Hanson of Charles County Gentlemen were attached to answer unto William Waite in a plea of Trespass upon the Case and whereupon the said William Waite by Thomas Johnson jun his Attorney complains that whereas Theophilus Swift, Walter Hanson, Thomas MacPherson, Notley Maddock, Godshall Barnes, Charles Courts and Samuel Hanson in the thirtieth day of August in the Year of our Lord seventeen hundred and fifty Seven at Charles County aforesaid were indebted to him the said William Waite in the Quantity of one hundred and fifty thousand Pounds of Tobacco for Work Labour and service of him the said William Waite for them the said Theophilus Swift, Walter Hanson, Thomas Macpherson, Notley Maddock Godshall Barnes, Charles Courts and Samuel Hanson and at their special instance and request before that time there done and performed in and about the decorating and Ornamenting the Parish Church of Poit Tobacco Parish in the County aforesaid and also for the Materials for such Decorations and Ornaments by him the said William Waite before that time there at the like special Instance and request of them the said Theophilus Swift, Walter Hanson, Thomas Macpherson Notley Maddock, Godshall Barnes, Charles Courts and Samuel Hanson found provided and applied in and about the making such Decorations and Ornaments and so being thereof indebted the aforesaid Theophilus Swift, Walter Hanson, Thomas Macpherson, Notley Maddock, Godshall Barnes, Charles Courts and Samuel Hanson in the day and Year last afs. at the County aforesaid upon themselves Assumed and to the said William Waite then and there faithfully promised that they the said Theophilus Swift, Walter Hanson, Thomas Macpherson Notley Maddock, Godshall Barnes, Charles Courts and Samuel Hanson the aforesaid Quantity of One hundred and fifty thousand Pounds of Tobacco to him the said William Waite when afterwards they should be thereunto required would well and truly content and pay And whereas also the aforesaid Theophilus Swift, Walter Hanson, Thomas Macpherson, Notley Maddock, Godshall Barnes Charles Courts and Samuel Hanson in the day and Year aforesaid at the County aforesaid in Consideration that he the said William would make and do sundry other Decorations Ornaments and Works in and about the Parish Church aforesaid and would find and provide all the Materials Necessary therefore upon themselves Assumed and to him the said William Waite then and there faithfully promised that they the said Theophilus Swift, Walter Hanson Thomas Macpherson, Notley Maddock, Godshall Barnes Charles Courts

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and Samuel Hanson such Quantity of Tobacco as he should reasonably deserve for his work Labour and Service therein and also such Quantity of Tobacco as the same Materials should be reasonably worth to him the said William Waite when afterwards they should be thereunto requested would well and truly content and pay and the aforesaid William Waite in fact saith that he giving faith and credit to the promise and Assumption last aforesaid of them the said Theophilus Swift, Walter Hanson, Thomas Macpherson, Notley Maddock Godshall Barnes, Charles Courts and Samuel Hanson did afterwards to wit on the day and Year aforesaid at the County aforesaid make and do all the Decorations Ornaments and Works last aforesaid and did also find provide and apply all the Necessary Materials therefore and that he the said William Waite did reasonably deserve for his Work Labour and Service in the making and doing the Decorations Ornaments and Works last aforesaid the Quantity of one hundred and twenty thousand Pounds of Tobacco and that the Materials by him found provided and applied as aforesaid were reasonably worth to him the said William Waite at the time of his finding providing and applying them as aforesaid the Quantity of thirty thousand Pounds of Tobacco whereof the aforesaid Theophilus Swift, Walter Hanson, Thomas Macpherson, Notley Maddock, Godshall Barnes, Charles Courts and Samuel Hanson afterwards to wit on the day and Year aforesaid at the County aforesaid had Notice and whereas also the aforesaid William Waite afterwards to wit on the day and Year last aforesaid at the County aforesaid at the special Instance and request of them the said Theophilus Swift, Walter Hanson, Thomas Macpherson, Notley Maddock Godshall Barnes, Charles Courts and Samuel Hanson had done and performed other Work Labour and Service in and about the Decorating and Ornamenting and other Works in and about the Church aforesaid and had also found provided and applied all necessary Materials for the Decorations Ornaments and other Works last aforesaid they the said Theophilus Swift, Walter Hanson, Thomas Macpherson, Notley Maddock, Godshall Barnes Charles Courts and Samuel Hanson afterwards to wit on the day and Year last aforesaid at the County aforesaid in Consideration thereof upon themselves Assumed and to him the said William Waite then and there faithfully promised that they the said Theophilus Swift Walter Hanson, Thomas Macpherson, Notley Maddock, Godshall Barnes, Charles Courts and Samuel Hanson such Quantity of Tobacco as he the same William Waite should reasonably deserve for his Work Labour and service last aforesaid and also such Quantity of Tobacco as the Materials last aforesaid were reasonably worth to him the said William Waite when they should be afterwards thereto requested would well and truly content and pay and the aforesaid William Waite in fact saith that he the

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