Maryland ss

William Clayton late of Talbot County Gent als dict William Clayton Junr of
Ats His Majesty — Talbot County in the Province aforesaid Gentleman was Summoned to Answer
Jt William Clayton Junr unto Our Soveraigne Lord the King that now is of a plea that he render Unto
the said Soveraigne Lord the King His full and just Quantity of two hundred
thousand Pounds of good Sound Merchantable Leaf Tobacco and Cask which from the
said Lord the King he unjustly Detaineth &c —

And Whereupon Thomas Bordley Esqr his Lordship's Attorney Generall who for the said Lord
the King that now is prosecuteth Saith that whereas the aft William Clayton the Eighteenth
Day of June in the Year of Our Lord God Seventeen hundred and thirteen at Annarundell County
by his Certain Writing Obligatory Did Acknowledge himself to be holden and firmly bound unto
her late Majesty Queen Anne of great Brittain &c in the aft two hundred thousand
Pounds of Tobacco to be paid to the said late Queen her Heirs and Successors when Afterwards he should be thereunto required. Nevertheless the aft William Clayton Altho often required
the aft two hundred thousand pounds of Tobacco to the said Lady the Queen or to the now
Lord the King hath not rendred but the same to the said Lady the Queen or to the now Lord
the King hitherto to render hath refused. And the same to the said Lord the King to render still
doth refuse to the Damage of the said Lord the King four hundred thousand pounds of Tob.
And this the said Thomas Bordley for Our said Lord the King is ready to verifie &c And he
brings here into Court the Writing Obligatory aft which Testifies the Debt aft in form aft whose
Date is the Day and Year Aboveaid —

And the said William Clayton Junr by James Earle his Attorney Comes and
Defends the force and Injury when &c And prays Leave to Imparle hereunto Untill next
Court And he hath it And the same Day is given to the said Thomas Bordley Esqr Attorney
Generall who &c Also —

At which said Court to wit the 13th Day of October Annoq Dni 1719
Comes again as well the said Thomas Bordley Esqr Attorney Generall who &c As the said
William Clayton Junr by his Attorney aft And the said William Clayton Junr by his
said Attorney prays further Leave to Imparle hereunto Untill next Court And he hath it
And the same Day is given to the said Thomas Bordley Esqr Attorney Generall who &c Also.
At which said Court to wit the 12th Day of April Annoq Dni 1720 Comes again
the said Thomas Bordley Esqr Attorney Generall of the Lord Proprty who for the said Lord
the King in this behalf prosecuteth And prays that the said William Clayton Junr to the
Declaration aft in the plea aft may Answer but the said Wm Clayton Junr altho Solemnly
Called Comes not but Makes Default, Whereby the said Thomas Bordley Esqr Attorney Generall
who &c remains against the said William Clayton Junr wholy Undefended —

Therefore It is Considered by the Justices here the Day & Year last Mentioned
that the said Thomas Bordley Esqr Attorney Generall of the Lord Proprty who for the said Lord
the King in this behalf prosecuteth recover against the said William Clayton Junr as well
the full and just Quantity of two hundred thousand Pounds of good Sound Merchantable Leaf
660 Tobacco and Cask the Debt aft As Also the Sum of
Pounds of Tob. by the Court here Adjudged unto Philemon Lloyd Esqr for his Cost and Damages
Sustained by Occasion of Detaining that Debt — And the Defendant in Mercy &c —

April Court 1720

Jt B. His Majesty } Maryland ss
Jt John Bullen }

John Bullen late of Talbot County Gent al's dict John Bullen of Talbot County in
the Province of Maryland Gentleman was Summoned to Answer unto Our Soveraigne Lord
the King that now is of a plea that he render unto the said Lord the King His full Sums and
just Quantity of two hundred thousand pounds of good Sound Merchantable Leaf Tobacco and Cask
which from the said Lord the King he unjustly Detaineth —

And Whereupon Thomas Bordley Esqr his Lordship's Attorney Generall who for the said Lord the
King that now is prosecuteth Saith that whereas the aft John Bullen the Eighteenth Day of June Anno
Domini Seventeen hundred and fourteen at Annarundell County by his Certain Writing Obligatory Granted
himself to be held and firmly bound to her late Majesty Queen Anne of Great Brittain &c in the aft Sum
of two hundred thousand Pounds of Tobacco to be paid to the said Queen her Heirs and Successors —
when Afterwards he should be thereunto required. Nevertheless the aft John Bullen Altho often required
the aft two hundred thousand pounds of Tobacco to the said Lady the Queen or to the now Lord the King
hath not yet rendred, but the same to the said Lady the Queen or to the now Lord the King hitherto
to render hath refused And the same to the said Lord to render still doth refuse to the Damage of
the said Lord the King four hundred thousand Pounds of Tobacco And this the said Thomas Bordley
for the said Lord the King is ready to verifie &c And he brings here into Court the Writing Obligatory aft
which Testifies the Debt aft in form aft, whose Date is the Day & Year Aboveaid —

And the said John Bullen by James Earl his Attorney Comes and Defends the force &
Injury when &c And prays Leave to Imparle hereunto Untill next Court And he hath it, And the
same Day is given to the said Thomas Bordley Esqr Attorney Generall who &c Also —

At which said Court to wit the 13th Day of October Annoq Dni 1719 Comes again
as well the said Thomas Bordley Esqr Attorney Generall who &c As the said John Bullen by his
Attorney aft And the said John Bullen by his said Attorney prays further Leave to Imparle hereunto
Untill next Court And he hath it And the same Day is given to the said Thomas Bordley Esqr
Attorney Generall who &c Also —

At which said Court to wit the 12th Day of April Annoq Dni 1720 Comes again
as well the said Thomas Bordley Esqr his Lordship's Attorney Generall who for the said Lord the
King in this behalf prosecuteth And prays that the said John Bullen to his Declaration aft
in the plea aft may Answer, But the said John Bullen Altho Solemnly Called Comes not
but Makes Default whereby the said Thomas Bordley Esqr Attorney Generall who &c remains
against the said John Bullen wholy Undefended —

Therefore It is Considered by the Justices here the Day and Year last Mentioned that the said Thomas Bordley Esqr his Lordship's Attorney Generall who for the said Lord the King in this behalf prosecuteth recover against the said John Bullen as well his full Sums & just Quantity of two hundred thousand pounds of good Sound Merchantable
660. Leaf Tobacco and Cask the Debt aft, As Also the Sum of
pounds of Tobacco by the Court here Adjudged unto Philemon Lloyd Esqr for his Cost and Charges
Sustained by Occasion of Detaining that Debt — And the Defendant in Mercy &c —