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province of which unto him he oweth and unjustly detaineth &c  
And whereupon the same Thomas Fletcher by William Beckingham his attorney saith  
that whereas the aforesaid Thomas Lambden the second day of february in the year of our Lord God seven-  
teen hundred and thirty six at Somerset County aforesaid by his certain writing obligatory hath  
granted himself to be bound unto the aforesaid Thomas Fletcher in the aforesaid sum of two hundred  
pounds current money of the province aforesaid to be paid unto the same Thomas Fletcher when  
thereof afterwards he should be required Nevertheless the aforesaid Thomas Lambden although  
often required the aforesaid sum of money or any penny thereof unto the aforesaid Tho: Fletcher hath  
not paid but that unto him hitherto to pay altogether hath refused and still doth refuse to  
the damage of the same Thomas Fletcher three hundred pound like money and therefore  
he bringeth suit &c and doth bring here into Court the writing obligatory aforesaid which the debt  
aforesaid in form aforesaid doth testify the date whereof is the same day and year aforesaid

AND the aforesaid Thomas Lambden by William Goldborough his attorney <sup>Bledge & J. Doe</sup> saith and  
defendeth the force and injury when &c and saith that he cannot deny the action aforesaid of the  
aforesaid Thomas Fletcher nor but the writing obligatory aforesaid is the deed of the same Thomas Lamb-  
den nor but that he oweth the same Thomas Fletcher the aforesaid two hundred pounds current money  
of Maryland in manner and form as aforesaid Thomas Fletcher above against him declared

Therefore it is considered that the aforesaid Thomas Fletcher recover against the  
aforesaid Thomas Lambden his debt aforesaid and his damages by occasion of the detaining of the same  
debt to two hundred and ninety nine pounds of tobacco to the same Thomas Fletcher of his  
apent by the Court here adjudged and the aforesaid Thomas Lambden in mercy &c

with Richard Gildart Esq<sup>r</sup> Somerset County J<sup>r</sup> William Wye Sen. late of Somerset County Clerk other:  
Esq<sup>r</sup> Wille<sup>m</sup> Wye - - - - - <sup>is</sup> <sup>also</sup> called William Wye Sen. of the County of Somerset aforesaid Clerk was  
summoned to answer unto Richard Gildart of Liverpool in England of a plea

that he tender unto him the sum of Twenty two thousand four hundred and fifty pounds of mer-  
chantable Tobacco which unto him he oweth and unjustly detaineth &c

AND whereupon the same Richard by William Goldborough his attorney saith  
whereas the aforesaid William Wye the twenty first day of June Anno Domini seven teen  
hundred thirty and six at Somerset County aforesaid by his certain writing obligatory had granted  
himself to be bound unto the aforesaid Richard in the aforesaid sum of twenty two thousand four  
hundred and fifty pounds of Merchantable tobacco to be paid unto the same Rich: when  
thereof