

Marchbowl Anno Domini 1746

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Thomas Stephenson and James Freeman their Heirs Exors or Adms or shall cause to be paid unto the said Wm Muddleton his certain Attorney Esqr adms the full and just sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty two £ of Good Sound Merchable Sea Tobacco in Cash in Charles County sh: at or upon the tenth day of February Next Ensuing the date here of with Law full Int: for the same then the above obligation to be void Else remain in full force and Virtue in Law but if any shall be made in the payment of the said Sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty two pounds of Tobacco then we Impower any Attorney in any Court Record in the Kingdom of Great Britain France or Ireland or with in the Province of Maryland or other his Majesty's Dominion to appear for us at the Suit of the above named William Muddleton his Exors Adms as aforesaid and thereupon to receive Declaration on the above obligation and to cause Judgment by Nisi Prius Cognovit & Actionem Non sum Informatus or otherwise hereby taking all the Errors that may happen on the said Judgment & Execution thereof in any of the proceedings thereunto relating

Which being read and heard the said James by his atty aforesaid comes and defends the force and injury when &c and the said Attorney saith that he is not informed by the said James of any answer to be given for the said James to the said Wm in the Premises nor hath he any other thing to say therein in bar or Plea in or of the Action aforesaid of him the said William whereby the same William remains against the said William the Defendant

Therefore it is considered that the said William recover against the said James his Debt of 2000 £ and his Damages by reason of detaining that Debt to four Hundred and Eighty seven £ and so Judgment is given in favor of the said William the Defendant

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And the said William recover against the said James his Debt of 2000 £ and his Damages by reason of detaining that Debt to four Hundred and Eighty seven £ and so Judgment is given in favor of the said William the Defendant

Messrs Stephenson & Steel Esqrs in Judgment to order

And Joseph Nally

Judgment by Nonsum Informatus

Charles County sh: Joseph Nally late of Charles County Planter otherwise called Joseph Nally of Charles County Planter was summoned to answer unto Messrs Daniel Stephenson and Henry Steel Esqrs that at heretofore unto them in the Just and full sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred and fifty six £ and six pence of pounds b: in the County to which to them he owes & unjustly detains

And whereupon the said Stephenson & Steel by Henry Darnall their Attorney say that whereas the said Joseph on the twenty seventh day of September last year of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred and forty six at Charles County sh: by his certain Writing Obligatory with the seal of him the said Joseph sealed and here in Court produced whose date is the day and year aforesaid bound himself to be holden & firmly bound unto them the said Stephenson & Steel in the said sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred