again into the General Court here as well the aforesaid Mary Davis administratrix as aforesaid by her attorney aforesaid as the said Henry Griffith Junior by his attorney aforesaid and the said Henry Griffith Junior by his attorney aforesaid (as before) defends the force and injury when and soforth and saith that the aforesaid Mary Davis administratrix as aforesaid her action aforesaid against him to have or maintain ought not and soforth because he saith that he the said Henry Griffith Junior did pay unto the aforesaid Amos Davis in his life time the said sum of money in the Condition of the said writing obligatory mentioned with legal Interest thereon according to the form and effect of the Condition of the said writing obligatory and this he is ready of verify. wherefore he prays Judgment if the aforesaid Mary Davis Administratrix as aforesaid her action aforesaid against him to have or maintain ought and soforth.

And the aforesaid Mary Davis administratrix as aforesaid by her attorney aforesaid saith that she by any thing by the said Henry Griffith Junior above in pleading alledged from having or maintaining her action aforesaid against him ought not to be precluded because she saith that the said Henry Griffith Junior did not pay unto him the aforesaid Amos Davis in his life time nor to her the said Mary Davis administratrix as aforesaid since the death of him the said Amos Davis the aforesaid sum of money in the Condition aforesaid mentioned with the Interest thereon in such manner and form as the said Henry Griffith Junior above by pleading hath alledged and this she prays may be enquired of by the country and the said Henry Griffith Junior in like manner and soforth.

Therefore let a Jury thereon appear before the court here on the second Tuesday of May next by whom and soforth and who neither and soforth to recognize and so forth because as well and soforth the same day is given to the said parties then and there and soforth.

And now at this day, to wit, the said second tuesday of May being the tenth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six comes again into the General court here as well the aforesaid Mary Davis administratrix as aforesaid by her attorney aforesaid as the said Henry Griffith Junior by his attorney aforesaid. Nevertheless the said Henry Griffith Junior by his attorney aforesaid, relinquishing the avernment aforesaid above by him pretended says that he cannot deny the action aforesaid of the aforesaid Mary Davis administratrix as aforesaid so as aforesaid against

against him brought nor but that he owes to the aforesaid Mary Davis administratrix as aforesaid the aforesaid sum of eighteen hundred pounds common current money in manner and form aforesaid so as the aforesaid Mary Davis administratrix as aforesaid above against him hath declared.

Therefore it is considered by the Court here, that the aforesaid Mary Davis administratrix as aforesaid recover against the said Henry Griffith Junior as well the sum of Eighteen hundred pounds common current money her debt aforesaid in form aforesaid composed, as the quantity of seven hundred and eighty one pounds of Tobacco by the Court here unto the aforesaid Mary Davis administratrix as aforesaid on her assent adjudged for her damages which she hath sustained as well by reason of the detention of that debt as for her costs and Charges by her about her suit in this behalf laid out and expended and the said Henry Griffith Junior in mercy and soforth.

Memorandum, Judgment rendered in this cause on the twelfth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six, for the penalty upon the payment of principal interest and Costs. And agrees to stay execution until the first day of August next.

Payments if any, to be allowed.

Test. John Gwinn Clk.

R.R. John & Henrietta Worthington Excors of Brice T. B. Worthington
against
P.B.R. Thomas Bicknell.

Be it remembered that heretofore to wit On the seventeenth day of February anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety five the plaintiffs by Richard Ridgely their attorney sued out of our General court the writ of the State of Maryland of Capias ad respondendum directed to the Sheriff of Anne Arundel County in the words and figures following to wit.

The State of Maryland, &c. To the sheriff of Ann Arundel county Greeting. We command you that you take Thomas Bicknell late of Ann Arundel county planter otherwise called Thomas Bicknell of Ann Arundel County and State of Maryland if he shall be found in your bailiwick and him safe keep, so that you have his body before the Judges of our General Court, to be held at the City of Annapolis on the second tuesday of May next, to answer unto John Worthington executor and Henrietta Worthington Executrix of the last will and testament of Brice Thomas Beale Worthington late of the County aforesaid deceased of