

Liber B B

M^r White and M^r Brooks takes their Seates

Alexander D'hyniosa p^lt } the p^lt sues as in petⁿ folio 419 the deft
 Coff: Nath: Vtie Deft } denying that euer hee tooke the tobacco
 p^r force but wth the Consent of the said Morgan. Some witnesses
 being in this Cause wanting it is deferr'd till next Prouinciall Court,
 and the said D'hyniosa now departing the Country, his Oath is de-
 sired to be left behinde concerning some more of his the said Vtyes
 contemptuous and scandalous words uttered by him ags^t his Lō^{p^s}
 rule & Gouvernm^t here, which is as followeth—

Alexand^r D'hynoyossa late Gouverno^r of New Amstell aged 35
 years or thereabouts maketh Oath—

That he was in the howse of Coff Nathaniell Vtie and told him it
 would doe better for hime to deliuer this deponant his tobacco againe,
 which he had disposed off, after hee this depon^t had receiued and
 marked it wth his owne proper marke, which was Contrary to the
 law of this Country, And the said Nathaniell Vtie answered this
 depon^t twice he knew uery well what Country he was in, to which
 this depon^t answered and I know uery well in what Country I am,
 and the thirde time Coff: Vtie replyed I knowe uery well I am in the
 Kings Country, to which this depon^t reply'd, but that notwithstand-
 ing in the Jurisdicōn of my Lord Baltemore, to which the said Vtye
 reply'd, my Lord has lost the thirde parte of his Country allready
 [p. 486] That is Delaware & the whole Kill and it may be will loose the other
 two partes too, then this depon^t asked him for what reason and he
 said my Lord hath allwayes writt himselfe Absolute Lord and Pro-
 priet^r of this prouince, he is no Absolute Lord the King is Absolute
 Lord, I answered him yo^w doe not know what yo^w speake, in the
 time when yo^w were in Comm^{con} for Josias ffendall to demand the
 towne att Delaware yo^w proposed to us that my Lord was a souer-
 aigne Lord & a little while afterwards yo^w Resolved to turne out yo^r
 soueraigne Lord wth Josias ffendall and yet my Lord has pardoned
 yo^w and now yo^w see some oppertunity to affront my Lord againe
 yo^w turne Coate Once more, afterwards I told hime that he would
 doe well to deliuer me my tobaccoe againe by reason it was markt
 and receiue by mee the deponant if soe be yo^w will not yo^w will haue
 trouble about this bussinesse, he answered laughing at it what he had
 done was by Order from the King and that he had past his bill of
 sale to Abraham Morgan for the Negro in the name of his Ma^{tie} and
 as his Ma^{ties} Attorney he was forct to looke after his Interest and
 that he knew the Nigro was stole out of the fforte after S^r Robert
 Carre had sold him to Hanns Block I answered him that it would
 neuer be prou'd this negro was in the fforte, but that he was a Negro
 properly belonging to mee the Depon^t and that he was deliuered me
 by Peter Aldrick 3 weekes after the fforte was taken by the English
 to which the said Vtye reply'd that he knew better, and that S^r Robert