of his said bill obligatory though often thereunto required hath not payd but he said to pay hath refused and denyed and to pay the said debt he refuse and deny to the damage of the said Edward Hyde 2000 lb of Tobacco and therefore he brings his suite — And the said Francis Patterson by Anthony Underwood his Attorney comes and defendes the force and injury when &c. and prayes his liberty to imparle hereunto but he not probis nisi Court dind it is granted unto him the said day is given to the pltt also — Now here at this day to wit the sixte day of October in the Ninth yeare of the Dominion of Charles &c. Anno Dni 1684 came the said parties by their Attorneys aforesd. and the said Francis Patterson for plea saith he hath the said Francis hath payd the summe of Twelve hundred p eight pounds of Tobacco part of the said debt in this appearing to the Court by letter considered that the said Edward Hyde Recover against the said Francis Patterson the summe of six hundred and fifty pounds of Tobacco the remainder of the debt aforesaid as also the summe of pounds of Tobacco Cost of suite —

Edward Hyde ag. Owen Gwynder } Maryland ss.

Owen Gwynder late of St. Maries County otherwise called Owen Gwynder of St. Maries County planter was summoned to answer unto Edward Hyde in a plea that he render unto him the full summe of two thousand three hundred seaventy seaven pounds of Tobacco in Cases which he him he owes and from him unjustly detaines —

And whereupon the said Edward Hyde by Richard Hartington his Attorney hath he that whereas the said Owen Gwynder the second day of July Anno Dni 1683 by his bill obligatory sealed with the seale of him the said Owen and in Court produced, owned date the same day and yeare aforesd. did bind himselfe his heires &c. and admrs. to pay or cause to be payd unto the said Edward Hyde of the aforesaid County Merchant his executors admrs. or assigns the full summe of two thousand three hundred seaventy seaven pounds of good sound merchantable tobacco in Cases sufficient for shipping in St. Maries County at or upon the tenth day of October next ensuing the date thereof Notwithstanding which the said Owen Gwynder the sum 2377 lb of Tobacco to him the said Edward Hyde according to the tenour of the said bill obligatory though often thereunto required hath not payd but he same to pay hath refused and denyed and to pay the same as yet doth refuse &c. deny whereupon the said Edward saith he is damnified and hath losse to the value of 3500 lb of Tob. And whereupon he brings his suite —

And the said Owen Gwynder by Francis Dowman his Attorney comes and defendes the force and injury when &c. and prayes his liberty to imparle hereunto to the next provinciall Court and it is granted unto him the said day is given to the pltt likewise — Now here at this day to wit the Ninth day of October in the Ninth yeare of the Dominion of Charles Anno Dni 1684 came the said Edward Hyde by his Attorney aforesd. and offered himselfe against the said Owen Gwynder who hereunto not but made default whereupon it is considered by the Court here that the said Edward Hyde Recover against the said Owen Gwynder the summe of two thousand three hundred seaventy seaven pounds of Tobacco the debt aforesaid as also the summe of Eight hundred thirty two pounds of Tobacco Cost of suite and the Deft in Mercy &c. /

Griffith Jones ag. Thomas Pattison } Maryland ss.

Thomas Pattison of Dorchester County stands attached to answer to Griffith Jones one of the Attorneys of this Court according to his liberties and priviledges against much in a plea of Trespasse upon the Case.

And whereupon the said Griffith in his person complaines that whereas the said Thomas Pattison the last day of June in the yeare of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred Eighty three at the City of St. Maries in St. Maries County within

the Jurisdiction of this Court did there upon him selfe a promise and to the said Griffith faithfully promise that in consideration no further proceedings might be prosecuted against him the said Thomas in a certaine Action brought against him by John Edmondson then depending in the provinciall Court of the said province that he the said Thomas would truely and satisfy to the said Griffith the summe of three hundred pounds of Tobacco which he requested doing and for a fee as Attorney for the said John Edmondson in the said action against him the said Thomas and the said Griffith in fact saith that the said John Edmondson nor the said Griffith as Attorney for the said John as aforesaid did not prosecute or proceed further in the suite there as aforesaid depending by the said John against the said Thomas in the provinciall Court aforesaid but that upon the promise and assumption aforesaid the said suite ceased, Notwithstanding the said Thomas the said promise & assumption not minding or regarding but fraudulently intending the said Griffith in the same to defraud and deceave the said summe of 400 lb of Tobacco to the said Griffith hath not payd although the said Thomas afterward the day yeare and place aforesaid was requested but he same to pay hath hitherto refused and still doth refuse to the damage of the said Griffith 800 lb of Tob. and therewpon he brings the suite —

And the said Thomas Pattison by Abraham Clayden his Attorney comes &c. defendes the force and injury when &c. and prayes his liberty to imparle hereunto to the next provinciall Court and it is granted unto him the said day is given to the pltt also —

Now here at this day to wit the Seaventh day of October in the Ninth yeare of the Dominion of Charles &c. Anno Dni 1684 came the said Griffith Jones in his own proper person and the said Thomas Pattison by his Attorney aforesaid likewise came and saith he cannot gainsay the action aforesaid whereupon it is considered by the Court here that the said Griffith Jones Recover against the said Thomas Pattison the summe of three hundred pounds of Tobacco the debt aforesaid as also the summe of pounds of Tobacco cost of suite and the Deft in Mercy &c. /

Anthony Underwood & Robt. Ridgeley ag. John Hudson } Maryland ss.

John Hudson late of Dorchester County planter was attached to answer unto Anthony Underwood and Martha his wife Exors of the last will & testamt of Robert Ridgeley Gent deceased of a plea of Trespasse upon the Case —

And whereupon the said Anthony and Martha by Anthony in their proper person complaine that whereas the said Robert in his life time (to wit) the 17. day of February in the yeare of our Lord 1680 there and continually afterwards to the time of his death was out of the Attorneyship of the provinciall Court of the said province the said John Hudson in consideration that the said Robert at the speciall instance and request of him the said John at the suite of the said Lord Prop. upon a certaine writ of fieri facias sued out of the high Court of Chancery of the said province against the said John Hudson and returnable to the provinciall Court aforesaid the said John Hudson did there and then assume upon him selfe and to the said Robert in the said life time did faithfully promise that he the said John him the said Robert his Exors what he should reasonably deserve for the same would well and truely content and pay when thereunto he required. And the said Anthony & Martha in fact say that the said Robert in his life to wit the 17. day of February aforesaid 1680 aforesaid did appeare as Attorney for the said John Hudson at the suite of the said Lord Prop. upon the fieri facias aforesaid in the provinciall Court aforesaid which by the Record of the said Court it doth and may appear and the said Anthony & Martha further in fact say that the said Robert for the said did reasonably deserve the summe of Eight hundred pounds of Tobacco being the