

And the writing obligatory, in the declaration mentioned, follows in these words, to wit, Sir ays
after date I promise to pay Thomas Graves or his order the quantity of eleven hundred &
twenty pounds of Merchantable inspacted Tobacco of Mattox Warehouse, clear of Cash - &
seven pounds eleven Shillings & four pence, rating dollars at six shillings each - for and
rec^d of him this twentieth day of April seventeen hundred Eighty three. W^t Washington
had & seal.

William Brown

Dec^r. 30^m. 1784. C. O. vs deft. W^t Washington his exec^r conf^r

Ap ^r . 1785.	Court ^d
Deft. —	Court ^d
Ap ^r . 1786.	Court ^d
Deft. —	Court ^d

Ap ^r . 1787.	Court ^d
Doll ^r —	Court ^d
Ap ^r . 1788.	Court ^d for pmt.
Deft. —	Court ^d
Sept. 1789.	Court ^d

At a District Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northum-
berland, at Northumberland Courthouse, On Thursday the 8th day of April 1790. This day
came the pmt. by his Attorney, & the Judgment obtained against the deft. William Wash-
ington the security for his appearance in the office of the Clerk of the General Court, at the
rules in December 1784. not being serv'd; therefore it is considered by the Court, that the
pmt. recover against the deft. & the said William Washington the security for his appear-
ance the quantity of eleven hundred & twenty pounds of Merchantable inspacted Tobacco
of Mattox Warehouse clear of Cash Seven pounds eleven Shillings & four pence rating
dollars at six shillings each the debt in the declaration mentioned plus costs by him about
his suit in this behalf expended & the deft. in mercy ~~etc~~.

~~Plas~~ at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the District composed of the
Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday the
1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esq^r Judge duly allotted to the
said District.

Be it remembered was sent here from the General Court, according to the Act of
General Assembly in such case made provided, a certain action depending in the said
General Court. Between William Cooke pmt. & John Shinker & Susannah Lott exec^r &c of
Thomas Lott dec^d deft. together with the papers herein the proceedings, in whole suit are
as follows, to wit. At a General Court held at the Courthouse, in the City of Richmond, on the
day of came the said Thomas Graves by Charles Lee his attorney, brought into
the said Court, his certain bill against the said John Shinker & Susannah Lott exec^r

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the said Court, his certain bill against the said John Shunker & Susannah Gott, widow
of Thomas Gott dec'd. in custody &c. of a plea of trespass on the case, which bill
follows in these words, to wit, County, Court, William Cooke complains of John Shunker
& Susannah Gott executors of the last will & testament of Thomas Gott dec'd. for this, to wit, that
whereas the said Thomas Gott in his lifetime, to wit, on the day of in the year of our
Lord one thousand seven hundred eighty was indebted to the said William Cooke the sum
in the sum of two thousand pounds lawful money of Virginia, for so much money
before that time had & received by the said Thomas Gott in his lifetime for the sum
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The said Mr. Shunker so indebted, the said Thomas Gott in his lifetime afterwards, to wit,
on the same day & year last mentioned at the parish of in the County of Loudoun then
& there faithfully promised the said Gott to pay him the said two thousand pounds when he
should have unto be required. And also whereas the said Thomas Gott in his lifetime afterwards
to wit, on the day & year before mentioned at the parish & County of was indebted to the
said Mr. in another sum of two thousand pounds lawful Money of Virginia, for the like sum
of money by the said William Cooke at the special instance & request of the said Thomas
Gott in his lifetime, before that time to the said Thomas Gott in his lifetime but &
advanced & being so indebted the said Thomas Gott in his lifetime afterwards, to wit, on
the day & year last mentioned at the parish & County of undertook & there faithfully
promised the said William Cooke to pay him the said last mentioned two
thousand pounds when he should have unto be required; & also whereas the said Thomas
Gott in his life time afterwards, to wit, on the same day & year of at the parish & County
of had accounted together with the said William Cooke touching & concerning above
sums of money before that time due from the said Thomas Gott to the said William
Cooke, when being in arrear unpaid the said Thomas Gott upon the said account
was then & there found in arrear to the said William Cooke in other two thousand pounds
lawful money of Virginia; & being so found in arrear he the said Thomas Gott then
& there, to wit, on the same day & the year of at the parish & County of undertook
& there faithfully promised the said William Cooke that he the said Thomas
Gott would well & truly pay the last mentioned two thousand pounds to the said
William Cooke when he should have unto be required: notwithstanding the said Thomas
Gott in his late life & since his death the said debts his executors not regarding the

Richard Lee - Charles Lee atty h. q. —
Jan'y 30th 1787 C.C. vs. Gott Lang? C.C. Capt. vs. Skinner
Ap'l. — now ap'd by the testator, for both Tay.
Oct'r. — Court?
Ap'l. 1788 Court?
Oct'r. — Court?
Sept. 1789 Cont'd
Ap'l. 1790 Cont'd

At a District Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland at Northumberland Courthouse, on Wednesday the 1st day

(03) of September 1790. This day came the debtors by their attorney the pl't. failing further to prosecute his suit on the motion of the debtors by their attorney. It is considered by the Court that he be nonsuited & that the debtors recover against him the sum of five shillings damages by occasion thereof & his costs by them about their defense in this behalf expended & the pl't. in mercy. —

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the districts composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland. On Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered was sent here from the General Court, according to the Act of General Assembly, in such case made & provided, a certain action depending in the said General Court, Between Anthony Walke, Alexander Morley, Nimmo & John Lawrence execs. &c. of Anthony Walke decd. pl't. & Richard Lee deft. together with the papers wherein the proceedings in which suit, are as follows. to wit, At a General Court, held at the Courthouse, in the City of Richmond on the day of 17 came the said Anthony Walke, Alexander Morley, William Nimmo & John Lawrence execs. &c. of Anthony Walke decd. by Randolph their attorney, brought into the said Court, their certain bill against the said Richard Lee in custody &c. of a plea of debt, which bill follows in these words. To wit, County, Court, Anthony Walke, Alexander Morley, William Nimmo &

merchant at forty days sight of that his first bill of exchange his second & third of
the same tenor & date, not paid, to pay to the p^t. or order the sum of two hundred
pounds Sterling for 258 £. current money received at time to make payment &
to place it to his account, which said bill of exchange, to wit, the eleventh day of
September in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & twenty three
by William Tudman Notary & Tabellion publick dwelling in London aul^y
admitted & worn the same where requested to pay the same, the time limited
for payment thereof being then expired since the same had been first pre-
sented, for acceptance & the second & third of the same tenor & date being unpaid
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But the said William Mollison Merchant then & there refused to pay the same by
occasion whereof the said bill of exchange afterwards, to wit, the same day ^{year} last
mentioned at London a^d was in due form, & according to the custom of Merchants, pro-
tested for non payment, the charges of which protest amounted to ten shillings & then
pence sterling as by an instrument of protest under the hand of William Tudman,
a notary public, may appear of all, which the said deft. afterwards to wit, on the day

the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & at the parish & County of
wherby by the force of the Act of Assembly, in such case made & provided, an action h^t
accrued to the p^t. to demand & recover of the said deft. the a^d sum of two hundred pounds
Sterling, together with interest thereon to be computed after the rate of ten per centum from
the date a^d of the said bill & the said 10/3. sterling, the charges of the protest of the said deft.
altho' often required, the said several sums of money, interest asay^d to pay to the said
Anthony Walke in his life did refuse, & to the p^t. after his death did refuse to
the damage of the p^t. five hundred pounds & therefore they bring suit, & the p^t.
bring here into court, as well the said bill of exchange as also the said letters testametary
of the said Anthony Walke dec^d whereby it sufficiently appears to the board, that the p^t.
are exec^d of the said testament, & have administration therin. Pledges the John Davis
Richard Roe - Randolph Jr. g.

July 21st 1786. C.S. o^dys. & No^o: Sanford under Cap. of West^h County cony^d
in October
At a General Court, held at Richmond, 1786. This day came as well the p^t. by their
Attorneys as Robert Sanford under Sheriff Westmoreland County, the bail for the deft. ap-

This costs by him about his defense in this behalf expended the sum in money

Please at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the District comprised
the counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland on Wednesday
1st day of September 1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esq; Judge duly elected to the
District —

Be it remembered was sent here from the General Court, according to the law
General Assembly in such case made & provided, a certain action depending
in the said general court, Between William Griffin et al. vs Thomas B. Griffin et al.

(103) And William Palmer deft. together with the proctors thereon, the proceedings, in which
suit are as follows, to wit, At a General Court, held at the Courthouse, in the City of Richmond
on the day of 17 Came the said William Griffin et al. of Thomas B. Griffin et al. by
Taylor his attorney & brought into the said Court, his certain bill against the said Wm.
Palmer in custody &c of a sum of 100. which bill follows in these words, to wit,
Richmond County S^t. William Griffin et al. of the last will Testament of Thomas Bertrand
Griffin et al. complains of William Palmer in custody &c of a sum that he render to the said Wm.
one hundred eleven pounds five shillings cur^t money which from him the said deft. unjustly
retains &c for that whereas the said deft. on the twentieth day of September one thousand seven
hundred & twenty one at the County aforesaid by his certain writing obligatory sealed with the seal of
the said deft. &c to the Court, has here sworn where date is the day & year aforesaid acknowledge
himself to be held & firmly bound to the P^r Thomas Bertrand Griffin in the sum of one
hundred eleven pounds five shillings cur^t to be paid to the said Thomas Bertrand Griffin
whenever the said deft. should be thereto required. Yet the said deft. tho' often required, the aforesaid sum of
money or any part thereof to the said Thomas Bertrand Griffin in his lifetime, or to the said test.
(et al. of his last will) since his death not paid, but the same to pay with interest & still continue
to the said sum ten pounds. Whereas he brings and do^s bring into Court, his letters testamentary &c
Taylor p. q. — And the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these
words, to wit, I know all men by these presents, that I William Palmer of Richmond County
am held & firmly bound unto Thomas Bertrand Griffin of Lancaster County in the sum of
one hundred eleven pounds, five shillings cur^t to which payment will I truly to be made
G. Taylor p. q. —

W^m Palmer's Aco^t, which the s^r. Col^t. W^m Peache, declares was settled in 1772. W^m Griffin,
February 9th 1774. Then re^d of W^m Palmer Thirteen pounds Cash, towards the payment
of his land to me, for a tract of land, brought of me, rec^d by me, Thomas B. Griffin.
Received this 26th day of July 1785. of W^m William Palmer the sum of thirty six pounds
curr^t money £ 30. of which was left in the hands of Maj^t Col^t. McCarty Sh^r of Richmⁿ
County when he settled an execution of the said Palmer ag^t Rawleigh Downman on a Judgment
obtained by the s^r. Palmer on a note of hand which Col^t. Jas^t. B. Griffin in his life-
time agreed to take as payment for the said Palmer's first payment for a tract of
land sold by the said Col^t. Griffin to the said Palmer, the accepter of the said note
to be paid to the said Palmer - which said sum I receive as my payment for the said
Col^t. Griffin. S^r Peache - Test Charles Webb.

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I Thomas B. Griffin of Lancaster County, having bargained & sold agreed with
William Palmer for a tract of land in Richmond County, now in the possession of Rawleigh
Gibson a tenant, bounded as follows beginning at the head of a branch called Redispring
branch, according to Garlands survey, running down the s^r. branch to the mouth into
the run of the main swamp, which divides this land from Col^t. Tarpley's land, hence
up the s^r. swamp by the water courses of the same across the road as far as the s^r. Griffins
land extends up the s^r. swamp thence its several courses to the beginning which s^r. piece
of land, with all its appurtenances whatsoever I obligate myself to make a good deed for
to the s^r. Palmer, he the s^r. Palmer paying to the s^r. Griffin £ 25. 12. 6. by the first of
October following (& in case he cannot get that money, he is not to be sued for the same
to deliver to the s^r. Griffin a note of hand from Rawleigh Downman joint to the s^r. Griffin
for him the s^r. Griffin to pay himself that sum & the overplus of the s^r. note of hand to a
p^c to the s^r. Palmer) & the s^r. Palmer to pay to the s^r. Griffin the further sum of thirty
pounds on the 26th day of December 1772. for the s^r. land, (& in case the s^r. Palmer do not
have the s^r. sum of £ 30. at the time of it then he the s^r. W^m Palmer is to be allowed 12
months more to pay the s^r. sum of £ 30. & not to be sued in that time, he the s^r. Palmer
paying interest on the s^r. £ 30. for the last 12 months that is from Dec^t 1772 till
December 1773. to which we have interchangably set our hands & seals this 26th day
of Aug^t 1771.

Signed, Sealed & acknowledged in the presence of } Thomas B. Griffin ... *Seal*
William Palmer ... *Seal*
William Hunt.

1771. D^r Col^t. Thomas B. Griffin in acco^t
In work done to acco^t

by his attorney, as Robert Mitchell, Sheriff of Richmond County, the bail for the aff^d. appearance, by his attorney. On the motion of the said bail, the deft. having failed to appear or to enter special bail in this suit, the said Robert Mitchell is admitted to afford the said ^{deft} thereupon he pleads payment, to which the plts. reply generally, the trial of the issue is continued, till the next Term. — A Special Bail filed in these words, to wit, Henrico, to wit, Memorandum that upon the 17th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred eighty six George Glascock of the County of Richmond personally appeared before me Richd Adams Gent: one of the magistrates appointed by the R^t Hon^rble General Court, for taking special bail within the said County of Henrico & undertook for William Palmer at the sum of W^m Griffenⁱⁿ

(Copy) Action of debt now depending in the General Court, that in case the said William Palmer shall be cast in the said suit to the said William Palmer shall satisfy ^{pay} the condemnation of the Court, or under his body to prison in execution for the same or that he the said George Glascock will do it for him given under my hand the day & year above written.

Richd Adams.

Upon the Bo^d of the Bo^d of Griffen etc? omitted in the bail piece after plts name - q of good?

Oct ^r . . . 1786 . . . Court?	Ap ^r . . . 1787 . . . Court?
Oct ^r . . . — . . . Court?	Ap ^r . . . 1788 . . . Court?
Ap ^r . . . 1789 . . . Court?	Oct ^r . . . 1789 . . . Court?
Ap ^r . . . 1790 . . . Court?	Ap ^r . . . 1790 . . . Court?

At a District Court, held for the District of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Thursday the 2nd day September 1790. This day came the parties by their Attorneys whereupon came also a Jury, Carl, Cyrus Pinckard, William Prosser, Edward Wall, Peter McCannah, Vincent Garner, John Christopher, Nathan Sainsford, Walter Brightlett, William Davenport, Mungo Harvey, Thomas York, George Glascock, who being called tried to swear the truth to speak upon the oaths joined upon them oaths do say that the deft. hath paid the debt in the declaration mentioned as he in pleading hath alledged. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plts. take nothing by his bill, but for his false claim be in mercy. That the deft. go thence hence without day & recover against the plts. his costs by him about his defense in this behalf expended. — Memorandum Be it remembered that at the trial of this cause the plts. by their attorney offered to the court, a bill of exceptions to the opinion of the court, in admitting the deft. to give in

custody &c of a pleas that they render unto the said p[er]t. the sum of fifty two
pounds seven shillings & six pence, which they owe & justly detain the
for this, to wit, that whereas the said said deft. on the fourte[n]th day of October
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One thousand seven hundred Eighty three, at the County of: by these certain bill obligatory sealed with their seals in Court produced & dated the day Year of our
promise to pay to the said Yost or his assigns the sum of twenty six pounds
three shillings & nine pence for value rec'd of him to which payment well &
truly to be made the deft. bound themselves &c in the penal sum of fifty two
pounds seven shillings & six pence Whereas afterwards to wit the said Yost on
the twenty third day of April one thousand seven hundred Eighty five did assign
or endorse over to the p[er]t. the said bill of which the said deft. had notice on
the days Years of: at the County of: & the p[er]t. avers that the deft. did not pay
the said sum of twenty six pounds three shillings & nine pence since the res-
pective assignment of the said Yost which they ought to have done according to
the tenor of the said bill, whereby by virtue of the act of Assembly in such case
made & provided action accrued to the said p[er]t. to demand & have of the said deft.
the said sum of fifty two pounds seven shillings & six pence in manner of
ye or the said deft. altho' often requested to pay the same has not paid to the said
p[er]t. the said fifty two pounds seven shillings & six pence they have not pa'd but
they have delayed & still doth delay to satisfy him for the same to damage of
the p[er]t. ten pounds & therefore he brings suit &c John Doe & Richd Row-
ell Campbell pro quer: - & the bill obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows
in these words, to wit, We Matthias Self & John Hardwick do promise to pay to
Yost the just sum of twenty six pounds three shilling & nine pence on demand
for value received of him to which payment well & truly to be made we bind our
selves & each of us our heirs &c in the penal sum of fifty two pounds seven
shillings & six pence witness whereof we have set our hands & seals this fourth
day of Oct^r 1783.

Matth. Self. . . . Sealed.

of Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, On Friday the 3rd day of September 1790. This day came the plt. by his attorney. & the Judgment obtained in the Clerks office against the deft. Matthias Self & his security not being set aside. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plt. recover against the said Mattheas Self & Thomas Harvey the sum of fifty two pounds even shillings & pence the debt in the declaration mentioned & his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. It is ordered.

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Money due But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of the sum of eleven pounds fifteen shillings & seven pence with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 7th day of July 1786. till paid the Cts.

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the District composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly attested to the said District.

*Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Riddle Colquhoun & Company assignee of John Rowand who was assignee of Martin Tapscott Mls. & William A. Washington deft. Riddle Colquhoun & Company assignee of John Rowand who was assignee of Martin Tapscott by John Heath their Attorney brought into the said Court, their certain bill against the said William A. Washington, in custody &c of a plea of debt, which bill follows in these words, to wit, North County scd. Riddle, Colquhoun &c assignee of John Rowand, who was assignee of Martin Tapscott complain of William Aug^t Washington in custody &c of a plea that he render unto them of sum of eight hundred pounds current money of Virginia which to them he owes justly & truly, for that whereas of scd. deft on the 31st day of August 1785 at the parish of Washington County of West^d by his certain writing obligatory, sealed with y^r seal of y^r deft. Know in Court produced, acknowledged himself to be bound unto w^r d. Martin Tapscott, in the sum of eight hundred pounds current

formly bound unto Martin Tapscott & Mary his wife in the sum of eight
hundred pounds curr^t money of Virg^o to her which paym^t well & truly to be made
we bind ourselves our heirs &c formly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated
this

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This 31st day of August 1785. The Condition of the above obligation is such that if
the above bounden Richd^d Hopkins & Wm Augustine Washington their heirs or assigns
doth pay or cause to be paid unto the T^r Martin Tapscott & Mary his wife the
just & full sum of four hundred pounds current money of Virg^o on or by the 1st day
of January 1786. That then the above obligation to be void or else to remain in
full force & virtue
Signed, sealed & delivered in presence of us }
Cobin Washington, John Rowand }
John Rowand

Richard Hopkins Seal

Wm Augst Washington Seal

and the assignments of the said writing obligatory in the said declaration mentioned
follows in these words, to wit, Pay the within to Mr. John Rowand, Martin
Tapscott Oct^r 24th 1785. — Thereby assign the within bond to Middle Colquham
&c. — John Rowand

April 1790 C. Order May 1790 C. O. copy

In a District Court held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster
& Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 3rd day of Septem-
ber 1790, this day came the plts. by their attorney, & the Judgment obtained in the
Clerks office against the def^t & Joseph Fox Jnd^t deputy Sheriff of West County not
being set aside. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plts recover against
the said def^t & the said Joseph Fox Jnd^t deputy Sheriff as af^d the sum of eight
hundred pounds current money of Virgina, and the debt in the declaration mentioned
& their costs to be paid by them about their suit in this behalf expended, & the def^t in meny
the Bk^t this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of four hundred
pounds current money of Virgina, with legal interest thereon to be computed
from the 1st day of January 1786 till paid & the costs

ounds current money of Virginia, with legal interest thereon to be computed
from the 1st day of January 1786 till paid & the costs

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Plead at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed
of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday
the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge
duly allotted to the said district.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Mess^{rs} deDrusina, Rudder
& Clerk, plts. & Benedict Crabb deft. and the said deDrusina, Rudder & Clerk by
Alex^r Campbell their attorney brought into the said Court, their certain bill
against the said Benedict Crabb in custody &c of a plow of debt, which bill
follows in these words, to wit, West County, to wit, deDrusina Rudder & Clerk
nowell: complaint of Benedict Crabb in custody &c ga plow, that he render to them
the sum of sixty three pounds nineteen shillings & four pence which he owes to them
I myself attorney for this, to wit, that whereas the s^r deft. on the first day of January
in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred Eighty eight at the town
at the parish of in the County of by his certain writing obligatory, made in

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seal & to the Court, here shown, acknowledged himself to be held & firmly bound
to the s^r plts. in the s^r sum of sixty three pounds nineteen shillings & four pence
to be paid to the s^r plts. when he the s^r deft. should be afterwards found required; yet
the s^r deft. altho' often required, the s^r sum of money to the s^r plts. hath not yet paid,
but the same hath hitherto refused to pay to the s^r plts. to the damage of the s^r plts.
of five pounds, & thereupon they bring suit. vs - John Doe & Rich. & son Prologos of
prosecution - Alex^r Campbell P.D. — And the writing obligatory in the declaration
mentioned follows in these words, to wit, Know all men by these presents that I
Benedict Crabb of the County of West^r am held & firmly bound unto Mess^{rs} deDrusina

certain Attorney or his execs eq. claim. or assigns on his own or any one
pounds specie payable on demand with legal interest from the date hereof then
the above obligation to be void else to remain in full force & virtue.
Signed, sealed & delivered in presence of } Benedict Crabb
W. Lippson

April 1790. C. Order

May 1790. C. Order cont'd.

At a District Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster
& Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 3rd day of
September 1790. This day came the plts. by their Attorney & the Judgment obtained
in the Clerk's office against the deft. this security not being set aside. Therefore it is
considered by the Court, that the plts. recover against the 3rd deft. John Rochester
the security for his appearance the sum of sixty three pounds nineteen shillings
& four pence the acts in the declaration mentioned & their costs by them about
their suit in this behalf expended of the deft. in mercy &c. But this Judgment
is to be discharged by the payment of thirty one pounds nineteen shillings &
eight pence specie with legal interest thereon to be computed from the first
day of January 1789, till paid & the costs —

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Please at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the District composed of the
Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday
the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esq^r Judge duly elected
to the said District. —

Be it remembered that the same Court, came Stewart & Marshall assignee
of John Howard who was assignee of George Fairfax see plts. of Ann Hall & son
& Thomas Gastins adm^r of John Hall ad^r defts. and the said Stewart & Marshall
John Howard who was assignee of George Fairfax see by John Gastins

as of^d the p[ro]ts. in fact say that they have often requested y[ours] affr. intestate
in his lifetime to pay these deft. since his death, by which an action has
accrued to the p[ro]ts. to have & receive of these deft. y[ours] sum of
nevertheless the s^d deft. tho' often requested have not yet paid the s^d sum of
or any part thereof & still do refuse to pay the same wherefore by
reason whereof the s^d p[ro]ts. say they are injured & have damage £300. pounds
& thereupon they bring suit — Ins: Rec: Rule: Non Pleadages &c. Accts: Pro: P[ro]b:
And the Judgment of the General Court, in the declaration mentioned follows
in these words, to wit, Vrgined, Court October General Court, 1788. Steward &
Marchett assignees of John Howard who was assignee of George Fincham See p[ro]ts.
against William Lee deft. In debt the deft. being arrested first appearing on the
motion of the p[ro]t. by their attorney it is considered by the court, that the p[ro]ts. were
against deft. & John Hill Sheriff of North County thirty five thousand eight
hundred pounds of Crops Tobacco & cash the debt in the declaration mentioned &
their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended of the s^d deft. in m^r
£300. But this Judgement is to be discharged by the payment of seventeen thousand

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hundred pounds of like Tobacco & cashs with interest thereon to be computed after the rate
of five per centum per annum from the tenth day of January 1787 till payment
& the costs — Costs £310. ^{Dry} 1st Vols. or 300 £5.66¹ — Alimony teste. Brown, Clerk
April 1790, rule for debt.
May — Reorder

June 1790. Ld. A. conf.

In a District Court, held for the District of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancashire &
Northumberland at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 3rd day of September 1790.
This day came the p[ro]ts. by their Attorney, & the Judgment stamped in the Clerks office
against the deft. not being set aside. Wherefore it is considered by the court, that the p[ro]ts.
recover against the s^d deft. Thirty five thousand eight hundred pounds of Crops Tobacco
& cashs & also the sum of three shillings three hundred & ten pounds of Tobacco & fifty
shillings or five hundred pounds of Tobacco the debt in the declaration mentioned &
their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended to be levied of the goods &
chattels of the intestate in the hands of the deft. if so much thereof they have in their
hands to be administered, but if not then the costs to be levied of them own proportion

leourt. his certain bill against the said George Ingram in custody &c. of a sum
of debt which bill follows in these words, to wit, Comme^t of Virgⁿ North^d County, to
wit, Thomas Reid complains of George Ingram of the parish of Waccamoco Coⁿtry af^d
in custody &c. of a pleas that he render unto him the sum of three hundred & twelve
pounds ten shillings current money of Virgⁿ which he owes & justly detains
him for that whereas the s^d deft. on the tenth day of June one thousand seven hundred
Eighty nine at the parish & County af^d by his certain writing obligatory sealed
with his seal & here now in court produced (the date whereof is the same day before
last above mentioned) acknowledged himself to owe & to be justly indebted to the s^d
pl^t. in the just sum of three hundred twelve pounds ten shillings to be paid to the
s^d pl^t. on demand; nevertheless the s^d deft. hath not yet paid the said sum of three
hundred & twelve pounds ten shillings, according to the tenor & effect of the s^d bond
But this' often requested, hath hitherto refused & still doth refuse to pay the same
to the said pl^t. wherefore the said pl^t. declares he is worse & hath damage to the
value of pounds & therefore he brings his suit pro. dec. Recd^r No^r pledges of pris.

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And the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follow in these words, to wit,
Know all men, by these presents, that I George Ingram of Northumberland County
and held & firmly bound unto Thomas Reid of said County in the just sum
of three hundred & twelve pounds ten shillings current money of Virgⁿ made to
pay unto the said Thomas Reid to his certain attorney, his heirs, executors, administrators or
assigns, to which payment, well & truly to be made, I bind myself my heirs, exec.
& adm^rs. firmly by these presents, sealed with my seal, & dated this tenth day of
June anno dom. one thousand seven hundred Eighty nine. — The condition
of the above obligation is such, that if the above bound George Ingram as shall
well & truly pay, or cause to be paid, unto the s^d Thomas Reid his certain attorney
his exec^rs. adm^rs. or assign^rs. the just sum of one hundred & fifty six pounds five
shillings the money on demand with lawful interest from the date of these presents
then the above obligation to be void, or else to remain in full force & virtue.

Sealed & delivered

in the presence of

William Forbes

Josiah Pope

George Ingram

S.S.

115. Seven pounds three pence worth

m part of the within bond for Thomas Reed - William Forbes	156 .. 6 ..
Principal pay'd 10 th Jan 1789.	1 .. 5 .. 4 ..
Interest till 27 th Aug th 1789.	<u>157 .. 18 .. 4 ..</u>
1789 Aug th 27 th By Cash as Y ^r Rec ^t above	7 .. m .. 3 ..
Dec ^r 31 st By Cash by W ^m Forbes (deficient in weight 1/3)	150 .. 18 .. 1 ..
	15 .. - 4 ..

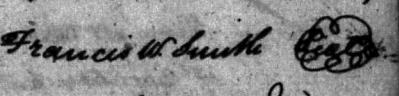
April . . . 1790. . . . C. Order May . . . 1790. . . . C. O. Conf'd

At a distinct Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 5th day of September 1790. This day came the plt. by his attorney & the Judgment obtained in the Clerks office against the deft. His security not being set aside. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plt. recover against the deft. George Ingram Junr. the bail for his appearance the sum of three hundred & twelve pounds ten shillings current money of Virginia the debt in the declaration mentioned & the costs to be paid by him above his suit in this behalf expended, & the deft. in money ^{de}. But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of one hundred & thirty nine pounds eight pence like money with legal interest thereon to be computed from the thirty first day of December 1789 till paid & the costs to

Plat at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly appointed to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Alexander Henderson, Robert Ferguson & John Gibson joint partners in trade under the form of Henderson Ferguson & Gibson plts. & Francis William Smith deft. & the said

Plts. by Alex. Campbell their Attorney brought into the said Court their certain bill against the said Francis William Smith in custody &c of a plte of debt, which bill follows in these words, to wit, Westmoreland County vs. Alexander Henderson, Robert Ferguson & John Gibson joint partners in trade under the form of Henderson Ferguson & Gibson complains of Francis W. Smith, in custody &c of a plte that he render to

whose date or me day & year of ~~uncommon age~~ unuse to be used
the p[ro]ts. in the full & just sum of sixty three pounds fifteen shillings & two pence
their certain attorney their heirs executors administrators or assigns to be paid to the said p[ro]ts.
whenever thereunto by the said p[ro]ts. the said deft. should be afterwards required. Yet the
p[ro]ts. say that the said deft. has as^d sum of sixty three pounds fifteen shillings & two
pence hath not paid to the said p[ro]ts. altho' often so required But the same to pay
hath hitherto refused & still doth refuse whereby the said p[ro]ts. say that they are
injured & have damage fifty pounds current money of this Commonwealth Whereof
they have brought this suit & pledges to prosecute the same vs John Doe which are
~~Pledges vs — Alex Campbell P. D.~~ — and the writing obligatory in the
in the declaration mentioned follows in these words to wit, Know all men by these
presents, that I Francis W Smith of the County Westmoreland in Commonwealth of Virginia
am held & firmly bound unto Alexander Henderson Robert Ferguson & John Gibson
Merchants & partners trading in Dumfries in the Commonwealth of under the sum
of Henderson Ferguson & Gibson, in the just & full sum of sixty three pounds fifteen
shillings & two pence in gold at five shillings & four pence by the penny weight or in
Spanish Mill'd dollars at six shillings, or in other silver coin in proportion to be
paid unto the said Henderson Ferguson & Gibson their certain attorney their heirs execu-
tors or assigns; to the which payment, well & truly to be made, bind myself my
heirs, executors & successors firmly by these presents, sealed with my seal, & dated this
twenty first day of August anno domini one thousand seven hundred eighty
seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Francis
W Smith do & shall well & truly pay, or cause to be paid, unto the said Henderson,
Ferguson & Gibson their certain attorney, their executors, administrators or assigns, the just sum
of thirty one pounds seventeen shillings & seven pence in gold or silver coin at the
rates above mentioned with lawful Interest on the same being for value recd
from Robert Phillips agent for the said Henderson, Ferguson & Gibson or Master
then the above obligation to be void, or else to remain in full force & vertue
Sealed & delivered in the presence of }
Joseph Day, W Chalmers
Francis W Smith 

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At a distill Court, held for the District of Dickinord Westmoreland, Lancaster
& Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 8th day
of September 1790. This day came the p[ro]ts. by their Attorney. Other Judgment
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obtained in the Clerks office against the debt. This security not being set aside. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the Petts recover against the D^r J^r G^r V^e & C^o Smith the bail for his appearance the sum of sixty three pounds fifteen shillings & two pence the debt in the declaration mentioned & their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended, & the said debt in money &c But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of thirty one pounds seventeen shillings & seven pence with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 21st day of August 1797 till paid & the costs.

P^recas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland. On Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, taine Walter Jones & John Sherman Woodcock execs. of William Flood petts & Elizabeth Tibbs admiss. of Daniel Tibbs dec^d and the said Walter Jones & John Sherman Woodcock execs. of William Flood by John James Mauno Shev^r attorney brought into the said Court, their certain bill against the said Elizabeth Tibbs admiss. of Daniel Tibbs dec^d in custody &c of a plea of debt, which bill follows in these words, to wit, West^s S^t Walter Jones & John S^r Woodcock execs. &c of the last will & testament of William Flood dec^d complain of Elizabeth Tibbs admiss. &c of Daniel Tibbs in custody &c within the jurisdiction of the District Court, holden for the Counties of Westin^s, Rich^s, North^s & Lancaster) of a plea that they render under him one hundred & thirty three pounds eleven shillings & two pence half penny, which from them they unjustly retain for that whereas the said Daniel in his life time on the day of in the year by his certain writing obligatory sealed with his seal to the court, here shown acknowledged himself to be held firmly bound unto the said William in his life time in the said sum of £133. 11. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$, to be paid the said William whenever he should be thereto afterwards requested — yet the said Daniel altho' often requested in his life time, nor the said Elizabeth since the death of him the said Daniel in the life time of him the said William, nor to the said Walter & John after the death of the said William hath not yet paid the said sum of £133. 11. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$. — but the same to pay both debtors wholly

William, nor to the said Walter & John after the death of the said William hath
not yet paid the said sum of £133. 11. 2½d. - but the same to pay both debtors wholly
refused & still does refuse to the damage of the said Walter & John £20. Wherefore they
bring suit vs. In Due & Right Now pledges to pay: - In Full Account vs. Due:
And the writing obligation in the declaration mentioned follows in these words to wit,
Know all Men, by these presents, that I Daniel Tibbs of Cogfile parish in the County
of Westmorland am held & firmly bound unto William Flood of the parish of
Cromby aforesaid in the just & full sum of one hundred & thirty three pounds eleven
shillings & two pence half penny to be paid unto the said William Flood his
certain attorney, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns; to which payment well & truly
done.

To be made, I bind myself my heirs, executors, administrators, jointly by these presents, sealed with my hand
dated this twenty first day of March anno Domini one thousand seven hundred Ninety five.
The condition of the above obligation is such, that if the above bound Daniel Tibbs doth still owe
or truly pay, or cause to be paid, unto the said William Flood his certain attorney, his executors, administrators
or assigns, the just sum of sixty four pounds five shillings & seven pence half penny
then the above obligation to be void, or else to remain in full force & virtue.
Sealed & delivered, In the presence of }
James Threlkell }
Daniel Tibbs *Seal*

April 1790 Rule for debt
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At a district Court, held for the district of Burmire, Westmorland, Lancaster and
Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, On Friday the 3rd day of September 1790.
This day came plaintiffs by their Attorney & the Judgment obtained in the Clerks office against the
deft. not being set aside. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plaintiffs recover against the said
deft. the sum of one hundred & thirty three pounds eleven shillings & two pence half penny the
debt in the declaration mentioned their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended
to be levied of the goods & chattels of the said Intestate in the hands of the deft. if so much thereof she
hath in her hands to be administered, but if not, then the costs to be levied of her own proper
goods & chattels. & the said deft. in money due. But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment
of sixty four pounds five shillings & seven pence half penny with legal interest thereon to be
computed from the 31st day of March 1775, till paid, & the costs.

which bill follows in these words, —
plaints of William Trappell in custody &c for that whereas the said deft on the day of
one thousand seven hundred & sixty seven at the County of sold unto the s^d p^t l^t a young
negro boy named Abraham for the sum of pounds, & warranted the title of the s^d
negro to the said p^t l^t which said negro boy was by agree^t between them afterwards
to be delivered by the said deft. to the said p^t l^t whenever he the said deft. should be
afterwards required. and the s^d p^t l^t in fact hath, that trusting to the promise &
undertaking of the said deft. to the s^d p^t l^t on the day & year af^d at the County of had
to the s^d deft. the purchase money for the slave af^d yet the s^d deft. not regarding his
pro-
p^t -

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promise & undertaking af^d but casting about & intending to defraud & decease the p^t l^t in the
respect, on the day of November one thousand seven hundred & eighty four at the County af^d
refused to comply with his said promise & undertaking, or to deliver the said slave to the
s^d p^t l^t in conformity thereto, altho' often required so to do & particularly on the day &
year & at the place last mentioned, by reason whereof the said p^t l^t saith that he is
greatly injured to his damage three hundred pounds & thereof he brings suit v^s Tylor,

Jan 14th 1787.... led, v^s deft. & Lewis Smith d^y p^t of West County Court

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Sept. 1789. Court^d
Apr. 1790. Court^d

At a District Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland,
Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, On Friday the 3^d
day September 1790. This day came the deft. by his attorney, & the p^t l^t failing for
- her to prosecute his suit, on the motion of the deft. it is considered by the Court, that
he be nonsuited, & that the deft. go thence without day & that the deft. recover against
him five shillings damages by occasion thereof. This costs by him about his
defence in this behalf expended & the p^t l^t in mercy &c

Please at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the
Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday

day of 17 . came the said Catharine Flood McCall by J. Marshall her Attorney & brought into the said Court, her certain bill against the said James Dobson Jr. in custody of a plea of trespass, which bill follows in these words, in
Richmond County, to wit, Catharine Flood McCall, complainant of James Dobson Jr. in custody
to wit, that the deft. on the day of in the year 1788 did divers times from
said day until the day of in the year 1788, with force & arms broke & entered the land
of the pl. lying in the County of Richm^d. & plough'd the land & trod down the grass thereon
growing to the value of £20. & took destroyed & carried away one hundred barrels of corn
of the value of one hundred pounds, one thousand bushels of wheat of the value of
£100. & ten bushels of tobacco of the value of £100. & ten thousand rails of the value
of £100. One thousand timber trees of the value of £100. in the said place then
growing & other wrongs & inconveniences to the pl. on the day. Then & there did against
the peace & dignity of the Commonwealth to the damage of the pl. one hundred
pounds wherefore she suing — J. Marshall F. G.

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Aug^t 4. — . last con^t with no^t eng^t.

Sep^t. 1789. cont'd

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At a District Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster &
Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 3^d day of September
1790. This day came the parties by their Attorneys, & on the motion of the pl. this cause is dis-
missed. By consent of the deft. it is considered by the Court, that the pl. recover against the
said deft. her costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended.

Plead at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the District composed of the
Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the
1st day of September 1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to
the said District.

Be it remembered was sent here from the General Court, according to the Act of

At a district court, held for the district of Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 3rd day of September 1790. This day came the deft. by his attorney, the pl. failing further to prosecute his suit on the motion of the deft. it is considered by the court, that he be nonsuited & that the deft. go hence without day & that the deft. recover against him five shillings damages by occasion thereof. This costs by him about his defence in this behalf expended.

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Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the District composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 15th day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly elected in the said District —

Be it remembered was sent here from the General Court, according to the Act of General Assembly in such case made & proceeded, a certain action depending in the said General Court, Between Lewis Breton pl. & Thomas Botts deft. together with the papers herein. The proceedings in which suit are as follows, to wit, At a General Court, held at the Courthouse, in the City of Richmond, on the day of 17. came the said Lewis Breton by E. Randolph his attorney brought into the said his certain bill against the said Thomas Botts, in custody &c of a plea of trespass on the case, which bill follows in these words, to wit, North County, to wit, Lewis Breton complains of Thomas Botts in custody &c for that to wit, that whereas the said Thomas Botts the deft. on the day of in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred eighty four at the parish of in the County of North ap' was indebted to the said Lewis Breton the pl. in the sum of one hundred eighty pounds of lawful money of Virginia, for divers goods wares & merchandizes, by the pl. before due time sold & delivered to the deft. at his special instance & request & being so indebted, the deft. in consideration thereof, afterwards that is to say on the day & year last above mentioned, at the parish of in the County of undertook & then faithfully promised to the pl. that he the deft. would well & truly pay the sum of one hundred eighty pounds to the pl. when he the deft. should be required & whereas also, afterwards, that is to say, on the same day & year of at the parish of in the County of in consideration that the pl. had before that time sold & delivered to the deft. at his special instance & request, divers other goods wares & merchandizes,

year aff^d at the parish of^d in the County of^d was indebted to the p^t. in another sum
of one hundred & fifty pounds of like lawful money of Virginia, for so much money
by the p^t. for the use of the deft. at his special instance & request before that
time paid, and out expended, & being so indebted, he the deft. afterwards, that is to say,
on the same day year aff^d at the parish of^d in the County of^d undertook, & then there
faithfully promised to the p^t. that he the deft. would well & truly pay the said
other sum of one hundred & fifty pounds to the p^t. when he the deft. should be
broughte afterwards required, nevertheless the deft. not at all regarding his said
promise & understandings so made as of^d in form of^d but contriving, & making

intending, craftily & subtilly to deceive & defraud the p^t. in this behalf hath and had to his p^t.
the said several sums of money, or any of them, or any part thereof, although to pay the same
to the p^t. the deft. afterwards, to wit, on the same day & year last above-mentioned, at the sum
of: in the County of: was requested by the p^t. but the deft. hath hitherto utterly refused
& still doth refuse to pay the same to the p^t. to the damage of the p^t. one hundred & fifty
pounds; & therefore he brings suit, Pledges of prosecution Ins: Doe & Rich, & Roe - E. Randall
for the p^t.

At a District Court, held for the District of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster and Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 3rd day of September 1790.

This day came the deft. by his Attorney, & the pl. failing further to prosecute his suit on the motion of the deft. it is considered by the court, that he be nonsuited & that the deft. go hence without day & that the deft. recover against him five shillings damages by occasion thereof. This costs by him about his defence in this behalf expended.

Please at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the Counties

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afterwards, to wit, the same day year last mentioned at the County of the ² Joseph the
said writing obligatory of to the ² p^lts by endorsing the assignment of the ² Joseph of
the writing obligatory on that writing obligatory which ² several assignments they the ²
³ p^lts afterwards to wit, on the day year last mentioned at the County of gave notice
to the ² George & the ² p^lts in fact say that the ² George tho' often requested by the ²
Geo. hath not yet paid the ² sixteen pounds to the ² Geo. or to the ² Joseph or to
the ² p^lts or to either of them which upon their request they ought to have done
according to the form & effect of the ² bill by reason of which ² foregoes by virtue
of the Act of Assembly in that case made & provided an action has accrued to the
² p^lts as aff^{ts} of the ² Geo. who was aff^{ts} of the ² Geo. to demand there of the ² aff.
the ² Thirty two pounds; nevertheless the ² George tho' often requested, have not yet paid the
² Thirty two pounds to the ² Geo. or to the ² Jo^t or to the ² p^lts or to either of them
but hitherto hath refused & still refuse to pay the same or any part thereof to the ²
p^lts to their damage of £10. Wherefore they bring bring suit - John Doe Rich^d Doe
pros. - Washington pro: querent - and the writing obligatory in the
declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit, We William S^rffice Stephen
Olive of Westmoreland County do promise to pay or cause to be paid unto George Rust
of the County of the just & full sum of sixteen pounds curr^t money of Virginia on
demand for the hire of Negroe M^rges to which payment well & truly to be made unto the
² Rust his heirs exec^{rs}. Admors. or assigns we bind ourselves jointly severally our joint
several heirs exec^{rs}. Admors. in the penall sum of thirty two pounds like money
In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands & seals this 22nd day of August 1786
Signed Sealed & acknowledged
In presence of James Rust {

William S^rffice
Stephen + Olive
mark

And the assignments of the said writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned
follows in these words, to wit, Sept 4th 1786 I assign the within bond &
inters ove to Joseph Thompson; George Rust - Test. John Crabb
I assign all my right claim title to the within Bond unto Jas Campbell Esq^r
Kingston their or either of em - J^r Thompson L^o In presence of Jas A Thompson
Dawd Crabb Junr.

April rule 1789 rule for aff^{ts}
May - - - - - L. Order
June - - - - - C. O. cou^d.

Sept. 1789 Office Lad^r at and
pay for my aff^{ts}

April 1790 Cont'd

At a District Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland Lancaster
& Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 3rd day of September
1790, This day came the parties by their attorneys, & the aff^{ts} Geo. Courtney Esq^r & Jas^r Buley

May Re. Order
June C. O. Conf'd

April . . . 1790 . . . cont'd

All a District Court, held for the District of Richmond, Westmoreland Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, On Friday the 9th day of September 1790. This day came the parties by their attorneys, & the deft Geo: Courtney Esqrenich G. Baile with draw their former plea in this cause, they had they cannot deny the p[ro]l. action, in manner & form as the p[ro]l. against the other deft. Wm. I offrs Stephen Oliver have complained. Therefore it is considered by the court, that the p[ro]l. recover against the 2^d deft. the sum of his two h[un]ds current money of Virginia, the debt in the declaration mentioned. Other acts by them about their suit in this behalf suspended. The deft. in mercy. But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of sixteen pounds like money with legal interest from & computed from the 22^d day of August 1786. till paid & the Costs.

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P[ro]l. at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster, & Northumberland. On Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

* Bef it remembered was sent here from the General Court, according to the Act of General Assembly, in such case made & provided, a certain action depending in the said General Court, Between William Taylor p[ro]l. & Richard Parker deft. together with the papers therein, the proceedings in which suit are as follows, to wit. At a General Court, held at the Courthouse, in the City of Richmond, on the day of 17. came the p[ro]l. William Taylor by J. Marshall his Attorney, & brought in the said Court, his certain bill against the said Richard Parker, in custody $\frac{1}{4}$ of a p[ro]l. of Trespass, on the case; which bill follows in these words, to wit, West County, to wit, William Taylor complaining of Richard Parker in custody $\frac{1}{4}$ of a p[ro]l. for this, that whereas the said deft. on the 6th day of April in the year 1772, in the parish of in the County of was indebted to the said p[ro]l. in the sum of Twenty pounds current money of Virginia, for the like sum of money by him the said deft. unto the aforesaid before that time advanced & lent him so indebted he the same deft in consideration thereof faithfully promised that he the aforesaid deft. would well & truly pay unto

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consideration whereof faithfully promised that to the s^r. def^t would well & truly pay unto
the s^r. pl^t the a^f sum of money when he should be therunto required: yet the s^r. def^t
not regarding his promise so made as a^f in form a^f but contriving fraudulently
intending craftily & subtilly to deprive the s^r. pl^t in this particular the said money to him
said pl^t hath not paid altho' often therunto required especially on the 3rd day of April
in the year 1772, at the parish & County a^f but the same to the s^r. pl^t to pay to the
said def^t hitherto hath & still doth altogether refuse to the damage of the said pl^t
sixty pounds & thereon he brings suit v^s Ins^d Dec^r Rich^t the pledges &c

J. Marshall for pl^t. — And the letter obligatory on which this suit was brought
follows in these words, to wit, Sir I am extremely obliged to you for your kindness in offering
to lend me the money I wanted. Have now sent my boy for thirty pounds which you
will favor me much in sending by him I will repay you that sum the tenth of June
with interest this letter shall operate as a Bond given under my hand & seal the
seventh day of April 1772.

Richard Parker

To Mr. William Taylor.

Decem^r 5th 1776. Sir. please to pay to my son Wm Taylor the above account with
lawful interest, observe that there is a small account of 10 Gall^t Bar. Between you
& I. pray for that to be settled, Oblige your very humble Servt William Taylor

July 30th 1786. — now aft.⁵
Oct^r — Contd²
Apt^r 1787 Contd²
Oct^r — Contd²

Apt^r 1788 Contd²
Oct^r — Contd²
Sept^r 1789 Contd²
Apt^r 1790 Contd²

At a district court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster &
Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 3rd day of
September 1790. This day came the parties by their attorneys, Thereupon came also a
jury, to wit, Benjamin Daniels, William Webb, John Booth, William Morris, Isaac
Pace, George Beane, Thomas Bette, John K. Garrison, John Christopher, William
B. Jaques, & Robert Thomas who being elected found well & truly to try the issue
thereon

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Searched upon their oaths do say that the def^t did affirm upon his oath in manner &
form as the pl^t against him hath complained, Viz to pay the pl^t damages by occasion
of the non-performance of the said affirmation to fifty seven pounds twelve shillings

1st day of September 1790, Before Saml George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the
said District.

Be it remembered was sent here from the General Court, according to the
Act of General Assembly in such case made & provided, a certain defendant in the
said General Court, Between William Brooke ^{action} & Lodge deft. together with the
proceedings wherein suit was as follows, to wit, At a General
Court, held at the Courthouse, in the City of Richmond, on the day of 17, came
the said William Brooke by W. Dulal his Attorney brought into the said Court
his certain bill against the said Molly Lodge in custody &c of a plea of Trespass
on the case, which bill follows in these words, to wit, Esq County, to wit, William
Brooke complains of Mary Lodge in custody &c for that whereas the said deft. on
the first day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred eighty
five at the parish of ^{in the County of} for value to her the said deft. in
hand paid her the said deft. in consideration thereof then & there affirmed upon
herself & to the said deft. then & there faithfully promised to pay & deliver to the said
her the full quantity of three thousand seven hundred & forty four pounds of
Crop Tobacco whenever she the said deft. should be therunto required
she left the said deft. in no wise regarding her promise & assumption made in
on aimer & form as^d hath not paid nor delivered to the said her the said quantity
of three thousand seven hundred & forty four pounds of Crop Tobacco nor any
part thereof but the same to him to pay hath hitherto refused & still doth
refuse to the damage of the said deft. two hundred pounds therefore be it enacted
W. Dulal Jr. qd.

Dated 4th 1787. C. D. v. Deft. & John Rose his scy. conq^d

Feb^r 28th — non ap^d

Apr^r — — — cont^d

Oct^r — — — cont^d

Apr^r 1788. — — — cont^d

Dec^r 1788. — — — cont^d

Sept^r 1789. — — — cont^d for pl^t

Apr^r 1790. — — — cont^d

At a district Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland
Same as ter & Northumberland at Northumberland Courthouse, On Friday
the 3rd day of September 1790, This day came the deft. by her Attorney, Wm. M.
Gailing farther to prosecute his suit, on the motion of the deft. it is considered by

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Court, that he be consulted & that the deft. go thereof without any & that the deft. recover against him five shillings damage by reason whereof & her costs by her about her defence in this behalf expended, & the pl. in mercy. —

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the District composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Friday the 3^d day of September 1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District —

Be it remembered was sent here from the General Court, according to the Act of General Assembly in such case made & provided, a certain action depending in the said General Court, Between William Allen exec^r of William Lightfoot dec^d pl. & Daniel McCarty exec^r of Presly Thornton dec^d deft. together with the papers therin. The proceedings in which said cause as follows, to wit, At a General Court held at the Courthouse, in the City of Richmond, on the day of 17, came the said William Allen exec^r of William Lightfoot dec^d by Nelson his attorney brought into the said Court, his certain bill against the said Daniel McCarty exec^r of Presly Thornton dec^d in custody &c. of a plea of debt, which bill follows in these words, to wit, to wit, William Allen exec^r of the last will Testament of Wm. Lightfoot dec^d complains of Daniel McCarty exec^r of the last will Testament of Presly Thornton dec^d in custody &c. of a plea that he render unto the pl. seven hundred & twenty five pounds, fourteen shillings Sterling, which the deft. from the pl. unjustly detains, for that, whereas the Presly Thornton, in his lifetime Court, on twenty fifth day of May one thousand seven hundred & fifty seven at the parish of in the af^d by his and writing obligatory seal with the seal of the said Presly Thornton to the court, were now shewn, the date whereof is the same day year af^d did acknowledge himself to be held & firmly bound unto the said William Lightfoot, in the just sum of seven hundred & twenty five pounds fourteen shillings Sterling to be paid to the said William Lightfoot whenever the said Presly Thornton should be thereunto required. Nevertheless the said Presly Thornton in his lifetime altho' often required the said sum of money to the said William Lightfoot in his lifetime, hath not paid; & the said Presly Thornton unto the af^d William Allen pl. since the death of the said William Lightfoot, hath not paid, but altho' often required hath hitherto refused to pay to the said William Allen the said sum of money. & the said Daniel McCarty the same to the hir. since the death of the said Presly Thornton likewise hitherto hath refused

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to the said William Lightfoot, in his lyfetime, hath not paid, & the said Presly
Thornton unto the af^d William Allen Jr. since the death of the said William
Lightfoot, hath not paid, but altho' often required hath libert^t refused to pay to the
said William Allen the said sum of money, & the said Daniel McCarty the same to
the p^l. since the death of the said Presly Thornton likewise libert^t hath refused
altho' thereto often required, & still doth refuse to pay to the amage of the p^l.
summes & therefore he brings suit. Geo: Doe R. Roe. pledges for prosecuting

Nelson h. of

Augst 30th 1785. paymⁿ
act^r _____ cont?
apr. 1786. cont?
act^r _____ cont?
apr. 1787. cont?
act^r _____ cont?

Apr. 1788.	cont?
act ^r _____	cont?
Sept. 1789.	leave to amend plea plaint to rules.
September 1789.	no longer than tht ^e of Sept ^r 1789
act ^r _____	right before
Apr. 1790.	cont?

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At a District Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster &
Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, On Friday the 3rd day of September
1790. This day came the deft. by his attorney, & the p^l. failing further to prosecute
his suit, on the motion of the deft. it is considered by the Court, that he be nonsuited
& that the deft. go thereof without day & that the deft. recover against him five shillings
by occasion thereof, & his costs by him about his defence in this behalf expended, &
leaved of the goods & chattels of the said William Lightfoot dec^d in the hands of his
said exec^r if so much whereof he hath to be administered, but if not, then the costs to
be levied of his own proper goods & chattels & the p^l. in mercy. W^m

P^l eas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of
the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday
the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly
nominated to the said District

under the denomination of Sterling money which to him the said John of York to
owes & from him unjustly detains. For that whereas the said John now of the
County of West^P on the 23rd day of March 1772 by his certain writing obligatory
sealed with his seal acknowledged himself to be held & firmly bound to the
said John Henr^y now of the County of York in the said sum of £ 200 Sterling money
to be paid him when he the said John of West^P should be demanded afterwards
requested - yet the said John of West^P (altho' often requested) has not yet paid
the said sum of £ 200 Sterling to him the said John of York, but to pay the
same hath hitherto wholly refus'd & still does refuse to the damage of him
the said John of York £ 100. Wherefore he brings suit & he brings here
into Court the said writing obligatory which testifieth the said debt in form
of the date whereof is the same day & year affd Inv^d Dec^r 8th Rec^d P^oe^r Pledges to
pros. In the mean time pro. Rec^d: — And the writing obligatory in the
declaration mentioned follows in these words to wit, I now all men by these
presente that I John Simpson of Virginia, son of the late Joseph Simpson of
Virginia Clerk am held & firmly bound to John Simpson of Wholdake in the
County of York Clerk on the sum of two hundred pounds of good & lawfull
money of great Britain to be paid to the said John Simpson or his certain
attorneys or executors for which payment, well & faithfully made I bind my
sons executors jointly by these presents sealed with my seal dated this twenty fifth
day of March in the twelfth year of the reign of our sovereign Lord George the Third by the
grace of God of great Britain France & Ireland King defender of the faith &c & in the year
of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & twenty two — The condition of this obligation is
such that of the above bounden John Simpson his heirs executors or attorneys shall & do well
& truly pay or cause to be paid unto the above named John Simpson of wholdake his
executors or attorneys the full sum of one hundred pounds of good & lawfull money
of great Britain with interest at the rate of four pounds by the hundred on the
twenty fifth day of March one thousand seven hundred & twenty three without fraud
or further delay then than this obligation to be void of none effect or else to remain
in full force & vertice

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Sealed & delivered (being first duly stamp'd) in the presence of John Simpson. S^{eal}
Sealed & delivered (being first duly stamp'd) in the presence of John Simpson.

by the Court, that the Pet. recover against the deft. one sum of two hundred
of good & lawful money of Great Britain the debt in the declaration mentioned plus
costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, & the deft. in mercy the Pet.
this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of one hundred pounds of like
money with interest thereon at the rate of four pounds per cent per hundred to be
computed from the 25th day of March 1773. till paid the Pet.

Plas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the
Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday
the 3rd day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted
to the said District —

Be it remembered that at the same Court, Anna Howard Logan &c^s p^ls. &
Robert Conway surviving exec^r of Wm^r Kenner dec^d deft. & the p^ls. by Alex^r
Campbell his attorney brought into the said Court, a certain bill against the
said deft. in custody & for a p^l of trespass on the case: which bill follows in these
words, to wit, North^c County S^t Anna Howard Logan &c^s complain of Rob^r Conway
surviving exec^r of Wm^r Kenner dec^d for this, to wit, That whereas the deft. testator
on the day of 1785, at the County a^f was indebted to the p^l. the sum of £ 500⁰⁰
for divers goods Wares & merchandise before that time sold & delivered, to the said
Wm^r Kenner on the special instance & request of the s^r Wm^r Kenner being so indebted the s^r
Wm^r Kenner afterwards the same day year at the County a^f assumed upon himself
to the p^l. promised that he would well & truly pay the same to the p^l. when he
^{should}

Should be thenceunto required. & if the said p^ls. say that the said deft. Wm^r Kenner in his
lifetime altho' often req^d did not pay the same to the p^l. altho' more than he,^{was to}
Robert Conway since p^r the same at any time; but to pay it both the s^r
testator Wm^r Kenner in his life time refused & the s^r deft. still doth refuse to the
damage of the p^ls. one hundred pounds & therefore they bring suit vs.
P. D. Campbell — and the account on which this suit was founded

		" 1 comb 1/3. 13 yds wrapper 1/3. 14 1/2 yds ditto 9°.	1.	9. 7 1/2
26.		" 1 comb 7 1/2 1" brown th? 5f. 1 quart mug 5f.		10. 7 1/2
		" 1 1/2 ya check linen 2/6. 1/4 " wafers 15f.		7. 6.
28.		" 3 gallons rum 5f. 8 1/2 Gallons ditto 6f.	3.	6. /
		2 1/2 yds wrapper @ 9°.		17. 3.
Aug.	7.	To a fine hatt 36f. 4 yds black denim 7f.	3.	4. /
		" 1 stick twist 11. 2 hanks silk 11. 1 hank a°. 11.		4.
		" 2 3/4 yds linen 2/3. 1 oz th? 9°. 1 slip green th. 11.		7. 11
		" 1 doz small buttons 3f. 2 doz large a° 6f. 1 quire paper 2f.		17. /
		" 2 oz horn molds 2? 1 skeleton wire 9° 2 cap wires 6?		2. 1
		" a black silk handkf 7/6. 1 yd Buckram 2/6. 1 hank silk 11.		11. /
		" 1 pair Brushes 2f. 10z th? 9°.		2. 9.
16.		To one doz Buttons to least economy	21.	3.
Sept.	10.	To one pocket handkf 5f. 2 ditto 5/6. ea	16.	—
Oct.	24.	To one paper pins	1.	3.
Nov.	1.	To one Ed. hyson Tea 2 1/2 lb 83." a hatt 10f.	1.	14. /
	22.	To 1 hair Boys Mitts 1/6. 1 pint Tumbler 1/3.		2. 9.
	26.	To 6 doz shirt Buttons 7 1/2? 1 pair Blankets 33f.	1.	16. 9.
		" 1 pair stays 36f. 1 quire paper 2f. 3 1/2. gallons rum 6f.	2.	14. /
1784.		" 1 Barrell flour 4t. 2 1/2 lb @ 18f.	1.	10. 6.
Folly	18.	To one scurf tooth powder		1. 3.
Mar.	20.	To 2 doz needles 7 1/2? 1 paper pins 1/3.		2. 6.
		" 1 1/2 ya D. ribbon 2/6. 2 yds narrow ditto 3 1/2?		4. 4 1/2
		" 1 comb 11. a penknife 1/9.		2. 9.
	24.	To 1 glass tumbler 1/3. 2 small ditto 7 1/2?		2. 6.
		" 1 1/2 doz needles 11. 2 knives 7 1/2? 6 shirts 6f.	1.	10. 3.
Apr.	29.	To 1 sett knitting needles 4? a penknife 7 1/2?		11 1/2.
May.	13.	To a Lanthorn 3/6. 5 sett knitting pins 1? 2 doz needles 1?	6.	5.
		" 2 quart decanter 5f. 1 Loony comb 1/3. 1/2 doz pipes 1?	6.	7.
		" 2 pint cut Very? tumblers 9f. 2 pair mens gloves 2/6.	1.	3. /
		" 3 yds trimming 6? 1 gauge handkf 4f.		5. 6.
		" 1 pair long? tumbler 6f. 2 wine glasses ditto 1/6.		9. /
		" 2 yds trimming 3? 2 yds ribbon 11.		2. 6.
14.		To 1 pair Scissors 1/3. 1 pt. three Buttons 6? a paper pins 1/3.		3. /

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June 17. To 2 ya check linen 1/9. 1 pair th? stockings 2/6.
 " 1 ya ribbon 7 1/2? 2 doz needles 7 1/2?

5. 2.

1. 14 1/2

Nov.	9.	To 2 pairs even 1/4" leather runs 1/2 oz on 1/2	4. 9.
	"	1 pair Black Buckles 1/6. 1 pt. knee 8d 1/6 4/4. 4ds green 2/9	14. 8/4
11.	To 3 yds Black ribbon 2f. 3 doz horn Buttons 6d a knife 1/3	8. 9.	
	To 4 yds blue flannel	2/8	
Dec.	3.	To 1 pair Calico Shoes 1/6. 9 yds lace ribbon 2f	1. 5. 6.
	" 1 ya Cambric 1/1. 1 ya black gauze 4/6	15. 6.	
1785 Jan'y	8.	To 1 pt. Cotton 20 yds 2f. 20 yds flannel 2/6	4. 10. ~
	10.	To 1 narrow lace 5f.	5. ~
Feb'y	14.	To 1 yd black Sutestring 12d. 8 yds Calico 2/9	1. 14. ~
	" 8 yds black trimming 6d. 2 papers pins 1/3	6. 6.	
	" 4 1/2 yds Oz wgs 11.	2. 2. ~	
Mar.	2.	To 1 quire paper 2f. 1 yd black ribbon 1/6	3. 6.
	" 2 hair Combs 1f. 1 Stock Buckle 2f	4. ~	
	31.	To 5 hoes 4f. 1 doz 1/6. 2 8d 5f. 2 8d 2/3	2. 1. ~
	" 1 Carpenter's ax 7f. 1 ditto 8f.	10. ~	
	" 15 yds Oz wgs 1/2 1 Auger 2/6. 1 Chizzell 1f.	1. 1. ~	
Ap'r.	12.	To Cash paid to J. M. Ball Cof.	14. 4. ~
July.	25.	To ditto . . . ditto	24. 3. ~
1786. Ap'r.	27.	To 1 pair Calico shoes of 1 yd black gauze 4f	13. ~
	" 1 yd white gauze 2/6. 3/4 yd Calicot 2f. 1/6	4. ~	
	" 3 yds ribbon 9d 6 1/2 yds ditto 7 1/2 yd. 1 Skeleton were 7 1/2	6. 14/4	
	" 3 1/2 yds marseilles quilting 10f.	1. 15. ~	
	To 1 pair best gloves 3/6. 1 lawn handk 5f. 1 ditto 6f.	14. 6.	
	" 4 yds lawn 3/9. 1 quire writing paper 2f. 1 quire ditto 1/6	10. 6.	
	" 10z white 1/2 11. 1 pair stormp leathers 4f.	8. ~	
	" 2 able girdles 2f. 2 swesingles 3/9. 1 paper pins 1/3	12. 9.	
	" 1 paper pins 1f. 1/2 doz pipes 4d. 1 snuff box 2/6	3. 10.	
	" 1 snuff Box 3/6. 1 spelling Book 1f. 1 knife 1/3	5. 9.	
May.	20.	To 2 bushels salt	14. 8. ~
	* To Balance due as J. M. Comba	2 95 5. 1/2	
	Cet.	50. 16. 7/2.	
1785.	Ap'r.	9. th By one th. Tob. on Wkd. Nett 1072 ¹⁰ @ 30f.	16. 1. 6.
July.	24. th By two Wkd. ditto	2025 ¹⁰ 28.	
	By Balance due	50. 16. 7/2.	
	£ 2 95 5. 1/2	£ 2 95 5. 1/2	

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April	17 89	rule for app't.
May	—	rule for dict'n.
June	—	cont'd for dict'n.
July	—	non suit.

Sept.	17 89	non suit at ass't.
Sept.	—	Anton. Sampson
Oct.	—	non ap't by testator
Apr.	1790	con'g. G. J. S.

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At a District Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse on Saturday the 4th day of September 1790. This day came the parties by their attorneys & the c^r with draws his former plea, & acknowledges that the plts. have sustained damages by occasion of the nonperformance of the assumption in the declaration mentioned to fifty pounds sixteen shillings & seven pence half penny. Therefore with the assent of the plts. it is considered by the Court, that the plts. recover against the said deft. his damages of in form of acknowledged, & their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended, to be levied of the goods & chattels of the said testator, in the hands of the deft. to be administered, if so much thereof he hath, but if not, then the costs to be levied of his own goods & chattels. & the said deft. in mercy &c.

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland, for the district composed of the counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland On Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly elected of the said District.

Be it remembered was sent here from the General Court, according to the Act of General Assembly, in such case made & provided a certain action depending in the said General Court, Between William Nelson pl't. & Spencer Carter deft. together with the persons therein, the proceedings in which suit are as follows, to wit. At a General Court, held at the Courthouse, in the City of Richmond, on the day of 17, came the said William Nelson by J. Marshall his attorney & brought into the said Court, his certain bill against the said Spencer Carter in custody &c. of a pleas of trespass on the case; which bill follows in these words, to wit, William Nelson complains of Spencer Carter in custody &c. for that, to wit, that whereas he the said Wm. Nelson is a true & faithfull subject of this Commonwealth & such from the time of his nativity hitherto hath demeaned himself until the time of the speaking of the false & scandalous words first whereafter mentioned to have been spoken by the said Spencer was reputed a person of good fame & as a faithful honest subject of this Commonwealth hath hitherto kept himself free from all dishonest

of this part on the case; which bill follows in these words, to wit, West, County, to wit, William Nelson complains of Spencer Carter in custody &c for that, to wit, that whereas he the said Wm Nelson is a true & faithfull subject of this commonwealth, & as such from the time of his nativity hitherto hath demeaned himselfe until the time of the speaking of the false & scandalous words first hereafter mentioned to have been spoken by the said Spencer was reputed a person of good faine & as a faithful & honest subject of this commonwealth hath hitherto kept himselfe free from all dishonest practices, Whay reason of his said good faine the said William Nelson had obtainede the love of all his neighbours & other faithful citizens of this commonwealth, & whereas the said William Nelson now holds & for divers years now last past has held the office of inspactor of Warehouses in the County of West, & therby Whay reason of his good name & reputation herein hath during the time of his said office endeavored to get his livelyhood in support of himself & family, reasonably

The said Spencer Carter well knowing the premises, but contriving Unlawfully intending to deprive him the said William of his good name of to bring him into scandal as well among all grave persons as other honest citizens of this commonwealth especially among his friends & to hinder him in the exercise of his office to cause the s^d Wm Nelson to be punished according to the laws & statutes of this commonwealth in such cases made & provided, did on the day of in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred Eighty two at in the said County in a certain discourse which the said Spencer then & there had with divers subjects of this commonwealth concerning the said Wm falsely Unlawfully & slanderously in the presence hearing of these subjects speak bitter of concerning the said Wm certain false scandalous Unlawful words, to wit, that he (the said afft. meaning) knew that he (the said p^{ll}. meaning) knew that he (the said afft. meaning) knew enough to break him (the said afft. meaning) of the inspactors place that one Clark a man who followed the water business was disputing with him (the said p^{ll}. meaning) about a hogshead of Tobacco, that he (the said Clark meaning while he (the said p^{ll}. meaning) was writing marked a hogshead of Tobacco & claimed it as his own, that he (the said p^{ll}. meaning) said that he (the said Clark meaning) should not take it while he (the said p^{ll}. meaning) was there, that after he (the p^{ll}. meaning) went away,

the said hogshead of Tobacco after he (the p^t. pl^t. again meaning was gone, by reason
of which speaking the said false scandalous & defamatory words the said pl^t. is
very much prejudiced thatt damage pounds & thereof he bringeth suit.

G Marshall P.D.

July. 1783. Let v d^r of Lewis Smith under C^t of West^d County Court

Oct ^r .	court ²	Oct ^r .	1786 .	court ²
Apr ^r . 1784 .	court ²	Apr ^r .	1787 .	court ²
Oct ^r .	court ²	Oct ^r .	— .	court ²
Apr ^r . 1785 .	court ²	Apr ^r .	1788 .	court ²
Oct ^r .	court ²	Oct ^r .	— .	court ²
Apr ^r . 1786 .	court ²	Sept ^r .	1789 .	court ²
		Apr ^r .	1790 .	court ² for pl ^t .

In a District Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster
& Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Saturday the 4th day of
September 1790. This day came the parties by their attorneys. On the motion of the p^t.
it is ordered that this suit be dismissed & thereupon on the motion of the def^t. it is
considered by the Court, that he recover against the pl^t. his costs by him about his
service in this behalf expended, & the pl^t. in money V.
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P^t eas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the
Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday
the 1st day of September 1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly
allotted to the said District —

Be it remembered at the same Court, came George Estridge att^t. & Joseph
Schofield

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Schofield & Thomas Thornley afores^t and the^t George Estridge by Washington his
attorney brought into the said Court, his certain bill against the said Joseph
Schofield & Thomas Thornley in custody $\frac{1}{2}$ of a plea of debt, which bill follows
in these words, to wit, North^d Geo^t Estridge complains of Joseph Schofield
in custody $\frac{1}{2}$ of a plea that he render to him two hundred weighty pounds in gold
or Silver which to him he owes & from him unjustly detains for this to wit, that
whereas the said Joseph on the twenty third of May in the year of our Lord one thousand

forty pounds to be paid to the said Geo: on or before the first day of December then
next ensuing the date of the said obligation & the said payment well & truly to be
made to the s^r Geo: the s^r Joseph by the s^r bill formerly bound himself his heirs
etors. Advers in the said two hundred Eighty pounds the said George in fact sayth
that the s^r Joseph are not at any time on or before the said first day of December pay
to the said Geo: the said one hundred Forty pounds which upon that day he ought to
have paid him according to the form thereof of the s^r bill whereby an action accrued
to the s^r Geo: to demand the same of the said Joseph. The s^r two hundred Eighty pounds
yet the said Joseph tho' of ten required by the s^r Geo: to pay him the aforesaid two hundred
Eighty pounds hath hitherto altogether refused & doth yet refuse to pay the same
to the damage of the s^r Geo: eighty pounds & therefore he brings suit the John
Doe Richard Roe - No: pros - Washington pros. Jan: _____. And the Bill
obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in the Words to wit, We Joseph
Schofield & Thomas Thornely of the County of Northumberland & Parish of S^r Stevens
do promise & obligate ourselves we & each of us our heirs etors. Advers. To signs to
pay or cause to be paid unto George Estridge of the County of Frederick his heirs
etors. Advers. To signs the full & just sum of one hundred Forty pounds in
Gold or Silver by weight agreeable to an Act of Assembly now in force in
Virginia, to be paid on or before the first day of December next ensuing the date
hereof for value rec^d of him to the which payment well & truly to be made &
done we bind ourselves we & each of ourselves our heirs & signs in the penal sum
of two hundred Eighty pounds of like money & if not punctually discharged to
bear Interest from the date hereof. In witness whereof we have hereunto set
our hands Seals this 23^d of May 1787.

Sold, & delivered in presence of }
W^r Dudley, Wm^r Broe, John Lewis }

Joseph Schofield *[Signature]*
Thomas Thornely *[Signature]*

8th day of April 1788 rec^d in part of the within bond twenty three pounds ten
shillings & a penny $\frac{3}{4}$ the value in certificates - £ 23. 10. 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ - Geo: Estridge
In April 1788 rec^d of Mr: George Ware in part of the within ten pounds for M^r
Schofield & Thornley - £ 10. 0. 0. - Geo: Estridge - In April 1788 rec^d
of Wm: Delaughton in part of the within for Schofield & Thornley two pounds ten
shillings - £ 2. 10. 0. - Geo: Estridge - 26. March 1789 rec^d by the

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Hand of Thomas Estridge the sum of nine pounds four shillings & five pence half
penny in part of the within £ 9. 4m. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$. — Geo. Estridge.

I promise to oblige myself my heirs &c to pay unto William Turner his heirs or assigns on
Demand the sum of two pounds six shillings & being a balance due on a settlement between
1^o parties this the twenty seventh of January 1786 as witness my hand & seal
Test. John Lewis — £ 2. 6. 0. George Estridge.

1786 January 27. I assign all my right & title of the within note of hand to J. Huandale
& heirs &c — William Turner.

1786 January I assign all my right & title of the within note of hand to Joseph
Schofield for value recd. — Joseph Hudorall.

Jereunah Pierst —

Gent. Be so obliging as to pay the bearer Mr. Geo. Wroe ten pounds current money
& this shall be a receipt for that much &c out of the bond I have against you & in so
doing you will greatly oblige y^r d^r s^r — Geo. Estridge 28th March 1788.
Mss^r Schofield & Thornley £ 10. 0. 0. Accepted by me Joseph Schofield

Gent. Be so obliging as to pay Mr. William Claughton fifty shillings & this shall be a
receipt for so much &c out of the bond I have ag^r y^r — Geo. Estridge 9th Apr^r 1788.

Mss^r Schofield & Thornley Teste Thos. Harvey

30. March 1789. Then received of Mr. Joseph Schofield on account of Capt. George
Estridge nine hundred & fifty eight pounds of credit tot^l to be applied to the ac^t
of two Executions obtained by Thoms Standley & John R. Harrison ag^r to Estridge
I say received by me — Thomas Harvey of

30th March 1789. received of Mr. Jos. Schofield forty shillings on ac^t of Capt. Geo.
Estridge which sum he promised to credit Mr. Schofields bond to him — Thos. Harvey.
Capt. Geo. Estridge to Jos. Schofield

1784 Apr^r 20th To ball. due in a th^d of 700⁰ you sold in Baltimore on my acc^t

1785 Sept^r 29 To ft^r mens shoes

Oct^r 27 To 6^{oz} coffee @ 1/10 to 2 oz^r needles @ 7/2^d ft.

" To 1000-6^d nails @ 10/6. to papers pins 1/.

" To 2 1/4 yds white rattanet @ 4/6

" To 10 1/2 yds Irish linen @ 2/4

" To 2 yds. do. do. do. @ 4/8

" To 1 yds. Cambric @ 3/1

" To 5 yds Shallow @ 3/1

" To two yds Thread 2/1 to 2 yds lace 1/3

" To 1 bottle mustard 2/1 to 1 Navicomb 15^d

" To 2 handkerchiefs @ 1/3

" To 3 ft^r Best mens shoes @ 12/

" To 1 ft^r silk 1/

" To 6^{oz} sugar @ 9/

" To each p^r Mrs. Dale w^r g^r order 1/

To 5 yds binding @ 2/- to 1 slip Star? @ 1/-
To 6th Augst of Inst. Dudley @ 9/-

-	11.	-
-	14.	6.
£	14.	13. 13 $\frac{1}{4}$

Amount carried over

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"	To amount Brout force	(2)
"	To 6 th Aug st of your order	@ 9/-
1706 Mar: 18.	To 1 Calf Skinn of your do.	
Apr. 28.	To 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ yds. 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ black lasting	@ 7/-
"	To 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ yds Brown Holland	@ 3/-
"	To silk, twist, thread & button	
"	To 2 yrs quality binding	(2) 3/-

£	S.	d.
14	13	13 $\frac{1}{4}$
-	4	6.
-	12	-
-	19	8 $\frac{3}{4}$
-	4	6.
-	4	-
-	6.	-
£	16.	19. 13 $\frac{1}{4}$

Northumberland Soc. Joseph Schofield this 11th day of September 1790, made oath
that this account amounting to £ 16. 19. 13 $\frac{1}{4}$ is justly due him from George
Estridge & that he has not directly or indirectly received any part of the same.

John Gordon

Mr. George Estridge to Joseph Scoffold

Dr

24 th Jan ^y : 1706.	To ball ^c due on an open ac ^t . as proven to us by the oaths	£ 16. 19. 13 $\frac{1}{4}$
of W ^m Wroo ^r		
	To Estridge bill to Hennar paybl ^t 27 th Jan ^y . 1706	2. 6. -
30 th Mar: 1709.	To cash Tsd ^s . 958 @ 20/- p. C. p. ^t Thomas Harvey	9. 11. 8.
	To Cash p. ^t	2. 0. 0.
		£ 30. 16. 9 $\frac{3}{4}$.

Northth County Soc. Pursuant to an order of yesterday of the honbl^t the Judges of^t
District Court, held at Northth C. house, appointing us of subscribers as Auditors
to adjust & settle certain unliquidated acc^t between George Estridge & Joseph
Scoffold deft. we find y^t above sum of Thirty pounds 16/19 $\frac{3}{4}$ w^t the interest from
their respective dates, agreeable to the Vouchers hereto annexed, to be applied as
we think as a credit to the Judg^t already obtained, by y^t s^t Estridge & y^t s^t
Scoffold deft. — Given under our hands this 11th day of September 1790 —

John Gordon

John Murphy

Thomas Edwards

April rule 1709. rule for app^r to Schofield & ad. Capt. of Thornley

May ——— rec'd or serv'd
June ——— Let. cony^d vs. D^c

8 day for recy. 4th June

At a district Court, held for the District of Richmond, Westmoreland,
Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, On Saturday the
4th day of September 1790. This day came the parties by their attorneys, & thereupon
came a Jury, to wit Vincent Jackson, Jonathan Payne, Luke Headley, John
Christopher, Isaac Rice, John Booth, Edward Wall, John Jones, Stephen Self, Wm.
Olkham, Joseph Saunders & William Webb, who being sworn well & truly
to try the issue joined, upon their oath do say that the deft. Joseph Schofield hath not
paid unto the plt. the debt in the declaration mentioned as the deft. John Roberts ^{in his} ~~in his~~
hath alleged, & affeys the damages of the plt. by occasion thereof to one family. Therefore
it is considered by the Court, that the plt. recover against the s^d deft. The sum of two
hundred eighty pounds in Gold or Silver the debt in the declaration mentioned
together with his damages aff^d in form aff^d affeys this costs by him about his
suit in this behalf expended. & the deft. in money ^{the} But this Judg^t is to be discharge
by the payment of one hundred forty pounds eight shillings & eleven pence with
legal interest thereon to be computed from the 26th day of March 1789 ^{the} ~~day~~

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payment of the damages & costs — And at the same Court, held for the District aforesaid
on Saturday the 11th day of September 1790. The plt. by his attorney here in Court, releases unto
the deft. Thirty pounds sixteen shillings nine pence three farthings being part of the
Judgment obtained by the plt. against the deft. on the fourth day of this term —

Please at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the County
of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday the 1st day of
September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered was sent here from the General Court, according to the act of General
Assembly, in such case made & provided, a certain action depending in the s^d General Court,
Between Edmund Pendleton & Peter Lyons surviving Adm'rs. of John Robinson esq: dec^d
affinee of John Dalgleish, Adm'r. of Robert & Alexander Dalgleish dec^d plts. & Pet. & See
def^t together with the papers therein, the proceedings in which suit are as follows, to wit At
a General Court, held at the courthouse, in the City of Richmond, on the day of 17. came
the said plts. by Taylor their attorney brought into the said Court their certain bill against

whereof the said deft. is convicted &c as by the record & proceedings hereof in the same court before
the justices thereof may appear. And the s^t plts. in fact say, that they have rec^d no paym^t
as^t by which an action hath accrued to them to require payment from the s^t deft. the s^t sum
hundred fifty pounds, to be discharged by one hundred twenty five pounds with
interest from the twenty seventh day of November one thousand seven hundred forty
eight till paid, one hundred sixty four pounds of tobacco & sixteen shillings & three pence
for the s^t deft. This often required, hath not rendered to the s^t plts. the s^t three hundred fifty
pounds to be discharged by one hundred twenty five pounds with interest from the twenty
seventh day of November one thousand seven hundred forty eight till paid, one hundred
sixty four pounds of tobacco & sixteen shillings & three pence, but hitherto altogether
hath refused. & still doth refuse to pay the same or any part thereof to the s^t plts. to their
damage ten pounds. Whereof they bring suit &c Taylor, p. q. — And the Court-

ment on which this suit was founded follows in these words, to wit at a Court
held for York County the 15th day of June 1772, Edmund Pendleton & Peter Lynn serving
as admiss. &c of John Robinson esq: dec^d aff^d of John Dalgleish adm^r of Rob^t: Valer-
ander Dalgleish admiss. plts. ag^t Richard Lee deft. In deft. Judgment for the sum to be discharged
by £175 with int. from the 27th day of November 1768 till paid the costs
with 164 lbs. Tobacco and 16/3 —

This. Esq^r.

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November 1700. com ^d as deft. & 100 ^t Sanford debt ^d 140 ^t of West ^d		
July rule 1709	court ^d	Feb ^d 1700
Aug ^d —	court ^d for appeal ^d	Mar. —
Sept ^d —	rule for filed ^d	Apr ^d —
Dec ^d 1709	court ^d for filed ^d	Apr ^d —
		Ind ^d for new cause ^d
		Ind ^d for want of plea ^d
		Ind ^d established ^d
		Ind ^d sealed ^d

At a District court, held for the district of Richmond, Was holden at Lancaster &
Northumberland at Northumberland leavethouse, on Saturday the 4th day of
September 1790. This day came the parties by their attorneys. Whereupon came
Jury, to wit, William Lewis, William Coughton, George Beane, Moses Dawson,
Thomas Davis, Isaac Mote, Ewell Alexander, Thomas Mallory, William Briscoe,
Daniel Brown, George Hunt, & William Walker, who being elected tried & were
truly to try the issue joined, upon their oath so say that the deft. Rich^t. Lee hath not
had unto the plts. the debt in the declaration mentioned, in manner & form as he def.
Not^t. Sanford in pleading hath alledged. Therefore it is considered by the court, that the
plts. recover against the deft. the sum of three hundred fifty pounds, one hundred
sixty four pounds of tobacco & sixteen shillings & three pence the debt in the declaration
in as much as there abat^t been and in their behalf intended. The s^t deft.

of Thomas Strelly sole exec^r of Richard Niphins dec^d in custody to a few that
he render to him the sum of fifteen pounds seventeen shillings & nine pence sterling
for principal, ten shillings & six pence sterling for charges of protest, & the interest of
ten per centum per annum on the £ sum of £15. 17. 9. sterling upon a protested bill
of exchange from the date hereof which to him he owes & from him unjustly
detains for this, to wit that whereas the said Thomas Strelly sole exec^r of Richard
Niphins on the twenty fifth day of november in the year one thousand seven hundred
eighty one at the parish of in the County of being a merchant trafficking
beyond sea then & there according to the usage & custom of merchants made a bill of
exchange in writing bearing date the same day & year of 1781 bill then & there
subscribed with his own proper hand directed the said bill to Benjamin Loutie
Esq^r merchant at London which said Benjamin Loutie Esq^r then resided beyond sea,
out of the Commonwealth of Virginia & carried on the business of merchandize, by the
said

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Said bill requested the said Benjamin Loutie Esq^r at forty days sight of that his second of
exchange, the first & third of same term & date not paid, to pay to the said Charles Lee or his
order the said sum of fifteen pounds seventeen shillings & nine pence sterling for value
received, Whereas afterwards, to wit, on the twenty first day of April in the year one thousand
seven hundred eighty seven at London aforesaid the said Benjamin Loutie had sight of the said
bill & were requested to pay the same according to its tenor, the time for payment having then
hundred being elapsed since the same was first presented to the sight of the said Benjamin
Loutie Esq^r at London aforesaid two other bill of the same tenor & date with the said second bill
being then or at any time since accepted or paid, the said Benjamin Loutie then & there by
the day & year last mentioned at London aforesaid refused to pay the same whereupon the said
bill was in due form protested on account of the non payment thereof the charges of which
protest amount to ten shillings & six pence sterling aforesaid of which protest the said Thomas
Strelly afterwards, to wit, on the day of in the year at the parish & county of had notice
by virtue of which premises & of the act of Assembly in such case made & provided an
action hath accrued to the said Charles Lee to demand payment of the said Thomas Strelly
the said sum of £15. 17. 9. sterling for principal & also ten shillings & six pence sterling
for charges of protest & interest upon the said sum of £15. 17. 9. after the rate of ten per centum
per annum from the date of the said bill. Nevertheless the said Thomas Strelly the aforesaid
required to pay the said sum of £15. 17. 9. sterling, & the said charges of protest & interest
hath not yet paid the same or any part thereof to the said Charles Lee, but hath required
to still doth refuse to pay him the same to his damage forty pounds & therefore he
brings this suit & pledges of prosecution John Doe & R. Roe - Charles Lee vs. G.

2/6. W.W. 9 Mar. 1787 - 11. 1. TWO 21. MARCH 1787
at London Virginia, 25th Nov. 1786. at Forty days sight of this my second of exchange first
& third of same tenor & date not paid pay to Charles Lee or his order the sum of fifteen
pounds seventeen shillings & pence sterling money being the balance due from
you to the estate of Richard Kiphins dec^d for value received by you the same to account with
or without further advice from your humble servant Robt. Storer his sole exec^r of Richd. Kiphins
£15. 17. 0. Sterling no 2/6. W.D. 9 Mar 1787. Indorsed Charles Lee pay the contents to
Mess^{rs} Robt. Phillips &c or order Wm. Brants home B.C. — pay to Mess^{rs} Smith, Payne &c
or order, value in acct: Robt. Phillips &c. On the twenty first day of April
in the year of our lord one thousand seven hundred eighty seven at the request of Mess^{rs}
Smith, Payne & Smiths of London Bankers I William Dunbar Notary publick duly
admitted Esq^r dwelling in London exhibited the original second bill of exchange before
copied to Mess^{rs} Benjamin Comte & Company upon whom the same is drawn demand
payment of its contents (the time therein limited for payment being elapsed since the
same was presented for acceptance) One other bill of the same tenor & date with the second
bill being yet accepted or paid? Whereunto the said Benjamin Comte &c. answered that
by order & upon account of Richard Kiphins dec^d they had already paid the money for which
the said bill is drawn unto Mess^{rs} Forrest & Stobart that they would not therefore pay
the contents of the said bill whereupon the said Notary at the request of^d have protested
by these presents do solemnly protest, against the drawer & the endorsers of the said
bill

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already incurred, & to be hereafter incurred, for want of payment of the contents of the said
bill thus done up protested at London of^d in the presence of William Duff & Simon French
witnesses. In testimonium veritatis William Dunbar Not^r publ. noting non
acceptance 2/6. protest non payment &c. 1790 —

July rule 1789 cont^d

Apt^d. 1790. O. Tad^r scd w^r
pay^r ref^r Vipaw

August — L.C.
Sept. — rule L.C. conf^r & Tad^r

At a district court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster
& Northumberland at Northumberland Courthouse, on Saturday the 11th day of
September 1790, This day came the parties by their attorneys. Whereupon came also
to wit, Vincent Jackson, Gedulian & Ayme, Luke Headley, John Christopher, Isaac
Price, John Booth, Edward Wall, John Jones, William Oldham, Joseph Saunders,
William Wells & Brightton Edson, who being sworn well & truly to try
the issue joined upon their oath do say that the deft. hath not paid unto the pl. No
man whom he is pleading hath alledged.

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the District composed of the County
of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland On Wednesday the 4th day of
September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said
District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Walter Jones & John Shearman
Woodcock, execs. of William Flood dec^d plts. & Richard Lee deft. & the said plts. by
Washington their Attorney brought into the said Court, their certain bill against
the said deft. in custody $\frac{1}{2}$ of a plea of debt; which bill follows in these words, to wit,
Westmoreland S^t Walter Jones & John S. Woodcock, execs. of the last will & testament of
William Flood dec^d complain of Richard Lee gen^r in custody of the Sheriff $\frac{1}{2}$ of a plea
that he render to them six hundred pounds current money of Virginia which from
them he unjustly detains, for this, to wit, that whereas the s^r Richard on the twenty
seventh day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & seventy one
at the County of^r by his bill obligatory sealed with the seal of the s^r Richard to the
Court, now here shewm the date whereof is on the same day before acknowledged
himself to be indebted to the s^r William in his lifetime in the s^r six hundred pounds
to be paid to the s^r William when he the said Richard should be therunto afterwards
required notwithstanding the s^r Richard had often required by the s^r Wm. in his lifetime by
the s^r Walter & John since the death of the s^r Wm. both hitherto altogether refused to be
loth refuse to pay the s^r six hundred pounds to the s^r Walter & John to there demands
of fifty pounds therefore they bring suit & they being here into Court, the last
testamentary of the s^r Wm. by which it well & sufficiently appears that they are
execs. of the s^r Rich. Lee - 1st. prov^d. - Washington pro. qd.

170 And the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit,
Know all Men by these presents that we Hannah Corbin of the parish of Isle of Wight County of
Westmoreland & Richard Lee of the same parish County, exec. are held & firmly bound unto Wm.
Flood of Isle of Wight County of Westmoreland aforesaid in the full & just sum of six
hundred pounds current money of Virginia, to be paid to the said William Flood his certain
attorney, his execs. executors or assigns, to which payment well & truly to be made we bind
ourselves, jointly & severally our joint several heirs, execs. executors, jointly by these
presents sealed with our seals & dated this twenty seventh day of June Anno. one thousand
seven hundred & seventy one. The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above
bound Hannah Corbin & Richard Lee or either of them, their or either of their heirs execs. or executors do &
shall well & truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said William Flood his heirs execs. executors

the diff. the sum of six hundred pounds current money of Virginia, the debt, in the declaration mentioned, & their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. & the diff. in money &c. But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of three hundred pounds like money, with legal interest thereon to be computed from the first day of April 1773. till paid & the costs.

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the District composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saml George Tucker Esquire Judge only allotted to the said District

Be it remembered that at the same Court came Walter Jones & John Sherman Woodcock executors of William Flood dec^d p^r & Richard Lee deft. & the said p^rts. by Washington their attorney brought into the said Court their certain bill against the said deft. in custody of a p^r of debts which bill follows in these words. to wit. West. S^t. Walter Jones & John J. Woodcock executors of the last will & testament of William Flood dec^d complain of Richard Lee gent^m in custody of the Sheriff &c. of a p^r that he render to them six hundred pounds current money of Virginia which from them he unjustly detains for this Court. That whereas the s^r Richard on the twenty seventh day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seven hundred

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Hundred & twenty one at the County of^r by his bill obligatory sealed with the seal of the s^r Richard & to the Court now here shown the date whereof is on the same day Year aforesaid acknowledged himself to be indebted to the s^r Wm in his lifetime in the said six hundred pounds to be paid to the said William when he the s^r Richard should be theremore afterward required nevertheless the s^r Richard has often times required by the s^r Wm in his lifetime & by the s^r Walter & John since the death of the s^r Wm hath hitherto altogether refused to pay the s^r six hundred pounds & doth yet refuse to pay the same to the s^r Walter & John to their damage of fifty pounds & therefore they being sued by the s^r Walter & John bring here into Court the letters testamentary by which it well & sufficiently appears & Tis. Doe A. & Rose pro. p^r Washington for & quit and the bill obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words to wit Know all men by these presents that we James Corbin of the parish of Cople County of

signs, dates & names
David Boyd, Reuben Jordan

Richard Lee. *(Seal)*

1st Sept^r 1790. Recd this bond by balance of accounts & bonds due to Test^r Rich^r Lee
this day £190. 6. 6. & also the further sum of £22. 15. 9. agreeable to an ac^t. her.
= with rendered —

John Warden *(Seal)*

D^r William Flood ac^t to Richard Lee D^r

To y ^r amt. of deb ^r	£ 246. 2. —	By y ^r amt. of credits	£ 53. 11. 2
To y ^r bond dated 6 th Aug 1774	11. 1. 8.	By int.	42. 8. 0
£ 17. 1. 8. as y ^r for sept ^r		1774 By Ball ^r due on y ^r bond to	30. 4. 7 1/2
To interest on debts to this date	13. 13. —	this date	
To y ^r bond as y ^r for Aug 4 th	5. 11. 8.	By y ^r int. on 8 ^o	24. 6. —
dated 14 th Apr ^r 1774 £ 5. 11. 8.			£ 150. 99 1/2
To int ^r on dr to this date	4. 8. —	By Ball ^r due	£ 190. 6. 6. 1/2
To £ 30. cash as pt ^r recd.	£ 30. 0. 0.		£ 349. 16. 4.
To Int ^r from Feb 7. 4 th 1774	24. —	To y ^r amt. of £ 11. 19. 9. w ^r	11. 19. 9
on y ^r same		int ^r to y ^r as pt ^r Vouchers	10. 16. —
	840. 16. 16.		£ 22. 15. 9.
			190. 6. 6. 1/2
			£ 218. 2. 3 1/2

April 1789 rule for affid^r
May ——— LeBrader
June ——— LeD. court

Sept. 1790. First Reuben & Geo.
Garner sp. to. C. S. S.
set aside Gray's claims

April 1790. Court

At a district court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse on Tuesday the 7th day of September 1790. This day came the parties by their attorneys, & the deft. waves his former plea, that he cannot deny the action of the p^lts. Therefore it is considered by the court, that the p^lts. recover against the deft. the sum of six hundred pounds current money of England, the sum in the declaration mentioned, & other costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended, & the deft. in mercy. But this debt is to be discharged by the payment of one hundred Nine pounds Thirteen shillings V^s pence like money with legal interest on three hundred pounds to be computed from the first day of April 1776, to this day, & the like interest on the sum of one hundred Nine pounds Thirteen shillings V^s pence from this day till payment of the costs, and at the same court, held for the district aforesaid on Thursday the 9th day of September 1790.

1790. Before said George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.
Be it remembered that at the same Court came Walter Jones & John S. Woodcock execs.
of William Flood dec^d flls. & Richard Lee deft. and the said flls. by Washington their
Attorney brought into the said Court their certain bill against the said deft. in custody of
of aplea of debt; which bill follows in these words. to wit. Weston^s to. Walter Jones & John S.
Woodcock execs. of the last will Testament of William Flood dec^d complain of Richard Lee gen^t
in custody of the Sheriff^r of a ples^s that he render to them six hundred pounds current money
of Virginia, which from them he unjustly detains for this to wit, that whereas the s^r Richard
on the twenty seventh day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & twenty
one at the County a^r by his bill obligatory sealed with the seal of the Richd^r to the Court, now
here shewn the date whereof is on the same day byear, acknowledged himself to be indebted to
the s^r William in his lifetime in the s^r day hundred pounds to be paid to the said William when
he the said Richard should be discharged afterwards required - notwithstanding the s^r Richard
though often times required by the said Wm in his lifetime by the said Walter & John since
the death of the said William hath hitherto altogether refused to pay the the said six
hundred pounds & doth yet refuse to pay the same to the said Walter & John to their damage
of

(142) of fifty pounds Wherefore they bring suit vs^r to the said Walter & John being here into Court
the letters Testimentary, by which it well & sufficiently appears vs^r to Mr. Gov. & Rob^r of No^r
Ad^r pros. Washington for pff^r. And the bill obligatory in the declaration mentioned
follows in these words, to wit, Know all men by these presents that we Hannah
Leorbin of the parish of Cople County of Westmoreland & Richard Lee esq^r of the same
parish County, are held & firmly bound unto William Flood of Cople parish County
of West^r of gen^t in the full & just sum of six hundred pounds current money of
Virginia, to be paid to the said William Flood his certain attorney, his execs. adms. or
asigns. to which payment well & truly to be made, we bind ourselves jointly severally,
our joint several heirs execs. adms. firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals
V dated this twenty seventh day of June Dom^r one thousand seven hundred & seventy one.
The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Hannah
Leorbin & Richard Lee or either of them, their or either of their heirs execs. adms. or
asigns shall well & truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said William Flood his heirs
execs. adms. or assigns the sum of three hundred pounds current money of
Virginia on or before the first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the District composed
of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday
the 1st day of September 1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly elected
to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Walter Jones & John S. Woodcock
etors of William Flood dec^d. ptes. & Richard Lee aeft. & the said bills by Washington
their attorney brought into the said Court, their certain bill against the said aeft. in
the sum of

6th of a bill of debt, which bill follows in these words, to wit, We, the said Walter Jones
& John S. Woodcock etors of the last will & testament of William Flood dec^d complainants of Rich^d Lee
gent^r in custody of the Sheriff 6th of a bill that he render to them six hundred pounds current
money of Virgⁿ which from them be unjustly detains for this to wit that whereas the s^r Richard Lee
on the twenty seventh day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & four score
at the County of^r by his bill obligatory sealed with the seal of the s^r Richard Lee to the Court now here
shown the date whereof is on the same day & year acknowledged himself to be indebted to the s^r
William in his life time in the s^r six hundred pounds to be paid to the s^r William when he
the s^r Richard should be therunto afterwards required moreover the s^r Richard tho often
requested by the s^r William in his life time by the s^r Walter & John since the death of the s^r
William hath hitherto altogether denied to pay the s^r six hundred pounds to the said William
in his lifetime or to the s^r Walter & John since the death of the s^r William & the s^r Richard doth
yet deny to pay the same to the said Walter & John to their damage of fifty pounds Therefore
they bring suit to the s^r Walter & John bring here into Court the Letters Testimonial of
the s^r William by which it well & sufficiently appears to his Honor the said Rich^d Lee pro. ptes.
Washington pro. gte. And the bill obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in
these words, to wit, I know all Men by these presents that we Hannah Corbin of the parish of
Copple & County of Weston & Richard Lee of the same parish & County, esq^r are held & firmly
bound unto William Flood of Copple parish & County of Weston, gent^r in the full & just sum
of six hundred pounds current money of Virginia, to be paid to the said William Flood his
certain attorney his executors, administrators, or assigns, to which payment well & truly to be made we
bind ourselves jointly & severally our joint & several heirs, executors, administrators, firmly by these
presents, sealed with our seals & dated this twenty seventh day of June. Done one thousand
six hundred & nine years.

one hundred pounds current money of Virginia, the debt in the declaration mentioned
costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. & the deft. in money &c. But this judgment
is to be discharged by the payment of three hundred pounds like money, with legal interest thereon
to be computed from the first day of April 1775. till paid & the costs.

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Please at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the district composed of the
counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland on Wednesday the
1st day of September 1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the
said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Walter Jones & John S. Woodcock
cousins of William Flood dec^d. flets. & Richard Lee deft. & the said flets. by Washington
their brought into the said Court, their certain bill against the said deft. in custody
of a flet of debt; which bill follows in these words, to wit, West & St. Walter
Jones & John S. Woodcock exec^s of the last will & testament of William Flood dec^d
complain of Richard Lee just in custody of the thre^f of a flet that he render to
them one hundred & twenty pounds current money of Virginia, which from them he
justly detain for this, to wit, that whereas the said Richard on the twenty seventh day
of June in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & twenty one at the County of
by his bill obligatorily sealed with the seal of the s^r Richard to the Court, now here
shewn the date whereof is on the same day year acknowledged himself to be indebted
to the s^r William in his life time in the said one hundred & twenty pounds to be paid
to the s^r William when the s^r Rich^d should be deceased afterwards required
nevertheless the said Richard tho' often required by the s^r William in his lifetime
pay the s^r Walter & John since the death of the said William hath hitherto altogether
refused to pay the s^r one hundred & twenty pounds to the s^r Wm in his lifetime or
to the s^r Walter & John since his death & doth yet refuse to pay the same to the s^r
Walter & John to their damage of twenty pounds therefore they bring said & bring
here into Court, the letters testamentary of the s^r Wm by which it well & sufficiently
appears vs John Doe Rich^d Pro. pro. Washington pro. gl^r. And the
bill obligatorily in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit,
Know all men by these presents that we Hannah Corbin of the parish of Cople &
county of Westmoreland & Richard Lee exec^s of the same parish & County as are held &

June — . . . Ld, con't

April 1790. cont'd

At a Clerks Court, held for the District of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland
at Northumberland Courthouse, On Tuesday the 7th day of September 1790, This day came the
parties by their Attorneys, & the deft. waves his former file, & saith that he cannot answer the action
of the plts. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plts. recover against the said deft. the
sum of one hundred & twenty pounds current money of Virginia, the debt in the declaration
mentioned, & their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. & the said debt in money
&c But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of sixty pounds like money with
legal interest thereon to be computed from the first day of April 1776. till paid, & the Coster

Plead at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the
Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the
1st day of September 1790, Before Saml George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted
to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Walter Jones & John S. Woodcock
cros. of William Flood dec^d plts. & Richard Lee deft. and the plts. by Washington their
Attorney brought into the said Court, their certain bill against the said deft. in custody $\frac{1}{2}$ of
a plue of debt; which bill follows in these words, to wit, Weston & S: Walter Jones & John S.
Woodcock execs. of the last will Testament of William Flood dec^d complain of Rich: Lee ex:
in custody of the Sheriff of $\frac{1}{2}$ of a plue that he render to them sixty pounds current money
of Virginia, which from them he unjustly detains for this, to wit, that whereas the s^r Rich:
on the twenty seventh day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred
& twenty one, at the County of by his bill obligatory sealed with the seal of the s^r Richard
to the Court, now here shown the date whereof is on the same day before acknowledged
himself to be indebted to the s^r William in his lifetime in the s^r sixty pounds to be paid
to the said William when he the said Richard should be thereto afterwards required
nevertheless the said Richard tho' often requested by the said William in his life time they
the said Walter & John since the death of the said William hath hitherto altogether refused
to pay the s^r sixty pounds to the s^r William in his lifetime or to the said Walter John

and the bill obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words
Know all men by these presents that we Hannah Corbin of the parish of People County
of West Virginia and Lee Esq: of the same parish & County are here jointly bound unto
William Flood of the same parish & County as in the sum of sixty pounds current
money of Virginia to be paid to the said William Flood his certain attorney his executors
aditors or assigns to which payment well & truly to be made we bind ourselves
jointly & severally our joint several tenures & aditors jointly by these
presents sealed with our seals & dated this 27th day of June anno Domini one thousand
seven hundred Seventy one

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The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Hannah Corbin & Richard Lee or either of them their or either of their heirs, executors or aditors as shall well & truly pay
or cause to be paid unto the said William Flood his heirs, executors aditors or assigns the
sum of thirty pounds current money of Virginia, on or before the first day of April
in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred Seventy six, the above sum being
the interest on six hundred pounds then due to the said William Flood then the above
obligation to be void & hereinafter to remain in full force power & virtue.

Signed sealed & delivered in presence of }
David Boyce, Reuben Jordan }

Hannah Corbin *[Signature]*Richard Lee *[Signature]*

April 1789 rule for affidavit

Sept. 1789. Supt. Redman Esq:

May C. Order

Garner Esq. & D. J. Judge

June C. O. conf^d

set aside May 1789

April 1790 cont'd

In a district court held for the District of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster
& Northumberland, at Northumberland courthouse, on Tuesday the 7th day of
September 1790, this day came the parties by their attorneys, the deft. waives his former
plea, & saith that he cannot deny the action of the plts. Therefore it is considered by the court
that the plts. recover against the said deft. the sum of sixty pounds current money of
Virginia, the debt, in the declaration mentioned, & their costs by them about their suit in his
behalf expended. The deft. in mercy. But this judgment is to be discharged by the payment
of thirty pounds like money with legal interest thereon to be computed from the first day
of April 1776, till payment of the costs to

Jones & John S. Woodcock executors of the last will & testament of William Flood dec'd: componed
of Richard Lee gent. in custody of the Sheriff &c of a sum that he render to them thirty
pounds which from them he unjustly detains for this to work that whereas the s^r Richd.
on the twenty seventh day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred
& twenty one at the County of ^{of} his bill obligatory sealed with the seal of the s^r Richd.
to the court now here shewn the date whereof is on the same day before acknowledged
himself to be indebted to the said William in his life time in the s^r thirty pounds to
be paid to the s^r William when he the s^r Richard should be there unto afterwards
required - Nevertheless the s^r Richard has often requested by the s^r William in his life
time that the s^r Walter & John since the death of the s^r William hath hitherto altogether
refused to pay the s^r thirty pounds to the s^r William in his lifetime or to the s^r Walter
& John since the death of the said William & both yet deny to pay the same whic^s
are

Walter & John to their damage of ten pounds for this they bring with them being born
into Court, the letters testamentary of the s^r William by which it well sufficiently appears
John Doe Richd. Doe, pro. Washington pro. gate. And the Bill Obligatory
in the declaration mentioned following these words, to wit, I know all men by these presents
that we Hannah Corbin of the parish of Cople County of West Virginia of the same
parish County are both jointly bound unto William Flood of the same parish County
aforesaid in the sum of thirty pounds current money of Virginia, to be paid to the said William
Flood his certain attorney his executors administrators or assigns, to which payment well truly to be
made we bind ourselves jointly severally our just several heirs executors administrators jointly by
these presents, sealed with our seals & dated this 27th day of June anno Domini one thousand
seven hundred & twenty one. The condition of the above obligation is such that if the
above bound Hannah Corbin & Richard Lee or either of them, their or either of their heirs executors
or administrators do & shall well & truly pray or cause to be paid unto the said Willm. Flood his heirs
executors or assigns the sum fifteen pounds current money of Virginia, on or before the
first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & twenty one, the
above sum being the interest on three hundred pounds then due to the said William Flood
then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force power & virtue
Signed sealed & delivered in presence of }
David Boyce Reuben Jordan }
John S. Woodcock

Hannah Corbin *Signed*
Richard Lee *Sealed*

Plead at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the district composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

B. is remembered that at the same Court, came Moore Fauntleroy pl. & Hugh Harris deft. & the said fil. by Heath his attorney brought into the said Court, his certain bill against the said deft. in custody &c. of a plea of trespass quare Clausum fructus; which bill follows in these words, to wit, North^d County S^t. Moore's Fauntleroy &c. otherwise called the complaints of Hugh Harris in custody &c. of a plea of trespass, for that whereas the s^d deft. on the day of in the year 17th at the parish of Framham & County of Richmond, with force & arms the Close

Close & plantation of him y^r d^o fil. did break Enter, & from y^r d^o Close and plantation of him y^r d^o fil. did remove & carry away one hundred & thirty panels of railing or fencing of him y^r d^o fil. to y^r value of fifty pounds by which y^r d^o fil. lost y^r use of his s^d plantation & Close for loss y^r use of his s^d plantation & Close for one whole year - Other injuries he y^r d^o ap. did contrary to the peace of the Commonwealth & to the damage of y^r d^o fil. £500 pounds. Mrs. Doe Rich^d Doe pledges of first - Heath pro. fol.

Sept^r 1790. rule to declare.

Oct^r — dict^r. rule for pleas.

Nov^r — further rule for pleas.

Dec^r — further rule for pleas.

Jan^r 1790. Further rule for pleas.
Feb^r — further rule for pleas.
Mar^r — not guilty to 1st charge & guilty
Apr^r — Conv^r.

At a district Court held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, On Tuesday the 7th day of September 1790. This day came the parties, by their attorneys & whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Isaac Rice, Samuel Davis, Leroy Littell, Richard Greenstreet, George Bear, Daniel Morley, John C. Cooke, Thomas Hobson, Peter Rust, George Robinson, John Jones & Thomas Routh, who being elected tried & sworn well & truly to try the issue joined upon their oath do say that the deft. is guilty in manner & form as the pl. against him hath complained. & they do ass^r of the damages of the pl. by occasion thereof to one penny. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the pl. recover against the deft. his damages as in form of a speciall one penny for his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, the said deft. in mercy &c.

complaint of Danl. Morley in custody &c of a debt that he render to him the sum of £139. 2. Specie which to him he owes & from him unjustly detains &c. Whereasfrom the s^t. plt. by Alexr. Campbell his attorney say that whereas the s^t. deft. on the 6th day of Octo. 1786 at the County of by his certain writing obligatory called a bond sealed with the seal of the s^t. deft. to the Court here shown whose date is the day & year of acknowledged himself to be lawfully bound to the s^t. plt. in the full sum of £139. 2 as of to be paid to the s^t. plt. whenever demanded by the s^t. plt. the s^t. deft. should be afterwards required

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Required. Whereas the s^t. deft. afterwards to wit the day & year of at the County of by an endorsement on the back of the s^t. writing obligatory to the plt. whereby by force of the act of Assembly in that case made & provided action accrued to the plt. to have & demand of the s^t. deft. the s^t. sum of yet the s^t. plt. saith that the s^t. deft. the aforesum sum of £139. 2 he have not yet paid altho' often so required. But the same to pay have hitherto refused & still doth refuse whereby the s^t. plt. say that he are injured & have damage to current money of this Commonwealth & whereof he brought this suit & bring pledges to prosecute the same &c. Svo. Dated the 8th Decr. 1786. Pledges v.
Alexr. Campbell his attorney. — And the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words to wit. Know all men by these presents. That I Daniel Morley of the County of Northam held formerly bound unto Ivo. Howard mercer. in the just & full sum of one hundred & thirty nine pounds two shillings & pence to be paid unto the s^t. Ivo. Howard or to his certain attorney, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns to which pay were & truly to be made, bind myself my heirs, executors, administrators, formerly by these presents sealed with my seal I dated this sixth day of October anno Dom. 1786. The condition of the above obligation is such. That if the above bound Daniel Morley do & shall well & truly pay, or cause to be paid unto the said Ivo. Howard mercer, or to his certain attorney his executors, administrators, or assigns the just sum of sixty nine pounds eleven shillings of the like money on demand then the above obligation to be void, or else to remain in full force & virtue.

Daniel Morley *Seal*

Sealed & delivered in the presence of
Henry Tapscott, Charles Mure }

and the endorsement of the said writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words. To wit. — pay the within to Alexander Leckie - John Prossard. —

No^t. 1708. P. T. Caff awarded.

L.C. 1708. 8/2/86.

deft. the sum of one hundred & thirty nine pounds two shillings
mentioned this costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended vthe deft. in money &c
But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of sixty nine pounds eleven shillings
of the like money with legal interest thereon to be computed from the eighth day of October
1785, till paid, vthe Costs.

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Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the District Composed of the
Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday the
1st day of September 1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge only allowed to the
said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came James Campbell & Stephen Kingston
assignees of Joseph Thompson plts. & Robert B. Carter deft. & the said plts. by B. Wash-
ington their attorney brought into the said Court, their certain bill against the said
deft. in custody &c of a plts. of debt, which bill follows in these words, to wit, Weston². com.
Jos Campbell & Stephen Kingston ass^{ns} of Jos Thompson complain of Rob^t B. Carter being in
custody &c of a plts. that he render to them eighty two pounds nineteen shillings eight pence
half penny which he over unrightly detains from them for this to wit, that whereas the s.^r
deft. on the twenty eighth day of June 1786, at the County a^r, by his certain writing
obligatory sealed with the seal of the s.^r deft. to the Court now here shown the date whereof
is on the same day & year acknowledged himself to be bound to the s.^r Jos. in the sum
two pounds nineteen shillings & eight pence &c to be paid to the s.^r Jos. when he the s.^r deft.
should be therunto required & whereas also the s.^r Jos. afterwards, to wit, the 22^d day of
Nov^r in the year 1787, at the County a^r the s.^r writing obligatory aforesaid to the s.^r plts.
by endorsing the assignment of the s.^r Jos. of the writing obligatory of on that writing obligatory
of which s.^r assignment they the s.^r plts. afterwards, to wit, the day before last above s.^r gave
notice to the s.^r deft. by reason of which s.^r premises according to the form of the Act of
Assembly in that Case made & provided an action accrued to the s.^r plts. as aforesaid of the s.^r
Jos. to demand than of the s.^r deft. the s.^r £62. 19. 8^r. notwithstanding the s.^r deft. altho' often
required the s.^r £62. 19. 8^r. to the same Jos. or to the s.^r plts. or to either of them hath not
yet paid but the same to the s.^r Jos. or to the s.^r plts. or to any of them hath hitherto altogether
refused & will refuse to pay the same to the s.^r plts. to the damage of the s.^r plts. of £10.
Therefore they bring said s.^r Jos. Rich^r Doe - to wit: B. Washington for plts. -
And the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit,

in these words, to wit, I do hereby assign trans for & make over all my right title
Claim interest & demand of in & to the within bond unto James Campbell Stephen
Washington, their or either of their heirs executors, administrators or assigns for full value
receiv'd in acco^d Wthington Westth County 22. Nov^r 1787.

In presence of
Jos^t A. Thompson, Danl. Clegg, J^t. }
J^t. Thompson

J^t. Thompson

C. S.

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April 1789. rule for appearance.
May — Sp^t 8. Impris.
June — rule to plead
July — Court for plead.

August 1789. Order
Sept^r — C. B. & D. P. Carter v^s C. G.
Oct^r — C. O. Long v^s G. T. C.
April 1790. O. Sod, grand jury presenting
ref^d before

At a district Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland Lancaster & Northumberland
at Northumberland Courthouse, on Tuesday the 7th day of September 1790. This day came
the parties by their attorneys & the deft. Rob^t Carter withdraws his former plea, & with that
he cannot deny the action of the plts. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plts.
recover against the said deft. the sum of forty two pounds nineteen shillings & eight
pence half pence the debt in the declaration mentioned, & their Costs by them about
their suit in this behalf expended, & the deft. in mercy &c But this judgment is to be
discharged by the payment of twenty eight pounds & seven pence three farthings with
legal interest thereon to be computed from the 22^d day of November 1787, till payment
& the Costs.

Plead at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the Counties
of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of September
1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Tobias P. Murray plt. & William Self
& Moses Self deft. The said plt. by B. Washington his attorney brought into the said Court, his certain
bill against the said deft. in custody & of a plts. of debt, which bill follows in these words
to wit, Westmoreland, to wit, Tobias Purcell Murray complains of William Self & Moses Self
being in custody & of a plts. that they render to him one hundred & forty pounds which the
S^t deft. owe to the S^t plt. Justly demands from him for this Court, that whereas the S^t deft.
on the 13th day of April 1788, at the County of, by their certain writing obligatory sealed with
the seals of the S^t deft. to the Court now here known the date whereof is on the same day &
year

April one thousand seven hundred and eight William Self & Moses Self shall well & truly pay or cause
to be paid unto Tobias Purcell Murray the full just sum of twenty pounds together
with lawfull interest on or before the twenty fifth day of December 1780, for value rec'd
of the s^t. Purcell Murray then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force
power & virtue in law.

William Self *(Sealed)*
Moses Self *(Sealed)*

Witness, John Middleton 3^d

April 1789. . . . ab^t Capias

Sept^r — C. O. Dft^t & Thos. Moore

V. Thos. Yateman the deft^t.

C. O. Conf^r & Judgment

April 1790. . . . O. Judg^r set aside pay^r
for rec^r resp^r deft^t agreed.

Oct^r —

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At a distict Court, held for the distict of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northum-
berland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Tues day the 7th day of September 1790. This
day came the parties by their attorneys, & the deft^t. Thomas Moore & John Yateman over
their former plea to say that they cannot deny the action of the pl^t. Therefore it is considered
by the Court, that the pl^t. recover against the deft^t. the sum of one hundred & forty pounds
the debt in the declaration mentioned this Costs by him above his suit in this behalf
expended, & the deft^t. in mercy &c. But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment
of twenty pounds with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 26th day of
December 1780, till paid & the Costs.

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the distict composed of the Counties
of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday the 1st day of
September 1790, Before Sam'l George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said Distict.

Be it remembered that the same Court, Came Thomas Williams affigee of Griffen
Famitteroy pl^t. & Samuel Hellick & Benjamin Smith deft^t. & the said pl^t. by A. Campbell
his attorney brought into the said Court his certain bill against the said deft^t. in custody
& of a plea of debt; which bill follows in these words, to wit, Richm^r County s^t. Thomas
Williams affigee of Griffen Famitteroy complains of Samuel Hellick & Benjamin Smith
in custody & of a plea that they render to him the quantity of twenty six thousand eight
hundred & sixty eight pounds of Croft Tobacco which to him they owe & from him unjustly
detain &c. Whereupon the s^t. Thomas by Alex^r Campbell his attorney saith that whereas the
dift^t. on the 6th day of July anno Domini 1780 at the County a^r by their certain writing
of the P^r d^r of the P^r d^r to the Court, have shewn whose

etiam &c. Whereupon the s^t. Thomas by Alex^t. Campbell his attorney saith that whereas he^t.
defts. on the 5th day of July anno Domini 1783 at the County a^f by their certain writing
obligatory called a bond sealed with the seals of the s^t. defts. to the Court, here shewn whose
date is the day & year a^f acknowledged themselves to be held & firmly bound to the s^t.
Griffin Fauntroy in the full & just quantity of 26,868. pounds of Crops Tob^b to be paid to
the s^t. Griffin Fauntroy his certain attorney his heirs exec^s admo^r or assigns whenever
hereunto by the said Griffin & the s^t. defts. should be afterwards required to him as afterward
, to wit, the 17. Feb. 1789. & s^t. Griffin did assign to the s^t. Thomas the writing obligatory of the
said defts. at the County a^f by an indorsation of his name &^t upon the back thereof, of
which the s^t. defts. then & there had notice, to wit, the day & year a^f at the County a^f whereby
by force of the act of assembly in that case made & provided action accrued to the s^t. Thomas to
recover & have of the s^t. defts. the s^t. quantity of 26868. pounds of Crops Tob^b in manner of s^t.
Thomas saith that the s^t. defts. the a^f quantity of 26868. pounds of Crops Tob^b have not yet
paid altho' often so required. But the same to pay have hitherto refused to do refuse
whereby the s^t. Thomas says that he is injured & hath damage one hundred pounds current
money of this Commonwealth & therefore he hath brought this suit & bring pledges to
prosecute the same. Invo. Doc. No. 10. Now pledges &c Alex^t. Campbell pro. Quer. —

And the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit,
I know all men, by these presents, that we Samuel Wilcock & Benjamin Smith of Surry
County are held & firmly bound unto Griffin Fauntroy of the same County in the just sum
of twenty six thousand 868 of Crops Tob^b not to be more than six months in arrears above
to be paid unto the said Griffin Fauntroy his certain attorney, his heirs exec^s admo^r or
assigns, to which payment, well truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs exec^s &
admo^r firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, & dated this fifth day of July
anno Dom. one thousand seven hundred eighty six — The condition of the above
obligation is such, that if the above bound Samuel Wilcock & Benjamin Smith do
I shall well & truly pay, or cause to be paid, unto the s^t. Griffin Fauntroy his certain
attorney,

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Attorney, his exec^s admo^r or assigns, the just sum of thirtynine thousand four hundred & thirty
pounds of like Tob^b on or before the 30th day of December 1786. Then the above obligation to be
void, or else to remain in full force & virtue.

Sealed & Delivered in the presence of }
John Smith Jt^t H^t Yorky }

Samuel Wilcock Sealed
Benj^m Smith Sealed

And the indorsation of the said writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned followin these
words, to wit, Feb 17. 1789. For value rec^d I do hereby assign the within bond to Thomas
11. 00. auns of the County of Halifax - Griffin Fauntroy) —

the said deft. in custody &c of a plea of debt, County S^t. Levy by John Smith in custody &c of a plea of debt for that whereas the said deft. on the 4th day of July in the year of our Lord 1787, at the parish of in the County aforesaid made his certain note in writing called a promissory note bearing date the same day aforesaid last mentioned & then delivered the said note to the said plts. by which said note the said deft. promised to pay to the aforesaid plts. the sum of one hundred & twenty eight pounds £128 17^s on demand for value received by reason thereof of the virtue of the act of Assembly in that case made provided the said deft. became liable to pay to the aforesaid plts. the said sum of £128 17^s according to the tenor & effect of the said note being so liable the said deft. in consideration thereof afterwards to wit the same day year & place last above mentioned upon himself assumed to the said plts. then & there faithfully promised that he the said deft. would pay unto the said plts. the said sum of £128 17^s according to the tenor & effect of the said note when he should be there unto afterwards required by the said plts. but the said deft. has often requested by the said plts. to pay the said sum of £128 17^s he hath refused & still doth refuse to pay the same to the damage of the said plts. £50 wherefore they bring their suit - Inv. Doe R. Nov. pledges pros. - Heath attorney pro. plts.

And the promissory note in the declaration mentioned follows in these words to wit,

I promise to pay to Levy & Sydon their heirs or assigns the sum of one hundred ninety & eight pounds one shilling & even pence curr. money on demand for value of them recd to which payment I bind myself my heirs &c & I also agree to pay interest on the

above

(154) Above sum from the date of these presents till paid witness my hand & seal this
4th day of July 1787.

Test.

Thaddeus Williams. Z
Chichester Tapscott. D

April 1789. a/c Capt.

Sept: — C.O. recd 1st &
Aug: Smith recd
Oct: — C.C. conf'd 1st

John Smith Seal

Appt 1790. O. Jud. set aside pay for my reprobation

At a district Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Tuesday the 7th day of September 1790. This day came the parties by their attorneys, the deft. Benjamin Smith waives his former plea & saith that he cannot deny the action of the plts. Therefore it is considered by the court, that the plts. recover against the deft. the sum of one hundred & ninety eight pounds one shilling & even pence current money, the debt in the declaration mentioned with legal interest thereon to be computed from the fourth day of July 1787, till paid & also costs to them about their suit in this behalf expended vth the deft. in mercy &c.

2 now are in court, produces me and aware of no manner day year
County of acknowledges himself to be bound to the s^t. Rob^t. C. Jacob in the said sum of
three thousand twenty pounds & pence. Conditioned for the payment of one thousand five
hundred fifty five pounds & pence at the rates & times of payment following, to wit, Seven
£ 4. 16. half Soes at £ 2. 8. Doubloons at £ 4. 10. pistoles at £ 1. 2. 6. Guineas at £ 1. 8. dollars at 4.
80 in proportion for any gold or silver Coin; one moiety or half which was seven hundred
Twenty two pounds ten shillings to be paid on the 15th day of April then next ensuing
the date of the said writing obligatory the other moiety or half to be paid on the 15th day
of April an^d Dom^m 1785. upon failure of payment whereof at the times stipulated as
af^d the said Robert C. Jacob, was entitled to demand & receive interest upon the af^d
sum of £ 1545 at the rates established by law. Nevertheless the said James Gordon Jun^r
W^t Carter altho' often times requested the said sum of £ 1545 hath never paid either
by the moiety or the times of payment af^d or at any other time wherefore the said Robert
C. Jacob saith he is entitle to receive the sum of £ 1545. with interest on the same by
reason of the failure of payment thereof at the times af^d that damage to the value of £ 50.
Therefore he brings his suit^t to the s^t. Rob^t. C. Jacob exhibits here into Court, this writing
obligatory which witnesseth the debt of in favor of the date whereof is the day before
above written &— John Doe Rich^t Jno^r - p.p.

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And the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit,
Know all men by these presents that we James Gordon Jun^r & Robert Wormley Carter of the County
of Richmond are held & firmly bound unto Robert Clark Jacob of Lancaster County in the full
just sum of three thousand twenty pounds & pence; to the payment whereof will truly to be
made we bind ourselves our heirs executors & assigns; signed with our hands & sealed with our
seals this sixth day of November 1783. — The condition of the above obligation is such, that of the
above bound James Gordon Jun^r & Robert Wormley Carter shall pay or cause to be paid to the
above named Robert Clark Jacob his heirs assigns the sum of one thousand five hundred fifty
five pounds & pence at the following rates & times of payment vizt. Seven at four pounds sixteen
shillings; half Soes two pounds eight shillings; Doubloons at four pounds ten shillings; pistoles
Twenty two shillings six pence, all Guineas at twenty eight shillings; dollars at six shillings
80 in proportion for any gold or silver Coin; one moiety or half part of the said one thousand five
hundred fifty five pounds to be paid on the fifteenth day of April in the year one thousand
seven hundred eighty eight the other moiety or half part on the fifteenth day of April one
thousand seven hundred eighty five, then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in
full force & virtue; except as to interest, which is not to be paid by the above bound James Gordon
& Robert Wormley Carter to the said Robert Clark Jacob; unless they fail to make the payments
punctually on the times above mentioned; then & in that case only the above bound to carry interest
from the date henceforth

Jas. Gordon Jun^r Seal

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At a District Court held for the District of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Tuesday the 7th day of September 1790,

This day came the parties by their attorneys, therupon came a Jury, to wit, Hugh Morris, Cyrus Pinckard, John Brightlett, John Downing, Isaac Mott, William Wise, Arch. W. Hale, Wm. Oldham Esq^r, Jonathan Haynes, Joseph Belchfield, James Baylis, Horner Brightlett, who being sworn did swear well & truly to try the cause joined upon their oaths so say that the deft. Robert Worrally Carter hath not paid unto the plf. the debt in the declaration mentioned as the debt by replying hath alledged, they do appeal the damages of the plf. by occasion of the detention thereof in one fishing. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plf. recover against the deft. the sum of three thousand twenty pounds specie the debt in the declaration mentioned together with his damages up^r in form of costs, & his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, the debt in money^r But this lady on the motion with the assent of the plf. by his attorney is to be discharged by the payment of one thousand thirty three pounds seven shillings with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 13th day of October 1787, till payment of the damages aforesd.

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Plead at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Thomas Coleman plf. & William Graham deft. & the said plf. by John Heath his attorney brought into the said Court, his certain bill against the said deft. in custody v^r of a plea of debt; which bill follows in these words, to wit, Northumberland County, to wit, Thomas Coleman complains of William Graham & or in custody v^r of a plea that he render unto him the sum of seventy pounds current money which he owes him justly, certain for that whereas the said deft. at the of Virginia a^r on the 12th day of March in the year 1788, by his certain writing obligatory known in court, produced acknowledged himself to be bound unto the said plf. in y^r s^r sum of Seventy pounds when he should be thereof afterwards required nevertheless the said deft. has often requested hath not yet paid the said sum of Seventy pounds to the s^r plf. still refuse wherefore the s^r plf. says he is worse than damage thereupon sue. Two Sec Rich^r No pledges of prosecution for Heath foro. plf.

and the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit, Know all men by these presents that I William Graham of the parish of St. Stephens County of Northumberland do promise to pay to Thomas Coleman of Richmond County seventy pounds current money of Virginia, on demand for value received of him as witness my hand & seal this the twelfth day of March 1788. The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound William Graham do well & truly pay to Thomas Coleman above mentioned or to his assigns thirty five pounds of the like money wherover demanded then the above obligation to be void otherwise to

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signed, sealed & delivered in the presence of } William Graham. Deed.
Rich. Brcale, James L. Martin.

Sept. 1789. C. O. v. deft. W. Edwards, etc. April 1790. O. S. v. etc. etc. pay'd
etc. C. O. v. deft. W. Edwards, etc. pay'd etc. — etc. —

At a district Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northum-
berland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Tuesday the 7th day of September 1790, the
day came the parties by their attorneys, the deft. Robert Edwards waves his former plea
that he cannot deny the action of the plaintiff. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the pl.
recover against the deft. the sum of seventy pounds as current money the debt in the declaration
mentioned this Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, & the deft. in money.
By this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of thirty five pounds like money,
with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 12th day of March 1788, till payment
the Costs. — And the pl. agrees to stay the execution of the same six months. —

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district Composed of the Counties
of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of September
1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District. —

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Thaddeus Williams & Bawly Roy with
of John Corrie dec'd. plts. & William Digge deft. of the said pl. by Alex^r. Campbell their
attorney brought into the said Court, their certain bill against the said deft. in custody,
of a plea of debt, which bill follows in these words, to wit, Lancaster County, to wit, Thaddeus
Williams & Bawly Roy executors of the testament last will of John Corrie dec'd. complain of William
Digge in custody, &c. of a sum that he render to the sum of ninety pounds nineteen shillings
six pence which he unjustly retains for this, to wit, that whereas the said deft. on the 4th day of

December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred eighty five at the parish of in the
County of, by his certain writing obligatory, sealed with his seal to the Court, now here shown, acknow-
ledged himself to be held firmly bound to the said John Corrie in his lifetime in the said sum of
ninety pounds nineteen shillings & six pence to be paid to the said John in his lifetime, where in the
said deft. should be afterwards thereto required; yet the said deft. altho' often required, has not paid
money to the said John in his lifetime, or to the said pl. since the decease of the said John or either of
them, hath not yet paid; but the same hath hitherto refused to pay, to the said John in his lifetime
& to the said pl. since his death, to the damage of the said pl. of twenty pounds; & thereupon they
bring suit, &c. and the said pl. bring hereto Court, the letters testamentary of the said John by
which it sufficiently appears to the Court here, that the said plts. are the execs. of the said testament.

hers executors & adm'rs. jointly by these presents. Sealed with my seal. & shall remain my
Obligant: Anne Dom. 1785. The condition of the above obligation is such, that if the above bound
William Degge doth shall well & truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said John Corrie his
certain attorney, his exec'rs. adm'rs. or assigns the just sum of forty five pounds nine shil-
lings & nine pence money af? by or on the fourteenth day of July next ensuing then the above
obligation to be void, or else to remain in full force & virtue.

Sealed & delivered in the presence of
Samuel Smith, Thomas Banks }

William Degge . . . Seal.

N.B. This bond is not in discharge of three other bonds of this date, each for the sum of £45 9s 9d
but due besides —

*Sept. 1789. C. O. v. Degr. Geo. Brewd. Suy:
Oct. C. O. Degr. v. Suy: Ogd.

Apt. 1790. O. Suy: v. Suy: v. Suy: v. Suy: —

At a district Court, held for the District of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northum-
berland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Tues day the 7th Day of September 1790, This day
came the parties by their attorneys, & the deft. George Brewd waives his former plea to say that he
cannot deny the action of the plts. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plts. recover
against the deft. the sum of ninety pounds nineteen shillings & six pence since the act in the
declaration mentioned, & their Costs by them about their suit in this behalf incurred, & the said
deft. in money or Bar. But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of seven pounds nineteen
shillings & three pence currency in Gold or Silver with legal interest thereon to be computed from
the 18th day of March 1788, till paid & the Costs.

P'les at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district Composers of the Counties of
Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790,
Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District —

Be it remembered that at the same Court came Thaddeus Williams & Beverly Roy exec'rs.
of John Corrie dec'd. plts. & William Degge deft. & the said plts. by Alex^t. Campbell their attorney
brought into the said Court, their certain bill against the said deft. in custody of a pleaf of
adv^r, which bill follows in these words, to wit, Lancaster County, to wit, Thaddeus Williams & Beverly
Roy exec'rs. of the testament last will of John Corrie dec'd. complain of William Degge in custody of
a pleaf, that he render to him the sum of ninety pounds, nineteen shillings & six pence which
he unjustly detains, for this, to wit, that whereas the said deft. on the fourth day of December in the
year of our Lord 1785, at the parish of in the County of³ by his certain writing obligatorily sealed
with

appears
I have administration thereof, &c. &c. of pros. Inv: Doc O'N. Soc - Alex. Campbell p. 2.
And the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit,
Know all men by these presents, that I William Digge Junr. & Mariner held & bound
unto John Corrie of Essex County in the just & full sum of ninety pounds untemper'd Shillings
of six pence Virginia, currency in Gold or Silver to be paid unto the said John Corrie his
certain attorney, his heirs, execs. admo's. or assigns; to which payment, will truly be made,
I bind myself my heirs, execs. admo's. firmly by these presents. Sealed with my Seal, Dated
this fourth day of December anno dom. 1785. The Condition of the above obligation is such,
that if the above bound William Digge Junr. do & shall well & truly pay, or cause to be paid
unto the said John Corrie his certain attorney, his execs. admo's. or assigns the just sum of
forty five pounds nine shillings & nine pence money af^d. by or on the fourth day of Jan:
next ensuing then the above obligation to be void, or else to remain in full force & virtue.

Sealed & delivered in the presence of }
Samuel Smith, Thomas Banks }

William Digge. Seal.

N.B. This bond is not in discharge of a bond, due the 4th Oct^r. 86. but due besides —

Dec^r. 20th May 1790. The sum of nine pounds four shillings & six pence in part
of the within bond, in Tolls. — Paid, Williams 20.

Dec^r. June 21st 1790. The sum of eighteen pds. twelve shillings & seven pence 14^m in
part of this bond. Paid, Williams 20.

Sept. 1789. C. O. v. Deft. Geo. Brunt recd:
April. 1790. O. S. & C. as per pay:
Oct. — C. O. Conf. v. Deft. Brunt O. S. &
for recd. repd. defn.

At a district Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster and
Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Tuesday the 7th day of September 1790.
This day came the parties by their attorneys, & the deft. George Brunt waives his former plea that he
cannot deny the action of the plts. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plts. recover
against the deft. the sum of ninety pounds untemper'd Shillings & six pence the debt in the
declaration mentioned their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expensed, & the
said deft. in mercy &c. But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of twenty
eight pounds four shillings & one penny three farthings with legal interest thereon to be
computed from the 21st day of June last past till paid of the costs.

Please at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district Composed of the Counties
of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday the 1st day of September
1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District —

Be it remembered that at the same Court, Came Thaddeus Williams & Beverly Roy execs. of
John Corrie dec^r. plts. & William Digge deft. the said plts. by Alex^r. Campbell his attorney brought
into the said Court, their certain bill against the said deft. in custody of a plw of
acts, which bill follows in these words, to wit, Lancaster County Court, Thaddeus Williams
& Beverly Roy execs. of the testament last will of John Corrie dec^r. complain of William
Digge

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Degge in custody, &c. of a plea, that he render to the sum of ninety pounds nineteen shillings & 6⁶ pence which he unjustly retains for this, to wit, that whereas the said deft. on the 6th day of December in the year of our Lord 1785, at the parish of — in the County of — by his certain writing obligatory, sealed with his seal to the Court, now here shown, acknowledged himself to be held & firmly bound to the said John Corrie in his lifetime in the said sum of ninety pounds nineteen shillings & 6⁶ pence to be paid to the said John in his lifetime, when he the 8th deft. should be of age as shrouds required, yet the said deft. altho' often required, the 8th sum of money to the said John in his lifetime, or to the said fell. since the decease of the 8th John or either of them, hath not yet paid; but the same hath hitherto refused to pay to the 8th John in his lifetime, & to the 8th fell. since his death, to the damage of the 8th fell. of twenty pounds, whereupon they bring suit, &c. And the 8th fell. bring here into Court, the letters testamentary of the said John by which it sufficiently appears to the Court, here, that the 8th fell. are the executors of the 8th testament of the 8th John their administration thereof, &c. — pledges of prosecution John Doe & Richard Roe — Alex^d Campbell Jr. D —

And the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit, I know all men, by these presents, that I William Degge Gent. & mariner held & firmly bound unto John Corrie of Essex County in the just & full sum of ninety pounds nineteen shillings & 6⁶ pence Virginia, currency in gold or silver to be paid unto the 8th John Corrie his certain attorney, his heirs, execs. admoⁿs. or assigns to which payment, well & truly to be made, bind myself my heirs, execs. & admoⁿs. firmly by these presents, sealed with my seals, & dated this fourth day of Decem^r anno Domⁱ. 1785. — The Condition of the above obligation is such, that if the above bound William Degge Gent. do & shall well & truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said John Corrie his certain attorney, his execs. admoⁿs. or assigns the just sum of forty five pounds nine shillings & 6⁶ pence money of^r before or on the fourteenth day of April next ensuing then the above obligation to be void or else to remain in full force & virtue. Sealed & Delivered in the presence of } William Degge. Sealed
Samuel Smith, Thomas Banks }

N.B. This bond is not in discharge of two other bonds dated 4th Oct^r. 85. but are besides
~~for the same sum of money as the above bond, to be paid to the same person, on the same day, in the same manner, & for the same purpose.~~
~~20. in the same manner, & for the same purpose.~~
~~20. in the same manner, & for the same purpose.~~

Sept^r. 1789. C.O. deft. & Geo. Brent exec.
act^r. — C.O. Court^r deft. & Geo. Brent exec^r.

Ap^r. 1790. O. Judge^r recd^r pay^r for
sum^r paid^r diff'rent.

At a Justice Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland at Northumberland Courthouse, on Tuesday the 7th day of September 1790. This day came the parties by their attorneys, the deft. George Brent waives his former plea, & saith that he cannot deny the action of the fell. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the fell recover against the deft. the sum of ninety pounds nineteen shillings & 6⁶ pence the debt in the declaration mentioned & their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended the deft. in money to^r. But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of forty five pounds nine shillings & 6⁶ pence Virginia, currency in gold or silver with legal interest thereon to be computed from

At a district Court, held for the district of Culhamone, wherein
at Northumberland Courthouse, on Tuesday the 7th day of September 1790. This day came the
parties by their attorneys, the deft. George Bratt waives his former plea, saith that he cannot
deny the action of the plts. Therefore it is considered by the court, that the plts recover against
the deft. the sum of ninety pounds nineteen shillings & six pence the debt in the declaration
mentioned & their Costs by them about their own in this behalf expended & the deft. in money.
But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of forty five pounds nine shillings &
six pence Virginia currency in gold or silver with legal interest thereon to be computed from
the fourteenth day of July 1786, till paid, the Costs.

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district Composed of the Counties
of Richmond, Westmoreland, and, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of
September 1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, Came Miss^{rs} Russell & Lee plts. vs William
Warden deft. & the said by John Heath their brought into the said Court, their certain bill
against the said deft. in custody of a pleas of debt, which bill follows in these words, to wit,

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North^r County, to wit, Miss^{rs} Russell & Lee complain of William Warren in custody of a
plea that he render unto them the sum of £238-3-3. & he owes & justly retains for that
whereas the said deft. at the parish of County of on the 20th day of May in the year 1773.
by his certain writing obligatory & now in Court, produced acknowledged himself to be bound
unto the said plts. in y^r sum of £238-3-3. when he should be shewd afterwards required
nevertheless the said deft. tho' often requested the s^r sum of £238-3-3. hath not yet paid the
said sum of £238-3-3. to the s^r plts. & still refuse wherefore the s^r plts. say they are worse &
hath damage Whereupon they bring suit vs. Soc R^d Roe, p. pro. John Heath pro plts.

And the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit,
Sorrow all done by these presents, that I William Warren of the County of Fauquier am bnd
of jointly bound unto Miss^{rs} Russell & Lee in the just & full sum of two hundred thirty eight
pounds three shillings & three pence to be paid unto the said Russell & Lee their certain
attorney, their heirs, executors, administrators, jointly by these presents - sealed with my seal,
& dated this twenty eighth day of May anno dom. 1773. The condition of the above
obligation is such, that if the above bound William Warren do or shall well truly say,
or cause to be said, unto the said Russell & Lee their certain attorney, their heirs, executors
or administrators, the just sum of one hundred & nineteen pounds one shilling seven pence

force & virtue.
sealed & delivered in the presence of }
Robert Warren, Chas. Hammond.

W^m Warren *(Signed)*

1774. May 6. W. Warren has credit for 1913 D^r Crop Tob^d at 12/6. —

Sept. 1789. C.O. vs G. & A. Palmer *Trey.*

April 6th 1790. Motion overruled S. Jud.

Oct. — C.O. vs G. & A. Palmer *& Jud.*

set aside pay for my
rep^t. diff^r —

Apr. 1790. Judge established motion for
dismission for want of evidence.
ment Court.

At a district Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster and
Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Tuesday the 7th day of September 1790.
This day came the parties by their Attorneys, Thornton came a Jury, to wit, Hugh Harris, Cyrus
Pinckard, John Knightlett, John Downing, Isaac Mott, William Wroe, Arch^m McCall, William
Oldham, J^r, Sedgeman Haynie, Jo^s Schofield, William Baylis & Winter. Knightlett, who being elected
to be sworn well & truly to try the issue joined upon their oath do say that the def^r. William
Warden hath not paid unto the plts. the debt in the declaration mentioned as the def^r. plts. by
replying here alledged, other as aforesaid the damages of the plts. by occasion of the detention
thereof to one penny. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plts. recover against the
def^r. the sum of two hundred & thirty eight pounds three shillings & three pence the debt in
the declaration mentioned, together with their damages aforesaid in form aforesaid & their costs by
them about their suit in this behalf expended, the def^r. in money or *l* But this Judgment
is to be discharged by the payment of one hundred twelve pounds fourteen shillings &
seven pence half penny with legal interest thereon to be computed from the fifth day of
May 1774, till paid, the damages & costs.

Pls at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the district composed of the Counties
of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of September
1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said district.

Be it remembered was sent here from the General Court, according to the Act of General
Assembly in such case made & provided, the record of a Judgment of the County Court of

Northumberland, obtained by Syke Clutton plts. against William Garling ton def^r. on the
Thursday the 7th of May 1787. for £28 10*s*. besides his Costs, which record follows in these
words, to wit, Pls at the Courthouse of Northumberland County on Monday the tenth of May in the
year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & eighty four and in the eighth year of the Commonwealth
Before, The Justices of the said Court. — The Commonwealth of Virginia, to the Sheriff of Northth County
directing, to传^r you that you take William Garling ton if he be found within your bailiwick &

He brings us -
 said deft. saith that he did not assume upon himself in manner & form as the p^t. against him
 hath complained of this he putteth himself upon the County, & the p^t. likewise therefore the trial
 of the issue is referred till the next Court, to be held for this County. And now at this day to
 wit, on Thursday the 17th of May 1787, came the parties of^p by their Attorneys of^p thereto came also
 a Jury, to wit W^m Blackerby, Geo. Ball (son of Rich^r) Cathcart Horcum, James Crane, Edward Rogers,
 John Clifton, W^m Niles, James Daugherty, John S. Elliston, Thomas Potts, Geo. Bane & Stephen
 Bailey, who being elected tried & sworn the truth to speak upon the issue joined upon their oaths
 do say that the deft. did assume upon himself in manner & form as the p^t. against him hath
 complained & they do assess the p^t. damages by occasion of the deft. non performance of that
 assumption to twenty eight pounds eighteen shillings done paying besides his Costs. Therefor
 it is considered by the Court, that the p^t. recover against the deft. his damages as^p in form of
 ass'd his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended the said deft. in money[£] -
 From which Judgment the said deft. by his attorney prayed an Appeal to the S^t. Day of the
 next General Court, which is granted him upon his entering bond with security in the
 Clerk's office according to law within one month.

Memorandum John Cralle Gant, the presiding member of the Court, pursuant to the Statute
 in that case made & provided signed sealed a Bill of Exceptions which was tendered to the Court
 by the deft's attorney, which Bill follows in these words "Ganting to J. Clifton in
 case,

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 Case the p^t. instituted his suit against the deft. the 15th day of January 1784, in the 8th
 year of the Commonwealth of the declaration in these words North^r. County sc^t. Jef^r. Cotton
 complains of W^m Ganting to or by which it appears there are two Counts the one for goods
 wares & Merchandise the other for diverse service done & performed by the p^t. p^t. in the
 capacity of an Overseer over the negroes & plantation of the deft. to which action the s^t. atty.
 pleaded that he did not assume the cause was set for trial and at a Court, Court^r. Held at
 the Quarterly Sessions of the County of^p on the 4th day of the Court, in May Session 1787. The
 cause came on to be tried & a Jury was impanelled & sworn to try the issue in the same
 cause on the trial thereof the p^t. offered to give in evidence to the Jury, that the deft. turned
 him off from his plantation before the expiration of the year also the particular damage
 he sustained by being turned away the hard usage he suffered whilst he was in his
 employ in order to increase the damages to which the deft. by his attorney objected, but was
 overruled by the Court, who permitted the p^t. p^t. to give testimony to that end & the deft.
 accepted to the p^t. opinion wherefore the p^t. deft. agreeable to a Statute in such cases made &
 provided asked the p^t. Court, to sign & seal this his Bill of Exceptions which was done the
 17th day of May 1787 -

John Cralle

W^m William Ganting To Jef^r. Cotton

To 100 Moulds & half work @ 4s ^r . pt. month £ 6.13.6	To 1 Cotton Drum line 2	D ^r 1782.
By Cash paid me	5.00	" 6. -
On the 1st. day of April 1787	3.6	" 1.6.
	5.9.1	To Board from the 16 th of April until

5.9.1

" 6. -

" 1.6.

On the 16th of April until

This 4th day of June 1787. The condition of this judgment is such that unless in an action of
this party on the case commenced & prosecuted in the County Court, of Northⁿ, by the P^r. S^e George Clutton against
the said William Garlington a Judgment was obtained for the sum of twenty eight pounds
eighteen shillings & some pence & Costs. From which Judgment the said William Garlington
had prayed an Appeal to the General Court. Therefore the said William Garlington shall
effectually prosecute the said Appeal & pay the Judgment aff^d with such Costs & damages as
shall be awarded by the said General Court, in case the Judg^t aff^d shall be affirmed than the
above obligation to be void else to remain in full force & virtue.

Sealed & delivered in the presence of Chas. Clarke. *Wm Garlington Seal*
plus Costs. 16 81⁶ Geo. 3rd 1787. att. fee. *Mosely Nutt Seal*

Defts. Costs. 370. d^r. 80. 07 1787. att. fee.
Oct^r 1787. Court. - Apr^r 1788. Court. - Oct^r 1788 Court. - June 1789. Court. William Whitlock Esq^r. No. 16.
Nov^r 1789. Court. - Apr^r 1790. Court. - Oct^r 1790. No abatement by death of either Party & Court.

At a District Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northum-
berland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Wednesday the 8th day of September 1790,
Upon an Appeal from a Judgment of the County Court, of Northumberland, recovered by
the Appellee against the Appellant the 17th day of May 1787, for £28. 18. 1. & the Costs.
This day came the parties by their attorneys, whereupon the transcript of the record of the
Judgment aff^d being seen & inspected, it seems to the Court, that the P^r. Judgment is
erroneous, in this, that the P^r. County Court, of Northⁿ, on the trial of the issue joined between the
parties, admitted evidence which was by law inadmissible on the issue joined between the
parties. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the same be reversed & annulled, & that the
Appellant recover against the Appellee his Costs by him expended in the prosecution of his
Appeal aff^d here. It is ordered that the cause be sent back to the P^r. County Court, for a new
trial to be had thereon between the parties.

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P^r at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district Composed of the Counties of
Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland. On Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790.
Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came John Smith Guardian to Mary J. Smith
Plt. v Thomas Hudnall deft. & the said plt. by Alex^r Campbell his attorney brought into the
said Court, his attw^r bill against the said deft. in custody & of a plea of debt, which bill
follows in these words, to wit, Northⁿ County, to wit, Mr. Smith Guardian of Mary J. Smith com-
of Thomas Hudnall in custody, & of a plea, that he render unto him the P^r. plt. the quantity of
eight thousand, three hundred & thirty two pounds of Cosp. T^obs^r which the P^r. deft. does to the P^r.
Mr. Smith retain from him for this, to wit, that whereas the P^r. deft. on the 10th day of April
in the year of our Lord 1786, by his bill obligatory, sealed with his seal & to the Court now here
shewn, the date whereof is the same day & year, acknowledged himself to be indebted to the P^r.
deft. in the first quantity of four thousand one hundred & sixty four pounds of Cosp. T^obs^r to be
paid to the P^r. plt. whenever thereunto by the P^r. plt. he sh^rl be aff^d required to the P^r. payment

Thomas Edwards, Matl. Sely. 3

April 30th 1788. Then rec'd from Mr. Thomas Kuanall one Crop hogshead of Tobo^o on Corn Man-
house, of eleven hundred & twenty three pounds nett wt. in part of his rent due for a
plantation belonging to my ward. Mary S. Smith due on bond given as above.

John Smith.

Sir, Please send me according to promise W. Spencer Ball's Bond, for which you shall
credit, out of your debt to Boyds Estate - Sam your humble servt. Thomas Edwards - To
W. Thomas Kuanall - Oct^r. 29th 1788

30th Octob^r 1788. Rec^d of Thos. Kuanall a bond of Spencer Ball Esq^r for twenty one
pounds payble 9th day June 1788. which is to be discharge^d out of a bond of J. Kuanall
payble to Col^r. Mr. Smith for the rest of Boyd's plantation - Thomas Edwards.

Sept. 1789 . . . C. O. recd. 1000. Edwards recy: . . . ap^r. 1790 . . . O. recd. " to aside pay^d for my
act^r. . . . C. O. recy. P. deff. recy: ap^r. 1790 . . . recd. diff'rence.

At a distinct Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland,
at Northumberland Courthouse, on Wednesday the 8th day of September 1790. This day came
the parties by their attorneys, & the deft. Robert Edwards waives his former plea, & avtht that he
cannot deny the action of the plf. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plf. recover
against the deft. the quantity of eight thousand three hundred & thirty two pounds of
Crop Tobo^o the debt in the declaration mentioned this Court by him about his suit in
this behalf expunged, & the deft. in money^r. But this Judgment is to be discharged by
the

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The payment of nine thousand & twenty eight pounds of like Tobacco, with legal interest
thereon to be computed, from the 10th day of April 1786 till paid the said debt. —

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Plead at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district Composed of the Counties of
Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland. On Wednesday the 1st day of September
1790. Before Sam'l George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District. —

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came John Smith Guardian to Mary S.
Smith plf. & Thomas Kuanall deft. & the said plf. by Alex^r Campbell his attorney brought
in the said Court, his warrant against the said deft. in custody to, of a plea of debt, which
follows, in these words, to wit, north^r County, to wit, John Smith Guardian to Mary S. Smith
complaints of Thomas Kuanall in custody, &c of a plea, that he render unto him the said
deft. the quantity of four thousand pounds of Crop Tobo^o which the said deft. owes to the
said plf. & unjustly detain from him for this, to wit, that whereas the said deft. on the 10th

8^o d^r in the quantity of 4000 pounds of the first above mentioned, & the 3^d All. in fact say
that the 3^d deft. did not on or before the 25th day of Decemr: pay to the 3^d pl. the 3^d last named
quantity of 2000^{lb} Tob^d which upon or before that day he ought to have paid to him according
to the form & effect of the said bill, whereby an action has accrued to the 3^d pl. to demand the
of the 3^d deft. the 3^d first above mentioned quantity of 4000 lb^d of Tob^d Nevertheless the 3^d deft.
alibis often required, has not yet paid the 3^d first mentioned quantity of 4000 lb^d of Tob^d to him
the 3^d pl. but hitherto has refused to pay the same to him, to the damage of the 3^d pl. of ten
pounds. Whereupon he brings suit, & pl. of proo. his: Doe Rob. Roe - Alias. Campbell his: gen^r
And the bill obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit,
I Thomas the small of the County of Northumberland do hereby promise to pay or cause to be
paid unto John Smith of the County of Frederick Guardian to Mary J. Smith on or before
the 25th day of December next the full just quantity of two thousand said pounds of Crop
Tobacco, for the rest of the 10 hours wherein David Boyd formerly lived, for this present year,
to the which payment well & truly to be made & done I bind myself my heirs execs. or adms.
in the sum quantity of four thousand pounds of the like Tobacco & casks, as witness my
hand this 10th day of April one thousand seven hundred eighty six.

Test:

Thomas Edwards, Math^r self }

Thos. Kudnall

Seal

Sept 17 1789 C. O. Robt. Edwards sccy

Apr. 1790 C. O. Robt. Edwards pay^r for sccy
costs. — C. O. Conf^r Robt. Edwards

rept^r of sccy

On a district Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & York^r
at Northumberland Courthouse, on Wednesday the 8th day of September 1790. This day came
the parties by their attorneys, & the deft. Robert Edwards waves his former plea, & saith that he
cannot deny the action the pl. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the pl. recover against the
deft. the quantity of four thousand pounds of Crop Tobacco, the debt in the declaration mentioned.
The Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, & the deft. in mercy. But this judg^r
ment is to be discharged by the payment of two thousand pounds of like Tobacco with legal
interest thereon to be computed from the 25th day of December 1786. He paid the Costs.

Deas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district comprised of the Counties of
Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790.
Before Saint George Tacher Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District —

Be it remembered that the same Court, Cain Thomas Edwards pl. & Thomas Robinson deft. the
said pl. by Alias^r Campbell his attorney by brought into the said Court, his certain bill against the

1788 Nov^r 22^m By each & half fee

Sept 1789 C.O. deft. R.R. H. Payne Esq^r:
Oct — C.O. Cuy^r deft. Esq^r: Opis:

April 1790 O. Jud^r id as he pay^r for
Esq^r r. r. Esq^r —

At a district Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland at Northumberland Courthouse, on Wednesday the 8th day of September 1790. This day came the parties by their attorneys, & the deft. Richard H. Payne waives his former plea & saith that he cannot deny the action of the pl. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the pl. recover against the said deft. the sum of one hundred pounds lawfull money of Virginia, the deft. in the declaration mentioned other costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended to the deft. in money &c But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of forty nine pounds nine shillings & six pence like money with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 22^d day of November 1788, till paid & the Costs.

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the district Compt of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland on Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790, Before said George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

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166 Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Joseph Alexander M^r & Abel Westfall deft. & the said pl. by Brown his attorney brought into the said Court, his certain bill against the said deft. in custody &c of a ple of debt, which bill follows in these words, to wit, North^r side Virginia vs. J. Joseph Alexander otherwise called Mr. complains of Abel Westfall otherwise Called Abel Westfall of Berkeley County vs. state of Virginia, in custody &c of a ple that he render to him eleven hundred & fifty seven pounds eight shillings pence which to him he owes very justly demands for that whences the s^r. Westfall on the 17th day of November 1788 at the parish of St. Stephens in the County of^r by his certain writing obligatory commonly called a final bill sealed with the seal of the said Westfall now here shown to the Court, the date whereof is the same day & year acknowledged himself to be held & firmly bound unto the s^r. Alexander in the sum of £ 670. 11^m 4^s. Military Certificates to be paid on or before the first day of January next ensuing after the date of the same bill for the same paym^r will only to be made soone he bound himself in the a^r final sum of £ 1157. 8^m 0^s firmly by the s^r. bill s^r. Alexander in fact saith that the s^r. Westfall hath not paid the s^r £ 670. 11^m 4^s. Military Certificates at on or before the day on which he ought to have done the same according to the form & effect of the s^r. bill whereby by force of the Act of Assembly an action hath

to be had & sued as in the

Test, Jordan Bettos. —
Sept: 1789. . C. O. deft.
att: — . C. O. cons. & defendt

Sept: 1790. . O. Judg. established & court
of enquiry

At a district Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Wednesday the 8th day of September 1790. This day came the plt. by his attorney, whereupon came a Jury, to wit, John Toner, Joseph Schugel, Thomas Coleman, Cyrus Pinckard, William H. Pitt, John C. Corke, Thomas Robson, William Daylis, William Cloughton, William Wroe, Samuel Harding & John Downing, who being elected tried to sworn well & truly to enquire of damages in this suit, upon their oaths do say that the plt. hath sustained damages by occasion of the detention of the debt in the declaration mentioned to two hundred & ten pounds seventeen shillings & nine pence half penny, & the plt. here in Court, releases one hundred & ten pounds seventeen shillings & nine pence half penny part of his damages aforesaid whereupon it is considered by

By the Court, that the sum recoverable against the deft. the sum of eleven hundred & fifty seven pounds eight shillings eight pence due on the debt in the declaration mentioned plus Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, & the deft. in jury aforesaid. But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of the said one hundred pounds the balance of the damages aforesaid in form aforesaid & the Costs.

Seal at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the District Composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered that was sent him from the General Court according to the act of General Assembly, in such Case made & provided, a certain action depending in the said General Court, Between William Carr plt. v Daniel McCarty adm'r of Peter P. Thornton dec'd deft. together with the papers therein, the proceedings in which suit are as follows, to wit, At a General Court, held at the Courthouse, in the City of Richmond, on the day of 17. Came the said ^{deft.} by his attorney & brought into the said Court his certain bill against the said deft. in custody of a pleas of debt; which bill follows in these words, to wit, No 9th Court, North^d County William Carr otherwise called ^{the} complainant of Daniel McCarty adm'r of Peter P. Thornton dec'd of a pleading bill that he render unto ye said William the sum of £130. Sterling money of Great Britain of the

Whereupon he brings suit &c. &c. &c. —
declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit, Virginia, 24th January 1775 Exchange for £130. Sterling — At sixty days sight of this my second Bill of Exchange my first & third of the same tenor & date not paid, pay to Hudson Musse or order the sum of one hundred thirty pounds, sterling for one hundred & sixty nine pounds, here received at time make pay me & place it to acct. of Sir your Hon^t Servt — Peter Presley Thornton — To M^r James Russell merchant London — Endorsed Hudson Musse — Pay the Contents to William Carr.

William Cocke.

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Virginia, 24th January 1776. Exchange for £130. Sterling — At sixty days sight of this my second Bill of Exchange my first & third of the same tenor & date not paid pay to Hudson Musse or order the sum of one hundred thirty pounds sterling for one hundred & sixty nine pounds, here received at time make payment & place it to account of Sir your Hon^t Servt — Peter Presley Thornton to M^r James Russell M^r of London — Hudson Musse — Pay the Contents to William Carr — William Cocke — Please the Contents to my Credit — William Carr.

On the twenty ninth day of August anno Dom: 1775. Before me Abraham Ogier Notary Publick dwelling in London duly admitted & sworn in the presents of the witness here after named personally appeared M^r James Russell of London Merchant who declared that altho' the original Bill of Exchange whereof the above is a Copy was on him drawn to him remitted & become yet that he would not pay the same for want of effects. And, therefore the said appearer required me the said Notary to protest as by these presents I do solemnly protest against the drawer of the said Bill & all others concerned for exchange Rec^e-exchange & all Costs damages & interest suffered to be suffered for want of payment of the said Bill of exchange Thus done & protested in London as^d in the presence of Hugh Atkinson & William Butterworth Witnesses — In premis for my fidei Abra^m Ogier N^t Endorsed prot^o for non paym^t 4/3². The foregoing is a true copy of the original bill of exchange & the protest thereon which Judgment was obtained at April General Court, 1787, by William Carr against William Cocke, Teste B Brown, C^c G^c (Prince W^m)

William Carr against Daniel McCarthy attorney of Peter Presley Thornton dec^d due £130.
sterling of the value of £173, 6, 8 current money with interest & charges of protest on a protested bill of exchange damage £300. — Writ issued returnable to October General Court, 1788.
November alias Capias awarded — full Costs in the Gen^t Court £1,070 to too^t — B Brown C^c G^c
Mar: 1790... Plus Cap^t awarded.

Apr: — . . . by or of the writ made
for declaration

May 1790 . . . C. Order

June — . . . C. O. Court

goods & chattels other said deft. in mercy &c.

Please at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district Composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday the 1st day of September 1796
Before James George Tucker Esquire Judge duly appointed to the s^d district —

Be it remembered that was sent here from the General Court, according to the Act of General Assembly in such case made & provided, a certain action depending in the s^d General Court, between

Between Charles Lee a signee of Thomas Stiresley Esq^r of Richard Hopkins f&f. of Archibald Campbell deft. together with the papers therein the proceedings in which suit are as follows, to wit
At a General Court, held at the Courthouse in the City of Richmond, on days of 17, came
the said f&f. by himself brought into the said Court, his certain bill against the said deft. in
Custody &c of a plea of debt; which follows in these words, to wit, Westmoreland County, to wit,
Charles Lee a/s^d of Thos. Stiresley esq^r of Richd^r. Hopkins complains of Archibald Campbell & son
Perry in custody &c of a plea that they render to him the sum of twenty six pounds nineteen shillings
specie which they owe to him & from him unjustly detain for this, to wit, that whereas the said
Archibald Campbell & son Perry on the second day of Dec^r in the year 1786, at the parish of
in the County of made their certain bill in writing sealed with their seals to the Court here
now shew the date whereof is on the same day & year and thereby bound themselves to pay
unto the said Thomas Stiresley a/s^d as of the sum of thirteen pounds nine shillings & six pence
in specie on or before the first day of June next ensuing the date thereof, with lawful interest
from the said date if not punctually paid, & for the s^d payment well & truly to be made bound
themselves their heirs executors & administrators severally by the s^d bill in the penal sum of twenty
six pounds nineteen shillings; & whereas the s^d Thomas Stiresley a/s^d as of on the same
day & year a/s^d at the parish & County a/s^d assigned the s^d bill the same or any part thereof being
then there unpaid unto the s^d Charles Lee by writing with his own hand the s^d agreement on
the back of the s^d bill wherof the s^d deft. then there, to wit, on the same day & year at the parish
County a/s^d had notice; & the s^d Charles Lee in fact saith that the s^d a/s^d did not pay the said
sum of thirteen pounds nine shillings & six pence on or before the s^d 1st day of June ensuing
the date of the s^d bill or at any time since to the s^d Thomas Stiresley a/s^d as of or to the s^d
which transacted betwⁿ the act of Assembly in that case

before the first day of June next, if not punctually paid to bear interest from the date, to the
which payment will stand to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs executors & administrators jointly &
severally bound by these presents in the sum of twenty six pounds sixteen shillings
like money in Writs wherof we have hereunto set our hands & seal this 7th day of Dec^r. 1786.

Signed in the presence of } I assign the written to Charles Lee } Arch^r. Campbell Sealed
Test. } for value recd - T. Streshly exec^r. } Sealed
William Gatts, Rich^r. Gray } John Perry - .

Nov^r. 1788. P. Cap^r awarded

Sept^r. 1789. Attachment awarded

Northumberland District Court, April the 10th 1790. Alexander Campbell came into court, &
undertook for the deft. that in case he shall be cast in this suit he will pay or satisfy the
costs of the Court, or render his body to prison in execution for the same, or that he
said Alexander Campbell will do it for him.

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At a district Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland,
at Northumberland Courthouse, on Wednesday the 8th day of September 1790. This day came
the parties by their attorneys, the deft. waves his former plea, saith that he cannot deny the
action of the pl^t. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the pl^t. recover against the said deft.
the sum of twenty six pounds sixteen shillings specie, the debt in the declaration
mentioned, the costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended of the deft. in money.
But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of thirteen pounds nine shillings
8¹/4 pence like money with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 7th day of
December 1786, till paid of the Costs.

Deed at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district Composed of the
Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday the 1st
day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to this^r Justice.

Be it remembered that was sent here from the General Court, according to the act of
General Assembly in such case made & provided, a certain action depending in the said
General Court, between Charles Lee aff^r of Thomas Streshly exec^r of Richard Hopkins pl^t.

See affidavit as aforesaid, on or before the 5th 1st day of January ensuing the date of this bill,
by virtue of which foremises & of the Act of Assembly in such cases made an action
brought according to the 5th Charles See aforesaid to demand & have of the 5th Archibald Campbell
the 5th sum of sixteen pounds nineteen shillings Specie: nevertheless the 5th deft. hath not
paid the 5th sum of sixteen pounds nineteen shillings Specie tho' divers often required, but
intend

Heitherto hath refused & still doth refuse to pay the same to him to his damage ten ten pounds
& whereof he brings this said & pledges of prosecution I. Doe O. N. Roe - Charles See in pr. p. —
and the writing writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit,
Know all Men by these presents that we Arch^d? Campbell & Thomas Turner are held & firmly
bound unto Thomas & Threshly Esq^r of Richard Hopkins dec^d in the full & just sum of eight
pounds nine shillings & six pence in specie to be paid on or before the first day of Jan^r next
if not punctually paid to bear interest from the date, to the which paymt. well & truly to be
made we bind ourselves our heirs &c & Adam & jointly & severally firmly by these presents
in the penal sum of sixteen pounds nineteen shillings like money in Writs where we
have hereunto set our hands & seals this 22nd day of June 1786.

Signed in the presence of }
Lewis Smith, Rich^r, Frary }
Archibald Campbell Seal
T. Turner Seal

And the assignment of the said writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these
words, to wit, I assign the within to Charles See for value received = Threshly Esq^r —

Nov. 1788. P^r. Capt. awarded

Ap^r. 1790. paymt. resp. issued —

Sept. 1789. Attachment awarded

Northumberland District Court, April the 10th 1790. Alexander Campbell came into Court &
undertook for the deft. that in case he shall be cast in this suit he will pay & satisfy the
condemnation of the Court, or render his body to prison in execution for the same, or that he
the said Alexander will do it for him —

In a district Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancashire & Northumber-
land, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Wednesday the 8th day of September 1790. This day
came the parties by their attorneys, the deft. waves his former plea, saith that he cannot defend
the action of the pl^t. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the pl^t. recover against the
deft. the sum of sixteen pounds nineteen shillings Specie, the debt in the declaration men-
tioned, plus costs to him about his suit in this behalf expended, the deft. in mercy &c.
But this judgment is to be satisfied out of the lands &c. in the possession of the

Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District —

Be it remembered that at the same Court, Came Moore Fauntroy plt. & Ralph Wormley,
Francis Lightfoot Lee, Warner Lewis Smt. & Mann Page Smt. exec of the Wmble. John Tayloe ad.
def. & the said plt. by John Heath his attorney brought into the said Court, his certain bill
against the said defts in custody &c of a plea of debt, which bill follows in these words, to wit,
North^d County, to wit, Moore Fauntroy complains of Ralph Wormley, Francis L. Lee, Warner
Lewis & Mann Page execs. of John Tayloe ad. in custody &c of a plea that they render unto
him the sum of Fourteen hundred pounds current money for that whereas the s^r. plts Testor at
the parish of County ag^d on the 26th day of October in the year of our Lord 1765, by his certain
writing obligatory known in Court, produced acknowledged himself to be bound unto the s^r. plt.

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In y^e s^r sum of £1400 when he should be thereto afterwards required notwithstanding that
deft in his lifetime nor there defts since his death tho' often requested hath not yet
paid the said sum of £1400. to the s^r. plt & tte do refuse wherefore the s^r. plt says he will
shall damage £100. whereupon he brings suit Lr. Doe R. Doe plt. of prov. in health, per

and the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit,
I know all men by these presents that we Richard Parker of the parish of Cople in the
County of Westmoreland Gent. & the Wmble. John Tayloe of the parish of Limerick in the
County of Richmond Esq^r are held & firmly bound unto Moore Fauntroy of the parish
of County last mentioned Gent. in the just & full sum of Fourteen hundred pounds current
money of to be paid unto the said Moore Fauntroy his heirs, execs. & admors. to which
payment well & truly to be made, we do bind ourselves, jointly & severally, our joint execs.
heirs, execs. & admors. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated this 26th day of
October anno Dom. one thousand seven hundred & forty five. The condition of the above
obligation is such that if the above bound Richard Parker or John Tayloe do & shall well
truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Moore Fauntroy, his certain attorney, execs. admors. or
assigns the just sum of seven hundred pounds current money of Virginia after upon the 25th day
of October next ensuing the date hereof with lawful interest thereon then the above obligation
be void or else to remain in full force power & virtue.

Sealed & delivered by Rich^d Parker in the presence of
Susanna Fauntroy, Fumell Marks.

Rich^d Parker *[Signature]*
John Tayloe — *[Signature]*

1767 26 Oct: interest money rec'd £61.14.3.

1770 Apr 28th By 1 years interest £25.0.0.

1767 7 Dec^r Recd 2nd part of the principal £1.

1772 By 9th for 1771 £25.0.0.

Northumberland District Court, April the 9th day 1790. and the debt after setting aside
the office Judgment obtained against them in this cause on the third day of this term
file their plea in these words, to wit, and the 8^d debt by Bushrod Washington their attorney
come to defend the force injury when & where to say that the 8^d p'tl his action ag^t therupon
ag^t them ought not to have maintained because they say that the s^t Mrs. Taylor in his lifetime
well & truly paid to the p'tl the sum in the debt, merit^d with all interest due thereon before
the exhibition of the suit of the 8^d debt ag^t them & thus they are ready to verify wherefore
they pray Judg^t of the 8^d p'tl his action ag^t them ought to have maintained.
Washington for debt^r to which p'sea the p'tl replies generally, & the trial of the issue is
continued till the next term.

At a district Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland
at Northumberland Courthouse, on Thursday the 9th day of September 1790. This day came
the parties by their attorneys, & on the motion of the p'tl & with the assent of the debt^r it is
ordered that the Continuance entered in this cause yesterday be set aside the debt^r were then
present

(173) Former p'sea, to say that they cannot deny the action of the p'tl. Therefore it is considered by the Court,
that the p'tl recover against the debt^r fourteen hundred pounds current money the debt in the
declaration mentioned & his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, to be levied of
the goods & chattels of the Testator in the hands of the debt^r, if so much thereof they have to be
administered, but if not then the costs to be levied of their own proper goods & chattels, the debt^r
in increments. But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of eight hundred thirty
pounds three shillings & four farthing with legal interest on four hundred & twenty three pounds
five shillings & six pence part thereof to be computed from the 8th day of this Month 'till payment
the costs.

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the district Composed of the Counties of
Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, On Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790.
Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came John How p'tl, & Griffin Garland & Joseph
Williams executors of John Rust dec'd. debt^r, the said p'tl by Mr^r. Heath his attorney brought into
Court his warrant 1.00 against the said debt^r, in custody of a pleas of trust on the

Sept. 1789. rule to declare
Oct. — filed rule for plea.
Nov. — further rule for plea.
Dec. — further rule for plea.

Jan'y 1790. further rule for plea.
Feb. — further rule for plea.
March — End "for want of a plea with wit of Law."
April — Court "

At a District Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland & at Northumberland Courthouse, on Thursday the 9th day of September 1790. This day came the parties by their Attorneys, on the motion of the deft. it is ordered that the Judgment obtained against them at the rules in the Clerks office in March last & the order for a writ of inquiry of damages be set aside, whereupon they plead now absconded, whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Charles Bowring, John Clutton, William Wroe, Thomas Hobson, Daniel Mosley, James Keanall, James Daugherty, Joseph Kidwell, Spencer George, John S. Elliston, Brutton Hill, Elias Edmunds, who were directed and sworn well & truly to try the issue joined. The fitl. being solemnly called came not, nor is he so far further prosecuted. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that he be now cast out of the debt so long without day. Here they recover against the fitl. five shillings damages by occasion thereof, their costs by them about their defense in this behalf expended. The fitl. in money £.

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Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Monday the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came William Herbert & John Potts of the firm of Herbert & Potts assignees of John Heite Junr. fitl. & James Ball Jr. James Gordon & William Syduor execs. of the last will & testament of Thaddeus McCarty dec'd. deft. and the said fitl. by Bushrod Washington their attorney brought into the said Court, their certain bill against the said deft. in custody ^{or} of a plea of debt; which bill follows in these words, to wit, Lancaster, to wit, w^m Herbert & John Potts of the firm of Herbert & Potts aff^{ns} of John Heite Jr. complain of James Ball Junr. James Gordon & Wm. Syduor execs. of the last will & testament of Thad. McCarty dec'd being in custody ^{or} of a plea that they render to them two thousand pounds specie which they unjustly detain from them for this, to wit, that whereas the s^r Thad. in his lifetime on the 15th day of October 1782, at the County of by his certain writing obligatory sealed with the seal of the s^r Thad. to the Court now here shewn the date whereof is on the same day & year acknowledged himself to be bound to the s^r John Heite Junr. in the s^r two thousand pounds to be paid to the s^r John Heite Junr. when he the s^r Thad. should be thereunto required whereas also the s^r John Heite Junr. afterwards, to wit, the 22^d day of October in the year 1786, at the County of the s^r writing obligatory signed to the s^r fitl. be endorsed the

hitherto altogether refused to pay & the S^t. def's. do yet refuse to pay the same
to the S^t. fil's. to the damage of the S^t. fil's. of £ 600. Wherefore they brings suit to
John Doe Richd. Gree. - Jno. - Buskward Washington for the pmt —

And the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, to wit,
I know all Men, by these presents that I Thaddeus McCarty of the County of Lancaster
(Virginia), am held & firmly stnd bound unto Mr. John Heite Jr.^r of the County of Frederick
his heirs executors administrators. Defigins in the penal sum of two thousand pounds specie for
value received to which payment well & truly to be made I bind myself my heirs executors
administrators. this 15th day of October anno domini 1782 - The Condition of the above obligation
is, that if the above named Thad. McCarty his heirs executors administrators shall well & truly
pay or cause to be paid unto the s^r John Heite Jr. his heirs executors administrators or defigins the
first sum of five hundred pounds of the like money on or before the 20th day of May
anno domini 1783, & the further sum of five hundred pounds like money on or before the
20th day of May anno domini 1786, with lawfull interest thereon from the s^r 20th day of
May 1783. Then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to be remain in full
power & virtue.

signed, sealed & acknowledged in presence of
Will^m. Barber, John Miller, W^m. Carter
William Webb. . . . }

Thad. W. Carty. - *Dealt*

Octo^r 1st day 1784. Then rec^d of the within three hundred pounds by me = Inv^t Wite Jr.
June 13. 1785. Then rec^d of Col^d Joseph Holmes two hundred & five pound fourteen
shillings & four pence with the interest = Inv^t Wite Jr.
Re? July 28th of Thomas White sixteen pound seventeen shillings & three pence

Alexandria 22nd October 1786, please to pay to H. Abbott & Botts the ballance due on
the within bond being with interest six hundred eleven pounds nine shillings
& six pence for value received,

April 1789. rule for appearance.

May — . Spd. Imparance.

Time — . rule to plead.

July — Cont'd.

August — . Byer.

Sept. — rule for fileas.

Novt. 1729. further rule for pleas.

Dec^r. — further rule for plea.

Jan'y 1790. Cont'd for file.

Feb 1 — Coul for flea.

Mar: _____. Indg: forward of plea.

Apd. — Office Judg. set aside paym
rept. before —

At a district Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster,

upon their oath do say, that the defts. testator in his lifetime did not nor the s^t. defts. since his death, have not paid unto the flts. the debt in the declaration mentioned, as the s^t. flts. by replying have alleged. They do also sue the damages of the flts. by occasion of the detention thereof to one penny. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the flts. recover against the defts. two thous and pounds specie the debt in the declaration mentioned, together with their damages of in form of aforesaid, other costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended, to be levied of the goods & chattels of the said testator in the hands of the defts. if so much thereof they have to be administered, but if not, the ¹ the Costs to be levied of their own proper goods & chattels, of the s^t. defts. in mercy. — But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of six hundred & six pounds twelve shillings & nine pence, with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 28th day of July 1785. to be paid, of the damages & costs.

Plead at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the district composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge only allotted to the said District —.

Be it remembered that was sent here from the General Court, according to the act of General Assembly, in such case made & provided, the record of a Judgment of the County Court of Westmoreland, obtained by John Rowand deft. at the suit of Bedrusina Ridder & Clark flts. on the 28th day of March 1787, for his costs, which record follows in these words, to wit, Know all men by these presents that Walker Mire & William H. Parker of the County of Westmoreland are held & firmly bound unto John Rowand of the County of Northumberland in the sum of seven hundred eighty seven pounds five shillings eight pence specie money of Virginia, to which payment to be made to the said John Rowand

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Rowand or his heirs executors, administrators, or assigns we bind ourselves each of us, our heires, executors, administrators, jointly severally firmly by these presents witness our hands & seals this 13. day of October 1786. The Condition of the above obligation is that whereas the above bound Walker Mire as Factor for Miss Bedrusina Ridder & Clark, merchants in London hath this day before Joseph Pearce one of the Commonwealths Justices of the peace for the County of Westmoreland prayed an attachment against the Estate of the above named John Rowand for this sum and value to have and to receive £1.00

return. Executed by summoning, Thomas Sanford, scrl. Thomas Stone, Reuben Sanford,
Vincent Marmaduke, Maj^r Geo. Lee Turberville, Capt. John Turberville, William Mar-
madike, Richard Sanford, Augustine Mooley & George Sheets as garnishers to the above
attachment.

Rob^t. Sanford. S.S.

At a Court, of Quarterly Sessions continued held for Westmoreland County, the 30.th day of
November 1786, present John Aug^r Washington, Joseph Purce, William Aug^r Washington,
William Nelson, & William Monroe Justices — Walker Muse Factor for Aug^r
Dedusina, Ridder & Clerk merchants having obtained an attachment against the Estate
of John Rowand, for £393. 12. 10. Specie due by Bond the Sheriff having made return
that he hath summoned Thomas Sanford scrl. Thomas Stone, Reuben Sanford, Vincent
Marmaduke, Major Geo. Lee Turberville, Capt. John Turberville, William Marmaduke
Richard Sanford, Augustine Mooley & George Sheets as garnishers, the deft. not appearing
the court solemnly called on the motion of the plts. by their attorney it is considered by the Court
that the plts. recoverage of the deft. the s^t & t^s qrs. 12. 10. Specie & their costs by them in this
behalf suspended. But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of £196. 16. 5 $\frac{1}{4}$
Specie with interest thereupon to be computed after the rate of 5 per centum, p. annum
from the 11.th day of July 1786, till payment the Costs — The garnishers declaring that they
are indebted to the deft. in the several sums following that is to say Thomas Stone £5. 3 $\frac{3}{4}$
Reuben

Reuben Sanford £16. 13. 8 $\frac{1}{4}$. Thomas Sanford scrl. £3. 13. 10. William Marmaduke £1. 12. 3 $\frac{3}{4}$.
Augustine Mooley £15. 0. 0. & Richard Sanford £9. 4. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$. and it is ordered that they each of
them pay unto the said Walker Muse as Factor as^r the sums affixed to each of their names
respectively & interest to this date towards satisfying this Judgment & Costs & continued for
Vincent Marmaduke, Maj^r Geo. Lee Turberville, Capt. John Turberville & George Sheets the
other garnishers — Also by — J^r Bland. C.W.C.

At a Court, of Quarterly Sessions continued held for Westmoreland County the 28.th day of
March 1787. Present, The Honble. Richard Henry Lee, John Turberville, Daniel McEarly, Esq.
Pierce, Richard Buckner, Samuel Rust, Richard Lee, John Monroe & William Monroe,
Justices — Maj^r Dedusina, Ridder & Clerk plts. ag^r John Rowand deft. attachment
This day came the parties by their attorneys to hearing the parties it is ordered that the
said attachment be dismissed it being proved that the said John Rowand was not an
abounding debtor at the time the said attachment was sued out against him. From
which judgment the plts. prayed an appeal to the General Court. Having given security
to prosecute the same with effect their appeal is allowed them — Also by — J^r Bland. C.W.C.
Virginia, Westmoreland County, do hereby certify that the foregoing proceedings are a
true copy from the records of the said County of Westmoreland — In Testimony whereof

same be reversed & affirmed, & the cause be
sent back to the said County Court, for further proceedings therein to be had against such
of the Garnishees who were summoned on the 5th. Attachment did not appear in the said
County Court.

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the District composed of the Counties of
Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of September
1790, Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered that was sent here from the General Court, according to the Act
of General Assembly, in such case made & provided, the record of a Judgment of the County
Court of Northumberland recovered by Rebekah Aberton Esq^r of James Aberton dec^d against Richard
Lee surviving exec^r of Newton Keene Esq^r dec^d for £77. 0. 6. besides her costs which Judg-
ment was superseded by a writ of supersedias, issued from the said General Court: which
record follows in these words, to wit, Pleas at the Courthouse of North^d County on
Monday the 14th day of August in the year of our Lord 1786, & in the 11th year of the
Com-

(178) Commonwealth. Before The Justices of the said Court - The Commonwealth of
Virginia, to the Sheriff of North^d County, greeting: we command you that you take
Richard Lee esq^r surviving exec^r of Newton Keene Esq^r dec^d if he be found within your
bailliwick, him safely keep so that you have his body before our Justices of our said
County Court, at the Courthouse thereof on the second Monday in August next to answer
Rebekah Aberton exec^r of James Aberton dec^d of a plea of trespass upon the case
damage one hundred fifty five pounds & have them there this and W^t Catesby, Catesby
Jones Clerk of our C^t Court at the Courthouse as^t the 9th day of May 1786, in the xth
year of our Independence - Catesby Jones - Whereupon the deft. being arrested &
not appearing tho' solemnly called, it was considered that Judgment should be
entered for the pl^t against the deft. for such damages as the pl^t had sustained by
occasional of the defendants non performance of the assumption in the declaration
mentioned to be levied of the goods & chattels of the said decedent Keene's if so much
thereof the deft. should have in his hands to be administered, which damages were
to be inquired of by a Jury at the next Court, unless the 2^d deft. should appear & plead
to issue - September 1786 - rule for pl^t to file declaration - October further rule for &
and at rules held in the office of the Clerk of the said County in November following
came the pl^t as^t by Richard Parker Esq^r her attorney brought here her certain bill
against the said deft. of a plea of trespass on the case, & there are pledges of prosecuting
so wit, John Doe & Richard Rose which said bill follows in these words, to wit, North^d
w^t, Rebekah Aberton exec^r of James Aberton dec^d complains of Richard Lee esq^r
as^t the 1st day of September 1786, in that whereas the 2^d deft.

pay the same to the damage of the said Rebecca £155. Therefore she brings this suit. &c. And the s^t. Rebecca brings her into Court, the letters testamentary of the said James by which s^r - Rich^d Parker for p^t t^r M^t B^r J^s d^r {
M^t B^r J^s d^r {
Wherupon the def^t. was allowed until the next rules to put in his plea to the p^t. action - December following further rule to plead -
And at rules held in the Office of the Clerk of the s^t. County in January 1787. came the parties a^p by their Attorneys a^p & a jury of the bystanders being impanelled came also, to wit, Henry Christopher, John Sebree, George Oldham Thomas Hobson, Moses Sutton, Thomas Marsh, William Cole, William Meale, James Cameron, Thomas Campbell, William Oldham & William Lewis, who being elected were sworn to speak upon the issue joined went out of Court, to consult of their Verdict; On Thursday following the Jurors a^p in presence of the parties a^p returned into Court, upon their oath do say that the Testator in his lifetime did assume upon himself in manner of form as the p^t. against him hath complained of this he did put himself upon the County, & the p^t. likewise. Therefore the trial of the issue was referred till the next Court.

And now at this day, to wit, on Wednesday the 15th of August in the year a^p came the parties a^p by their Attorneys a^p & a jury of the bystanders being impanelled came also, to wit, Henry Christopher, John Sebree, George Oldham Thomas Hobson, Moses Sutton, Thomas Marsh, William Cole, William Meale, James Cameron, Thomas Campbell, William Oldham & William Lewis, who being elected were sworn to speak upon the issue joined went out of Court, to consult of their Verdict; On Thursday following the Jurors a^p in presence of the parties a^p returned into Court, upon their oath do say that the Testator in his lifetime did assume upon himself in manner of form as the p^t. against him hath complained of this he did put himself upon the County, & the p^t. likewise. Therefore the trial of the issue was referred till the next Court.

Non Performance of that assumption to seventy seven pounds 8s 4d pence besides his costs
Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the p^t. recover against the def^t. her damages a^p in form a^p a^p & her costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended; to be levied of the goods & chattels of the said Testator Newton Heene in the hands of the def^t. to be administered if so much thereof he hath, but if not, then the costs to be levied of his own proper goods & chattels the s^t. def^t. in mercy &c. Memorandum at the trial of the last cause the counsel for the def^t. objected to the p^t. account going to the Jury as evidence, it being a store account not sufficiently proved, which was received, signed & sealed by the Court, ordered to be made part of the record in this cause, as follows viz. Newton Heene's Accts. ad^r James Abbottority
In case upon the plea of non assumpsit by the Test^r. Union a^p whereupon a Jury were duly impanelled & sworn Oath - And the p^t. to maintain & prove the issue on her part at the trial, gave in evidence a store account beginning in January 1769 ending July 11th 1770, for goods wares & merchandize sold & delivered to the def^t. Testator in his lifetime, by the Test^r. of y^e p^t. sworn in 1775 by a certain John Craine before John Smith Esq^r a Justice of y^e peace of County afterwards in 1785 signed by a certain John Rogers to y^e s^r John Craine; to which the def^t. objected also objected that the p^t. had not brought into Court the letters of administration she called for by the def^t. Whereupon the counsel

1 oz. th. 6. 2 yards wro.	7		
2 hanks silk 4 $\frac{1}{2}$. q ² . 15 best large Buttons 10 ⁰ .			
2 doz. Small Buttons 8 ² 1 ft. Boys Shoes 2 $\frac{1}{2}$.			
1 Boys Easter Hat			
	75 p.c. advance		
		8..10..1 $\frac{1}{4}$	

30. To 1 Watch Seal 3 $\frac{1}{2}$. 1 Geographic. Grammer 3 $\frac{1}{2}$.			
3 yds. lawn 15 $\frac{1}{2}$. 1 parcel of Hartshorn Ware 3 $\frac{1}{2}$.			
	75 p.c. advance		
		8..10..1 $\frac{1}{4}$	

Feb. 4. To 4 Drum hooks 4 ² . 1 switch half hunter 2 $\frac{1}{2}$.			
3 yds. Gartering 4 $\frac{1}{2}$. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ yds. D. S. Serge 6 $\frac{1}{2}$.			
	75 p.c. advance		
		8..5..0 $\frac{1}{2}$	

6. To 1 ft. Silver sleeve buttons			
10. To O. Wm. Toaks for sundries			
13. To 6 yds. Green bro. Cloth	8 $\frac{1}{2}$		
6 yds. Green Shalloon	2 $\frac{1}{2}$		
4 sticks of twine 1/6. 2 hanks silk 11 $\frac{1}{2}$.			
2 oz. th. 8. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ doz. big buttons 1/8.			
	2..6.		
	2..8..	1..4..	
	2..12..		
	2..7 $\frac{1}{2}$		
	2..2.		

15 Small buttons 6 ² 2 doz. Gilt sp. 1/8.			
6 doz. Martin ring			
10 ² Sheet			
	75 p.c. advance		
		6..7..1 $\frac{1}{4}$	
		4..4..	

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Feb. 14. To O. Geo. Reynolds			
To 1 ft. Girls shoes 2 $\frac{1}{2}$. 9 ft. sp. 2 $\frac{1}{2}$.			
1 ft. sp.			

16. To 6 oz. curtain rings 1/6. 1 doz. hat pins 3/6.			
1 ft. boys shoes 9 ² 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ sp. Tape 3 $\frac{1}{2}$. 2 drum lines 2 $\frac{1}{2}$.			
	75 p.c. advance		
		1..10..8 $\frac{1}{4}$	

28. To 2 buckle brushes 6 ² . 1 lock screw 6 $\frac{1}{2}$.			
6 ft. hinges			

March 16. To $\frac{1}{2}$ doz. large buttons 4 ² . 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ yds. Buckram 6 ² .			
2 doz. Shirt buttons 3 ² 2 lawn Apron 7 $\frac{1}{4}$.			
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ yds. Stuff 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ 2 pen knives 11 $\frac{1}{2}$.			
1 yd. Green Shalloon 11 $\frac{1}{2}$. 1 piece Tape 8 ² .			
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ doz. Needles 13 $\frac{1}{4}$, 2 yds. black silk farr 5 $\frac{1}{2}$.			
	75 p.c. advance		
		1..16..7	

26. To 3 yds. black lace	2 $\frac{1}{2}$		
April 7. To 2 doz. Large painters brushes			

14. To 1 Spade 3/6. 18 ² . To 1 broad ax 2 $\frac{1}{2}$.			
15. To O. Wm. Toaks for sundries			

1 yds. Striped Rib 3 $\frac{1}{2}$. 6 yds. 10 ² bro. sheeting 4/6.			
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ yds. Stuff	1 $\frac{1}{2}$		
	75 p.c. advance		
		1..11..3 $\frac{1}{4}$	

May 25. To 1 Easter Hat 3/6.			
June 19. To 1 Cuttac knife			

23. To 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ Gallows knur	2 $\frac{1}{2}$		
To 2 ft. m ² Shoes	3 $\frac{1}{2}$		
	75 p.c. advance		
		15..1 $\frac{1}{2}$	

Q. A. 1. To 2 ft. m ² maul			
		8..8..	

	3 doz. Vest buttons	11 9	
	6 1/2 yds. Common Shalloons	" 8 1/4	
	1 1/2 yds. Pocket fustian 1/3. 8 yds. blue silk for 7 1/4	" 2 7.	
		75 P.L.C. advance	75 " 11 " 2.
1769.		75 P.L.C. advance	
Augt. 30.	To 15 best rum	@ 6.	3 " 4 " 12.
Sept. 16.	To 1/2 doz. local Buttons		3 " 4 " 12.
Oct. 4.	To 2 yds. furring		1 "
	To 2 Combs 5 1/4" saddle bags 7/6		6 "
	To 4 80 30" Nails		11 "
Nov. 23.	To Col. Isaac Richardson Jr.		19 1/4 "
25.	To 1/4" large shares 1/3. 2 ft. 6 in. Sisers 1/4		9 " 9 " 4 1/2
		75 P.L.C. advance	2 " 2 " 8.
1770.		75 P.L.C. advance	6 1/4 " 2 1/4.
Janu. 11.	To 2 Toory combs @ 2. & horn d. in case 1/3.		1 " 1 " 3.
	1 nutmeg grater		1 " 1 " 7 1/2
17.	To 30 lbs shot		10 "
20.	To 1/4" Buckles 2 yds. nutmegs 2/6		5 " 3.
	4 narrow awes @ 9. 82 lbs. @ 4 1/4		8 .. 8.
22.	To 4 yds. G. Serge	@ 5 7/9	3 .. 13 1/4.
	5 yds. E. do.	2 1/2	
	1 doz. Laces 9" 2 oz. Cloves 3/4 2 oz. mace 1/2		8 .. 9.
	2 doz. bott. 1/3. 2 1/2" ginger 2/6		3 .. 3 " 9.
	To 1 sundries		5 " 7 1/2
23.	To 1/4" Shoe buckles		2 " 2 " 4.
	2 Sm. tin funnels 16" 1/4" Knee buckles 1/2		11 " 20.
	1/4" duck blankets 14/6. 6 3/4 yds. Smocks 16/8		6 " 3.
	1/2" paper 2/6. 2 " Ginger 2/6. 4 " Lettresses 1/3		2 " 9.
27.	To 1 hank silk 4/3 sticks twist		1 " 1 " 4.
Feby 7.	To 5 Gallons rum		19 " 13 " 9.
16.	To Col. Peter Lankin		2 " 2.
Apri. 7.	To 2 Sticks Mohair 1/4. 2 oz. 1d. 10"		1 " 1 " 4.
	1 doz. Vest buttons		19 " 8 " 14.
1770.	4 3/4 Gallons rum		10 " 15 " 4.
May 17.	To Col. negroe Harry		5 " 5 " 6.
June 7.	To 2 hanks silk		8 " 9 " 4.
July 11.	To 2 Gallons rum		10 " 15 " 4.
	To 10 lbs Soap sugar	@ 11 1/4	5 " 5 " 6.
	To Col. Mrs. Waugh Jr.		89 " 9 " 6.
1769.	contra		contra
Feby 4.	By a Watch Seal 9/6 Sterling	is \$ 0.6 1/4	6 "
July 11.	By 3 yds. Sheers 10/3 3/4	is 18 0 1/4	
Augt. 9.	By 1/2 bar. Corn fl Mr. Waugh	4 " 6.	
Sept. 16.	By 3 doz. Vest butt. & 1/2 doz. large do. 2 1/4. steel	4 "	4 " 5 1/4
1770.	By honor in 30" Nails 53/11 3/4	4 " 4 " 5 1/4	
Mar. 8.	By Mrs. Ann Taite	9 " 4	
		5 " 12 " 6.	

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To a Judgment of the County Court, of North^r, recovered by the deft. against the plt. the 15th day of August 1787, for seventy seven pounds & 16 pence of the Costs - This day came the parties by their attorneys, therupon the transcript of the record of the Judgment of being seen inspected, it seems to the Court, here that the said Judgment is erroneous, in this, that the said County Court, on the trial between the parties, admitted evidence, logo to the jury, which was by law inadmissible. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the same be reversed remitted, that the plt. recover against the deft. his costs by him expended in the prosecution of his writ of ^chancery, & it is ordered that the cause be sent back to the said County Court, for a new trial to be had therein between the parties.

Plead at the Courthouse, of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Bridger Haynie exec. of Margaret Boyd dec^d Adm^r. of David Boyd gent dec^d plt. & Thomas Hobson & John H. Fallon defts. the said plt. by Alex^r Campbell his attorney brought into the said Court, his certain bill against the said defts. in custody &c of a plea of debt, which bill follows in these words, to wit, & North^r County, to wit, Bridger Haynie exec. of Margaret Boyd dec^d Adm^r. of David^r Boyd dec^d complains of Thomas Hobson & John H. Fallon in custody &c of a plea, that they render unto them the s^r plt. the quantity of 4780. of crop Tob^r which the s^r defts. owe to the s^r plt. Justly detain from him for this, to wit, that whereas the s^r deft. on the 27th day of November in the year of our Lord 1782, by their bill obligatory sealed with their seals to the Court, now here shewn, the date whereof is the same day & year acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the s^r plt. in the just quantity of 2390. of crop Tob^r & cash to be paid to the said plt. on or before the 10th day of May then next ensuing the date of the said bill, to the said payment well stably to be made, the s^r defts. firmly bound themselves their heirs, executors & administrators in the quantity of 4780. of crop Tob^r first above mentioned, the s^r plt. in fact says that the s^r defts. did not on or before the s^r 10th day of May pay to the s^r plt. the s^r last mentioned quantity 2390. of crop Tob^r which upon or before that day they ought to have paid to him according to the form and effect of the s^r bill, whereby an action has accrued to the s^r plt. to demand of the s^r deft. the s^r first above mentioned 4780. of crop Tob^r notwithstanding the s^r defts. although often required, have not yet paid the s^r first mentioned 4780. of Tob^r to him the said plt. but hitherto have refused to pay the same to him, to the damage of the s^r plt. of £10. Thereupon he brings suit, &c pledges of pros. Jno. Doe v. H. H. Law - Alex^r Campbell p. 2. -

thousand three hundred & twenty pounds & crop Tob^d. & cashes on or before the 10th day
of May next ensuing for value received to which payment well & truly to be made
from we bind ourselves each of us, each of our heirs executors Administrators &c^r in the sum
sum of four thousand seven hundred eighty pounds of the like Tob^d. as witness our
hands & seals this 27 day of November 1782. — Thomas Hobson ^{Seal}
& Scnts. of John Smith, Hawlegh Lekeinstⁿ 3^r John H. Fallon ^{Seal}
March 15th 1788. Rec^d of Thomas Knott D.S. one th^d Tob^d. No^d 1074th on ac^t of his son
Thomas Edwards.

The referees that were appointed in this cause returned their award in these words, to wit,
Agreeable to an order of the trouble the district court, composed of the Counties of North
Westm^d, Richm^d & Lancaster, bearing date the 8th day of September 1790. We the sub-
scribers have examined the several Bonds & Bills together with the payments said to
be made & now submitted to us by the execs. of David Boyd dec^d & Thomas Hobson &^r agreeable

Agreeable to the said order of court, do find that the said Thomas Hobson & John H. Fallon
are indebted to the s^d execs. in two thousand three hundred & twenty three pounds of crop
Tob^d. with lawfull interest thereon to be computed from the 27th day of November 1782, till
paid, and also the further sum of three hundred twenty pounds of crop Tob^d. with lawfull
interest thereon to be computed from the 10th day of May 1783, till paid. And we do award
the same to be paid to the s^d execs. by the s^d Thomas Hobson & J. H. Fallon & that the s^d execs. upon
the receipt whereof do execute to the s^d Thos. Hobson & Thos. H. Fallon, a release or releases for all claims
or demands on the s^d Bonds & Bills hereby submitted to us, together with the costs of said
2373th Smt. from 27th Nov^d 1782.

2373th Oct^d from 10th May 1783.

After Campbell.

William Brown

Sept^d 1789. C. order o^r defts. & Robert Conway dec^d — Oct^d C. o^r defts. dec^d confirmed.
North^d District Court, April the 3rd 1790. John Rogers came into court, undertook for
the defts. that in case they shall be cast in this suit, they will pay & satisfy the condemnation
of the Court, or render their bodies to prison in execution for the same, or that he the said
John Rogers will do it, for them — and the said defts. paid payment to which the p^t.
rep^d generally & the trial of the issue is continued till the next term.

In a district court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland,
at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 10th day of September 1790. This day came the parties
by their attorneys, & the persons to whom all matters in difference between them were referred, this
day returned their report in these words, to wit, Agreeable to an order of the trouble the district court,
composed of the Counties of North^d Westm^d, Richm^d & Lancaster, bearing date the 8th day of September 1790.
We the subscribers have examined the several bonds & bills, together with the payments thereto said to be
made & now submitted to us by the execs. of David Boyd dec^d & Thomas Hobson &^r agreeable to the said order
of Court. Do find that the said Thomas Hobson & John H. Fallon, are indebted to the said execs. in two thousand
three hundred & twenty three pounds of crop Tobacco, with lawfull interest thereon to be computed from
the 27th day of November 1782, till paid, & so the further sum of three hundred twenty pounds of crop Tob^d.
with lawfull interest thereon to be computed from the 10th day of May 1783, till paid, & we do award the

day of May 1783, till paid, in the said award mentioned, the costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. The debts in money to —.

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790. Before Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered was sent here from the General Court, according to the act of General Assembly, in such case made & provided, the record of a Judgment of the County Court, of Northumberland, recovered by Thomas Thompson afft. of Walter Jones esq. of William Flood dec'd against Richard Lee, on the 18th day of August 1787, for £ 600. current money of Virginia, besides his costs, which record follows in these words, to wit,

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, on Monday the 10th of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred eighty five and in the 16th year of the Commonwealth, Before the Justices of the said Court —

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Be it remembered that heretofore, to wit, at a Court held for the said County the same day year aforesaid came Thomas Thompson afft. of Walter Jones esq. of William Flood dec'd by Andrew Washington his Attorney brought him into Court, his certain Bill against Richard Lee esq. of a plea of debt. There were fildges of prosecuting, to wit, John Doe & Richard Roe, which said bill follows in these words "North^d Esq. Thomas Thompson afft. of Walter Jones dec'd complains of Richard Lee being in custody &c of uplet that he render to him six hundred pounds current money of Virginia, which to him he owes thirtynine dollars for this, to wit, that whereas the said Richard on the 27th day of June in the year of our Lord M DCC LXIX or the County aforesaid by his certain writing obligatory sealed with the seal of the said Richard to the Court here above the date whereof is the same day year acknowledged himself to be bound to the aforesaid William Flood in the said £ 600. to be paid to the said William when he the s^d Richard shoud be threwn into gaol also the said Walter Jones afterwards, to wit, the 12th day of February in the year of our Lord MDCCLXIX or North^d of the said writing obligatory aforesaid to the said Thomas by ordering the aforesaid of the said Walter of the writing obligatory aforesaid on that writing obligatory of which said aforesaid he the said Thomas afterwards to wit, the same day year gave notice to the said Richard by reason of which said premises according to the form of the act of Assembly in that case made & provided an action accrued to the s^d Thomas as afft. of the s^d Walter to demand there of the s^d Richard the said £ 600. nevertheless the s^d Richard altho' often required the s^d £ 600. to the same William Flood in his lifetime or to the said Walter Jones after the death of the said William or to the s^d Thomas or to any of them hath not yet paid, but the same to the said William in his life time or to the said Thomas after his death or to the said Thomas or to any of them shall

aforsaid, whereupon the said debt hath that he oweth nothing of the debt in the account
supposed in excess or from the fit against him hath complained of this he putteth
himself upon the country, the fit likewise, therefore the trial of the issue was referred till
the next Court to be held for the said County. — and now at this day, to wit, on
Saturday the 18th of August 1787, came the parties aforesaid by their attorneys aforesaid
whereupon came also a Jury, to wit, Royston Covington, George Oldham, Fortunatus Pitman,
John Roberts, Haynie Thomas and, William Denny, Coulson Daugherty, Thomas Keene, Catharine
Barclay, Edwin Rogers, Peter Alexander, George Ball who being elected tried to swear the
truth to speak upon the issue joined upon their oath do say that the debt doth owe to the
fit. the debt in the declaration mentioned as the fit. by replying hath alledged they do
affess the fit. damages by reason of the detention thereof to one penny besides his costs;
whereupon the said debt saith that the court ought not to proceed to judgment upon the
bond aforesaid for the reasons following "That the bond upon which the fit. has founded his
action aforesaid from 4th face of it sheweth that it is an usurous contract, contrary to the act of
Assembly in such case made & provided for that the s^d debt. had given his writing obligatorily to
a certain Doct: William Flood in his lifetime bearing equal date with the writing upon
which the action is founded for £90. being six years interest before the bond became due
furthermore for error saith that the s^d Walter Jones has affised the said bond to Doctor
Thomas Thompson for value rec^d in his own private capacity trust in his afores^d qual-
ification as law^r of the said Doctor William Flood "an consideration whereof it is the
opinion of the Court, that the facts as stated in the said errors are without foundation
that the same be overruled. Wherefore it is considered by the Court, that the fit. recover
against the debt. six hundred pounds current money of Virginia his debt aforesaid plus
costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended the said debt in money &c But this
judgment is to be discharged by the payment of three hundred pounds of like money
with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 1st day of April 1777, till paid
together with the damages aforesaid & the costs.

(13) From which judgment the said debt by his attorney prayed an appeal to the eighth day of the
next General Court, which is granted him upon his entering into Bond with security in the
Clerks office according to law within one month. Know all men by these presents
that we Hannah Corbin of the parish of Cosby County of Westmoreland Richard Lee esq^r of the
same parish & County are held & firmly bound unto William Flood of Cosby parish & County of
Westmoreland afores^d gent. in the full sum of six hundred pounds current money of
Virginia to be paid to the said William Flood his certain attorney his exec^s adutors or assigns to
which payment will stably to be made, we bind ourselves jointly severally our joint several
heirs exec^s adutors, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated this 27th day of June
anno domini one thousand seven hundred & seventy one. — The condition of the above obligation
is such that if the above bound Hannah Corbin Richard Lee or either of them, their or either
of their heirs exec^s adutors do shall well stably pay or cause to be paid unto the said William
Flood his heirs exec^s adutors or assigns the sum of three hundred pounds current money of
Virginia on or before the first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred &
seventy seven, without any interest on or payable for the same, the interest on the said three
hundred pounds being otherwise secured to the said William Flood in a separate bond, then
the above obligation to be void, otherwise to stand remain in full force power virtue
signed sealed delivered in the presence of

David Boyd, Rubin Jordan

Hannah Corbin

Richard Lee

Sealed

July 12. 1785. I assign all claim interest in this bond to Thomas Thompson adutor of the estate

first day of April 1777, till payment, with one penny damage & costs. From which Judgment
the said Richard Lee hath appealed to the next General Court, if therefore he said Richard Lee shall
effectually prosecute the said appeal & pay the judgment aforesaid tall such costs & damages as shall
be awarded by the said General Court, in case the judgment aforesaid shall be affirmed then the
above obligation to be void else to remain in full force & virtue.

Sealed & delivered in the presence of

Wm. Whitlock

Richard Lee

L.S.

Wm. D. Garner

C.S.

plts. Costs ... 187¹⁰ Gro. Tot. 876/6
affs. Costs ... 168. do. do. 0 15/7.

Acctg. Date,

William Whitlock, Esq. A.C.

20th ap. 1785, I do allow a credit to be entered as of this day on the back of the Ex^{ec} of £75.

N.B. The above Credit is allowed for a negro
purchased of Elisha Hall.

John Warden &
George Lee Turberville, for
Thomas Thompson.

Oct^r. 1787. Court^r
Apr^r. 1788. Court^r
Dec^r. — Court^r

June 1789. Court^r
Nov^r. — Court^r
ap^r. 1790. Court^r

At a visiting Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland,
at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 10th day of September 1790, Upon an appeal from a
Judgment of the County Court, of North^d recovered by the Appellee against the appellant the 18th day of
August 1787, for £600. some penny damage & the costs. But to be discharged by the payment of £30
with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 1st day of April 1777, till paid the damages & costs.

This day came the parties by their attorneys, whereupon the transcript of the record of the Judge-
ment aforesaid being seen & inspected, it seems to the Court here that there is no error in the said Judgment - Therefore it is considered by the Court, the same be affirmed that the Appellee
recover against the appellant damages according to law for retarding the Execution thereof. & his
Costs by him about his defense in this behalf unpended.

Plead at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the district composed of the Counties of
Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790, Before
Saint George Tucker Esquire Judge duly allotted to the said District.

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Be it remembred that there was sent here from the General Court, according to the act of
General Assembly in such case made & provided, the Record, of a Judgment recovered by Mary
Attwell & her two Advisors of Thomas Attwell dec^r against Thomas Sorrell for £167-18-3.
besides their costs, which Judgment was superseded by a writ of Supreme Court issued from
the Clerks office of the said General Court; and which record follows in these words, to wit,
The Commonwealth of Virginia, to the Sheriff of Westmoreland County greeting. we command you
that you take Thomas Sorrell if he be found within your bailiwick. Name affly, so that you have
his body before the Justices of our said County Court, at the Courthouse of the said County, on the
last Tuesday in next Month to answer Mary Attwell & her Advisors of Thomas Attwell
dec^r of a plea of debt for one hundred & fifteen pounds four shillings three pence curr: money
damage twenty shillings have then there this writ. witness Richard Bernard Clerk of

therefore by reason whereof the d^r fil^s. saith he is worth thath damage to the value
of £ 116. 4. 3. therefore he brings his suit. death for the fil^s. for the deft. Pledges
sir John Doe Richard Roe - Westmorel^d Sct. March quarterly court 4/787 - Mary
Cowell & Fleet Cos. aduers. or^r of Thomas Attwells dec^d fil^s. against Thomas Sorrell att^r. in debt.
This day came the parties by their attorneys & thereupon came a Jury to wit, Richard Neale, Wm.
Noe, Jeremiah Garner, Charles Morris, John Hunter, John Burkett, Richard Surford, John
Bailey Brown, George & Turberville, Rob^r Thomas, Thomas Templeman, John Rice, who
being elected and sworn the truth to speak upon the issue joined upon their oaths do
say that the deft. did assume in manner of form as the fil^s. against him in pleading both
alleged, & they do assess the damages of the fil^s. to £ 167. 18. 3. besides their Costs. Therefore
it is considered by the court that the fil^s. recover against the deft. the said £ 167. 18. 3. &
their costs by them about their suit in that behalf expended of the said deft. in money or
otherwise ... 315 w^w yrs. 266.
Def^t 110
W^w attend^w 925. law fee 157 or 150. 266^w

Fi: Fa: 2. May 1787 —

Alesphy Teste.

(F) Land, C.H.C.

Westmoreland Sct. I do hereby certify that these copies are justly truly taken from
the different proceedings in the suit of Attwells adm^{rs} against Sorrell —

Oct ^r 1787	Court ^d	June 1789	Court ^d	Land, C.H.C.
Apr ^r 1788	Court ^d	Nov ^r —	Court ^d	"
Oct ^r —	Court ^d	Apr ^r 1790	Court ^d	

At a distinct court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumb^r at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 10th day of September 1790, Upon a writ of supersedeas
to a Judgment of the County Court, of West^r recovered by the deft. against the fil^s. in March 1787 for
£ 167. 18. 3. the Costs — This day came the parties by their attorneys, & thereupon the transcript of the
record of the Judgment afores^d being seen & inspected, it seems to the court, here that the said Judgment is
erronous in this, that the declaration joins a demand due to the Intestate of the deft. Some are
to themselves in their own right in one action. Therefore it is considered by the court, that the cause
be recovered demanded that the fil^s. recover against the said deft. his Costs by him expended in
the prosecution of his writ of^r here, to be levied of the goods & chattels of the said Intestate in the hands of
the deft. if so much thereof they have to be administered, but if not, then the same to be levied of their son
major goods, chattels. It is further considered by the court, that the said cause be dismissed that
the fil^s. recover against the deft. his Costs in the County Court —

Pls at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the district composed of the Counties of Richmond
Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Wednesday the 1st day of September 1790 Before
said George Tucker Esq^r Judge duly allotted to the said district —

Be it remembered that there was sent here from the General Court, according to the act of General
Assembly in such case made & provided, a certain action, depending in the said General Court, Between
Archibald McCall fil^s. & John Gordon deft. together with the papers wherein the proceedings in which
are as follows, to wit, at a General Court, held at the Courthouse in the City of Richmond, on the day
of 17^r, came the said fil^s. & issued out of the said General Court, his writ of Capias, to wit, The
Commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of North^r County greeting: you are hereby commanded to
take John Gordon if he be found within your bailiwick, then safely keep, so that you have his body
before the Judges of the General Court, at the Courthouse in the City of Richmond, on the 8th day of
October next to answer Archibald McCall of a plea of trespass on the Case damage four hun-
dred fifty pounds there then there this writ. Witness, Paul Buntington Esq^r Chief Justice of our

at Northumberland Courthouse, on Saturday the 5th day of September 1790. This day came the parties by their attorneys. The deft. waves his former plea, saith that the plts. hath sustained damages by occasion of the nonperformance of the subscription in the declaration mentioned to two hundred & thirty pounds current money. Therefore with the assent of the plts. it is considered by the Court, that the plts. recover against the deft. his damages aforesaid in form aforesaid acknowledged. and the plts. agrees that he will pay his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, that the execution of this Judgment shall be stayed twelve months.

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Pls at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the district composed of the counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Friday the 1st day of April 1791. Before Joseph Brutus & Joseph Jones Esquires Judges duly allotted to the said district.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Alexander Henderson, Robert Ferguson & John Gibson, merchants & partners in trade in Dumfries, plts. & John Monroe suit. deft. and the said plts. sued out of the said Court, their certain writ of Capias against the said deft. in these words, to wit, The Commonwealth of Virginia, to the Sheriff of Westmoreland County, greeting: you are hereby commanded to take John Monroe suit. if he be found within your bailiwick, same safely keep, so that you have his body before our Judges of the district Court, at the next Court, to be held at Northumberland Courthouse to answer Alexander Henderson, Robert Ferguson & John Gibson, merchants & partners in trade in Dumfries, of a sum of debt for five hundred & thirty eight pounds fourteen shillings & a half pence damage fifty pounds. Have then done this writ witness, Thomas Edwards Clerk of the said Court at the Courthouse aforesaid the 19th day of March 1791, in the 15th year of the Commonwealth.
and the Sheriff return thereon, is in these words, to wit, Thomas Edwards.
Executed & signed Harvey appearance bail = Francis W. Smith, J. S. C.

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On a circuit Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Friday the 1st day of April 1791. This day came as well the plts. by their attorney as the aforesaid in his proper person, & the said deft. acknowledges the action of the plts. Therefore with the assent of the plts. it is considered by the Court, that they recover against the deft. five hundred & thirty eight pounds fourteen shillings & one half pence the debt in the declaration mentioned other costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended & the deft. in money &c. But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of two hundred & sixtieone pounds seven shillings & one farthing with legal interest to be computed on two hundred and fifty two pounds eleven pence farthing per cent thereof from the 11th day of May 1789, the like interest to be computed on sixteen pounds fifteen shillings & nine pence the balance, from the 19th day of January last past till paid the costs. and the plts. agree to stay the execution of this Judgment until the first day of March next ensuing.

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Pls at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the district composed of the counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Friday the 1st day of April 1791. Before Joseph Brutus & Joseph Jones, Esquires Judges duly allotted to the said district.

On a circuit Court, held at the same Court, came Alexander Henderson, Robert Ferguson

Judgment is to be recovered by the payment of money into court with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 5th day of May 1789 till paid the costs.

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Friday the 1st day of April 1791. Before Joseph Prentiss & Joseph Somes Esquires Judges duly allotted to the said district.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came John Gordon, Jr. & Elizabeth Craine & James Tapscott attorneys of James Craine dec'd and the said plt. by his Thos Heath his Attorney brought into the said Court, his certain bill against the said defts. in these words, to wit, North County, to wit, John Gordon & otherwise called v. v. complains of Elizabeth Craine & James Tapscott attorneys of James Craine dec'd for that whereas, to wit, on the day of in the year 17th, at the parish of Venny of the said defts. intestate was indebted to the s^r. plt. in the sum of £100. specie by his certain note in writing commonly called an order, or in law Bill of Exchange, for the sum of £100. specie, drawn in the name proper hand writing of the said Intestate in his lifetime, in the words following, to wit, "Please pay to Mr. John Gordon or order the sum of £100. pounds specie this receipt shall be your discharge" for value rec'd. of the s^r. plt. on a certain Col^r John Taylor dec'd late of the County of Lancaster which was duly protested in form for want of payment by the s^r. John Taylors attorney since his decease agreeable to an act of Assembly in such case made & provided being so indebted the said defts. intestate did afterwards, to wit, on the day of in the year 17th at the parish of Venny appear to the s^r. plt. well & truly to pay the contents of the same but the s^r. plt. in fact says that at the said defts. intestate in his lifetime did not pay the said sum of £100. specie to the said plts. nor neither hath the said defts. since the death of the said Intestate had the same or any part thereof to the said plt. wherefore thy reason thereof the said plt. has an action therefor

(10) Therefore accruing v. v. under an act of Assembly v. v. the said plt. says he is injured of damage to the amount of £200. pounds therefore he brings his suit - John Heath pro plt. - John Doe Rich & Roe pledges of prosecution.

April . . . 1789 . . . alias Capt.
Sept. Sp. Impariment.
Oct. rule for plea.
Nov. Same.
Dec. Same.

Jan'y . . . 1790 . . . Rule for plea.
Feb'y Same.
Mar'y December Term.
Apr'y December Term.
Sept' Contd.

At a distinct Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland at Northumberland Courthouse, on Saturday the 2nd day of April 1791. This day came the parties by their attorneys, the defts. withdraw their demurrer in this suit & therefore they plead non obumpar by their Intestate & non obumpar by themselves, to which second plea the plt. replies generally, whereupon came a Jury, to wit, Alexander Johnston, Thomas Sorrell, William Tibbs Servt^r, John Rowand, George Harvey, John S. Kesterson, William Morris, Peter McElanahan, Thomas W. Brightlett, John Brightlett, Benjamin Middeton & Thomas Mitchell, who being elected tried & sworn well & truly to try the issues joined, whereupon the plt. being solemnly called came not in his suit further prosecuted. Whereupon it is considered by the Court, that he be nonsuited, that the defts. go hence without a day, that they recover against the said plt. five shillings damages by occasion thereto. Their costs to be there-

on the day of in the year of our Lord 1789 at the County of had notice by which the force of the
Act of Assembly aff^d an action hath accrued to the s^r. p^ls. the s^r. £100. 13. 10. 85/6^d due interest on
the said £100. 13. 10. at the rate of 10 p^t centum p. annum. up to the s^r. p^ls. the s^r. £100. 13. 10. 85/6^d
Interest as af^d or any part thereof to the said p^ls. altho' often required have not yet paid nor hath
either of them paid but the same to pay hitherto have altogether refused to do refuse to the
damage of the said p^ls. of Thereupon they have brought suit v.^r. pledges v.^r. Dr. Mich. R. C.
Alamphele p. 2. — and the said Bill of exchange in the declaration mentioned follows in these
words, to wit, Virginia, July 27th 1789, 24th for £100. 13. 10. sterl. At sixty days sight of this my
second of Exchange (my first, third & fourth of same tenor & date not paid) to John Monroe or
to his order the sum of one hundred pounds thirteen shillings & six pence sterling money of
Great Britain for one hundred thirty four pounds five shillings & 6^d currency here received / at
time make payment & place to account as advised by Theodorick Bland To Messrs Bland and
Satterthwaite merch^t London.

(190) Please to pay the within to Major Thomas Streshley or to his order - John Monroe July 28. 1789.
Please to pay the within to Henderson, Ferguson & Gibson, merchants in Dumfries or to their order -
Thomas Streshley July 28. 1789 - Pay to the order of Messrs Henderson, Gordon Riddle &c value
in account - Henderson Ferguson & Gibson - Henderson, Gordon Riddle &c Co. — Virginia
July 27th 1789, 24th for £100. 13. 10. sterl. At sixty days sight of this my first of Exchange
(my second third & fourth of same tenor & date not paid) pay to John Monroe or to his order
the sum of one hundred pounds thirteen shillings & 6^d sterling money of Great Britain
for one hundred thirty four pounds five shillings & 6^d currency here received / at time
make payment & place to account as advised by Theodorick Bland - To Messrs Bland and
Satterthwaite merch^t London - Endorsed please pay the within to Major Thos. Streshley
or to his order In^r. Monroe July 28. 1789 - Please to pay the within to Messrs Henderson,
Ferguson & Gibson merchants in Dumfries or to their order Thomas Streshley July 28. 1789 -
Pay to the order of Messrs Henderson, Gordon Riddle &c Co. in account Henderson Ferguson
& Gibson - On the 23rd day of September one thousand seven hundred eighty nine at the
request of Messrs Robert & Hugh Ingram & James Sutherland, Notary Publick dwelling
in London duly admitted Sworn exhibited the original Bill of Exchange above copied
to Messrs Bland & Satterthwaite on whom the same is drawn & demanded acceptance
thereof who answered that it could not be accepted for want of advice; Whereupon the said
Notary at the request aforesaid did & do hereby solemnly protest against the Drawer of the
said Bill & all others concerned for all Exchange reexchange costs damages interest already
suffered to be suffered for want of acceptance thereof thus done in the presence of Nebe-
nial Baker Metcalfe & James Sutherland Junior Witnesses / —

(191) J. A. Sutherland Not. Pub.

24th for £100. 13. 10. sterl^r Virginia, July 27th 1789, At sixty days sight of this first of Exchange
(my second third & fourth of same tenor & date not paid) pay to John Monroe or to his order the
sum of one hundred pounds thirteen shillings & six pence sterling money of Great Britain for
one hundred thirty four pounds five shillings & 6^d currency here received / at time make payment
& place to account as advised by Theodorick Bland To Messrs Bland & Satterthwaite merch^t
London - Endorsed please pay the within contents to Major Thos. Streshley or to his order
In^r. Monroe July 28th 1789 - Please to pay the within to Messrs Henderson, Ferguson & Gibson
merchants in Dumfries or to their order Thomas Streshley July 28th 1789 - Pay to the order of
Messrs Henderson, Gordon Riddle &c Co. value in account, Henderson, Ferguson & Gibson -
Henderson, Gordon &c Co. - On the 25th day of November one thousand seven hundred and
eighty nine at the request of Messrs Robert & Hugh Ingram & James Sutherland, Notary

Protest .. 5/6.
Messrs N. H. &
Ingram.

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sets. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the p[et]ts recover against the deft. the sum of one hundred and thirteen shillings six pence Sterling the debt in the declaration mentioned, together with five shillings six pence Sterling for the Costs & charges of protest with interest on the said debt to be computed after the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 27th day of July 1789, till this day, from this day after the rate of five per cent per annum till paid, Other costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended & the deft. in money £ 8.

Plead at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the district composed of the Counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Friday the 1st day of April 1791. Before Joseph Prentis & Joseph Jones Esquires Judges duly allotted to the said District.

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Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Alexander Henderson, Robert Ferguson & John Gibson, joint partners in trade under the form of Henderson, Ferguson & Gibson, p[et]ts and Theodorick Bland & John Monroe alts. & the said p[et]ts by A. Campbell their attorney brought into the said Court, their bill against the said deft. in custody of a. of aple of 1789; which bill follows in these words, to wit, Northumberland County vs. Alexander Henderson, Robert Ferguson, & John Gibson, joint partners in trade under the form of Henderson, Ferguson & Gibson, complainants of Theodorick Bland & John Monroe, of aple that they render unto them the sum of £ 48. 9. 2. Sterling Interest thereupon at the rate of 10 p. cent from the 27th day of July in the year of our Lord 1789, according to the form of the Act of Assembly in such case made & provided, which to them they are fully & certain of, for that whereas the said Theodorick on the said 27th day of July in the year of 1789 at the County of, made his Bill of Exchange in writing with his own hand subscribed bearing date the same day before to M[rs] Blund Battenwaite merchant London directed by the said Bill required the said Blund Battenwaite at sixty days after sight of his second bill of Exchange his first third of fourtenth of the same tenor & date not paid to pay to John Monroe or to his order the sum of £ 48. 9. 2. Sterling money of Great Britain for £ 64. 12. 3. currency, here, to wit, at the County of received the said John Monroe by an Indorsement on the said Bill with his own hand subscribed & Indorsed, ordered the said sum of £ 48. 9. 2. Sterling to be paid to the said p[et]ts. the same so indorsed to the said John Monroe & in him there deliver which said Bill afterwards that is to say on the 15th day of November in the year aforesd at London a/c for want of payment of the same by the said Blund Battenwaite was according to the custom of merchants in due form protested the charge of which protest amount to 16. sterl. of all which sumes the said Theodorick & John afterwards, to wit, on the day of in the year of our Lord 1789, at the County of had notice by which the force of the Act of Assembly a/c an action hath accrued to the p[et]ts. to demand & have of the said Theodorick & John the said sum of £ 48. 9. 2. & 16. sterl. with on the said £ 48. 9. 2. at the rate of 10 p. centum p. annum, for the said Theodorick & John the said sum of £ 48. 9. 2. & 16. interest a/c or any part thereof to the said p[et]t. altho' often required have not yet paid nor hath either of them paid but the same to pay hitherto have altogether refused either to the damage of the said p[et]ts. Thereupon they have brought suit to the judges of John Doe & Richard Roe a. Campbell &c. — and the Bill of Exchange in the declaration mentioned follows in these words, County, Virginia July 27th 1789. Due for £ 48. 9. 2. Sterling at sixty days sight of this my second of Exchange / my first third of fourtenth of same tenor & date not paid / pay to John Monroe or to his order the sum of forty eight pounds nine shillings & two pence Sterling money of Great Britain for sixty four pounds twelve shillings three pence currency here received / at time make payment place to account as advised by Theodorick Bland To M[rs] Blund Battenwaite Drft mchd London — Please pay the within to M[rs] Henderson, Ferguson & Gibson, merchants of Beaufries or to his order,

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Appt. - 5--
16/-
Supt. Robt. Hugh
Ingram

since currency here received at time make payment & place to account as advised by Theodorick Bland -
To Mys^{rs} Bland & Tattershaw merc't. London - London - please pay the within to Mys^{rs} Henderson,
Ferguson, Gibson merc't. of Dumfries or to their order In^r. Monroe July 28. 1789. pay to the order of
Mys^{rs} Henderson, London, Reddell V.C.P. value in account - Henderson, Ferguson, Gibson - Henderson,
Gordon, Reddell V.C.P. - On the 25.th day of November one thousand seven hundred eighty nine at the
request of Mys^{rs} Robert Hugh Ingram & James Sutherland, notary publick dwelling in London aforesaid
admitted Sworn exhibited the original Bill of Exchange above espes to Mys^{rs} Bland & Tattershaw on
whom the same is drawn & demanded payment of its contents (the time limited for payment of the said Bill
since the first presentation thereof being now out delayed) who answered that it could not be paid for want of
advice & whenceupon I the said notary at the request aforesaid did hereby solemnly protest against the draw
of the said bill & all others concerned for all Exchange may change, costs, damages & interest already suffered to be
suffered for want of payment thereof thus done in the presence of Nathaniel Parker Metcalfe James Sutherland
Sworn witness -
Sgt^r - J^r Sutherland Not. Pat.

(192) April. . . . 1790. . . . Special Enquiry.
May. . . . Rule to Plaintiff.
June. . . . haym^r by Bland Crule for
replied. V.C. order or. Monroe

July. . . . 1790. . . . replied. V.C. order as to Bland
V.C. order copy or. Monroe.
Sept. . . . Court.

At a certain Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster, Northumberland & Durham?
Courthouse, on Monday the 4.th day of April 1791. This day came the parties by their attorneys, the deft.
waives his former plea & saith that he cannot deny the action of the p[et]t. Therefore it is considered by the
Court, that the p[et]t. recover against the said deft. forty eight pounds nine shillings two pence sterling
the debt in the declaration mentioned, together with sixteen shillings sterling for costs & charges of
protest, with interest on the said debt to be computed after the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the
27.th day of July 1789, till this day, from this day after the rate of five per cent per annum till paid
other costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. & the deft. is mercy &c.

Please at the Courthouse of Northumberland County for the district composed of the Counties of Northumberland,
Westmoreland, Lancaster & Durham, on Friday the 1.st day of April 1791. Before Joseph Prentiss and
Joseph Jones Esqrs. Judges duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came William Brent p[et]t. v. London Carter deft.
and the said p[et]t. by John Heath his attorney brought into the said Court, his certain bill against
the said deft. in custody & of aplea of trespass on the case, which Bill follows in these words, to wit,
Lancaster County, to wit, W^m Brent, otherwise called D^r W^m Brent Doctor, complains of London
Carter v. d^r in custody & for that whereas the s^r deft. on the 18.th day of March 1789, at the parish
of Wicomico County of^r was indebted to the s^r p[et]t. in the sum of £ 221. 15- lawful money of England,
for diverse services done & performed by the s^r p[et]t. to the s^r deft. to the special use & benefit of him
the s^r deft. at the special instance request of him of s^r deft. Tales on the day of 1789, the s^r deft.
was indebted to the s^r p[et]t. for certain work & labour done & performed by the s^r p[et]t. according to the
reasonable worth of 4^r s^r Work - all enumerated in an acc^t here in court produced, & the s^r
deft. being so indebted, in consideration whereof, afterwards, to wit, the same day & year a^r at
the parish & County of^r affirmed upon his word to the s^r p[et]t. that other faithfully promised,
that he the s^r deft. would well & truly pay or content the s^r p[et]t. the s^r sum of £ 221. 15-

up the Judgment in this cause, in not entering the same for interest on the amount thereof from the date of the same till paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plts. recover against the deft. legal interest on the amount of the said Judgment to be computed from the date thereof till paid.

(103) Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Friday the 1st day of April 1791. Before Joseph Prentis & Joseph Jones Esquires Judges duly allotted to the said district.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came John Reid & Stanwick Ford plts. and Elizabeth Rust deft. and the said plts. sued out of the said Court, their certain writ of Capias against the said deft. which follows in these words, to wit, The Commonwealth of Virginia, to the Sheriff of Westmoreland county, greeting: you are hereby commanded to take Elizabeth Rust if she be found within your bailiwick, then safely keep, so that you have her body before the Judges of the district Court, at the next Court, to be holden at Northumberland Courthouse to answer John Reid & Stanwick Ford of a plea of debt for thirty three pounds six shillings & four pence damage £ 5. Have then there this writ. witness, Thomas Edwards Clerk of the said Court, at the Courthouse aforesaid the 13th day of July 1790, in the 15th year of the Commonwealth. Thomas Edwards. And the Sheriff's return hereon, is in these words, to wit, Executed vagrancy, John Middleton, S. M. C.

Sept. 1790. Court

Oct. 1790. Rule for despatch of deft. costs.

At a district court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Courthouse, on Monday the 4th day of April 1791. This suit is despatched, the same being agreed by the parties, it is considered by the Court, that the plts. recover against the deft. their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended & the deft. in mercy v.

Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Friday the 1st day of April 1791. Before Joseph Prentis and Joseph Jones Esquires Judges duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came Walter Tomlin plt. & James Gordon deft. and the s^t. plt. sued out of the said Court, his certain writ of Capias against the s^t. deft. which follows in these words, to wit, The Commonwealth of Virginia, to the Sheriff of Lancaster County, greeting: you are hereby commanded to take James Gordon if he be found within your bailiwick, then safely keep, so that you have his body before the Judges of the district Court, at the next Court, to be holden at Northumberland Courthouse, to answer Walter Tomlin of a plea of debt for one hundred fifty seven pounds six shillings eight pence damage twenty pounds have then there this writ. witness, Thomas Edwards Clerk of the said Court, at the Courthouse aforesaid, the 21st day of August 1789, in the 14th year of the Commonwealth. Thomas Edwards and the Sheriff's return hereon is in these words, to wit, Executed the 16th day of November 1789, James Tapscott appearance Bail - S^t. Ball Sheriff - & His Chowning, D.S. - And the Bond on which this suit was instituted follows in these words, to wit, Know all men by these presents that James Gordon of the County of Lancaster am held & firmly bound unto Walter Tomlin of the County of Northumberland in the sum of £ 100.00 to be paid to the said Walter

December in the year of our Lord 1785 - The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound James Gordon his heirs execs or aduersaries shall well truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Walker Tomlin his heirs or execs the full sum of twenty eight pounds thirteen shillings & four pence specie, then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force, power, Virtue.
Signed, seal'd & delivered, in the presence of
Thomas Glascott

James Gordon



Sept. 1789 at Capias
April 1790 C. Order

May 1790 C. Order confirmed

At a distinct Court, held for the district of Nelmanord, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, at Northumberland Countyhouse, on Friday the 3rd day of September 1790. This day came the parties by their attorneys, the deft. having given special bail, on his motion it is ordered that the Judgment obtained against him & the trial for his appearance at the rules in the Clerks Office in May last be set aside, & thereupon the said deft. pleads payment, to which the plf. replies generally the trial of the issue is continued at the next term - And at another Court, held for the aforesaid, on Thursday the 7th day of April 1791. This day came the parties by their attorneys, the deft. waves his former plea & with that he cannot deny the action of the plf. Therefore it is considered by the Court, that the plf. recover against the deft. one hundred & fifty seven pounds six shillings eight pence, the debt in the declaration mentioned this unto him about his suit in this behalf expended the deft. in mercy &c. But this Judgment is to be discharged by the payment of twenty eight pounds thirteen shillings & four pence, with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 16th day of December 1785, till paid the costs -

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Pleas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the Counties of Nelmanord, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Friday the 1st day of April 1791. Before Joseph Prentis & Joseph Jones Esquires Judges duly allotted to the said District.

Be it remembered that at the same Court, came George Brent afe^{ee} of William Lubbard, who was afe^{ee} of Charles Lubbard & Guardian to William Lubbard, orphan of Joshua Lubbard, plf. & George Morris deft. The said plf. sued out of the said Court, his certain writ of Capias against the said deft. which follows in these words, to wit, The Commonwealth of Virginia, to the Sheriff of Lancaster County, greeting: you are hereby commanded to take George Morris to be found within your bailiwick there safely keep, so that you have his body before the judges of the district Court, at the next Court to be holden at Northumberland Countyhouse, to answer George Brent afe^{ee} of William Lubbard, who was afe^{ee} of Charles Lubbard & Guardian to William Lubbard, orphan of Joshua Lubbard of a plea of debt for thirty two pounds damage ten pounds there then there his writ. Writs, Thomas Edwards Clerk of the said Court, at the Courthouse of the 21st day of August 1789, in the 14th year of the Common wealth.

Thomas Edwards

and the Sheriff return thereon is in these words, to wit, Executed the 18th day of March 1790, on George Morris & Wm. Brown & Thos. Garner appearance bail - James Bell & Thos. Channing Jr. and the Bond on which this suit was instituted follows in these words, to wit, Know all men by these presents that I George Morris of the County of Lancaster State of Virginia do stand guilty indebted unto Charles Lubbard as Guardian to William Lubbard orphan of Joshua Lubbard afe^{ee} the full & exact sum of sixteen pounds of good Lawfull money of Virginia, with Lawfull interest thereupon demand to which payment well truly to be made above I bid myself my heirs execs & in the several sum of thirty two pounds of the like, money in the Writs whereof I have set down

too pounds damage ten pounds have then there this writ witness Thomas Edwards clerk of the said court at the courthouse at the 21st day of August 1789 in the 14th year of the Common wealth.

Thomas Edwards.

and the Sheriff return thereon is in these words, to wit, executed the 18th day of March 1790 on George Norris & Wm Brown & Thos Garner appearance bail - James Bell & J. Thos. Channing &c and the Bond on which this suit was instituted follows in these words, to wit, know all men by these presents that I George Norris of the County of Lancaster State of Virginia do stand guilty indebted unto Charles Hubbard as Guardian to William Hubbard orphan of Joshua Hubbard &c the full & just sum of sixteen pounds of good lawfull money of Virginia, with lawfull interest thereupon demand to which payment well truly to be made above I bid myself my heirs executors &c in the several sum of thirty two pounds of like money in Writs whereof I have set my hand & seal this 28th day of February in Year our Lord 1788 -

George Norris. C. Hubbard

Signed & delivered in presence of George Brent, Charles Brent }

I affirm the within Bond to William Hubbard, given under my hand this 18th day of May 1789 - Charles Hubbard - I affix the within bond to George Brent for value received, given under my hand this 18th day of May 1789 -

William & Hubbard his

Tert. Charles Brent - }

I William Hubbard of Lancaster County as this 21st day of April 1789, ^{mark} acknowledge & confess to have received of George Norris the sum of fourteen pounds fifteen shillings & six pence for an ac't of a bond which Charles Hubbard my late Guardian gave me to collect from the s^r Geo: Norris as a part of my fathers estate amounting to the sum of sixteen pounds which bond the s^r Norris gave to Charles Hubbard the 28th day of February 1788 on demand which appears from the s^r Norris book. But the s^r Wm Hubbard not having the above mentioned bond with him we cannot give the credit for the above pay'd but obliges himself to come bring & deliver the above mentioned bond to the said Geo: Norris in a short space of time take the s^r Geo: Norris note of hand for the Ball^d due which is two pounds two shillings & six pence I do agree to divide the s^r Geo: Norris to give him a credit until the 20th day of Novr 1791 draw of interest without my hand seal the day date above -

Witness present, Elijah X Ponifull ^{his} mark

Thos. Garner

William & Hubbard ^{his} mark

Sept: 1789 A. C. copies.

Apr: 1790 C. order

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Sept: 1790 Pay^d for my. Court

at a distinct Court, held for the district of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland at Northumberland Courthouse on Thursday the 7th day of April 1791. This day came the parties by their attorneys, whereupon came also a jury, to wit, William Hutt, Edward Wall, Thomas Sorrell, Lewis Alexander, Stephen Self, Robert J. Heath, Nathaniel Butter, John S. Hesterton, Thomas Heene, George Dison, John Clinton & Robert Ferguson, who being elected tried & sworn well & truly to try the issue joined upon their oaths do say that the deft. Norris hath paid the debt in the declaration mentioned in manner & form as the deft. William Brown & Thomas Garner in pleading have alledged. Wherefore it is considered by the Court, that the plf. take nothing by his Bill but for his false claimant be in money & that the deft. go thence without a day, otherwise recover against the plf. their costs by them about their defense in this behalf expended.

Plas at the Courthouse of Northumberland County, for the district composed of the counties of Richmond, Westmoreland, Lancaster & Northumberland, on Friday the first day of April, 1791. Before Joseph Prunis & Joseph Jones Esquires Judges duly allotted to the said District.