

August Court Anno Domini 1759

Cause to be paid unto the said Hugh Mitchell his certain Attorney Esq. the sum of two thousand pounds with legal interest for the same from the above obligation to be paid
Else to remain in full force and Justice in Law
Seal'd & Deliv'd

In the presence of
Robt Whythe
Geo Maxwell

Samuel Shunn

And the said Samuel Shunn in his proper person comes and defends the force and Injury when it is said
saith that he cannot deny the action of the said Hugh Mitchell nor but that he owes to the said Hugh Mitchell the said sum of four thousand pounds in manner and form as the said Hugh Mitchell above against him complains. Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said Hugh doth recover against the said Samuel Shunn his debt to be paid and his damages by occasion of detaining that debt to two thousand and forty seven pounds and one half pound of shillings to the said Hugh Mitchell on his assent
Defin'd by the Court here adjudged and the said Samuel Shunn in May 1759

David Ross Debt

Willm Howard's Judgment of Cognovit Actionem

Charles County sh. William Howard late of Charles County Planter otherwise called Wm Howard of Charles County was summoned to answer unto David Ross of a plea that he render unto him twenty pounds sterling which to him he owes and unjustly detains and so forth

And whereupon the said David Ross by his certain Attorney saith that whereas the said William the Twentieth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty eight at Charles County sh. by his certain Writing obligatory oblig'd himself to the said David Ross in the sum of twenty pounds sterling to be paid to the said David Ross on or before four Months after date Nevertheless the said William at the oft request required the said twenty pounds sterling to the said David Ross hath not yet rendered but that to him to render altogether refused and still doth refuse wherefore he hath the worse and hath damage to the value of forty pounds sterling and therefore he brings suit & so forth and brings here into Court the Writing obligatory aforesaid which the said David Ross in form aforesaid Testify's whose date is the same day and year aforesaid
J. H. H. H.

Whereupon into Court here in his proper person comes Jacob Anderson Minister of Charles County Jorynt becomes pledge and surety for the said William that if it should happen the said William in the plea aforesaid be convicted that then the said Jacob Anderson Minister should and Granted that as well the debt as all damages & costs which to the said David Ross in this part should be adjudged of his Land and Chattels should be made & Levied to and for the use of the said David that if it should happen the said William the debt damages & costs aforesaid the said David should not pay or his body to the custody of the Sheriff by reason thereof Render

And the said William Howard in his proper person comes and defends the force and Injury when it is said saith that he cannot deny the action of the said David Ross nor but that he owes to the said David the said sum of twenty pounds sterling in manner and form as the said David above against him complains Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said David doth recover against the said William his debt to be paid and his damages by occasion of detaining that debt to two thousand and forty seven pounds and one quarter of a pound of shillings to the said William on his assent
Defin'd by the Court here adjudged and the said William Howard in May 1759