And now here at this day to wit this Eleventh day of January Anno Domini 1708 ~~and~~ the said Mr. Thomas Laurence by William Taylor his attorney comes and defends the force and injury when &c. and prays liberty to imparle hereunto which is granted by the Court and the day is given the plaintiff also ~~~

And for that it appears to the Justices here the same day & year that the matter in controversy depending between the said parties is wandering & mutuall payments and receipts upon a long continued account between the said parties ~~&c~~ to be stated and examined — before it is proceeded upon to ~~trial~~ judgment by the said Court Samuel Young Esq. William Hardy Esq. and Mr. Charles Green Gent. & Mr. William Taylor are by the Court here at order and with the advice and consent and at the prayer of the Defendant and of the plaintiff elected and appointed to be Auditors indifferently to hear the said parties and thereupon it is commanded and appointed the said Samuel Young Esq. William Hardy Esq. and the said Mr. Charles Green Gent. and Mr. William Taylor to examine state settle and adjust the said accounts between the said parties and in order to such and do ~~&c~~ about the stating & adjusting of the same accounts as any Auditors in such case appointed might or ought to do and that as soon they have the same so stated and adjusted they make report thereof to the next Court to be held for this County the second Lunday in March next and also of what tobacco they find due to either of the said parties upon the said account that the Mr. or his Justices may further proceed therein being duly informed of the premisses to do & execute all and singular what appertains and what they make report thereof to the said precept &c.

And now here at this day to wit the fourteenth day of March Anno Dni 1703 being the second Lunday of the same month came as well the said plaintiff and Defendant by their attorneys as also the said Samuel Young Esq. William Hardy Esq. and Mr. Charles Green Gent. the Mr. & Court of the Auditors aforesaid who make report as follows viz.

Accordinge to the tenor of the Court Order we have met & with mutuall consents & advice to accomodate & examine the accounts between the said parties and find the balance to be Eight hundred and twenty two pounds of tobacco due to the said Mr. Laurence from the said Mr. Hoard as appears by the said accounts which we have annexed to our report.

And upon the dispute between Mr. Richard Hoard Administrator and Mr. Thomas Laurence Gent. Administrator of Colony we have inspected the said accounts and upon the part of the plaintiff as Defendant did do find that the accounts of the said Hoard & his Administrator is justly stated amounts four hundred twenty two pounds of tobacco due by John Walton Esq. late Mr. Thomas Laurence deceased to the said Hoard for which the balance due to Mr. Hoard stated appears to be the sum of four hundred and five pounds of tobacco & a half — Mr. Thomas Laurence drawn out of such Hoard's hands after stated in the said accounts which we refer to the consideration of the honorable Court. Samuel Young Charles Green Gent. & Hardy —

Which being read and heard the said plaintiff by his attorney aforesaid doth complain against the said Defendant in a plea of the said Defendant in a plea and prays that he may answer and the said Mr. Thomas Laurence by his attorney aforesaid comes and defends the force and injury when &c. and saith nothing in bar or answer of the action of the plaintiff. And as to the plaintiff's Bill of Complaint against the said Mr. Thomas Laurence altogether and defendant.

Whereupon it is considered by the Justices here the same day and year that the said Susanna Hoard administratrix of the said Richard Hoard do recover against the said Mr. Thomas Laurence Barrn. at the time of the said Richard Hoard four hundred and five pounds of tobacco the debt for damage found due upon the balance of accounts aforesaid to the plaintiff the said Richard Hoard and five pounds of tobacco the debt for damage found due upon the balance of accounts aforesaid to