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Ignatius Altho often required the afo thirteen pounds two shillings and Eight pence to the afo John Rider hath not paid but the same to him to render or pay hath Denied and Still Deny Wherefore he says he is worse and hath Lost to the Value of twenty pounds Like money and thereof he brings Suit & — And bring into Court the writing obligatory afo wch the debt aforesd in forme aforesd testys whose date is the same day and year afo

W<sup>t</sup> Bickingham & D<sup>r</sup> P<sup>r</sup> R<sup>c</sup>

And the aforesaid Ignatius wafer by Levin Hale his attorney cometh and defendeth the same and says that he cannot gainsay the action aforesaid of the aforesaid John Rider, nor can he say but that the writing obligatory aforesaid is the deed of the same Ignatius, nor but that he owes the same John the aforesaid thirteen pounds two shillings and Eight pence currant money of Maryland in manner and forme as the same John above against him declared.

Therefore it is considered that the aforesaid John Rider recover against the aforesaid Ignatius wafer his debt afo and his damage by reason of the detaining of the same debt to  
155 pounds of tobacco to the same John aforesaid by the Court hereof his aforesaid by the  
Court here adjudged and the afo Ignatius in money &c

WB: The same — Somerset County S.

Philip Harris Late of Somerset County planter.  
Lg. Philip Harris } Otherwise called Philip Harris of Somerset County planter was sumoned to  
answere unto John Rider Esq<sup>r</sup> of Aplea that he render unto him the full  
and Just sum of thirteen pounds two shillings and Eight pence currant Money of Mary-  
land whih to him he oweith and Unjustly detaineith &

And Whereupon the same John Rider by W<sup>t</sup> Bickingham his Attorney saith that  
whereas the afo Philip the sixteenth day of August anno: Dom: one thousand Seven-  
hundred and thirty one at Somerset County within the Just<sup>r</sup> of this Court by his certain  
Writing obligatory granted himself to be held and firmly bound unto the afo John in the afo  
sum of thirteen pounds two shillings and Eight pence to be paid to the said John Rider  
when afterward he should be thereunto requested yet the afo Philip altho often thereto  
Required the afo thirteen pounds two shillings and Eight pence unto the said John  
Rider hath not rendered but the same to render has Denied and Still doth deny and  
Unjustly detain whereof the said John Rider says he is worse and hath Damaged to the  
Value of twenty pound Like money and thereof he brings this Suit & And the said  
John Rider brings herein to Court the Writing obligatory afo W<sup>t</sup> Bickingham & D<sup>r</sup> P<sup>r</sup> R<sup>c</sup>

W<sup>t</sup> Bickingham & D<sup>r</sup> P<sup>r</sup> R<sup>c</sup>

And the aforesd Philip by Levin Hale his Attorney cometh and defendeth the same and  
Injury wher<sup>r</sup> and says that he cannot gainsay the action aforesaid of the afo John Rider  
nor can he say but that the writing obligatory afo is the deed of the same Philip  
nor but that he owes the same John the afo thirteen pounds two shillings and Eight  
Pence currant money of Maryland in manner and forme as the same John  
above against him Declared — Therefore it is considered that the afo John  
Rider