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November Court Anno Domini 1719

And Whereupon the same John Graham and Company by Jeremiah Chase their Attorney say that whereas the said Vincent Ashin in his Lifetime to wit the Eighth day of December in the year of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred and Forty Nine at Charles County aforesaid by his certain Writing Obligatory with the Seal of him the said Vincent in his Lifetime sealed and he with hereto Court now brought whose date is the same day and year aforesaid obliged himself to pay to the aforesaid John Graham & Company the aforesaid Sum of Seven Thousand four Hundred and forty Eight pounds of good Merchantable Tobacco in Hogheads to Contain Eight Hundred pounds Net by an Average Convenient to Portobago or Pless Fresh to be paid to the said John Graham & Company upon the first day of March Next Consuing the date of the said Writing Obligatory nevertheless the aforesaid Vincent Ashin in his Lifetime and the aforesaid James Middleton & Ignatius Gardiner Esqrs. after the death of the said Vincent although often required the Sum of Two Thousand four Hundred and Eleven pounds of Tobacco Residue of the said Sum of Seven Thousand four Hundred and forty Eight pounds of Tobacco (the Sum of Four Thousand nine Hundred and thirty Seven pounds of Tobacco part of the aforesaid Sum of Seven Thousand four Hundred and forty Eight pounds of Tobacco being paid and satisfied to the said John Graham & Company in the making the Writing Obligatory aforesaid) to the said John Graham & Company have not paid nor hath either or any of them paid but the same to them the said John Graham & Company to pay the aforesaid Vincent Ashin in his Lifetime & the said James Middleton & Ignatius Gardiner Executors of the said Vincent Ashin since the death of the said Vincent altogether hitherto have refused and the said James Middleton & Ignatius Gardiner still do refuse to pay it unjustly detain the same Sum of Two Thousand four Hundred and Eleven pounds of Tobacco to the damage of the said John Graham & Company five thousand five hundred of Tobacco qualified as aforesaid and therefore they being Just and so forth &c.

J. D. Esq. John Dyer  
Att. for the

And the aforesaid James and Ignatius Esqrs. by Henry Darnall their Attorney Comest defend the force and injury when the aforesaid James and Ignatius Esqrs. pray Licence to Impale here until the Next Court to be holden at Charles Town on the second Tuesday in March Next and they have it and the same day is given to the same John Graham and Company here the aforesaid. At which day to wit the second Tuesday in March aforesaid came as well the said John Graham & Company by their Attorney aforesaid as the said James & Ignatius Esqrs. by their Attorney aforesaid and the said James and Ignatius Esqrs. by their said Attorney pray further Licence thereof to Impale here until the Next Court to be holden at Charles Town on the second Tuesday in June Next and they have it and the same day is given to the same John Graham and Company here the aforesaid. At which day to wit the second Tuesday in June aforesaid came as well the said John Graham & Company by their Attorney aforesaid as the said James & Ignatius Esqrs. by their Attorney aforesaid and the said James & Ignatius Esqrs. by their said Attorney pray further Licence thereof to Impale here until the Next Court to be holden at Charles Town on the second Tuesday in August Next and he hath it and the same day is given to the same John Graham & Company here the aforesaid. At which day to wit the second Tuesday in August aforesaid came as well the said John Graham & Company by their Attorney aforesaid as the said James & Ignatius Esqrs. by their Attorney aforesaid and the said James & Ignatius Esqrs. by their said Attorney pray further Licence thereof to Impale here until the Next Court to be holden at Charles Town on the second Tuesday in November Next and they have it and the same day is given to the same John Graham & Company here the aforesaid. At which day to wit the second Tuesday in November aforesaid came as well the said John Graham & Company as the said James and Ignatius Esqrs. by their Attorney aforesaid and the said John Graham & Company by their said Attorney pray that the said James and Ignatius Esqrs. aforesaid to their Declaration aforesaid against them may answer and for that the said James & Ignatius Esqrs. aforesaid

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