

And whereupon the said Jonathan by Kenelm Cheseldyn his Attorney Saith that whereas the Said Thomas Norris the two and twentieth day of December in the yeare One thousand six hundred seventy One did by his certaine writeing Obligatory Sealed with the seale of the Said Thomas here in Court produced whose date is the Same day and yeare abovewritten acknowledge himselfe holden & firmly bound unto the Said John Morecroft of the City of s<sup>t</sup> Maries Gent in the full and just summe of foure hundred pounds of tobacco to be paid to the said John Morecroft or to his certaine Attorney his heirs executors adm<sup>rs</sup> or assignes upon demand at some convenient place in Chester River to which payment well & truly to be made he did bind himselfe his heirs executors & adm<sup>rs</sup> firmly by those presents notwithstanding which the Said Thomas the said Sume of foure hundred pounds of tobacco to him the said John in his life time hath not paid according to his Said writeing Obligatory nor to the said Jonathan Since his death to whom administration of all and Singular the goods & chattells of the said John after his death was committed but the same to pay hitherto hath and still doth deny to the damage of the said Jonathan the summe of twelve hundred pounds of tobacco and thereupon he bringeth his suite.

And the Said Jonathan bringeth also here in Court the Letters of adm<sup>con</sup> to him granted that it may appeare to the Court here that he is administrator of the Said John & thereupon to have administration.

And the Said Thomas by Mathew Warde his Attorney cometh and defendeth the force and injury when &c and prayeth liberty of Speakeing hereunto untill the next Provinciaall Court the same day is given to both parties.

Now here at this day to wit the ninth day of february in the yeare One thousand six hundred Seventy five came the said Jonathan by his Attorney aforesaid and offered himselfe against the Said Thomas in the plea aforesaid but the said Thomas came not but made default Therefore it is granted by the Court here that the Said Jonathan recover against the said Thomas Norris aswell the summe of foure hundred pounds of tobacco the debt aforesaid as also the Summe of \_\_\_\_\_ pounds of tobacco costs of suite.

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