

pounds of tobacco[e the debt] aforesaid also the Sume of two hundred and Sixteen pounds of tobaccoe [his damages] by Occation of detaining the Said Debt to the Said William Conley of his Assent by the [Court here] Adjudged etc. And the Said Richard Addis in mercy etc.

The aforesaid Action was transmitted out of the Records of Calv[ert County].

William Dent plantiffe: Joseph Stevens Defendant.

The plantiffe by Christopher Gregory his attorney Sues the Defendant for Ei[ght] hundred thirty four pounds of good Sound Marchantable Leafe to[bacco] and Caske due by bill as by the Said bill dated the 14th day of June 1692 and decler[ation] Appeareth etc.

And the Said plantiffe by his attorney aforesaid haveing Issued out two writts against [the] Defendant which Said two writts by the Sheriffe of this County was Returned that [the] Defendant was not to be found in his balywick and alsoe have Caused a Coppy of the [Cause] of Action to be left att the place were the defendants Last aboade was in this County [and] further it is testified on the behalfe of the plantiffe here in Court that the Sa[id] Defendant is a Forreinor and no Inhabitant in this province Whereupon the S[aid] plantiffe by his Attorney aforesaid prayeth an attachment against the goods and Ch[attles] and Creditts of the Said Joseph Stevens as well for the Said Sume of Eight hundred thir[ty] four pounds of tobaccoe the debt aforesaid as alsoe the Sume of three hundred Sixty pounds of tobacco to the Said William Dent for his Cost and Charges in this behalfe Expended And by the Court here it is granted unto him etc.

Gaven Hambleton plantiffe: William Jones Defendant.

Prince Georges County Ss. William Jones otherwise called William Jones of Prince Ge[orges] County was Sumoned to answer unto Gaven Hambleton of a plea that he rend[er unto] him the Sume and quantity of Six hundred and Sixty one pounds of good well Conditioned tobaccoe and Caske to Containe the Same whi[ch] to him he owe[d and] unjustly deteyneth etc.

And whereupon the Said Gaven by William Stone his attorney Saith that whereas the Said William [the] 23d day of February in the yeare of our Lord 1693 [1694] at Charles Towne within the Jurisdiction of this [Court by] his Certaine bill obligatory which the Said Gaven with the Seale of the Said William signed [brings] here into Court the date whereof is the day and yeare aforesaid Acknowledged himselfe [indebted unto] the Said Gaven in the Said Sume and quantyty of Six hundred and Sixty one pounds of good sound we[ll] Conditioned tobaccoe and Caske to be paid to the Said Gaven upon Demand at some Convenient[t place] att the western branch of Pattuxon to the which payment well and truly to be made the Said Willi[am] bound himselfe firmly by the Said bill nevertheless the Said William the Said Sume and qua[n]tity of 661 lbs. of tobaccoe aforesaid and Caske although often Required the Same to the Said Gav[en has] not Rendered but hath hitherto Refused and Still doth Refuse to the Damage of the Said Gaven [illegible] lbs. of tobaccoe and thereof he bringeth his Suite etc. William Stone.

Pledges etc. John Doe, Richard Roe.

The plantiffe by his attorney Sues the Defendant for Six hundred Sixty and one pounds of tobaccoe by bill as by Decleration filed appeareth etc. And