

Complains that whereas the said Thomas the Nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one Thousand seven Hundred and forty six at Charles County a^s was indebted to the said William Reynolds in the sum of six pounds Currency, for divers Articles lying Property in an account as by the Particular Accounts there of here with into Court brought may appear and being so there of Indebted the a^s Thomas in Consideration thereof afterwards wit the day and year a^s at the County a^s upon him self assumed and to the said William then and there faithfully Promised that he the a^s Thomas the a^s sum of six pounds Currency to the said William when he went afterwards to be Requested well and truly would Content and pay Never the less the a^s said Thomas his Promise and assumption a^s not regarding but winding and fraudulently Intending the same In this had Craftily and suttily to swindle and Defraud the a^s Thomas the said sum of six pounds Currency or any part thereof to the same William hath not paid nor him for the same in any sort Contented altho the a^s Thomas afterwards swit the first day of December in the year of our Lord one Thousand seven Hundred and forty seven and afterwards at Charles County a^s hath been Requested but the same to him neither to pay or him for the same in any sort to Content hath neither altogether Refused and still doth Refuse to the Damage of the same William seven pounds Currency and there for suit is brought and so forth.

John Doe
Richard Roe

M^r Thomas Howard of Charles County Bukawaron

1746
Feb 19th

To Cash then lent you. 10.0.0
A^s County Jst the 23rd day of December 1747 William Reynolds Personally appeared before me the Subscriber one of his Lordships Justices of Annamundell County and made oath ^{up} on the Holy Evangelist of almighty God that the above account is just & true and that he hath not received any part or parcel thereof nor any security or Satisfaction for the same, Sworn Day and year a^s aforesaid before me

Richard Dorsey

When upon into Court here in his proper Person comes William Middleton of Charles County Merchant and becomes Pledge and security for the said Thomas that if it should happen the said Thomas in the plea a^s should be convicted that then the said Thomas yielded and granted that as well the Damages a^s as all Costs which to the said William Reynolds in this part should of his Lands and Chatties should be made and paid to and for the use of the said William Reynolds that if it should happen that the said Thomas or the Damages and Costs a^s to the said William Reynolds should not Pay or his body into the custody of the Sheriff by Reason thereof

And the a^s Thomas in his proper

Person comes and defends the force and injury when he and says that he cannot deny the action a^s of him the said William Reynolds nor but that he did assume upon himself in manner and form as the said W^m against him hath complained nor also but that the said W^m hath sustained Damages by means of not performing the Promise and assumption a^s to six pounds Currency as the said William above including

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(M^r Middleton)