

Which being read and heard the said John by his Attorneys comes & defends the force and Injury when the said Attorney saith that he is not impared by the said John of any answer to be given for the said John to the said George in the premises nor hath he any other thing to say thereof in favor or Disclusion of the Action against the said George whereby the same George remains against John thereof unrepaid

Therefore it is Considered that the said George recover against the said John his Debt & Costs aforesaid and his Damages by occasion of detaining that Debt to four Hundred and Eighty one pounds of Tobacco to the same George or his Assignes as sent by the Court here adjudged and the said John in money &c

William Middleton Esq. on Judgment found
Thomas Lanphier Judgment by Verdict Informatus

Charles County vs. Thomas Lanphier late of Charles County to waver otherwise called Tho. Lanphier known of Charles County was summoned to answer unto Wm Middleton of plea that he tender unto him five Thousand six Hundred and forty four pounds of good sound Merchantable Leaf Tobacco in bush which to him he does Unjustly detain

And Wherefore the said Wm by Sumner Chase his Attorney says that where as the said Thomas on the 20th day of November in the year our Lord the 17th 1745 seven Hundred and forty six at Charles County aforesaid by his Writing Obligatory with the seal of him the said Thomas sealed and here in Court produced what date is the day and year aforesaid acknowledged himself to be held and firmly bound unto the said Wm Middleton in the sum of five Thousand six Hundred and forty four pounds of good sound Merchantable Leaf Tobacco in bush to be paid to the said Wm within a year or he should be regarded Never the less the said Thomas all this aforesaid the said sum of five Thousand six Hundred and forty four pounds of good sound Merchantable Leaf Tobacco in bush or any part thereof to him the said William hath not paid or in any sort contented but the same to him the said Wm to pay or in any sort to content hath hitherto altogether refused and still doth refuse to the damages from the said Wm Eleven Thousand six Hundred and Eighty Eight pounds of good sound Merchantable Leaf Tobacco and therefore it is brought in and sheweth

And the said Thomas by Henry Darnall his Attorney comes and defends the force and Injury when he saith and prays a hearing of the Writing Obligatory is read he also prays a hearing of the Condition of the same Writing and it is read unto him in these words

The Condition of the above obligation is such if the above bound Thomas Lanphier and James Freeman their Heirs Esq. or admors or shall cause to be paid unto the said Wm Middleton his certain Attorney Esq. admors or Assignes the full and just sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty two pounds of good sound Merchantable Leaf Tobacco in bush in Charles County aforesaid upon the 1st day of February Next Ensuing the date hereof with Lawfull Interest for the same then the above obligation to be void but if default be made in the payments of the said sum