Great Brittain which to him he owes and Unjustly detains &c

And Whereupon Henry Darnall Esq. Attorney General of the same Lord Propry who for the same Lord Propriety in this part Prosecuteth for the same Lord Propry saith that whereas the said John Blake the Twenty sixth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and thirty nine at Talbot County aforesd by his Writing Obligatory had granted himself to be held and firmly bound unto the said Lord Propriety in the Sum of One thousand Pounds sterling to be paid unto the said Lord Propriety when thereto afterwards he should be required Nevertheless the said John altho often required the said Sum of One thousand Pounds sterling to the same Lord Propriety yet hath not paid but the same to him to pay hitherto hath Refused and still doth Refuse to the Damage of the same Lord Propriety five hundred Pounds sterling and therefore the said Attorney General for the same Lord Propriety brings this suit and doth bring into Court here the Writing Obligatory aforesd which the Bill aforesd recites testifyes the Date whereof is the same day and year aforesd &c.

Henry Darnall Q Genr.

And the aforesd John Blake by Daniel Dulany his Attorney comes and Defends the force and Injury when &c and prays an hearing of the Writing Obligatory aforesd and he hath it &c He Prays likewise an hearing of the Condition of the same Writing and he hath it in those words following

which being read and heard the said John Blake by his said Attorney Prays leave to Imparle here unto untill next Court and he hath it and the same day is given to Henry Darnall Esq. Attorney General of the said Lord Propry who &c also

At which said next Court to wit the 10th day of Septr Anno Dom 1751 comes again as well Henry Darnall Esq. Attorney General of the said Lord Propry who &c as the aforesd John Blake by his Attorney aforesd and the aforesd John Blake by his said Attorney prays further leave to Imparle hereunto untill next Court and the same day is

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At which said next Court to wit the 14th day of April Anno Dom 1752 comes again as well Henry Darnall Esq. Attorney General of the said Lord Propry who &c as the aforesd John Blake by his Attorney aforesd and the aforesd John Blake by his said Attorney prays further leave to imparle hereunto untill next Court and he hath it and the same day is given to Henry Darnall Esq. Attorney General of the said Lord Propry who &c also

At which said next Court to wit the 19th day of September Anno Dom 1752 comes again as well Henry Darnall Esq. Attorney General of the said Lord Propry who &c as the aforesd John Blake by his Attorney aforesd and the said John Blake by his said Attorney prays further leave to imparle hereunto untill next Court and he hath it and the same day is given to Henry Darnall Esq. Attorney General of the said Lord Propry who &c also

At which said next Court to wit the 10th day of April Anno Dom 1753 comes again as well the said Henry Darnall Esq. Attorney General of the said Lord Propry who &c as the said John Blake by his Attorney aforesd and the said John Blake by his said Attorney as before demanded the force and Injury when &c and saith that the aforesd Attorney General of the said Lord Proprietary who for the said Lord Proprietary in this part Prosecuteth for the said Lord Propry the action aforesd thereof against him the said John to have and maintain ought not because he saith that the aforesd Elizabeth Porter did make a true and Perfect Inventory of all and singular the Goods Chattles and Credits of the aforesd Joseph Porter together with a list of the Debts Sperate and Desperate which came to the Hands Possession or knowledge of the said Elizabeth or into the Hands Possession or knowledge of any other Person for her and the same so made did Exhibit into the Prerogative Court at Annapolis at the Twenty sixth day of February next ensuing the Date of the Writing Obligatory aforesd and the same Goods Chattles and Credits and all other the Goods and Chattles and Credits of the said Joseph Porter at the time of his Death that came to the Hands Possession or knowledge of the said Elizabeth Porter or to the Hands Possession or knowledge of any person for her did well and truly Administer according to Law Viz. did pay the Debts of the said Joseph Porter deceased so far forth as his Personal Estate did extend and the Law will charge and also all such reasonable Charges and Fees as have arisen or became due to his Lordships Officers from the said Elizabeth Porter on account of the said Deceased Joseph Porter or his Estate and further did make a True and Perfect Just Account of her Administration at the Twenty sixth day of November next ensuing the Date of the said Writing Obligatory and all the Rest and Residue of the said Goods Chattles and Credits which were found Remaining upon the said Administratrix her Account the same being first examined and allowed for the time being did deliver and Pay unto the Person or Persons

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