven hundred and twenty seven came againe the said James Martin and Mary his wife
Gentrie as aforesaid by their attorney aforesaid and pray that the said John Blijard Esq. as aforesaid to their
writt of Surteiner and may answer, but the same John Blijard altho' solemnly called comes
not but makes default nor shews Cause why he do.

Therefore it is considered by the Court here the same day and Year last menti-
oned that the said James Martin and Mary his wife Gentrie as aforesaid leave their Execution
against the said John Blijard Esq. of the said William Egger for fifteen hundred and
ninteen pounds of Tobacco their debt aforesaid & two hundred and seventy five pounds of Tobacco
their Damages in the Judgment aforesaid specified as also Two hundred and Nineteen
pounds of Tobacco for their Costs and Damages sustained by reason of Delay of Execution of
the Judgment aforesaid according to the form of the Statute in such Case lately made and provided
to be levied of the goods and Chattels which were of the said William Egger at the time
of his death, Remaining in the hands of the said John Blijard to be administered if so much
thereof in his hands he hath, and if so much thereof in his hands he hath not, then the Costs and
Damages last mentioned to be levied of the proper goods and Chattels of the said John Blijard Esq.

The same

William Eskridge

Soudweth: William Eskridge Late of Soudweth County Claunter was
attached to answer unto James Martin & Mary his wife Esq.
of the last will & testament of Robt. Martin Late of Soudweth
County Esq. of a plea of trespass upon the Case &c.

And Whereupon the same James & Mary by Levin Gale their attly being caused
that whereas the said Will in the tenth day of May one thousand seven hundred and
twenty four at Soudweth Co. Va. within the Jurisdiction of this Court was indebted to the same
Robert in his Lifetime in the sum of Eleven hundred & sixty six p. of Tobacco as by
an act thereof herunto annexed & into Court here brought & thereof being indebted
the said William afterwards (vizt) the same day & year aforesaid at the Co. Va. within the
Jurisdiction in consideration upon himselfe assumed the same Robert in his Lifetime
then & there faithfully promised that how long afterwards he should be thereto
required he the said sum of Eleven hundred & sixty six p. of Tobacco to the same Robert
should well & faithfully content & pay nevertheless the said Will his promise &
assumption aforesaid in four aforesaid made little regarding & plotting & fraudulently
intending the same Robert in his Lifetime to the said Mary since his death to
the same Execution of the aforesaid last Will and testament of the same Robert
since his death whilst she was Sole was in due form of Law committed
and the said James & Mary since the Espouals betweene them was celebrated