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torny Saith that whereas the Said John Russell the fourth day of May in the yeare of Our Lord God One thousand Six hundred Seventy & two by his certaine writeing Obligatory Sealed with the Seale of the said John and here in Court produced whose date is the day and yeare first abovewritten was held and firmly bound to Walter Carr of Ann Arrundell County planter in eighteene thousand and twenty pounds of good sound well conditioned merchantable tobacco and caske to contene the same To be paid to the Said Water Carr or to his certaine Attorney his executors adm<sup>rs</sup> or assignes To w<sup>ch</sup> payment well and truly to be made and done he the said John did bind himselfe his executors and administrators firmly by those presents Notwithstanding which the Said John the Said eighteene thousand and twenty pounds of tobacco to the said Walter though often thereunto required hath not paid according to the tenor of the Said writeing but the same to pay hath refused and as yet doth refuse whereof the Said Walter Saith he is worse and hath damage to the value of twenty thousand pounds of tobacco & thereupon he bringeth his Suite.

And the aforesaid John by Thomas Bland his Attorney doth come and defend the force and and injury when &c. and prayeth heareing of the writeing aforesaid and it is read unto him he prayeth also the heareing of the Condition of the Said writeing aforesaid and it is read unto him in these words The Condition of this Obligation is Such That if the abovebounden John Russell his heirs executors adm<sup>rs</sup> and assignes or any of them shall and doe well and truly pay or cause to be well and truly paid unto the abovenamed Walter Carr or to his certaine Attorney his executors adm<sup>rs</sup> and assignes the full and just quantity of nine thousand and ten pounds of good Sound well conditioned merchantable leafe tobacco in caske upon the tenth day of November now next ensueing the date abovewritten in some convenient place upon the Clifts abovesaid without any fraud or further delay that then this present abovewritten Obligation shall be void and of none effect otherwise to stand and remaine in full force Strenght and Virtue. which being read and heard the Said John prayeth liberty of Speakeing hereunto untill the next Provinciall Court and it is granted him the same day is given to both parties.

Now here at this day to witt the 14<sup>th</sup> day of October in the 43<sup>th</sup> yeare of his Lo<sup>pps</sup> Dominion &c Came the said Walter and John by their Attornyes and the Said John Saith Nothing in barr of the action aforesaid of him the Said Walter Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said Walter Carr recover against the said John Russell aswell the Summe of nine thousand and ten pounds of tobacco the debt aforesaid as also the summe of Seven hundred fifty nine pounds of tobacco for his costs and charges in this behalfe laid Out. and the said John in mercy &c.