

November Court Anno Dom 1747

Shew Alexander Moulson & Henry J. Esq. Dam. 710 705⁹
Ex^{rs} of Peter Mitchell
10111 William Hopewell & Judgment of 3^d

Charles County sh. William Hopewell late of Charles County & Carter was attached to
Answer unto Alexander Moulson and Henry J. Esq. Executors of the Testament of
last Will of Peter Mitchell late of Charles County Merchant Deceased of a plea of Jurisfactio upon
the above and of the

And Whereupon the same Alexander Moulson and Henry J. Esq. by their
Chose their Attorney Complaine that whereas the said William, on the Eleventh day of Sept^r
in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty at Charles County sh. within
the Jurisdiction of this Court was indebted unto the said Peter Mitchell in his Lifetime in the
Sum of seven Hundred and sixteen pounds of Tobacco being for sundry Articles being purchased on
Account as by the particular Account thereof hereunto brought may appear and being
of the said Peter Mitchell the said William in consideration thereof offered to sell the said
of said at the County of said within the Jurisdiction aforesaid upon himself aforesaid unto
the said Peter Mitchell in his Lifetime then and there faithfully promised that both the said
William, the said Sum of seven Hundred and sixteen pounds of Tobacco to the said Peter
Mitchell in his Lifetime when and where he should be hereunto aforesaid Requested would well
and truly perform and pay Nevertheless the said William, his Promise and Assumption
aforesaid in form made not in the least regarding but minding and fraudulently
Intending him the said Peter Mitchell in his Lifetime and the aforesaid Sum while she
was sole after the Death of the said Peter and the said Alexander Moulson his Wife after
their Intermarriage in which she of craftily and subtilly to deceive and defraud the said
the said Sum of seven Hundred and sixteen pounds of Tobacco or any part thereof to the said
Peter in his Lifetime unto the said Moulson while she was sole since the death of the said
unto the said Alexander Moulson and his Wife since their Disposal hath not paid
altho so to do the said M^{rs} was on the first day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand
seven Hundred and forty one and at Charles County sh. by the said Peter Mitchell in his
Lifetime Requested and by the said Moulson while she was sole since the death of the said Peter
on the said Day of one thousand seven Hundred and forty at the County and
within the Jurisdiction aforesaid Requested and by the said Alexander Moulson and his Wife
after their Intermarriage to wit on the Day of seven hundred and fifty
at the County and within the Jurisdiction aforesaid Requested but the same to the said
Peter in his Lifetime unto the said Moulson while she was sole after the death of the said
Peter Mitchell unto the said Alexander Moulson and his Wife since their Disposal to
pay has altogether refused and will doth Refuse to pay to the Damage of them the said
Alexander and Moulson his Wife past seven Hundred and thirty five pounds of Tobacco
and in Relation of the Execution of the Testament aforesaid and therefore they bring suit
and the same Alexander Moulson and Moulson his Wife bring here into Court the Letters
Testamentary aforesaid of him the said Peter Mitchell by which he fully appears to the
Court here the same Moulson to be Executrix of the Testament and last Will aforesaid and
these of to have Execution and of the

John Doe
Clerk
John Doe