

June Court Anno Domini 1749

Counts of Tobacco for his Costs and Charges by him about his Suit in this Court laid out and Definitive Expended on his Account by the Court here adjudged & awarded Robertin Murray Esq.

James Russell . . . The Dam: 2000<sup>0</sup> 57. 12. 2 1/2 Shs

William Middleton Judgment of Cognovit Actionem

Charles County ss: William Middleton late of Charles County Merchant was attached to answer unto James Russell of a Plea of Trespass upon the Case and so forth.

And thereupon the said James by Jeremiah Chase his Attorney complains that whereas the said William the . . . day of . . . In the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty eight at Charles County ss. was indebted to the said James in the sum of two thousand & thirty pounds of Tobacco and fifty seven pounds twelve shillings and two pence half penny sterling for his own articles lying properly in an account as by the particular account thereof herewithunto sent brought may appear and being so the said William in consideration thereof afterwards to wit the day and year aforesaid at the County aforesaid upon himself assumed and to the said James then and there faithfully promised that he the said William the said sum of two thousand and thirty pounds of Tobacco fifty seven pounds twelve shillings and two pence half penny sterling to the said James would write and truly content and pay when thereunto afterwards he should be requested nevertheless the said William his promise and assumption aforesaid made not in the least regarding but missing and fraudulently intending the said James in this last craftily and subtilly to deceive & defraud the said William the said sum of two thousand and thirty pounds of Tobacco & fifty seven pounds twelve shillings and two pence half penny sterling or any part thereof to the said James hath not paid or in any sort contented altho' so to do the said William was on the tenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty eight and often before and since at Charles County ss. by the said James requested but the said William the said sum of two thousand and thirty pounds of Tobacco and fifty seven pounds twelve shillings and two pence half penny sterling in any sort to content hath hitherto altogether refused and still doth refuse to the Damage of the said James four thousand pounds of Tobacco and seventy pounds sterling and therefore suit is brought and so forth.

M<sup>r</sup> William Middleton

By

With

John Doe

Septem ber 11 <sup>th</sup> 1746	Shilling	Ps	September 11 <sup>th</sup> 1747	Shilling	Ps
To 1 best Rugg 12/6 p <sup>r</sup> 1000 12	1	0	To 1 P. druggall	1	0
To 2 1/2 p <sup>r</sup> ells Pomarania 2/9 1/2	7	3	To 1 P. half buck	1	0
To 3 ells ditto . . . 2/8 1/2	3	0	To 1 P. hepers	1	0
To 1 dozen bed Cord	9	0	To 6 1/2 ells nails	10	9
To 2 1/2 white half hinds	3	13	To 1 P. bankers chees	0	2
To 1 1/2 p <sup>r</sup> ells Rook	2	10	To 1 short Cbark	6	6
To 1 p <sup>r</sup> Kendall Cotton	11	0	To 1 dozen lafs	2	6
To 2 p <sup>r</sup> Frize 2 1/2 1/6	2	15	To 1 Garlea	2	6
To 2 p <sup>r</sup> mens Shoes	0	11	To 3 1/2 ells Chees	2	11
To 1 p <sup>r</sup> Redd Shalloon	1	0	To 2 P. diuh	1	9
To 5 1/2 ells Carlin	3	12	To 1/2 hats 1/2 2 p <sup>r</sup> Stockings 6/	10	0
To 3 p <sup>r</sup> Dowlaf	5	12	To 2 1/2 p <sup>r</sup> pair	1	0
To 1 p <sup>r</sup> Striped Seathers	1	0	To 3 ells Pomarān 2/8	1	3
To 1 p <sup>r</sup> Amb. flann 3/2 1/2 1/2	1	19	To 2 mionces	1	15
To 100 ells Cheek	2	6	To 2 Priddes 1/2 2 <sup>o</sup> Pepper 2/2	9	2
To 9 hats N <sup>o</sup> 2 . . . 2 1/2 1/6 1/2	6	11	To 1 ditto sea ware	1	6
To 3 ditto . . . 3 . . . 10/	9	6	To 1 ditto sea ware	11	0
To 2 p <sup>r</sup> Callam <sup>e</sup> Shoes	7	2	To 1 ditto sea ware	11	0
To 1 doz. 1/2 bankers chees N <sup>o</sup> 2	19	0	To 1 ditto sea ware	11	0
To 2 1/2 p <sup>r</sup> Rodur 1/2 1/2 1/2	3	6	To 1 ditto sea ware	11	0
To 3 1/2 white Hecord N <sup>o</sup> 10 . . . 3/	9	0	To 1 ditto sea ware	11	0
To 2 1/2 p <sup>r</sup> pair	2	0	To 1 ditto sea ware	11	0
To 4 1/2 p <sup>r</sup> pair	2	0	To 1 ditto sea ware	11	0
To 3 1/2 p <sup>r</sup> pair	2	0	To 1 ditto sea ware	11	0
To 3 1/2 p <sup>r</sup> pair	2	0	To 1 ditto sea ware	11	0