

August Court Anno Domini 1749

vs. Messrs Subman & Hartley vs. Dem: 16<sup>th</sup> Shaw

Richard Roby. Judgment of Attachment.

It was Commanded the Sheriff that he should take Richard Roby late of Charles County Planter of the County and him safe keep so that he should have his body before the Justices of the Lord Proprietary of his Neat County Court to be holden at Charles Town on the second Tuesday in August Next to answer unto Messrs Subman & Hartley a plea of Trespass upon the Case and so forth And that he should have them and those that they shall And now here at this day to wit the second Tuesday in August aforesaid comes Messrs Subman & Hartley by Jeremiah Chase their Attorney aforesaid and offers themselves against the said Richard Roby in the plea aforesaid the Sheriff aforesaid namely Samuel Harrison Gentleman Returns to the Court here that the said Richard Roby in his Bailynick is not found and that he hath left according to the directions of the Act of Assembly in those Cases late made and shewed a copy of the Subornation and Account viz

Charles County pt. Richard Roby late of Charles County Planter was attached to answer unto Messrs Subman and Hartley a plea of Trespass upon the Case and so forth

And thereupon the same Subman and Hartley by Jeremiah Chase their Attorney complain that whereas the said Richard Roby the tenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & forty seven at Charles County aforesaid was indebted to the said Messrs Subman & Hartley in the sum of one thousand six hundred twenty six pounds and three quarters of a pound of Tobacco for divers articles lying properly in an account as by the Particular Account thereof herewith into Court brought may appear and being so thereof indebted the said Richard Roby in consideration thereof afterwards to wit the day and year aforesaid at the County aforesaid upon him self assumed and to the said Subman & Hartley then and there faithfully promised that he the said Richard Roby the said sum of one thousand six hundred twenty six pounds and three quarters of a pound of Tobacco to the said Subman and Hartley when the accounts aforesaid should be requested well and truly would content and pay Nevertheless the said Richard Roby his Promise & Assumption aforesaid not observing but minding and fraudulently intending the same Subman & Hartley in his part craftily and subtilly to deceive and defraud the said Subman & Hartley the said sum of one thousand six hundred twenty six pounds and three quarters of a pound of Tobacco or any part thereof to the same Subman and Hartley hath not paid nor them for the same in any sort contented with the said Richard Roby aforesaid to wit the third day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty nine and often afterwards at Charles County aforesaid by the same Subman and Hartley hath been requested but the same to them hitherto to pay hath not together refused and still doth refuse to the Damage of the said Subman & Hartley three thousand two hundred fifty three pounds and one half pound of Tobacco and therefore suit is brought and so forth

M<sup>r</sup> Richard Roby vs. Messrs Edward Subman & Thomas Hartley

April 12 <sup>th</sup>	To 12 <sup>th</sup> yards Check Linnen	24	To your account Brought up	£ 5-7- <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	
	To 2 <sup>th</sup> yard	24	May 19 <sup>th</sup>	To paper currency	1-0
	To 10 yards Dragheda Linnen	24		To 4 yards Dragheda Linnen	8-0
	To 1 <sup>st</sup> yard	6		To 3 small punch barrels	4-6
	To 1 <sup>st</sup> dozen pipes	12		To 1 <sup>st</sup> Bushell bottle of Rum	1-6
	To 1 <sup>st</sup> lb <sup>n</sup> brown Thread	1		To 2 <sup>nd</sup> Bushell Anis & Hops	3-0
July 25 <sup>th</sup>	To 10 yards Dragheda Linnen	24		To Credit M <sup>r</sup> J <sup>r</sup> Noble	9-0
	To 1 <sup>st</sup> lb <sup>n</sup> Linn	2	July 30 <sup>th</sup>	To 1 <sup>st</sup> doz <sup>n</sup> Sugar	1-6
	To 1 <sup>st</sup> lb <sup>n</sup> 8 <sup>th</sup> Nails	0		To 1 <sup>st</sup> doz <sup>n</sup> 1626 <sup>th</sup> N <sup>o</sup>	6-15- <sup>6</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
	To 1 <sup>st</sup> lb <sup>n</sup> Bleached Thread	1		Errors Excepted in the said account	
	To 1 <sup>st</sup> yard Course Linnen	1		Subman & Thomas Hartley	
	To paper Currency	6		J <sup>r</sup> John Baynes	
	To 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nines	18			
		5-7- <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			