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PREFACE

This volume concludes abstracts from the Charles City County Court Order Book, 1655 - 1665, in the Archives Division of the Virginia State Library. My effort has been to further show all known fragments of 17th century official records of the county. Fortunately I do not know everything. As I worked through these sad, stained and torn scraps it became evident that there were others, possibly not identified, in collections that I knew not of. In fact Dr. Earl G. Swem, Librarian of the College of William and Mary, recently told me he thought there were some fragments in his manuscript collection in Williamsburg, Virginia.

I can only hope that my effort to collect all remains has been a complete failure. Certain of these papers were handed me with "Here they are - if you can read them !". I certainly could not have read them had I not been familiar with the names, and even so am subject to correction.

What manner of men appear as the rank and file in these abstracts? I can tell you. Go to any country County Court House in Virginia on Court day. There they are. Those blond men in groups. Tall, lean and of kindly countenance. Much unconscious profanity. The talk is of the uncivil behavior of Bill Brasier's bull. Haw! Haw! Haw! The Edward Hills and Francis Greys of these records have long since gone to Richmond and Baltimore. But our cousins Ferdinando Aston, Ernestus Carey, Freeguift Throckmorton, Thomas Crabb, Francis Dancy, Jonah Liscum and Martin Quelch are all there. Of course even in 1665 Onesimus Scriven could read and write, as could his wife. But what could Peter Plummer do?

Beverley Fleet.

January 26th 1942.

CHARLES CITY COUNTY Court Order Book

page 484. Abstract. At a Court at Westover 3rd August 1664. Present

Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt Edward Hill
Capt Robt Wynne Capt ffrancis Grey
Mr Stephen Hamelin Capt Otho Southoott

page 484. Abstract. Daniell Massingall Exor of Ben Wade having sued Robt Scott for 800 lb tobo due by bill, Scott ordered to pay 20th Oct.

page 484. Abstract. Attachmt to Mr Antho: Wyatt agt estate of Emlyn Clay widd and extrx of Wm Clay dec'd "(upon returne of a Non est Inventus agst her)", for 791 lb tobo.

page 484. Abstract. Mr Jno Gilham dismissed from suit of Wm Hunt atty of Anthony Tall for illegal detention of a serv't belonging to Tall. He having delivered the serv't on first demand, etc.

page 484. Abstract. The: Tomlinson to give security for paymt of 342 lb tobo to John Newell, mercht, 20 Oct. next.

page 485. John Coggan chirurgeon conf judgt to Capt The Stanton for 3827 1b tobe to be pd 10 Sept. Also to Mr Stephen Hamelyn for 1327 1b tobe payable same date.

page 485. The Coirt is adjourned till the afternoone

page 485.

present Theoderick Bland Esqr

Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt Edd Hill
Capt Robert Wynne Capt ffrancis Grey
Mr John Holmwood Capt Otho Southcott
Mr Stephen Hamelin

page 485. Abstract. Order that Tho Tomlinson keep a gun taken from an Indian by him. He gives bond, with Richd Pace security, 1000 lb tobo to produce the gun "when (or if) cause shall bee to require itt"

page 485. Mr Hachaliah Horner minister ordered to deliver to Geo: Atkins 6 bbl corn, if Major Harris testifie to accuracy of the bill.

page 485. Abstract. Non suit to Geo Spencer deft agt John Hodges plt.

page 486. Abstract. Dif betw Mrs. Anna Perrey plt and John Stith deft to a jury.

Mr John Ridon foreman

Mr Richd Taylor Mr Cuthbeard Williamson Mr James Wallace Mr James Ward

Mr John Coggan Mr Geo: Farloe
Mr James Blamore Mr Tho: Mudgett
Mr Edd Richards Mr Robert Lucy

Mr John Hodges

Verdict for plt. The deft having trospassed to pay 20 lb tobo. Judgt to plt. Deft to pay costs.

page 486. Whereas the wives of George Spencer and David Goodale by their scurrilous brawles and mutual objurga cons have provoked their husbands to the moveing and urging of reciprocall frivilous litigious suites contrary to the Lawes for quiett and peaceable rule, gov mnt and neighborhood of the people. It's is therefore ordered that the sd two woemen (for punishmt of their past disturbances and their better reconcelem t and correspondency hereafter) be each of them ducked three times at the publiq place prepared for that purpose, at or neere the next full tide, and that either party beare his owne particular costs and charges.

Note:

This horrid little entry, so funny in 1941, again throws a clear light on the childlike 17th century mind. The false dignity of the big words. The spelling of 'woemen' suggests thousands of years of petty annoyances beginning with the sufferings of Father Adam. There is the suggestion that the builders of the new ducking stool had Goody Spencer and Goody Goodale in mind all the while and that this celebration was to equal the launching of a ship. The tide at Westover is about 7 or 8 feet. The payment of the charges the final touch of malicious virtue.

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page 486. Abstract. Costs of Judgt obtained by Tho Cooke agt Mr Rice Hoe at last Court to be pd by Hoe.

page 486. Tho: Newbery (als Smith) is hereby clerely exempted and released from all future services, levyes, and taxes, except parish dues.

page 487. The deposition of John Harris aged 37 years or thereabouts sworne and exatied this 25th of July 1664.

That the 19th of this Instant July this depont was with Mr John Stith, when he beganne to Surveigh Mrs Anna Peryes Land formerly held by Capt Henry Pery, and that the sd Stith runne his chaine ovir the heads of the Land this deponit leases of the sd Mrs Pery as also the heads of severall other of the tenants, wen Capt Henery Perrey claymed alwayes, as his and that the sd Stith sid it was his. And further saith not

John Harris

Sworne and exatied before me Jno. Holmwood

page 487. The deposicon of Cornelius Clemance aged 46 yearss or thereabout sworne and exadied this 25th of July 1664

That on the nineteenth of this Instant July Mr John Stith came with a surveror upon the Land now held by Mrs Anna Pery formerly held by Capt Henery Pery surveighing the sd Land, and the sd Mr Stith came upp to the house of this deponit and requested him to goe along with them but went soe farr as his owne doore and the sd Stith showed this depont some trees they had marked on the Land and saw the Surveyor sett his Compas and stretch his chaine, and that they were wthin the bounds anciently claymed by Capt Pery and held by the sd Capt Pery as his owne, and the sd John Stith claymed the same Land to be his owne, and that he had taken in the houses of this deponit and further this deponit saith not

Cornelius Clemans

Sworne and exatied before me Jno. Holmwood

page 488. The deposition of Thomas Harris aged 28 years or thereabouts sworns and exatied this 25th of July 1664.

That the 19th of this instant July this depon't was with Mr John Stith when he beganne to survey Mrs Anna Pereys Land formerly held by Capt Henery Pery and that the sd Stith runn his chaine over the heads of Land this depon't leases of the sd Mrs Pery as also the heads of severall other of the ten'ts wich Capt Henery Pery claymed allwayes as his, and that the sd Stith sd it was his owne, and further this depon't saith that on the 20th of this instant being with Mr Stith and he stretching his chaigne from the Creeke side upp to his house he mett with Mr Bland who asked the Surveyor weh was Major Harris what he was doeing he told Mr Bland he was Surveying Land for Mr Stith, whereupon Mr Bland forewarned the Surveyor and desist medling with it any more it belonging to Mrs Pery upon wich warning the Surveyor sd he would goe no further but Mr Stith would have him proceed and he would beare him harmelesse but still Major Harris refused.

Mr Bland asked Mr Stith if he were not a tenant to Mrs Pery the

sd Stith said no and that he had pd a greate deale of tobbo for the Kings Land and he had entered a Caveatt for it and further saith not

Tho: Harris

Sworne and exatied before me Jno Holmwood

page 488. Abstract. Judgt to Jno Barker agt certain est of Tho Walters mercht for 350 lb tobo.

page 488. Abstract. Judgt to Geo Browning agt certain est of Antho: Tall in hands of Wm Hunt.

page 489. Abstract. The deposition of Silvanus Stokes aged 28 yrs or thereabouts sworne and exatied this 25th of July 1664.

That being at Mr John Stith the 20th of this Instant July he saw the sd Stith with a Surveyor $x \times ($ etc. - deposition practically that of Tho: Harris on page 488) $x \times x$.

Signed Silvanus Stokes

Sworne and exatied before me Jno Holmwood

page 489. Abstract. Petition of John Stith to C.C.Co. Court in answer to complaint of Mrs. Anna Pery.

States surveys were made with consent and knowledge of Theok:
Bland Esq the plt's atty. That she alleges "the takeing away the
tenem'ts of Cornel: Clemance and John King he altogether denyeth it"
etc.

page 490. Abstract. Order that John Rouse and Phillip Limbrey merchants each of them pay L 5. Sterling to the gent of the Court held for their private business.

page 490. The Court rarefyeth and confirmeth the order of Vestry for paym't of Mr Horners Corne and granteth exec agst the delinquents accordingly

page 490. Abstract. John Norris servt to Nevett Wheeler, on certificate of Capt Francis Grey, has his time doubled for absence of six weeks.

page 490. Abstract. The Marston arrested at suit of Geo Harris mercht, for 2600 lb tobo, and failing to appear, the sheriff ord to pay. Attachmt to Robert Rouse agt Marston for above.

page 490. Abstract. By mutual consent of Geo Browning and Wm Hunt, the Court instructs Mr Jno. Holmwood and Capt Otho Southcott to examine Hunt on oath as to what estate he has of Antho: Tall, and to settle dif.

page 491. Abstract. Capt Fran: Grey and his wife are released from suit in Chancery commenced agst them by Will: Rollinson.

For Capt Grey to sweare to

Whether or no you concealed any money bookes Linning debts or other Rights that belonged unto Selby Sparrow dec'd and what is it that you have concealed or whether is it in your possession or have you otherwise disposed thereof.

Whether or no you have detained severall things that did belong to the sd Sparrow, wich were not concealed but kept back upon other pretences and whether are your accompts that you brought in agist the sd Sparrowes estate about Doctours and other things Charges Just and due.

For Mrs Grey to sweare unto.

Whether or no have you made true delivery of all that came to your knowledge or possession that did belong to Selby Sparrow and have you not kept and concealed some things and whether those things concealed are knowne to your husband or no.

Capt Greyes answer

- To the first Interrogatory within menconed Capt Grey answereth that he had two bookes, one whereof was a small bible wich he gave to my daughter Elizabeth, and the other I have now in my possession wich was called Dubertus wich he gave me
- To the second I answer that there was eight hundred more due to me wich the Court was pleased to regulate to wich I submitt
- As for Mrs Grace Grey she answereth that she rec'd two pare of old turned Lockerum sheetes, one of w'ch he was buried in, and the rest were torne concerning his occaco'ns three old hankerchiefs, weh was used about his buriall, and three old napkins and 1 old Capp, 1 penny Nuttmegg Grater and 1 old fether pillow w'ch rotted, two old treyes and 1 Cheese pott

page 492. Abstract. Patent. 28 March 1664. Sir Wm Berkeley knt to Capt Edw Hill, 1300 acres, according to the ancient lawful bounds, in C. C. Co. This land formerly belonging to Francis Osborne deed, lately found escheat, ect.

Signed William Berkeley

Test

Fra: Kirkman Cl Con.

(see next entry)

page 494. Abstract. Deed. 21 July 1664. Edward Hill sells to John Gilham 1300 acres. See foregoing entry. Wit:

Henry Randolph Eliza Reppes Signed Edw Hill

Recognit in Cur August 3. 1664 per Edwd Hill, etc.
Recognit in Cur by Elizabetham Hill 9 ber 11. Anno 1665

Test Hoel Pryse Cl

page 496. The deposicon of Nath Ellis exaed and sworne saith
That about Jan'ry last the depont being at the house of Cornel
Clemence saw an Indenture escallopt at the top, and a mark and
seale to the same and further saith not

Nath. Ellis

Jur in Cur Test H Pryse Cl

page 496. James Cooper exalied and sworne deposeth and sayth
That there was an Indenture in the house of Cornel Clemence in
Jan'ry last that was reputed and counted to be Nicholas Gatleys, and
that the sd Gatley in the depts hearing did acknowledge his marke
and seale to the sd Indenture, and further saith not
James Cooper

Jur in Cur. Test Ho: Pryse Cl.

page 496. Roger Armstrong exalied and sworne sayth

That the first yeare Nich: Gatley came into Virginia the dep't being at worke w'th the sd Gatley asked him how long he came in for, and he answered seaven yeares. The dep't replyed as Doubting the truth of it, the sd Gatley thereupon swore it was true, and that his Master had his Indenture for so long and further saith not

Roger Armstrong

Jur in Cur Test: Hoel Pryse Cl

page 496. Sam: Phillips exatied and sworne sayth

That he heard Nicholas Gatley say that he came in a servant for
seaven yeares to Cornel: Clemence and further sayth not

Sam: SP Phillips

Jur in Cur Test Ho: Pryse Cl

his mike

page 497. Christopher Batty exalied and sworne sayth
That he saw an Indenture in the hands of Cornel Clemence wich
he cursorily read, here and there some and found therein the names

of the sd Clemence and Nicholas Gatley and further saith not Christopher Batty

Jur in Cur Test Ho: Pryse Cl

page 497. Richd Meares exalied and sworne sayth

That he heard Cornelius Clemence say that Nichol Gatley came in for seaven years, but whether he heard Gatley say the like he cannot perfectly remember, and further saith not

Rich'd Meares his X m'ke

Jur in Cur Test Hoel Pryse C1

page 497. Abstract. Deed of Gift. "Be it knowne unto all men by these presents that whereas the inheritance of 250 acres of Land scituate on the upper side of Kemishes Creeke descended and divolved to me James Hardway by the decesse of my late brother John Hardway Wherefore I the sd James Hardway x x give x x the sd 250 acres x x unto my sonn John Hardway and his heirs forever x x". Dated 5th Sept. 1664.

Wit: Charles Power Robert Rowse Signed mik

James X Hardway

page 498. Abstract. At a Court for Orphans at Westover. 15 Sept.1664.

Present Theoderick Bland Esqr

Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt Edd Hill

Mr John Holmwood Capt Otho Southoott

Mr Stephen Hamelin

page 498. Abstract. Capt Fran: Grey and Mr John Tatem app. to exam Daniell Wassingall's a/c of estate of Ben Wade and report to next Court.

page 498. Abstract. On petition of Elizabeth Perkins, and her discharge to the Court, order "that her porcon (wich she confesseth is ready for her) be rendered into her immediate possession".

page 498. Upon pet and request of Nicholas Perkins orphane and his release to the Co'rt The Co'rt hath appointed Richd Parker to be guardian of the sd Nicholas Perkins and his estate, went the sd

Nicholas being of yeares of eleccon doth wholly intrust to his sd guardian

page 498. To the Worp'll Com'rs of Charles Citty Com The peticon of Nicholas Perkins

Humbly presenteth

That your petn'r being now seaventeene yeares of age desires liberty
to make choyce of his guardian

Test Nicholas Np Perkins
Ho: Pryse Cl m*ke

Sarah Richds

page 499. Capt John Eppes hath proved rights by testimony to 400 acres of Land for the Charge of importacon of

John Lewis Willm' Bras'ier (or Brash)
Peter Seaman Richd Wright
Sarah Smith Sarah Croshaw

John Mawe

page 499. Abstract. Court postponed from 3rd of Oct to 18th on account of conflicting dates of the Assembly.

page 499. To the Worp'll the Comissionrs of Charles City Com
The peticon of Elizabeth Perkins
Humbly presenteth

That my father in Law Richd Parker did according to Act putt in security for the deliviry of my estate now soe it is that I am now 21 years of age and desire to be possessed with what belongeth to me, it is ready for me if your Woripp's be pleased to give order for the delivery and I shall nowforthwith discharge your Woripp's from the same estate

and shall ever in duty pray &c Elizabeth X Perkins her marke

Test Ho: Pryse Cl

The Clearke is appointed to request the Co'rt of Henrico Com to take security of Richd Parker for the estate and educa'con of the two youngest Children of Nicholas Perkins deed and Certefie the security so taken to this Court whereby they may be discharged from the sd estates.

Note: Indeed it was high time the children were educated. Elizabeth aged 21 and Nicholas aged 17 both make marks. And it might be remarked that it was high time Mr. Fleet larned not to transcribe the same word appearing twice in the same entry in two different ways. My apology being that at least one way must be right. I can prove that in either Co'rt or Court.

B.F.

page 500. Abstract. Jury of inquest concerning death of George Bullington not properly sworn. Sheriff ordered to call legally sworn jurors.

page 500. Abstract. John Stith fined 350 lb tobo for absence from Court when called. Wm Garrett also fined for same.

page 500. Abstract. Thos. Roe to provide another man to be bound with him to secure estate and education of John Hardwayes orphan.

page 500. Abstract. Order that guardians report yearly on 15th Sept "and bring with them the orphans in their Custody, on penalty of 350 lb tobbo".

page 501. A Court at Westover 18 October 1664.

Present Theoderick Bland Esgr

Lt Coll The Drew Mr Stephen Hamelyn

Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt Edd Hill

Capt Robt Wynne Capt Othe Southcott

Mr John Holmwood

page 501. Abstract. By mutual consent of John Stith and Richd Mosby regarding estate of Judith Parsons, one half to be pd by Mesby to Stith Christmas 1665 and the other half at Christmas 1666. In case of marriage of the orphan the paymt to be made to her husband.

page 501. Tho: Calloway hath proved rights by testimony produced to 350 acres of Land for charge of importacon of

John Radeliffe John Braine

The: Charleston Susanna Langworth John Douglas Rebecca Hotham

Tho: Griffin

Probat' in Cur 8br 18. 1664 Test Hoel Pryse

page 501. Abstract. Robert Symonds confesses judgmt to Capt Edd Hill for 200 lb tobo.

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Mr Anthony Tall Dr	- m - m - m - m - m - m - m - m - m - m
1661 For tobbo pd John Barber bill taken in	550
Tobbo pd Mr Codugen (or Codington)	209
Tebbo pd Charles Tyler for wine	260
Expences at 2 Courts	050
3 weekes dyett at my house	1 50
tobbo pd to Mr Walker	446
For a boate and 2 hands 15 dayes	750
tobbo pd Richd Poole	57 00
For my Comission in receiveing and payeing tobbe	43 0
Pd to Mr Pryse	080
5 dayes in recovering a servit of Anthony Talls	
from Mr Gillum	130
	an) ben (mg) ean
	3619
ball	0369
	40 to po \$40
Mr Anthony Tall Cr	
By a bill of Tho Brooke	558
By 2 suites of kersey sold	280
By 2 sheeres sold at	700
By w't tobbo I make me Dr for	1800
By more tobbo due from me	0650
By a servit of Anthony Talls I have had in my	0000
possession this 6 months and hath till the	
25th of 10br to serve	
I have clothed him	
	39 88

Abstract

By order of Court, Westover 3 August 1664 account submitted by Wm. Hunt of the estate of Anthony Tall remaining in his hands examined, etc.

Signed Jno Holmwood Otho Southcott

page 502. Abstract. Com of Admr of estate of Tho Turner deed to Walter Warnham who married the relict.

page 503. Goodman Mumford and Willm' Gillum these are to certefie you both that you may freely goe upon your Land wich I and Willm' Hitchman sold you, without any doubt about your occatons. I had beene with you before now to give you assurance of your Land but

my occ acons prevented me but God willing I will be w'th you the next Court gett your bill of Sale ready not else but that I am Your friend

June the 19th 1664

Tho: Spencer

Whereas Tho. Spencer sold certeine Land to Jefferey Momford and Willm' Gillam and promised by his lre produced in Court to appe' here in August Court last to give them assurance thereof. The Court on request of the sd Momford and Gillum doth hereby certefie whom it may concerne that the sd Spencer hath made no such appearance nor assurance at all neither in August Court aforesd nor any tyme since in this Com.

page 503. Abstract. Wm Hunt agent for Anthony Tall ordered to pay Geo: Browning 369 lb tobo, balance in his hands, also "I pare still-yards canhookes and poize".

page 503. Abstract. Attachmt to shoriff agst est of Rice Hoe for 972 lb tobo for non app of Hoe.

page 504. Christopher Meddowes serv't to Lt Coll Tho. Drew is adjudged by the Court to be (by their best conjecture and veiw of him) 15 years of age and ariveing into this Country in or about Febry last to be lyable to the Law of service then (and now) in force to that purpose, provided that if in the interim by proffe sufficit out of Engl'd it shall appe' that he is of greater age to vary the rite of the sd Law of service, he shall serve only according to the sd proffe.

page 504. Capt Grey present

page 504. Abstract. The: Marston atty for Mrs Jone Dibdall extrx of Mr John Dibdall deed ordered to pay Geo Harris mercht 2000 1b tobe in settlemt of various dif.

page 504. Ferdinando Aston for his contemptuous expressoons in epen Court whereby he discou! in himself both drunkennesse and consequent ill carriages is comitted to remayne and be safely deteyned in the sherr custody till he be thence del!red by due course of Law

page 504. Abstract. Tho: Aston conf judgt to John Cogan for 350 lb tobo.

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page 504. Abstract. Judgt to Edd Bushell agst certain estate of John Manning attached in the hands of Mrs Sara Potter widow amounting to 5796 lb tobo.

page 505. Abstract. In full settlemt of dif betw James Hardeway Complt and John Stith Deft, Stith disclaims all right and title to Hardeway's land at Kemishes, etc.

page 505. Certeficat is granted to Curtis Laud (or Land) for his right to 800 acres of Land proved in Court for 10 persons imported vidzt

Will Coleby Hannah Greene
Tho: LLewellyn Bishopp Sheppard
Maudlin - (left blank) Sara Stills
Tho Stone Maria Aston
Abram Storey Maria Sheward

and six persons assigned by Mr Hamelin out of a Certificat on record vizt

Sam: Henrick Tho: Perun
Ste: Persian Tho: Richmond
Sam: Moses Michaell Talin

page 505. Itt is ordered that Barbara the wife of Tho: Hux (for severall uncivill carriages appeling to the Court by proffe, be forthwith conveyed by the Sherr officer to the whipping post, and there punished with 20 lashes on her bare back.

Note: This woman may indeed have been a terror up and down the river, but even so, it is impossible at this date to imagine such brutality. The judges convict themselves. Bland, Drew, Wyatt, Wynne, Holmwood, Hamelin, Capt. Edward Hill (of course), Southcott and Grey (also of course).

And by way of byproduct note the fellowing valuable item of the period:

That Every one will Buy from you, be what it may.

Take a twig of a wisp wherewith a person has been lashed. Make a small ring and wind red silk around it, and put it on your finger. If you wish to sell anything, it will be paid for as you desire.

B.F.

page 505. Abstract. Rice Hoe ordered to appear and make defence against claim of Tho: Cooke.

page 506. Abstract. In dif betw Tho Stephens and Wm Cogill, Cogill to appear at next Court at James City and "make positive manifest

proffe" of paymt of tobo "in question according to a doubtfull receipt".

page 506. Abstract. The Hux ordered to pay Robt Busby Chirurgeon 500 lb tobe in full of a/c.

page 506. Abstract. Nonsuit to Robt Lucy agst John Niblett.

page 506. The difference of defamacon depending betweene Tho Huxe plt and Robt Busby deft is referred to the exaiacon of a Jury

Jury Mr Daniell Clarke foreman

THE DAY	TROTT ATOTIVE I	r OT GITIOTT
Mr Robt Nicholson	Mr	Tho: Douglas
Mr Cornel: Clemano	e Mr	Silvanus Stoke
Mr Richd Baker	Mr	John Marshall
Mr James Blamore	Mr	Martin Quelch
Mr Walter Holdswor	th Mr	John Turner
Mr James Wallace		

Verdict Wee find for the deft

Judgemt is granted to the deft upon this Verdict for 40 lb tobbo charges to be pd by the plt Hux w'th all Costs hereof als exec

The difference of defamacon betweene Robt Busby plt and Thomas Huxe deft is referred to the exailacon of a Jury

The same Jury

Verdict Wee finds for the def't

Judgemt is granted to the deft upon this verdict for 40 lb of tobbo charges to be pd by the plt Busby with all Costs hereof als exec

page 507. Abstract. Judgt to Richd James agst Thos Huxe 240 lb tobo.

page 507. Abstract. Judgt to Jno Cogan agst Sheriff for 972 lb tobo for non app of Rice Hoe

page 507. Itt is ordered that 350 lb tobbo be pd out of the sequestred estate of the Quakers to Mr Anthony Wyatt to pay the mens hire and charges that conveyed the Quakers out of the Com, and 120 lb of tobbo to Ho: Pryse for a boate imployed on that occa con 6 days

Note: We can only wish in an ineffective sickly way that Mr Wyatt had said what he had done with them.

page 507. Richd Baker haveing proved in Court by confession of Richd Pace and John Rosser that he hath fully pd the estates of the Orphanes late in his tuicon, is released from his bond for the sd Orphanes estates, and the Court consequently discharged by the personall confession of the said Orphanes

page 507. Abstract. Order that the sherr sell "at an outery a girle serv't to David Goodale".

page 507. Abstract. Attachmt to Robt Nicholson upon a Non Inventus returned on his a/c agst Anthony Allen for 364 lb tobo.

page 507. Itt is ordered that one Runnaway boy named Edwd More serv't to Adam Miles of Queenes Creeke be punished w'th 20 lashes and rendered to the next Constable to be conveyed from Constable to Constable to his sd Master

page 507. The Calloway confesseth judgemt to David Goodale for 700 lb of good tobbo and Caske to be forthwith pd to him or his assis for a servit by him this day bought at Outcry als exec and Costs

page 508. Abstract. Deed of Gift. 20 May 1663. Robt Coleman Senr of "Apamatick" in C.C.Co. gives "unto my sonne Robt Coleman now Jun'r", part of "my land" on the Southside of Apamatuck River "I know not the quantity of it". "bounded as foll the bredth of it upon the River shall be from the Land of Robt Burgesse down the River side to two marked oakes wich stand at the West end of my now dwelling house x", etc.

Wit:

Signed Robt RC Coleman

Thomas Batte
Tho: Daulby

Sworne in Court by Robt Coleman sen'r 3 June 1663 and recorded per me Tho: Daulby Cl

page 509. Certeficat is granted to Elias Osborne for his right of two hundred acres of Land proved in Court for charge of importation of

> John Osborne Willm Osborne

Elias Osborne Joseph Osborne

page 509. Abstract. Judgt to Jno Rouse mercht agst Mr Antho: Wyatt as security for Mr Wm House, minister, for 1224 1b tobo.

page 509. Abstract. The Court approves settlement of estate of Geo: Potter deed by his wife and extrix Mrs Sara Potter

page 509. The Court is adjourned till to morrow morning

page 509. Abstract. Court at Westover 19 October 1664
Present Theoderick Bland Esqr

Lt Coll Tho: Drew Mr Stephen Hamelin
Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt Edward Hill
Capt Robt Wynne Capt Francis Grey
Mr John Holmwood Capt Otho Southcott

page 509. Itt is ordered that the present Sherr require and receive the fines of all persons defic't in killing their due number of Crowes or black birds and reward the overplus of any person or persons according to the Lew made to that purpose x x.

page 510. Abstract. "For and in consideracon of the full clayme and title of 150 acres of Land or thereabouts belonging to John White the sonne of Charles White dec'd, and Jone now the wife of Robt Rouse of Westover". The Hunt of James Citty surrenders one young mare into the hands of Robt Rouse for the benefit of sd Jno White, the male increase to Rouse for maintenance and good education of sd child. Rouse to guarantee that John White never claim the land, etc.

page 510. Abstract. Mr Antho: Wyatt and Capt Robt Wynne appointed surveyors of the highways for the Southside and Mr John Holmwood for the Northside.

page 510. Att a meeting of the Governour and Councell held at James Citty the 15th of July 1661

The Hono'ble Francis Moryson Esqr Gov'nor

The Ludwell Esqr secret Coll Edwd Hill

Coll Henery Browne Coll Tho: Swann Esqrs

Coll Tho: Pettus Coll Nath: Bacon

The Hono'ble Gov'nor and Counsell takeing into consideracon the abilityes of Mr John Cogan in the faculty of Physick and Chirurgery have ordered that he permitted to practice the same in this Colony and that a comicon be granted him accordingly

Test Tho: Brereton

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page 511.	Itt is	ordered	that	55	Ib of	tobbo	p er	poll	₽ď	forthwith	
levied on								nt Sh	err	(by	
distresse	if nee	dfull)	and p	d as	foll	vidzt	•				

Mr Nicholas Wyatt for lookeing after Runaway servts Mr Hunt for 1 pare Shackles 40 a horse prest 5 dayes 100)	1400
for a barr at the Court 300 for 8 dayes attendance) on the Burgesses 160	0600
Tho: Harris 3 dayes prest to earry lres to the Governor	0030
Andrew Meldram 8 dayes attendance on the Burgesses	0080
Robt Rowse due last year 2000 and for cleaneing the)	
Courthouse 500	2500
Ditto for the ferry this yeare	2000
Ditto for Com'rs accomodacon	3000
Cornelius Clemance one day prest	0010
Mr Drew for scales and weights and measures	28 7 0
Capt Wynne 74 dayes attendance of men and Burgesses 740)	
for their expences at towne 3725 and 20 dayes him-)	
selfe Burgesse at 150 per day and Caske is 3300	8 165
and for a boate 20 dayes 400	
Mr Hamelin for 20 dayes burgesse 3300 boate and hire)	
of men and expenses of them 660	3960
Ditt for Coll Molesworth allowed by Act of Assembly for)	7040
2 years levie of 10 men	1942
Mr Pryse for his boate and hands attending on the	2022
Burgesses 16 dayes in September and October)	0280
To Mr Nicholas Wyatt his attendance extraordinary on)	0800
the Com'rs 2 yrs past as under sherr)	0700
Capt Grey for Marke Avery prest to carry the Governors men	0030
The Re his beate tending 8 dayes on Capt Wynne	0160
Mr John Cogan for buriell of a dead Corps	0 1 00 00 4 0
George Farle attendance on the Burgesses 4 dayes	1400
Mr Bland for the horse ferrey boate Mr Wyatt for arreares on his accot	4000
Mr Pryse for Mr Randolph Copie of the acts 300 and for)	4 000
his owne paynes to produce the acts 300 more)	00600
into owne paynes to produce the adds soo more	
	33867
Sall*	03386
- Columbia pata	
	37253
	0,000

page 512. To

It is ordered that 85 lb of tobbo be likewise levied for every horse or Mare in this Com according to Act, to defray the charge for killing wolves and pd as foll.

Cesar Walpole for 1 wolfe 200
James Jones for 2 wolves 400

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2	•	
Batt Slaughter fo	or 1	200
Tho: Parham	1	200
Coll Wood	1	200
Tho: Burrowes	1	200
Reignald Fones	1	200
Morgan Jones	2	400
Richd Baker	5	1000
Geo Smith	1	200
Tho: Morgan	2	400
Mr Wyatt by assig	gnment of Geo Middleton 1	200
John Taylor	1	200
Richd Pace	2	400
Tho: Tomlinson	3	600
Tho: Douglas	1	200
Mr Hamelin	4	800
Sam: Eale	3	600
Sam Harwell	1	200
	2	6800
	Sall*	0680

Page 512. Abstract. Lt Coll Tho Drew to have L 5. Sterling from Jno Rouse and Phill Limbrey, formerly ord to be pd for special courts for their business.

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William Berkeley

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To the Gentlemen of Charles Citty Com
Tho: Marston Complaymeth. That the late Rum'ors of the Indians
was the cause of his not appeing at your last Court to defend himselfe in a suit depending betweene Mr George Harris and the sd
Marston. These shall require you therefore that there be a stoppage
in proceedings, and that the sd Marston have a rehearing the next
Court. Given under my hand at the Green Spring this 9th of Aug'st

page 513. Abstract. Ord that 1700 lb tobo due from Capt Hill to the

county be allowed toward erection of a Court House by Capt. Hill.

page 513. Abstract. Mr Jno. Holmwood and Capt Hill requested to treat with a carpenter for building a Court House for this Co.

page 513. Abstract. Fines of all presentments to go to Churchwardens and Vestry of Westover Parish to repair their church.

page 513. Abstract. Burgesses of Charles City Co requested by the Court "to endeavour the ascertaineing the bounds of the Com the next Sessions of Assembly", etc.

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page 513. Abstract. The ferry to be kept every day at 8 A.M. and 5 P.M. Mr Bland to have oversight thereof and employ whom he please.

page 513. Abstract. Court adjourned to 3rd Dec.

Page 514. Abstract. A Court at Westover 3 Dec. 1664.

Present: Mr. Anthony Wyatt

Capt Robert Wynne Capt Francis Grey
Mr John Holmwood Capt Otho Southcott
Mr Stephen Hamelin

page 514. Abstract. Judgt to Wm Stenson assignee of Geo Atkins agt Mr. Herner for 700 lb tobe.

page 514. Abstract. Nonsuit to Tho Huxe deft agt Robt Busby plt.

page 514. Abstract. Charles Gregory confesses judgt to Mr Stephen Hamelin atty of Richd Gressingham for 1200 lb tobo.

page 514. Abstract. Judgt to Wm Rollinson agt Mr Robt Busby for 1600 lb tobo due by bill.

page 514. Present Capt Hill

page 514. Abstract. Judgt to Geo Harris mercht agt Hain: Woodhouse for 1377 lb tobo.

page 515. Abstract. Judgt to Geo Harris mercht agt David Goodale for 593 lb tobo.

page 515. Abstract. Tho: Sharpe ord to pay John Jacob Chirurgeon "for physick Chirurgery etc" his a/c of 560 lb tobo.

page 515. Abstract. Richd Smith confesses judgt to Capt Francis Grey for 953 lb tobe.

page 515. Abstract. Christopher Hatton ord to pay John Browne or his assgs 712 lb tobo.

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page 515. Whereas Mr Tho: Cock for undertooke for returne of a horse to the Sherr officer of this Com, weh horse was a desd'and as haveing occasioned the death of George Bollington. Itt is therefore ordered that the sd Mr Cock make good or render the sd horse or the full value thereof to the Hono'ble Govno'r for a Deod'and as aforesd and that the sd Mr Cock may have his remedy ag'st Geo: Hinton who rode away the sd horse.

Note: This to me is the most interesting item in the old order book. See page 519 for further comment. In the first place George Hinton had the courage to ride away the horse. In this day of automobiles the young men do not realize just what this means by way of casual physical courage. The men of that day took it as a thing to be done and that was all there was to it. Such a beast, a murderous horse, once behaved badly while my mother was riding him. She was a frail lady and costumed according to the style in a long skirted and voluminous riding habit. Thank God the moths ate that up. Well the horse began to run, so she whipped and whipped him and made him run the faster. She whipped him and made him run until he fell upon his knees with exhaustion. Sho whipped him until he got up and then rode him back to the stables. All five of us children learned to ride on that thereafter peaceful horse.

Old, old colonial letters tell us that the Hintons, whoever they were, had close relatives and friends in the Court Circle in England. Do be careful and don't offend them, etc. However the name never came to the front page of Virginia history. Perhaps they could ride wild horses but could not manage men.

Now for the murderous horse: Decdand (L. Lat Dec dandum: a thing to be given to God). In English law, any personal chattel which was the immediate occasion of the death of any reasonable creature, and which was forfeited to the crown to be applied to pious uses, and distributed in alms by the high almoner. 1 Hale, P.C.419; Fleta, lib 1. c 25; 1 Bl. Comm. 300; 2 Steph. Comm. 365.

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page 515. Abstract. Judgt to Capt The Stegge Esqr agt Sylvanus Stokes for 2000 lb tobe due by specialty transferred by defts consent from Richd Parker.

page 515. Abstract. Jno Drayton ord to pay Jno Marshall 420 lb tobo in full of a/c exhibited.

page 516. "Know all men that I John Stith doe release all claymes of a mare and her increase recorded by Stephen Hamelin for the use of Tho: Gregory sonne of Tho: Gregory dec'd x x x In Witness hereof I have sett my hand to these presents the 6th of July 1662"

Wit:

Signed John Stith

James x Hardway S Hamelin'

Rec. 12th Dec. 164.

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Octob r this 22th 1664

Rec'd of Stephen Hamelin for the use of my Brother Willm Bishopp full satisfaccon and for myselfe for the challenge and claymes of our estate being in the hands of our Cosin Henry Perry Esqr promiseing to acknowledge it in Co'rt the 3d of 10br next. Witnes my hand John Bishoppe

payd 700 lb tob

Recognit in Cur 10br 3. 1664. per Johem Bishopp

Test Ho: Pryse Cl Cur

page 516. Mide to enter upon Record that Frances Bird was sold to Capt John Wall for foure yeares service from the yeare one thous'd six hundred sixty and two

Test Will Pryar

Subscribed and affirmed by Will' Pryar 9br 30th 1664

Test. Ho: Pryse C1'

page 517. Abstract. Deed. 2 Dec. 1664. Edwd Hill of C. C. Co., in Va., Gent., sells to John Rogers, Weaver, 50 acres in C. C. Co., adj land of Walter Daukes west on the River side, South on the land "of me the sd Edw'd Hill" and East a mile into the woods. Wit: Signed Edw Hill

S. Hamelin

Charles Power

Recognit in Cur 10br 3. 1664 by Edw. Hill. Test Hoel Pryse Cl.

page 517. Abstract. Judgt to Wm Stenton for a bill of Mr Horner's for 700 lb tobo illegally assigned by Geo Atkins now cancelled. Better information to be presented.

page 518. The deposicon of Elizabeth Strickld aged 25 yeares or thereabouts sworne and exalied this 27th day of 8'ber A'om 1664. Saith

That this depon't being a sojourner at Mr Rice Hoes house about foure yeares since and useing both dwelling house and Quartering house day time and Evening this depon't deposed that she nev'r saw any hoggs brought in by him or his servits unlesse they were his owne to be killed nor any hoggs without eares and further this depont deposeth that she nev'r see Mrs Susan Hoe not to wrong any person and likewise deposeth that she nevir saw in any Chest of Mrs Hoes any Linning but what was her owne so farr as I know nor yett any where else in the house and further deposeth that she nevir heard of any such thing by any of the servits by hoggs or any other goods and further saith not her

> S Strickld Elizabeth

Jurat' Coram me Thomas Drewe

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page 518	Marshall is Dr	
1661		
Augst 1 for 10 lb of suga	r	6 0
for tobbo allowed	l to Mr Rozer	10
Febr 5th 63 for 1 Bushell	of wheate	50
Mich 26. 64 for 2 bushells	of Indian meall	40
31 for 1 bushell	of Mault	40
May 14th for 1 bushell	of Salt	4 0
for 2 lb 1/2 o	of sope	15
for 1 gall of	•	30
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		350
	deduoted	65
		285
John Marshall to Mr Drayton Cred'r	1 285	
to an accot	705	
00 011 0000	Rest to ball 420 Edwd Hill Fran: Grey	

page 519. Wee underwritten being sum'oned and sworne for Jurymen to sitt on and veiw the Corps of Geo: Bollington and haveing very diligently and circumspectly performed the same doe finde according to the best of our judgemts that the said Bullington was brought to an untimely end of this mortall life by an accidentall fall from a horse the s'd Horse dragging him a great distance of ground as wee then preceived by the grasse and rubbinge on the ground to this our verdict wee subscribe to our hands this 23d of 7'ber. 1664.

Cornel' Clemance
John Stith
Richd x Moseby
Rich. Parker
John Harris
Thomas King
Cuthbert Williamson
Sam. SP Phillips
Ernestus Carey
John Maton
Cornel' x Dehull

marke

page 519. John Hursly sworne and exaied saith that he was kiding on the way to the best of his judgemt twenty yd's before his Unckle Bullington and George Atkins, the sd Atkins called to him and sd he should endeavor to catch the horse for his Unckle was downe Hursly turned about but could not take the horse he runne so fast, the horse still dragging his Unckle, as soone as the horse left him they both came to him and raysed him upp and he then groaned and fetched a great sigh and dyed to this attestacon I the sd John Harsly sub-

scribe to with my hand this 23d of 7ber 1664

John JH Hursly

Jurat' Corum me die pre'dt his marke

Otho Southcott

page 519. Itt is ordered that Samuell Smith the reputed father of a bastard child shall remaine in the Sherr custody till he give good caucon to be extent and responsible according to Law when the sd woman shall be deli'red of the sd child and answer and suffer what shall bee then adjudged agst him.

page 519. Abstract. Attachmt to Ho: Pryse for the use of the County agst 700 lb tobo due to Geo Atkins in the hands of Mr Hackaliah Horner.

page 520. Abstract. Deed. 9 Feb. 1663/4. John Bishoppe and Sarah his wife living in Buckland in Cha: City Co., sell George Watkins of Surrey Co., 300 acres in Surrey known as Swann Bay. They to ack this in Surrey Co Court, as also to meet Watkins at Mr Wm Simmons on the 15th Sept next and then and there see the bounds of the land. Wit:

Signed John Bishoppe
Patrick Jackson Sarah x Bishop

Ack. by Jno Bishop 3 Dec 1664. Ack by Sara Bishoppe wife of John 15 Sept 1665. This last entry interlined in dif ink.

page 521. Abstract. A more lengthy deed for above. 14 Sept 1664. John Bishop of Buckland in C.C.Co., planter and Sara his wife sell George Watkin of Lawns Creeke parish Surrey Co., 300 acres "on the Southside of Upperchipoakes Creeke" known as Swan bay in Surrey Co. etc., "formerly belonging unto my father John Bishop as may better appe" by pattent dated 9th of Aprill 1651".

Wit: Signed John Bishoppe
Will Rookings Sarah x Bishoppe

Will Rookings 1664

Tho: Mudgett
Anthony A Allens marke

William x Ballions marke

Ack in Court 3 Dec 1664 by John Bishop. Interlined "15 7br 1665 by Sara Bishopp". Recorded 12. 10brs. 1664. (12. Dec. 1664)

page 522. Abstract. Attachmt to Capt John Epes the present sherr agt est of John Malcombe for 345 lb tobo recorded agt sd sherr by Capt Grey for nonapp! of sd Malcomb.

page 523. Abstract. Rice Hos ord to pay 800 lb tobo to Stephen Hamelin on obligation exhibited by Jno Cogan. Hos appeals to the Genl Court. Is ord to give bond.

page 523. Abstract. Wm Dollin ord to pay Robt Busby 350 lb tobo to settle a/c.

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page 523. Mary Price for her apparent defamacons of Mr Rice Hoe and his wife is adjudged to be forthwith punished with thirteene lashes on her bare back, to be inflicted by the Sherr officer at the public place of correccon

page 523. Abstract. Judgt to Capt Fran Grey agt Sherr for 345 lb tobo for nonapp! of John Malcomb.

page 523. Whereas it was presented by the Church wardens of Jordans parish that Capt John Woodleife of the said parish gott his serv't Ann Berrey w'th Child. It is therefore ordered that the sd Capt Woodleife pay the fine and penalty by Law in such case appointed to the use or uses therein mendoned w'th all Costs hereof als exec.

page 523. John Cogan hath proved rights by testimony to 600 acres of Land for his personall adventure 4 times and the charge of importation of 8 other persons into this Countrey vidzt

Himselfe 4 times

Tho: Symonds
Steven Hewitt
Willm Lloyd
Willm Sands
Robt Fisher
Tho: Ayedok
Willm Lloyd
Mary Loe
Tho: Bosen

page 524. Whereas John Taylor complaymed to the Court to have lost a gold ring out of the howse of Tho: Hux, and alledgeing that Robt Busby hath beene knowne to weare the same Ring hath prayed in his peticon that the sd Busby may declare upon oath how he came by the sd Ring, whereupon the sd Busby haveing accordingly made Oath in Court that he rec'd the sd Ring of Barbara the wife of the sd Huxe for a cure of her hand or arme, is therefore of the suite dismist with Costs

page 524. Abstract. Order that Jno Epes the present Sherr pay Tho: Morgan 400 lb tobo for nonapp' of Daniel Massingall. Attachmt to Epes agt est of Massingall for the 400 lb tobo.

page 524. Abstract. Upon especial occasion presented by Howell Pryse the whole Court requested to meet at Westover 10th Dec.

page 524. Abstract. Jno Stith acquits Lawrence Biggins of all claims especially those agst est of Jno Hardway dec'd. Dated 19 Oct 1664. Wit:

Robert Wynne Ho: Pryse Cl Signed John Stith

page 525. Abstract. A Court at Westover 10 Dec. 1664.

Present Theoderick Bland Esqr

Lt Coll Tho: Drewe Mr Stephen Hamelin
Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt Edward Hill
Capt Robt Wynne Capt Otho Southoott
Mr John Holmwood

page 525. Whereas one sloope hired of Mr John Holmwood by Mr Anthony Pryar Comand'r of a shipp casually sunke with certaine goods in her whereby the sd Pryar is endamaged fifteens hundred p'ds of tobbo. The Court upon Complt and ex'aiacon of the premisses hath therefore ordered that five hundred pds of tobbo one third of the sd dam'ages be borne and defrayed by the sd Mr Holmwood, five hundred pds of tobbo the second third part by the owners of the sd Shipp and goods and the other third part by the seamen belonging to the sd Shipp

page 525. Whereas Francis Storey and Willm Minshall conceiveing themselves to be of this Com but not required by any Magistrate or officer of either this or James Citty Com to give in their lists are Notwithstanding required to pay their levies to the sherr of James Citty Com. This Court haveing respited the decision and discoviry of bounds of the sd Com do request the magistrates and officers of the sd Com of James Citty to forbeare the requireing of levies of the sd persons untill it be certeine whether Com they shall appe' to be in.

page 525. Abstract. Lt Coll Tho. Drew to call Francis Trehan before him and require security for estates and education "of all Orphanes in his trust".

page 526. Abstract. Judgt to Mr. John Holmwood agent for Roger Greene merchant against Capt Edd Hill for 1980 lb tobo. Holmwood to account to Hill for 1 hhd of tobo adventured with sd Greene, "either at the arivall of the sd Greene or at least by or at the arivall of the last London Shipp this yeare".

page 526. Abstract. Mr Jno Holmwood totaly entrusted to treat with Francis Burrell or any other sufficient workman for erecting a court house at Westover.

page 526. Abstract. "A pattent for 250 acres of land at Kemishes Creeke graunted to John Stith Jun: 1. 1664". "Whereupon is endorsed" assignment of it by John and Jane Stith to James Hardway 19 Oct 1664.

Signed John Stith

Jane R Stith

her mark

Recorded 19 Oct 1664 Test Hoel Pryse Cl.

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Inter Pryar plt and Mr Holmwood deft

To the bargaine Mr Wyatt deposeth the sloope was hired on the same termes Mr Gasse had her the last yeare

Mr Pryar demanded of Mr Holmwood whether she was firme. Mr Holmwood made answer she was very firme she was newly trimmed

Rich Wale deposeth The sloope was let en the same termes she was the last yeare as to the price

Mr Pryar asked Mr Holmwood if she was sound and fitted. Mr Holmwood made answer she was fitted and newly trimmed

To the insufficiency. George Farloe deposeth on veiw of the sloope that she was not well Calked above water but that her seames were most of them open from Stem to Sterne as for other defects they saw none but that she was firme and sound

Peter Rowlett deposeth The sloope was loaden at foure of the Clock toward evening she was sunke at twelve at night, there was not any abord her after night till ten of the Clock when two men went abord and they found no leakinesse but after there was no body went till she was found sunke

page 527. Abstract. Deed. 8 Dec 1664. Ferdinando Aston sells Lt Coll Tho: Drew a negro woman named Maria.

Wit:

Signed Ferd: Aston

Curtis x Laud (or Land)

James Binford Recorded 24 Dec 1664.

page 528. Abstract. A Court at Westover 3 Feb 1664/5
Present Mr Anthony Wyatt

Capt Rob't Wynne Capt Francis Grey
Mr Stephen Hamelin

page 528. Abstract. Judgt to Jno Bishop agt John Burton 350 lb tobo.

" " Rice Hoe " Tho. Marston 2150 " "

" " Geo Harris " Tho. Marston 2088 " "

page 528. Abstract. Nonsuit to Tho Marston agst John Haddock.

page 528. Capt Otho Southcot present cum cetoris

page 528. Abstract. Judgt to Lt Coll Tho. Drewe agt Capt Robert Jordan 800 lb tobo. Some question as to whether Jordan has tendered the tobo, etc.

page 529. Abstract. Judgt to Jno Cogan agt Tho Gilnutt for 440 lb tobo to bal a/c.

page 529. Abstract. Nonsuit to Roger Rawlins agt Robt Cobcutt.

page 529. Abstract. Judgt to Tho Calloway agt John Robinson 1890 lb tobo.

page 529. Abstract. Nonsuit to Jne Cogan agt Thos Morgan

page 529. Abstract. Prob of will of Wm Justice decd to Thomas Capell who married the relict and extrx.

page 529. Abstract. Judgt to Ho: Pryse agt The Richman 616 lb tobo.

page 529. Abstract. Jno Cogan conf judgt to Charles Roane for 8580 lb tobo due by bill.

page 529. Certificat is graunted to David Jones for 250 acres of Land for the charge of importacon of

Brine of Cannell Mary Gosling George Houghton James Graunt

Jno Jones

page 530. Abstract. Deed of Gift. 21 Jan 1664/5. Richd Baker gives to Richd Pace a parcel of land "lying on the other side of the bottome on the West side of the aforesd Bakers plantacon conteyning one hundred and forty acres in bredth from the aforesd bottome and so holding the same bredth Downe to the great Swamp beginning upon the line of the aforesd Bakers at the head of the afore bottome" Wit:

Signed Richd X Baker

Wm Harris Patrick Jackson Casar Walpols

Recorded 7 Feb. 1664/5

page 530. Abstract. Dif betw Jno Bishop plt and Geo Midleton deft ref to Mr Steph Hamelin and Capt Fran Grey. "We find the condicons are broke of either side and that John Bishop pay unto George Midleton 250 pounds of tobbe and one Sow and 1 pare of shoes and 1 dayes worke and 3 dozen of wastcoate buttons according to specialty, als exec and costs. And this to be the end of all Suits betweene them

page 530. The Court is adjourned till to morrow morning.

page 531. Abstract. A Court at Westover 4 Feb 1664/5. Present: Lt Coll Thomas Drewe

Mr Anthony Wyatt Mr Stephen Hamelin
Capt Robt Wynne Capt Otho Southcett

page 531. Abstract. Flias Osborne conf. judgt to Mr Steph Hamelin atty of Capt Tho: Stanton for 624 lb tobo.

page 531. Abstract. Ferd: Asten conf judgt to Francis Dancy for 1700 lb tobo.

page 531. Abstract. Judgt to Charles Gregory agt Andrew Frisoll for 365 lb tobo.

page 531. Abstract. Judgt to Jno Rous mercht agt David Goodale for 890 lb tobo.

page 531. Abstract. Nonsuit to Charles Gregory agt Andrew Frisoll.

page 531. Abstract. Prob of will of Capt Jno Wall dec'd to Elizabeth Wall the relict. Will proved by oaths of Capt Fran: Grey & Richard Price.

page 531. Abstract. Dif Netw John Rous mercht and Fran: Burrell ref te examination of Capt Robt Wynne.

page 531. Abstract. Judgt to Mr Antho Wyatt agt Wm Savage 1087 1 tobe

page 532. Abstract. Deed. 25 Jan 1664/5. Patrick Jackson sells Tho:
Douglas 131 1/2 acres and 14 perches adj E. on Jas Wallace, S on the
ponds, W on the Poplar branch and N on land of Abernathy.
Wit:
Signed Patrick Jackson

Wm Harris

Casar Walpole Recorded 7 Feb seque

Possession hereof recorded in fol. 565 of this booke Aug. 23. 1665.

page 532. Abstract. Judgt to Mrs Jane Freeman agt est of Samuell Edsall for 15 Ewes and 15 Ewe lambs by their sides in the hands of Mr Steph: Hamelin atty for sd Edsall.

page 533. Abstract. Deed of partition. 21 Jan 1664/5. Richd Baker and Patrick Jackson divide land patented jointly. The division line "from the line of Craven agst the plantacen of Mr Cegan by Wm Harris weh line is to runn East till it mette with the swamp and then to include the sd swamp and runn till it ceme to the brig going ovir the sd swamp and runn to the howse of the sd Baker, weh line tis to be for evir the division without any let or hinderance trouble or molestacen". Jackson to have land to north of line and run and Baker to the south.

Signed Richd x Baker Walpole

Wit: Caesar Walpole Richard Pace

Interlined. Acknowledged and consented to by Ann Baker widd Aprill 3rd 1665.

Recorded 7 Feb 1664/5.

page 533. Abstract. Judgt to S. Hamelin agt Capt Jno Epes present sherr 400 lb tobo for nonappe' of John Flower, etc.

page 533. Certificat is graunted to Mr John Drayton for 150 acres of Land for the charge of importacon of Henry Rose, Jno Cockaine and Ellen Winckle

page 534. Abstract. Judgt to Wm Stenton agt Capt Jno Epes the present sherr 700 lb tobo for nonappe' of Mr Hachaliah Horner. Also to James Bisse for 900 lb tobo for nonappe' of Daniell Massingall, etc.

page 534. Abstract. Attachmt agt est of Robt Coboutt 350 lb tobo at suit of Jno Newell mercht on ret by sherr of "a Non Inventus".

page 534. Ca: Grey present

page 534. Abstract. Attachmt to sherr agt ests of Mr Hachaliah Horner 700 lb tobo, Jno Flowers 400 and Danl Massingall 900 (see above).

page 535. Abstract: Attachmt to Capt Fran: Grey agt Ralph Poole for 374 lb tobo on ret by sherr of "a Non Inventus": Also agt Henry Tame for 500 lb tobo.

page 535. Abstract. The Reynolds plt vs Capt Grey deft to next Court. Non suit to Jas Mason agt Danl Clarke, also to Roger Rawlins agt Jno Tatem.

page 535. Abstr. Phill Limbrey fined 350 lb tobo for nonappe' to testify in suit of Jno Rous.

page 535. Abstract. Thomas Boyce conf judgt to Capt Fran: Grey 1947 lb tobo due wherein he is obliged with John Tarkington.

page 535. Abstract. Nonsuit to Robt Busby agt Tho. Hux.

page 536. Abstract. Judgt to Geo Harris mercht agt Tho Strong 473 lb tobo. Also to Anthony Pryer agt Robt Rouse for 476 lb tobo. Also to Mr Antho: Wyatt agt Wm Savage for 837 lb tobo. Also to Robt Rouse agt Tho: Calloway for 385 lb tobo.

page 536. Abstract. Capt Fran Grey ord to pay Jno Rouse mercht 365 lb tobo due on a/c for goods recd from his agents.

page 536. Abstract. Court adj till 3rd Apl 1665.

Page 537. Att a Co'rt holden at Bartley for dispatch of maratine and mercatory accacons Febry the 14th Ao'm 1664 (etc)

Present

Theoderick Bland Esqr

Mr Anthony Wyatt
Mr Jn'o Holmwood

Capt Edd Hill Capt Otho Southcott

Mr Stephen Hamelin

page 537. Robt Rouse ord to pay Anthony Pryer agt of Anthony Gasse 1473 lb tobo on proved a/c.

page 537. Abstract. Judgt to Richd Herbert mariner agt Robt Bowman Sen'r 1800 1b tobo for a maid serv't sold to sd Bowman.

page 537. Abstract. Nonsuit to Phill Limbrey agt John Rous

page 537. Abstract. Judgt to Richd Taxlour and Jno Barker agt John Rous mercht for time and attendance as witnesses according to Act.

page 537. Abstract. John Johnson's est to be seized for L 5. Sterl, he indebted for public dues of Va and departed without paying.

page 538. Charles Citty Com Dr Ao'm. 1662 To tobbo pd by order vidzt	
Publiq levy To Coll Abraham Wood Esqr Capt Wynne Mr Hamelin Robt Rouse Capt Grey Henry Newcombe	8000 4000 0150 0500 0250 0268
Com Levy Capt Wynne Burgesse charge etc Mr Hamelin for eod Coll Hill for tann house Sev'all persons for 30 wolves Capt Grey and Richd Price 14 prest men sev'all times Lt Coll Drew for sev'all services etc Ditt to Mr Drury boat and hands Mr Randolph and Pryse Ditt Pryse Clarke of the Regimt myselfe instruments of punishmt etc Capt Hill for arreares Mr Holmwood for eod Robt Rouse worke Capt Wynne, myselfe, Mr Holmwood & Capt Hill for publiq / for 12 ov'rlisted fugitive and insolvent for sallery	4785 4180 11000 06000 01380 01620 02700 0315 01700 02000 03250 03463 01090 03000 25000 01944 09201
1663 Publiq levy The Hono'ble Gov'rnor Capt Wynne 10000 Mr Hamelin 4000 Capt Wall 290 myselfe powder 6915	08000 14000 07205
Com Levy to Capt Wynne for burgesse charge Mr Hamelin for eod Capt Stegge powder Capt Wynne and others prest men and charges Mr Hamelin eod Ho: Pryse for seviall services	07920 07920 01200 02725 01405 03850

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County Levy 1663 (continued)

Mr Randolph	00690
myselfe for seviall services and paymts	03415
Capt Southoott 85 Mr Hunt for Irons 270	00355
the 4 gent that tooke the lists	04000
Robt Rous for ferrey and other dues	07480
damaged tobbo 5 hhds	01780
for 34 wolves and 2 omitted	07200
for over charged fugitive and insolvent persons 14	01638
for sallery	08320
	184899

8br the 18th Ao'm 1664

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For Charles Citty Com' Cred'r 1662 By 568 persons at 162 per poll 1663 By 649 persons at 117 per poll is By 97 horses at 75 each is	092016 075933 007275
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Per me Anthony Wyalt

This ball is reduced to foure thous'd p'ds of tobbo and ord'r past
for paymt thereof 8br 19th 1664

page 540. Abstract. A Court at Westover 3 April 1665. Present Mr Anthony Wyatt

Mr John Holmwood Capt Otho Southcott
Capt Edd Hill Mr Willm Bird
Capt Francis Grey

page 540. Abstract. Judgt to Wm Stenton agt Mr Hachaliah Horner minister 700 lb tobo due by bill assigned from Geo Atkins.

page 540. Abstract. The following conf judgt. The Morgan to Geo Harris, mercht 1550 lb tobe. Geo Farloe to Jno Holmwood agt for Roger Greene for 550 lb tobe and 264 lb tobe. The Douglas to Edwd Young and Henry Barker Exers of Andrew Strong dec'd for 160 lb tobe.

page 540. Abstract. Judgt to Edwd Young and Hen Barker Exors of Andrew Strong dec'd for 335 lb tobo and 160 dressed pork due by specialty. Also James Wallace to render a/c to them for 4 hammocks disposed of by him.

page 541.

Gentlemen

According to Mr Pryse his lre' the Ce'rt have veiwed the writings inclosed but for want of Mr Jno Dibdalls will cannot be certainly

informed what belongs to the Orphanes but have so farr taken cognizance of it, that they ordered Mr Marston to produce it next Co'rt and then security to be taken of him for the same w'ch he now offered. This I hope till then wilbe satisfaccon to yo'r Wor'pps Yo'r humble serv't

December the 8th 1664

Jno. Okeham Cl

page 541. Abstract. Power of Atty. 1 Feb 1664/5. Edwd Young and Henry Barker Exors in trust of Andrew Strong's estate to Margarett Barker to settle affairs of Strong's estate in C.C.Co.
Wit:
Signed Edward Younge
John X Lodge Henry X Barker
Samuell Willson

page 542. I John Jacob do acknowledge to have heard Mr Hachaliah
Horner to say that he was willing to satisfy Mr Wm Stintons debt weh
he owed him by an assignmt from George Atkins, and further that Mr
Horner went ov'r to Barmotha hundred w'th my selfe and mr Stinton to
get poultry either turkyes or capons for the debt to satisfy Mr
Stinton and this I can assert and do depose the same
Jurat' 2d die febr
John Jacob chyr
Coram nobis
Henry Randolph Wm Walthall

page 542. Whereas the agent of Geo Harris mercht impleaded Jno Stokes for 1525 lb tobo due and Stokes claiming part payment, order that a/c be settled.

page 542. Capt Wynne present

page 542. Abstract. The Hux ord to pay Robt Busby 2 hhds tobe of 700 lb due by bill.

page 542. Abstract. Prob of will of Richd Baker dec'd to Ann Baker widd and exrx.

page 543. Abstract. Moris Rose ord to pay Geo Harris 1400 lb tobo. Jos. Osborne erd to pay Mr Antho: Wyatt 290 lb tobo. Jno Cegan conf judgt to Tho Morgan 1700 lb tobo. Judgt to Jno Beauchamp mercht agt Heroules Flood for 1461 lb tobo. Wm Sturdevant ord to pay John Beauchamp mercht 365 lb tobo. Judgt to Jno. Beauchamp mercht agt Jno Compton 1307 lb tobo.

page 543. Abstract. Prob of will of Jno Robinson deed to Richard Bradford Exor.

page 543. Abstract. Judgt to Moris Rose agt Mr Jno Holmwood agent for Mr Reger Greene for 2043 lb tobo except that goods to that value be imported and delivered to Rose before 3rd June next.

Note: Next page also numbered 543 in original.

page 543. Abstract. Order that Robt Lucy forthwith pay John Stith "one pare of good Cart wheeles".

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page 543. Abstract. Jno Flowers conf judgt to Mr Steph Hamelin for 400 lb tobo. Sherr released of judgt for nonapp' of Flowers.

page 543. Abstract. Judgt to Mr Rice Hoe agt Jno Parish for 250 lb tobo ordered settled forthwith.

page 543. Abstract. Danl Clarke ord to forthwith render up to James Mason 7 1/2 bbl corn "woh the sd Mason laid up in the sd Clarks loft". Also that Clarke allow Mason a discount of 708 lb tobo from debt due.

page 543. Nonsuits as foll: Elizabeth Wall agt Jno Rouse. Samuel Phillips agt Freeguift Throckmorton. Danl Llewellyn agt Richard Nance. Curtis Laud (or Land) agt Jno Rouse, two entries.

page 544. Abstract. Jno Cogan and Robt Rous jointly and severally conf judgt to Mrs Wlizabeth Ward (sic) for 650 lb tobo.

page 544. Whereas Wm Haddoway and John Cotton being suspected and accused of and for illegall takeing away a trunke of writeings and other goods of John Rouse (in felleinous manner as was alleadged) were extaied (together with the whole cawse) by a Jury of considerable Lawfull men of this Com, and are rendered not guilty of the sd pretended or alleadged fact by the Jureys returne of IGNORAMUS. The Coirt doth therefore dismisse the sd parties of the accusacon and complt agst them, excepting and humbly reserveing the benefitt of further Compilt and proofe to be made and proved on his Maities behalfs agst them or either of them by any ether person or persons whatsoever.

page 544. Abstract. James Wallace conf judgt to Mary Jones widd for 880 lb tobe.

page 544. Abstract. Com of admr of est of Willm Panton deed to Tho: Calloway who m the relict.

page 545. Abstract. Power of Atty. 1 Apl 1665. Jno Crompton to John Drury to settle all dif betw Jno Beauchamp and himself.
Wit: Signed John X Crompton

Walter Aston

Nich: Harris Recorded 12 Apl 1665.

page 545. These presents Witness that I James Wallace have received full satisfaceon from Robt Abernathy of the cattle that he had in his custody perteyning to the Orphane Patrick Ramsey as also the gun for wich I do discharg the sd. Abernathy Witness my hand this 18th of Febry 1664

Teste

James Wallace

Patrick Jackson

Recordat 12 die Aprs 1665

page 545. Abstract. Power of Atty. 1 April 1665. Thos Reynolds to "my loveing friend" Charles Power to represent him in suit with Capt Grey.

Signed Thomas Reynolds
Wit: George Marshall

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page 546. M'd that I james Montfort do confesse to have rec'd of my Loveing father in Law Morgan Jones all my whole porcon and clayme, and do hereby generally acquitt and discharge the sd Jones (and the Co'rt of Charles Citty Com' from all claymes to be hereafter made ag'st them or any of them. Witness my hand this 15th of Feb'ry Ao'm 1664

Test James Montfort

Charles Power

John Cogan Recordat 12 die Apr's 1665

page 546. Att a County Coirt held at James Citty the 6th of June 1664 by his Maities Justices

Present Coll Holt

Mr Sanderson Mr Chiles
Maj'r Hone Capt Corker

Judgemt is granted ag'st Daniell Adams for nine hundred twenty six pounds of tobbo and Cask due to John Goffe and Company by bond of eleaven hundred, two hundred and fifty being discompted by the sd Adams out of Mr Goffes clayme by his receipt to be pd with costs of suite als execucon

Teste Jno Okeham Cl Cur

No execucon is granted upon this order this being the 27th of March 1665

per John Okeham Cl Cur

page 546. Willm Herring serv't to Peter Plum'er is adjudged by the Co'rt upon their veiw and exaioon of the sd Herring to be now about twelve years of age

page 547. Abstract. Capt Edd Hill confesses judgt to James Wallace for 2000 lb tobo, provided Hill will keep harmless sd Wallace from all claims that can be brought agst him by Mary Jones widow.

page 547. Abstract. Mr Anthony Wyatt having faithfully discharged duties "of his two yeares shriefealty and collecton" has release of all obligation.

page 547. Mr Anthony Wyatt hath proved rights by testimony to 350 acres of Land for importation of

Thomas Chapple Mary feild
Christopher Welch Elizabeth Jones
Nicholas Scader Joseph Maddock
Isaac Bristoll

page 547. Howell Pryse hath proved right by testimony produced to 750 acres of Land for importacon of

Edmond Vickery James King Richd Newman Tho: Morris

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Headrights (continued)

Willm Cooper Willm Symonds

James Drysdale Robt Nelson

Edwd Kenion John Barnes

Lake Swith Room

John Smith Marmaduke Beckwith Alexander Ayer Bridgett Freer

Elizabeth Bell

Note: This short list is crowded with names to become well known in Virginia. Drysdale for instance with the altogether undignified pronunciation of 'Drizzle', and Marmaduke Beckwith of which we hear later as Sir Marmaduke Beckwith of Richmond County. His house still stands. Mr. Carter Delano of Warsaw, Richmond Co., kindly offered to take me there, but rain, sleet and other things cancelled the trip. He told me it was a charming old place. Sir Marmaduke has many descendants in the older Virginia families. Fortunately I've never heard of any who had his overpowering first name put upon them. B.F.

page 548. Abstract. Order that Nathaniell Tatem and Jervis Dix be paid as witnesses for Richd Nance.

page 548. Upon veiw and exai acon of David Williams serv't to Sylvanus Stokes the Co'rt adjudgeth the sd Willms to be about fourteene years of age the last Christmas

page 549. Abstract. Power of Atty. 6 Oct 1663. Hugh Noden "Citizen and Merchant Taylour of London" to "my good friend" Thomas Mallory of Charles City Co in James River in Virginia, to receive money due from Willm Rowlandson planter of Va, Chipeakes in Martin Brandon parish for goods sent him.

Wit:

Signed Hugh Noden

Tho: Mottershed William Collins

Recorded 12 April 1665.

Note: And since we mentioned Richmond Co. above please pronounce Mottershed as they do there - 'Mothershead'. When I was introduced to persons of that name I realized that I did not know everything quite yet. I fumbled that in my 2nd volume this series.

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page 550. Abstract. Power of Atty. 5 March 1660 (1660/1?) John Nowell to "my loveing friend" Mr Stephen Hamelin and "my loveing wife Lidia Nowell" to transact any or all business Wit:

Signed John Nowell

Francis X Dancy

Edwd X Gilly Recorded 3 June (?) 1665.

page 551 Abstract. Present

A Court at Westover 3 June 1665
Theoderick Bland Esq
Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt Francis Grey
Capt John Epes Capt Otho Southcott
Capt Robt Wynne Mr Willm Bird
Mr John Holmwood

page 551. Abstract. Geo Farley conf judgt to Thomas Harris for 425 1b tobo.

page 551. Whereas Robt Busby charging Tho: Hux two hundred pounds of tobbo and cask, in acco[†]t for his accomedacen wifes accomedacen at his brothers house, in the time of her cure, recovered Judgemt for the same. And whereas it appereth that the sd Hux paid to Tho. Busby the owner of the house and the sd accomedaceon, the sd 200 lb tobbo. It is therefore ordered that the sd Robt Busby render and repay to the sd Hux the sd 200 lb tobbo and cask with costs of this suite als exec

page 551. Abstract. Whereas George Douglas took up a stray boat belonging to Richard Shute and sold it for 400 lb tobo it is ordered by their joint consent that Douglas pay Shute 300 lb tobo and keep the bal.

page 551. Abstract. Judgt to Capt Fran: Grey agt Wm Rollinson for 30 shillings Sterl and 468 lb tobo.

page 551. Abstract. Wm Bird to settle dif betw Tho Reynolds plt and Capt Fran: Grey deft.

page 552. Abstract. Deed. 19 Dec 1664. Rice Hooe sells Geo Hancock a mare for 2500 lb tobo. Signed by Rice Hooe. Witnessed by Hubbard Farrell and Susanna Hooe. Recorded 5 June 1665.

page 552. To All to whom these presents shall come I Anthony Wyatt aged 60 years or thereabouts do declare upon my oath to the best of my knowledge that the fifty acres of Land woh I sold to Capt Poythres was the outside Land of Capt Woodleife and del'red to me by mr Gabriell Hollan then Guardian of Capt Woodleifs estate beginning at a great Wallnutt tree then standing ne'r Jenkin Osborne (woh then had purchased Jarrets Land) and mr Hollan to divide the land of Woodleife and Jarretts, and Jarrett was to begin at the tree and so to the Creeke. This is to the best of my knowledge nothing but truth As witnesse my hand this 16 of May 1665

Anthony Wyatt

page 552. Abstract. Nonsuit to Wm Rollinson deft agt Wm Bird plt.

page 553. Abstract. Judgt to "Mr Willm Bird on behalf of his employers agst Edmond Shipdham" 1229 lb tobo. Also 456 lb tobo.

page 553. Abstract. Prob of will of Alexander Fowler deed to Mary Fowler extrx.

page 553. Abstract. Robt Nicholson to pay Geo Harris mercht 321 lb tobo. Danl Llewellin ord to pay costs in settlement of dif betw him and Geo Harris mercht.

page 553. Abstract. Daniel Llewellin ord to pay Peter Rowlett 5 bu and 1 peck of wheat due for threshing. Also that Rowlett pay Llewellin 18 days work.

page 553. Abstract. Jno Harwood conf judgt to Geo Harris mercht for 717 lb tobo.

page 553. Abstract. Wm Gilham sworn constable for Weynoke.

page 553. Abstract. Attachmt to Wm Hunt agt est of Francis Langworth for 2092 1b tobo. Judgt to Geo Harris mercht agt Tho: Beedles for 345 1b tobo.

page 553. Abstract. Dif betw Tho Marston and Rice Hoe to next Court

page 554. Francis Poythres hath proved right by testimony of Capt Robt Wynne to 450 acres of Land for the adventure and importacen of Francis Poythres, The Mallery, Wm Hind, Jo: Barlow, John Ward, James Cobcook, Ellin'r Towle and Sampson Ellis twice.

page 554. To the Honoured Vestry of Westov'r parrish
The peticon of Ann Baker widd
Most humbly Sheweth

That whereas yo'r petn'rs son Wm Floriday is visited by the hand of God w'th Dangerous convulsion fitts went taketh him comonly every day whereby he is made incapable to labour for his Liveing, and out of motherly affecton and naturall Love yo'r petn'er doth according to her ability keep and mainteyne him, and hath kept and mainteyned him ever since September 1664

Wherefore yo'r petn'r doth most humbly beseech yo'r honoured Vostry to take it in their consideracon that your petn'r is a lone weman, and hath no servant and a charge of two children to mainteine, therefore yo'r petn'r Doth sollicit that her son Wm Floriday may be exempt from the Levies and the taxes in regard of the premisses, and yo'r petn'r shall pray etc.

We of the Vestry present, on serious consideracon do hereby acquitt Wm Floriday of paying parish Levies, and do hereby recomend this peticon to the consideracon of the worpll Co'rt fer the acquitting, if they think fitt, the sd Floriday from publick Levies, As witness our hands this 15th of May 1665

John Holmwood James Blamore
Edw: Hill James IW Ward
Otho Southcott James Wallice
Willm Hunt

William Floriday is hereby exempted and released from all future

publick services and taxes (except parish dues) upon certificat of the Vestry of Westov'r parish of his inability and povourty

page 554. Robert Short sworne Constable for merichts hope precinct

page 555. Abstract. Judgt to Fran: Grey agt certain est of Ralph Poole

page 555. Abstract. The Moriton to pay John Turner the owner 70 lb tobo for killing a trespassing hog.

page 555. Abstract. "Whereas upon complit of Capt Edwd Hill the present sherr that Wm Irby strooke the sd sherr, and drew his sword at him threatning to cutt him, and refused a horse prest by the sd sherr for publick service". The Governor issued a warrant to Theod: Bland Esqr and Capt Robt Wynne to arrest Irby and hold him for the next Session of the Grand Assembly. This done the clerk of the Court to return copies of all proceedings to the Secretary's office.

page 555. Abstract. John Insell (or Jusell) servt to Capt Edw Hill "haveing runn away and seduced others to the same offence" ordered to serve 6 mos after his time.

page 556. Abstract. Order dated 1 June 1665 from Sir Wm Berkeley, Governor, to Theod: Bland and Robt Wynne to arrest Wm Irby. " x as high sherr prest a horse of one Wm Irby to pursue certaine run awayes, and that after the sd presse the sd Irby struck him the sd Hill, in defence of his horse, wth his fist, on his breast, and further drew his sword with threatening words and other misdemeanors to refuse the sd horse".

page 556. Abstract. Warrant. 3 June 1665. To sherr to arrest Wm Irby. Signed Theo: Bland.

page 557. Abstract. Statement by Capt Edw Hill sherr concerning Wm Irby and the horse. Refers to drawn sword and threat "woh he had probably acted if not im ediately restreined by Capt Francis Epes and John Royster, saying positively that his horse should not go upon that presse", etc.

Note: My complaint against Doctor Irby is that he did not shoot the High Sheriff, then ride his horse to Jamestown and shoot the Governor right then and there. And no doubt Mr. Theoderick Bland, who issued the warrant, had some thoughts along the same line a little later on.

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page 557. Abstract. Dif betw Mr John Holmwood and Capt Edw Hill to next Court.

(see next page for more concerning the Hill - Irby incident)

page 558. Gerard Warren aged 28 yeares or thereabouts exaied and sworne in Co'rt Sayth as foll.

That the depont went along with John Jubb to presse the horse of Wm Irby upon publick service, and the sd Irby answered we should not have him, for he was going to visit some sick children, and he tooke his sword off the cupboards head and sayd he would rescue his horse, and bid the depit go and tell his master so. And afterwards the sd Irby lift up his hanger and offered to strike Capt Hill (but his wife came behind him and tooke hold thereof) when the sd Capt Hill had pressed the horse, and further saith not Gerrard Warren

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page 558. John Jubb aged 26 yeares or thereabouts exalied and sworne in Colrt sayth as foll

That he went by vertue of a warr't from Capt Hill and pressed the horse of Wm Irby, and afterwards went and told the sd Irby of the same, and he came w8th his hanger and told the Depon't he would rescue his horse, and would not let him go, because he was goeing to see two sick children, and bid the depon't tell his Master he should not have him, for he was goeing upon that designe and the father of the children had sent for him. Moreover the sd Irby lift up his hanger and offered to strike Capt Hill (but his wife came behind him and tooke hold thereof) when the sd Capt Hill had pressed the horse. And further saith not

the m'ke of J- John Jubb

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page 558. Itt is ordered that the Com lists be taken (according to Act) by the same Gentlemen in the same precincts as formerly

page 559. John Royster aged 26 years or thereabouts exatied and sworne in Cotrt sayeth as foll

That Capt Hill came within the fence of Wm Irby and asked him why he would not let him have his horse withall he came to the horse of the sd Irby and clapt his hand upon the buttock of the sd horse and pressed him, in his Maits name, but (to the best of this deponts rememberance) before Capt Hill pressed the sd horse, the sd Irby gave him a push on the breast with his hand, and so haveing some words passed betweene them, the sd Irby called for his sword, what those words were, the depit sayth that the sd Irby said he was goeing to a child that lay upon life and death Upon that Capt Hill bid him take boate and hands, and after he had his sword the depit tooke hold of it, and bid him be civill, upon that the sd Irby answered that he would not be uncivill, but enely to defend his horse, so he went to his horse and told Capt Hill he should not have him, upon that he drew his hanger, and some grosse words passed betweene them,

and Mr Irby was so passionate, he made proffers to strike him and Capt Hill told him if he did medle with him he would pistoll him, and held his pistoll hard by his breast, and so withall Capt Francis Epes came to him and desired him to be civill, upon that Irby replyed Capt Epes, I lend yu my horse because I will not be pd for him, and further saith not

Jurat in Cur Jun: 3, 1665 Test: Ho Pryse Cl Cur the m'k of John X Royster

page 559. Abstract. Capt Edw Hill, the present sheriff, to receive the fine imposed on Ralph Poole.

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Mr Bland

Sr: The difference betweene Capt Hill and mr Irby was allmost ov'r before I came up to them but I can testifie that when I did come up to them mr Irby had his horse by the halter with one hand and his cutlas drawne in the other, and after some words, Capt Hill spoke to one of his men to take the horse, at wich words mr Irby made a proffer to strike, and sayd he should not have his horse, for he would defend him: with that I stept to Mr Irby and desired him he would not be in such a mad humour, and told him certainly he knew not what he did. Irby replyed He was goeing upon life and death; Mr Irby (sayd I) yu have a boate to goe about yo'r occasions wich is as well. Come lend me y'or horse; After a little pause, well, sayd he, I will lend yu my horse provided yu wilbe very carefull of him, but for all he can do (pointing to Capt Hill) should nev'r have him upon any account: This I am able to depose

Sr. I have sent Will Wosuam to yu and I had wayted on yu had I had convenience

Sr yo'r Servant Fran Epes

Note: Woshuam, Worsuam, ie Wortham. William Wortham.

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page 560. Will Worsuam aged 18 years or thereabouts exatied and sworne in Cotrt sayth as foll.

That being at Mr Irbys house when Capt Hill pressed the horse of the sd Irby upon publick service, this depont saw the sd Irby lift up his hanger at the sd Capt Hill, and his wife tooke hold of his sleeve and desired him to hold it hand. And the sd Irby replyed He would lend his horse to the deponts father, but he would not have him pressed, And further sayth not

William Worsuam

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page 561. Abstract. Entry headed "Memorand". Bond. Text in Latin. Dated 3 June 1665. Wm Irby, Daniel Llewellin and John Stith. 20000 lb tobo. If the sd Wm Irby will appear at James Citty, on the 2d day of next session of the Grand Assembly, before the Governor,

Council and Burgesses to answer complaint agst him by Capt Edward Hill, then this to be void, etc.

Recognit Coram nobis
Theod: Bland
Robert Wynne

Note: Here we have the word of Hill's own men. This disgusting, cowardly and bullying exhibit on the part of Capt Edward Hill, his running squalling to old Berkeley, one of his own kind, makes one wonder if God, who we are told made man in his own image, was not then Himself a little abashed:

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page 561. Howell Pryse hath proved right by Assigne'mt and testimony produced to 1650 acres of land for the charge of importacon of thirty three persons underwritten vidzt

Ambrose Page Wm Jeffreys Robert Haines Wm Jarret Abraham Jackson Henry Wotton Timothy White Tho: Perkins Thomas Yates Nathaniell Carter Bernard Moore Randall Crayford Richd Harwood Mary Field Hannah Hall Jaques Johnson Millescent Baker James Parker Peter Ellyot Mary Clayton James Apleby Edw'd Hinton Jone Wilson Peter Feake Andrew Beale Antho: Tarkin Elizab: Greene James Watson David Andrews Willm Weaver Edwd Cary Edwd Pierson Andrew Carby

page 562. Abstract. Deed. A very wordy entry. Dated 8 Feb 1664/5. James Wallace of Merchants Hope, C.C.Co., sells James Ward planter, of Powells Creek, same Co., 300 acres. Adjs land of Richd Taylor and Caesar Walpole on the south. West on 100 acres now in possession of Morgan Jones, North upon 100 acres now held by lease by sd Ward and East upon Powells Creek. James Wallace and Joan his wife to appear at next Court and confirm sale.

Wit: Signed James Walliac (sic)

Theo: Bland Robert Wynne

Jno Holmwood Recorded 6 June 1665.

Recognit in Cur by James and Joan Wallace 10br. 4 1665.

Test: Hoel Pryse Cl

page 562. Abstract Court adj to 3rd Aug next.

page 565. We underwritten being sum oned and sworne to inquire and examine the cause of the unnaturall death of Katherine the daughter of John Lanier, do find and returne our verdict (as we have discovered by proofe and circumstance) that the 7th of this instant May the sd child being layd on a bed to sleepe (and none by to take care of her) tumbled, by reason of the heat till she came under a

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rayle fastened at the beds side, where, with the face downward, she reed her accidentall death, haveing the body ov'r the bed and hanging by the head stifled agst the bed and clothes. Witnesse o'r hands this 8th Day of May 1665

Tho: Cuerton Tho: Holford Richard Dodd T Chappell Tho: James Blamore John Poytres Tho: T Douglas Bryon X Connell Robt X Abernathy Tho: X Parrham Edwd X Amas Robt R Godwin

I Parcevall Barton do declare to the Jury that I found the child of John Lenier smothered and dead betwix the bed and a rayle, the 7th of May 1665 Parcevall Barton

page 565. Abstract. Endorsed on a deed from Patrick Jackson to Tho: Douglas dated 25 Jan 1664/5 and recorded on page 532 this book: Patrick Jackson has delivered the land "widzt parte for the whole, by cutting and deliviring unto him a turfe and a twigg on the sd land". Dated 22 Aug 1665.

Wit:

Signed Patrick Jackson

William Hunt Robert Symonds John X Rosser

Howell Pryse

Recorded 23 Aug 1665

page 566. Abstract. A Court at Westover 3 Aug 1665 Present Theoderick Bland Esqr

> Lt Coll Tho: Drew Mr John Holmwood Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt Otho Southcott Capt Robert Wynne

Mr Willm Bird

page 566. Abstract. Nonsuit to Rice Hoe agt The Marston.

page 566. Abstract. Com of admr of est of Mr Stephen Hamelin to Mrs Agnes Hamelin widd.

page 566. Abstract. In full of dif betw Tho: Meriton plt and George Farley deft "the sd Farley hath asked the sd Meriton publiqly forgivenesse in open Co'rt for the abusive calumny uttered agst him".

page 566. Abstract. Petition of Mr Jno Cogan agt Mr Wm Bird to next Court. Bird to produce lease, etc.

page 566. Abstract. Wm Clarke ord to deliver to Robert Potter "one pare of new dowlar sheetes and one new table cloth of the like cloth w'thout costs".

page 567. Abstract. "Mary Roxy aged thirty yeares er thereabouts sworne and exaied saith". Deposition concerns sale of cattle. "Febry last Mr Hoe and Mr Hancock came to Mr Tho: Marston house", that the price was high, etc.

Sworn 1 June L665

Signed Mary X Roxy

The: Hone

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page 567. The deposicon of George Woodleife aged 19 years or thereabouts exaied and sworne saith

That this depont carried 3 bushells of Indian corne in two osonbrig bags to Mr Taylors mill of Will'm Evans, w'ch corne this depon't was enformed stolen, afterwards this depont went by the request of the sd Evans to demand the corne of the sd Mr Taylor who answered he could not nor he would not allow it, but if he sued him and recov'red it, then the sd Taylor answered he would sett up at Co'rt doore, that if any brought any corne to the mill to be ground, then they should either runne the hazard or else stay the grinding of it and further saith not

George Woodleife

Jurat' in Cur Augst 3. 1665 Test Hoel Pryse Cl Cur

page 568. Itt is ordered that Mrs Sarah Taylor Attorney of Mr Richd Taylor forthwith render and deliver to Willm' Evans two new Osenbrig bags and 3 bushells of good Indian Corne, or the full value thereof with all costs of suit als exec

page 568. Abstracts. Judgmts. To Mr Jno Carker agt Martin Quelch for 329 lb tobo 36 last year's quality. To Francis Langworth agt Robt Short for 353 lb tobo.

page 568. Abstract. Power of Atty. 19th June 1665. Richd Wedge-borrow holding a letter of atty from Francis Langworth appoints "my Loveing friend Charles Power" to prosecute action commenced agst Robert Short in C.C.Co.

Wit:

Signed Richard Wedgeborrow

Francis Poythres Thomas Malory

page 568. Abstracts. Dif betw Edward Pike and Isaac Bull to next Court. Also dif betw Nicholas Whiskin and Robt Short.

page 568. Abstract. Edwd Pike ord to pay Isaac Bull 629 lb tobo now.

page 569. Upon serious exaicon of the Comp! It of Mrs Grace Grey ag'st her husb'd Capt Francis Grey for sev'all misusages of her and denyall of wonded (sic) food and raym't according to her quality, The Co'rt finding by severall evidences, the truth of most part of the Complt, have (in pursuance of the Comand of the Hono'ble Governor and Councell) ordered appoynted and decreed, that the sd Mrs Grace Grey may have liberty to recede to, and abide in any other place to prevent the violence of her sd husb'd. And that the sd Capt Grey shall afford pay and allow to and for the use and accomodacon of his sd wife (for her dyet and habit) the sum of three thous'd p'ds of tobbo and Cask per annum, dureing the time of their disagreem't, as also one serv't to wayt and attend her (together w'th mainteynance of corne for that serv't) untill they shall reconcile and reunite. This properceal' being conceived by this Co'rt to be equally answerable to their p'ort and quality, and that

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Security be given by the sd Capt Grey at or before the next Co'rt for performance of this order, in case of continuance of their disagreemt till that tyme.

Note: All dissatisfied ladies please turn to page 576 and consider what Mrs Grey had to put up with, "the truth of most part". Any respectable married woman can easily fill in the balance.

Beware Boys: - If you get good wives you will listen to all of this at one time or another. Even the delightful wicked wives take pot shots at their husbands now and then just for the Hell of it.

Mrs Grey just saved up and gave a broadside that sunk the ship. B.F.

page 569. Abstract. Order that Wm Buckner who married the relict of Geo: Hunt decd, deliver to Jno Bishop, for the use of Wm Bishopp, a feather bed and furniture as they were left at the sd Buckners house. That the sd Bishopp pay Buckner 300 lb tobo for 3 years accommodation of the sd Wm Bishop by the sd Geo: Hunt.

page 570. Abstract. John Stith and James Hardway conf judgt either to the other for 10000 lb tobo, to stand by arbitration of Capt Robt Wynne and Mr John Holmwood. Does not show cause of dif. Immediately following as though part of same entry the following letter: Lt John Stith my respects presented

Sr these are to entreate you to Act as my Attorney and in my behalf to prosecute Tho: Hooper for what dam'ages I have rec'd by the charges I have beene at and the losse of tyme, occasioned through his running away, or any thing that may be my dew for the same, and haveing recov'red to make resigna on of it to Capt Edwd Hill w'ch this shall oblige me to stand as to my owne act and deed, and to remaine for this

July the 2d. 1665 Testes

Wm Harris

William Thomas

Yo'r very friend the m'ke of Thomas X Gascoin

Abstract. John Stith by virtue of above Power of Atty assigns 1/2 years service recovered of Tho: Hooper in behalf of Gascoin to Capt Edw Hill. Dated 3 Aug. 1665.

Wit:

Signed John Stith

John Barker

Daniel Clarke

Recorded 6 Aug 1665

page 571. Abstract. 8 April 1664. Moris Rose sells Edwd Pike a parcel of land, acerage not shown, lying on Wards Creek, the lower side adj Havetts land, the upper side "bounding upon the next slash to my now dwelling house, and so farr into the woods as my other Land runns expressed in the pattent".

Wit:

Signed Moris MR Rose his m^tke

William Cogill Ralph Poole

Rose confesses that this is his act and Phill Ellyott and Edwd Pike

pay him the rent of the land up to this time. Dated 3 Aug 1665. This entry not quite clear to me.

page 571. Abstract. Edwd Pike assigns interest in above to Phill Ellyott. 25 July 1665.

Wit:

Signed Edward Pike

William Cogill

Maren Sherne (?)

Recorded 6 August 1665.

Above reassigned to Moris Rose. This entry in dif ink and added later. Dated 4 June 1666.

Signed Edward Pike

Test Hoel Pryse Cl

Phillip E Ellyott

page 572. Abstract. Deed. 1 July 1665. Daniell Clarke, planter, of Oldmans Creek sells, for a bill of 5000 lb tobo recid, to Jeofferey Mumford and Willm Gillum " a tract of Land joyneing to the horse path that goes to Jamestowne". Further description of land in surveyors terms. All being 200 acres.

Wit:

Signed Daniel Clarke

Tho Porter John Smyth

Recognit in Cur Aug: 3. per Dan: Clarke et Francise Clarke uxor - - Test Hoel Pryse Cl Recorded 6 Aug 1665

page 573. Abstract. John Higins servt to Peter Rowlett has time doubled for illegal absence of 3 months.

page 573. Abstract. John Ludwell ord to pay Coll Thos Swann 370 lb tobo due by bill.

page 573. Itt is ordered that Thomas Hooper servt to Tho: Gagecome for his running away and for the great charge and trouble in his prosocucon and recoviry serve his sd Mir or his assis six months after the tyme he came in for.

Note: Gagecome, meaning Gascoin, pronounced and often spelled Gaskins.

B.F.

page 574. To the Vestrey of Bristoll parish, the humble peticon of Robt Burgesse humbly presenteth

That whereas yo'r peticon'r hath a serv't by name Tho: Clarke in being wholy disabled in getting his liveing by the losse of owne of his armes, now yo'r peticon'rs request to you is, that you will be pleased to com'iserate his Condition and exempt him from the parish levy etc

Yo'r peticon'r shall pray

These may certefie that the Vestry of Bristoll parish have given the

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lame boy nominated in this peticon his parish levy, and do hereby enforme yo'r Worpp's that the sd boy is disabled as by this peticon may appere

Teste Tho: Daulby Cl Vestrey

page 574. Abstract. Duplicate petition that Tho: Clarke be exempted from public dues.

page 575. Abstract. Letter, no date but ack in Court 3 Aug 1665. From Robert Jones to Mr Pryse requesting that deed of gift be recorded, he giving Elizabeth Harrison dau of Wm Harrison "my God daughter" a heifer.

Wit:

Signed Robert X Jones

William Harrison Jun'r

John Ludwell

Ack by Jno Ludwell for Robt Jones. Recorded 18 Aug 1665.

page 575. Abstract. Certificate that Tho: Marston has given a/c of estate belonging to John Dibdall orphan, according "to the severall wills of Mr John Dibdall and Mr Richd Dibdall". Dated 6 April 1665. "Teste Jo! Okeham Cl Cur Com Civitat Jacobi". Recorded 18 Aug. 1665

page 576. To the Right Hono'ble Sr William Berkeley Knt Governor of Virginia

Grace Grey the unfortunate and deplorable wife of Capt Francis Grey most humbly Complaymeth

That whereas yo'r peticon'r hath now lived in the Hono'ble Estate of wed lock with her sid husb'd foure and twenty years, and brought him a considerable estate of wich he was then destitude and hath brought him six children whereof three are married. In all wich tyme of 24 years your peticon'r hath not failed in the least requisite in a Loveing and obedient wife, but hath diligently served him with all possible care paines love loyall and true obedience, for the proffe whereof your peticon'r ofereth herselfe to the Report of all good people and neighbours whether they be rich or poore, who hath been eye witnesses hereof not fearing but they will speake the truth notwithstanding their great engagemits to him as a micht (of whom they stand in feare may Bias some of them.

But so it is may please your Honour, that the sd Capt Grey hath for many yeares most egregiously abused ye'r peticon'r by private and unspeakeable devices, by the worst of words, by desperate and unmercifull blowes, and by Cutting her eares and keeping her under the quality of a most contemptible slave in the hands of an Imperious tyrant, not permitting her to come neere his table no not a sabbath day, nor to eat of what remained when he had donne.

But yo'r distressed peticon'r who did ev'r seeke his honour and preferm't was resolved to smother and conceale the miseryes of her unhappy life, she hath hitherto beene silent, hoping to reclayme him by submission to her humor, and the rather, for the not onely well natured heathens, but even the most brutel and savage, and therefore much more all Christian law makers have thought it needlesse to prescribe rules and laws how men should use their wives, there being

so glorious a Comparison betwixt Christ and his Church for weddin matrimony that the divell might be thought to want cunning to persuade the worst of men to abuse a Loveing and obedient wife

But the sd Capt Grey, about tenn weekes since notw'thstanding yo'r aged peticon'r wrought hard in the ground or did anything that may proffit or please her s'd husb'd broke out into a continued malice, whereas formerly his hate did predominate but at c'teine times.

And in the first place he posted your peticoner at Westover Court that none should give her creditt at their perill, refuseing to pay a poore man a hhd of tobbo that your peticoner had received provicons for, it being for the reliefe of a sick man that your peticoner tended and for weh the sd Capt Grey was allowed two thous'd p'ds of tobbo for, and yet refused to pay 350 that was spent in poultry etc.

Secondly as he had often denne so now againe he locked up the very bread from your peticoner, and not only so but refused to give her any at her earnest request to avoyd famishing by hunger, but haveing forewarned all not to give her credit did at last Com'and her out of his house, and to be gonne out of his sight, to weh your peticoner was forced to submitt, since w'ch time she hath been releived by her children, w'thout whose helpe she must have beged or starved, he utterly refuseing to give her any sustenance, although your peticoner besought him w'th teares upon her knees before diverse witnesses, but did sharpely threaten his children for releiveing her.

But about 3 dayes agoe your peticoner had notice that it was his pleasure she should come home whereupon she prevailed with the Churchwarden to goe with her, but when she came home her sid husbid gave her not one bitt of bread or any other sustenance but water, notwithstanding she was taken sick of a feaver, and when her children would have releived her he would not suffer them, but abused them, and told your peticoner that she should not goe to complayne, for he would bind her with a repe to a post in the tobbo house, where she should lye like a hogg so that she was forced to make an escape privately. with the helpe of her 3 senns who can depose the truth of this whole peticon.

Now seeing that it hath pleased God to put us under your Hono'rs Christian and happy governm't who is a knowne releiver of the distressed, who by a high and wicked hand are intollerably abused, she most humbly imploreth your Honour that Course may be forthw'th taken that she may either live w'th her sd husb'd in the quality of his wife, or that she may have mainteynance according to his estate, and that her life be secured w'ch upon her eath is now in danger

The Comers of Charles Citty County are desired to enquire into the barbarous usage of Mer Francis Grey towards his wife And to give her all redresse possible for the present. And a security and mainteynance for the future

William Berkeley

And she shall ever pray

James Citty the first Aug'st. 1665 Rec Aug 18

Note: This agreeable picture of home life in 17th century Virginia

makes the dear old mammy and magnolia tradition look a little silly. Capt Grey probably had mammy taken out and soundly whipped, had the magnolia trees out down and damned the wood for not burning faster. Perhaps Capt Edward Hill came over to enjoy the day with him.

The most curious thing about this petition is that it never seemed to occur to anybody, not even to Mrs Grey herself, but that she would be delighted to return, if she could, to this homemade Hell.

B.F.

page 578. Abstract. Deed. 1 July 1665. Daniell Clarke of Oldmans Creeke planter sells to Thomas Porter, for 800 lb tobo and 7 bbl of Indian corn, a parcel of land, acerage not shown, "joyneing to a horse path that goes to James towne", beginning at a stake that stands in Ballingtons field (prob Bullington), running N into the woods, then W to Old mans Creeke, then down the creek then down the creek to the horse path.

Wit:

Signed Daniel Clarke

Tho: Ligon

John Smyth

Recognit in Cur by Daniel and Frances Clarke 3 Aug 1665.
Test Hoel Pryse Cl Cur. Recorded 18 Aug 1665.

page 579. Abstract. Deed. I June 1665. Daniel Clark of Windsor planter sells Neale Stoleare, for a bill of 2500 lb tobo, a tract of land adj the horse path that goes to Jamestown, adj W. on Jepffrey Mumfords line, etc. "by vertue of my pattent". Wit:

Tho: Ligon

Signed Daniel Clarke

John Smyth

Recognit in Cur by Daniel Clarke and Frances Clarke 3 Aug 1665.

Test Hoel Pryse Cl Cur Recorded 18 Aug 1665

page 580. Abstract. Deed. 20 July 1665. Daniel Clarke gent of Windsor C.C.Co sells to Willm Garrett planter, for 1200 lb tobo 100 acres that adj the horse path that goes to "James Citty", adj land of Neale St Cleare, the land of Tho Porter as set out by patent, etc. Wit:

Tho: Porter

Signed Daniel Clarke

Wm Collingwood

Recognit in Cur by Daniel and Frances Clarke 3 Aug 1665. Test Hoel Pryse Cl Cur Recorded 18 Aug 1665.

page 581. Abstract. Interlined here in very fine writing "I Wm Garwood Assigne ov'r all my right and title of this menconed what is x x ". I cannot read this but it means passed to Tho: Rich'ds and his heirs forever Aug 3. 1666. Recognit in Cur by "Willm Garwood and Marium ux". Witnessed by Wm Collingwood.

Signed The mark of Willm Garwood Mary Garwood

page 581. Abstract.

An Orphans Court at Westover 15th Sept 1665

Present

Lt Coll Tho: Drew

Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt Robt Wynne Mr John Holmwood Capt Otho Southcott

page 580. Abstract. Dif betw Peter Read and Jno Willms to be settled by Mr Antho: Wyatt and Capt Robt Wynne

page 580. Abstract. Sanders Davison for disobeying orders concerning guardians and Masters of orphans fined 300 lb tobo and ordered to appear at next Court with orphans in his care or be further fined.

pages 582-3-4. Abstract. Deed. 26 June 1665. Patrick Jackson planter of Merchants Hope sells Wm Hunt wheelewright of Buckland, C.C.Co., 450 acres in Merc. Hope. Adjs land late of Richd Baker deed according to a late "bounding survey made by Maj'r Willm' Harris, the W part on the land of Mr Jno Cogan lately purchased of Tho Boyce, and part on the land late of Mr James Warradine, and Northerly part upon 200 acres now in the tenure of James Wallace and 100 acres lately purchased of the sd Jackson by Tho: Douglas and part on the land of the Merchants commonly called Merchants Hope, which land is the remainder of a dividend of 1500 acres jointly purchased by the sd Richd Baker (now dec'd) and the sd Jackson of Mr Richd Jones minister. Wit:

Nicholas X Gatley

Signed Patrik Jackson

Hoel Pryse Cl

Delivery by turf and twig 22 Aug 1665

Wit:

Signed Patrik Jackson

Thomas Douglas John X Rosser

Robert Simons Howell Pryse Cl Recognit etc 15 Sept 1665 Recorded 20 Sept 1665

page 585. Abstract. Deed of Gift. 15 Sept 1665. Robt Rouse of Westover "Innholder" gives "unto my sonne Robert Rouse" a chestnut
colored mare " to be rendered and del'red unto him when he shall have
compleated the age of seaventeene yeares". Should he die before then
the mare to be disposed of by "my wife Johanna Rous". If she be deed
the Court or gentlemen appointed by the Court who have "a respect
to me and my children" to dispose of the mare. Of the increase, the
first filly to "my daughter Jane Rous". If she die before 16 years
of age or marriage "unto my daughter Elizabeth Rous".
Wit:

Anthony Wyatt Robert Wynne Signed Robert Rous

Recorded 20 Sept 1665.

page 586. To the Worp'll the Comanders and Com'rs of Cha: Citty Com
The peticon of Robt Evans and Mary Plum'er humbly sheweth
That whereas Tho: Rands dec'd and his wife since maried two husbands
and herselfe being now dead the peticoners being Godfather and Godmother to the sd Rands his sonne called Tho: Rands are now to make
provision for him, wee thought fitt to putt him into the custody of
Mr John Bishopp, the age of the child now being seaven yeares

Wee humbly referr ourselves to your Worpps serious consideracon for what tyme he may have him

And your peticoners as in duty bound shall ever pray

page 586. Abstract. Bond. 15 Sept 1665. 3000 lb tobo. That Anthony Allen "do persecute what he alleadged to this Co'rt agst Charles Gregory concerneing one of the Orphanes of Richd Bagley at the next Com' Co'rt".

Wit: Charles Power James Blamore Signed the marke A of Anthony Allen

page 587. Abstract. Charles Gregory fined 300 lb tobo for disobeying order that guardians and masters appear at Court with the orphans.

page 587. Abstract. Capt Francis Grey and Mr Wm Bird each fined 300 lb tobo for absence from Court.

page 587. Abstract. "The Co'rt hath bound Thomas Rands Orphand of Tho: Rands dec'd a poore fatherlesse and motherlesse child to live and serve with Mr John Bishopp till the sd child be seaventeene yeares old". Bishop to teach him what he is capable of, etc.

page 587. The Co'rt upon their veiw and exaiacon' of Isaac Hill serv't to Willm' Hunt, who arived into Virginia the thirteenth of November last w'thout coven't of tyme doth adjudge him by their best guesse to be fifteene yeares of age, and to serve according to the present Law and that age; except other legall proffe be made in the onterim of his greater age to vary the same.

page 587. Abstract. Wm Dollin ord to appear at next Court and bring the orphan of John Gallis deed in his tuition for exam of his est.

page 588. Abstract. "Upon receipt given of record by Richd Price guardian of Fortune Bagley orphane of Richd Bagley deed that Robt Cobgutt who married the Relict of the sd deced't hath pd x the sd Price" 1500 lb tobo the full portion of the sd orphan. Cobgutt now released and security cancelles. This name is actually Cobcutt although shown in this entry as Cobgutt.

Duplicate entry for Theophilus Beddingfield guardian for Jane Bagley orphan of Richd Bagley.

page 588. Abstract. Upon petition of Tho: Crooke who is security

for Tho: Chappell for cattle belonging by bequest to Chappell's child, Chappell to furnish new security and Crooke to be released.

page 588. Upon receipt given upon record by Jno Hamlett, the sonne of Richd Hamlett dec'd: being now at full age, and acknowledgm't that his father in Law and late guardian Feacro Labelle hath p'd him all his estate and porcon according to his sd fathers testam't. The Co'rt releaseth the sd Feacro Labelle from the same, and his security formerly given for it

page 589. Abstract. A Court at Westover 3 October 1665.

Present Theoderick Bland Esqr

Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt Otho Southcott
Capt John Epes Mr Willm Bird

Capt Robt Wynne Mr John Holmwood

page 589. Abstract. Judgt to Tho Marston agt Rice Hoe for 350 lb tobo. Also judgt to Hoe agt Marston for same amt. Also judgt to Wm Clarke agt Robt Potter for 404 lb tebo "by an undenyable acco't".

page 589. Abstract. Rice Hooe assigns a young mare to Tho: Blankes. Dated 18 Oct. 1665.

Wit:

Signed * Rice Hooe

John Bickerdiks

James JN Nicholson

m'ke Recorded 4 Oct. 1665

page 590. Abstract. Bill of sale. 5 Aug 1665. Rice Hooe sells a mare filly to Sylvanus Stokes.

Wit:

Signed Rice Hose

Peter Plumer

Jno Bishoppe

Recorded 4 Oct 1665

page 590. Abstract. Bill of sale. 21 Aug 1665. Rice Hooe sells a mare filly "that fell this last spring" to John Bishopp for 1200 lb tobo. Wit:

Geo: Hancock Signed Rice Hooe

William Lawrence Rec 4 Oct 1665

page 591. Abstract.

"Richard Mosby aged 39 years or thereabouts exaied and sworn Sayeth

That mr Rice Hoe and mr Thomas Marston in their return from Westover Co'rt in Aprill 1664, calling at the depon'ts house treated a bargaine about a horse of the sd mr Hees". The bargain that Marston should pay Hoe a negre boy er 2500 lb tobo plus a bill for 350 lb tobe. Also in the bargain "the sd Marston did further promise and eblige to send the s'd Hoe the sd horse to runn a race w'ch belike he had preingaged to performe by a day appointed. And by the

end of May next following to send the horse to Mr Hoe to covour his mares. And further sayth not".

Jurat in Cur 8br 3d. 1665

Test Hoel Pryse Cl Cur

John Maton being then and there present sayth and deposeth the very same in each particular.

Recorded 4 Oct 1665

page 592. Abstract. Deed. 10 Dec. 1664. Ferdinando Aston gent of Weynoke parish sells John Parish 100 acres on Queens Creek and bounded under survey of Majr Wm Harris near about the land of John Robinson, etc.

Wit:

Signed Fer: Aston

John Birkendike Phillip X Owen John Shard

page 592. Abstract. Order that Mr Wm Bird agent for the proprietors of Merchants Hope sign and deliver a lease to Mr John Cogan for certain land according to a lease formerly granted to Mr Cheney Boyce dec'd for the same land.

page 592. Abstract. Com of Admr to Rice Hoe of the est of his mother Mrs Sarah Hoe decd.

page 593. Abstract. A patent granted by Sir Wm Berkeley, governor, etc, 18 March 1662 to Ferdinando Aston for 1200 acres in C.C.Co., on N. side of James River on E side of Queens Creek adj easterly "on Moses his run, So: on Mr Horsmondine and Mr Hamelin Westerly on Queens Creeke run and Northerly into the woods".

Whereon is endorsed an assignment by Ferd Aston with consent of his wife to Joseph Harwood, 300 acres excepted. Wit:

Curtis X Laud (or Land)
James Powell

Signed Fer: Aston
Ann A Aston

Rec. 4 Oct. 1665.

page 593. Abstract. Order that Wm Bird agent for the proprietors of Merchants Hope make and sign a lease to Mr Rice Hoe for certain lands according to a lease formerly granted to Mr Rice Hoe deed for the sd land.

page 594. Abstract. Dif betw Mrs Elizabeth Wall plt and Francis Trehan deft to next Court.

page 594. Abstract. Order that Robt Short forthwith pay Nicholas Whiskin one cow and calf.

page 594. Dif betw Robt Jones plt and Wm Wilkins deft to a Jury.

page 594. Abstract. Nonsuit to Isaac Bull agt Edd Pike

page 594. Abstract. Dif betw Samuell Taylour and Francis Whittington to next Court.

page 594. Abstract. Upon complaint of Willm Rogers servit to Mr John Stith he is free, having served the time he came in for.

page 594. John Mathewes servit to Mr Richd Mosby is adjudged to be nineteene yeares old upon veiw and exaiacon of the Coirt.

page 594. Abstract. Fine imposed on Sanders Davison for nonapp' at Orphans Court remitted "by reason of his sickness and inability to travell at that tyme".

page 594. Abstract. Wm Hill ord to pay all costs in settlement of suit brought agst him by Mr Antho: Wyatt.

page 594. Abstract. Judgt to Geo Harris mercht agt Capt Edd Hill the present sherr for nonapp' of Tho: Hooper.

page 595. Abstract. "Whereas Willm' Lambert privately and illegally tooke away a new boat with cares and appertenices belonging to Mr Anthony Wyatt wich was thereby lost". Order that Lambert pay Wyatt 2100 lb tobo.

page 595. Jury inter Jones and Wilkins
(Space for jurors names left blank in original record)
Verdict Wee find for the deft.

page 595. Abstract. Judgt to Willm Duke agt John Smith as security for appearance of Geo Hinton for 385 lb tobo due by bill.

page 595. Abstract. Judgt to Feacro Labelle agt Capt Edd Hill sherr for 2000 lb tobo for nonapp of Richd Wardner.

page 595. Abstract. Judgt to Jno Cogan agt Robt Scott "fer 2 hds 2 quarter Casks, and I quarter cask full of good Syder".

page 596. Abstract. The complaint of Mrs Grace Grey agt Charles Gregory concerning Richd the orphan of Richd Bagley deed to next Court. "the sd Orphane in the meane tyme com'itted to the trust and custody of Robt Rous".

page 596. Abstract. On petition of Joseph Wall for division of his father's estate and his portion, according to his father's will, the Court orders that 3 or 4 persons of Martins Brandon, selected by sd Joseph Wall and Mrs Elizabeth Wall widow settle the estate. In case of dif Lt Coll Tho Drew to reconcile the premisses.

page 596. Abstract. Receipts that Richd Smith guardian of Mary Bagley orphan of Richd Bagley decd and that Charles Gregory Guardian of Richd the orphan of Richd Bagley have each received 1500 lb tobo in full from Robt Cobgutt who married the relict.

page 596. Abstract. Judgt to Jno Flowers agt certain est of George Hinton in hands of Jno Smith. 100 lb tobo and 1 bu wheat. Also judgt to Walter Heines for same, 100 lb tobo and 2 bu wheat.

page 597. Abstract. Power of Atty. 6 March 1664/5. Robert Midford of Wappen in the Co of Middlesex (England) mariner to "my loveing friend" Howell Edmonds planter of Jordans in C.C.Co., Va. Wit:

The Daulby Signed Robt Midford

John X Hoges Rec. 28 Oct 1665.

page 598. Abstract. A Court at Westover 10 Nov. 1665. Present. The derick Bland Esqr

Lt Coll Tho: Drew Mr John Helmwood
Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt Francis Grey
Capt John Epes Capt Otho Southcott
Capt Rebt Wynne Mr Willm Bird

page 598. Abstract. Robert Warner servt to Morgan Jones having run away for 9 mos, and was transferred to Rice Hoe, ord to serve Hoe 18 mos. Warner also having taken a boat belonging to Mr Anthony Wyatt to serve 11 mos for that. Hoe to pay Wyatt.

page 598. Abstract. Capt Edd Hill the present sherr and the undersherr fined 1000 lb tobo for nonattend at Court today.

page 598. Abstract. Ferd: Aston conf judgt to Coll Tho: Stegge for 547 lb tobo.

page 599, Abstract. Deed of Gift. 10 Nov. 1665. Lt Coll The Drew gent gives "my deare and onely child Dorothy Drew" 6 negroes. If she die before marriage all to be delivered "unto my Honor'ed Brother George Drew of the Realme of Engld Esqr (if then Liveing)". In case of no will requests friends Tho: Ludwell Esqr, Theoderick Bland Esqr and Capt Robt Wynne Gent to be trustees. Wit:

Jno Holmwood Signed Thomas Drewe

Henry Randolph

Hoel Pryse Cl Rec. 13 Nov. 1665.

page 600. Abstracts. Onesimus Scriven conf judgt to Moris Rose for 1172 lb tobo. Also judgt to Wm Dollin agt Scriven for 1500 lb tobo.

page 600. Abstract. Fine on sherr and undersherr remitted upon proof they were unable to attend Court.

page 600. Abstract. Time of service doubled for Geo Burge servt to Robert Jones for running away 107 days.

page 601. Abstract. Elizabeth Lucie presented by one of the Church-wardens of Weynoke parish for having borne a bastard child of an

unknown father to receive 20 lashes or pay 500 lb tobo. Wm Avery confesseth judgt for present paymt the 500 lb tobo as security for above.

Note: Now virtue raises her ugly head in Weynoke. Just exactly what was this woman to do? Just how good was it for the baby to have the wits scared out of the mother, not to mention the possibility of the 20 lashes? But to offset the Church and the Court there was Wm Avery. No doubt he was well damned by the virtuous for promoting vice.

B.F.

page 601. Abstract. Nonsuit to Edmond Shipdham agt Phill Limbrey.

page 601. Abstract. Dif betw Richd Smith plt and Robt Short and Jack Negro to a Jury. Also dif betw Mr Rice Hoe and his servt Jack Negro to a Jury. Also dif betw Feacro Labully (sic) plt and Tho Hux and John Taylor defts to a Jury. Also dif betw Mr Danl Llewellin plt and Thos Hooper to a Jury.

page 601. The Juries names vidzt

Mr Peter Plumer foreman Mr Daniell Llewellin Mr Walter Aston Mr Willm Hunt Mr Walter Brookes Mr John Flowers Mr John Barker Mr Cornel Clemence Mr Thomas Harris Mr Peter Read Mr Sander Davison Mr Moris Rose

Verdict Inter Smith plt and Short and Jack Negro deft We find no matter of fact

A non suite is graunted to Robert Short and Jack Negr' defts agst Richd Smith plt, with their costs if any proved als exec

page 601. Abstract. Com of Admr to Honour Murrayne of est of her late husband Daniell Murrayne decd.

page 602. Abstract. Thos Hooper ord to pay Mr Geo Harris, for running away with his boat 700 lb tobo or be punished with 28 lashes of a whip "wch choice resting on Mr Harris" he rather that payment be made when Hooper, now a servant, be free.

page 602. Abstract. Dif betw Saumell Taylor plt and Fran: Whittington deft to be determined by Mr Antho: Wyatt and Capt Robt Wynne

page 602.

Verdict Inter Llewellin plt and Hooper defte Mr Tho: Malory being placed in the plts stead for the Jury We find for the plt

Judgemt is graunted to the sd Llewellin upon the Verdict agst the sd Hooper for 2000 lb tobbo damages according to Act, and by reason of defect and the disability of the sd Hooper, being a servit, Itt is ordered that the sd Hooper be whipt by the Constable on Sunday next att Westover neere the Church, at the publick meeting of the Congregacon with twenty lashes; The Sunday folli at Jordans to receive the like punishmit; The Sunday folli at Martins the like,

And the Sunday foll' the like at Weynoke: And the next Co'rt after the sd punishm'ts are inflicted to receive the like punishm't for the charges of this suite

Note: Hooper must indeed have been the world's worst so and so. But nevertheless that does not excuse the brutality of those men who could subject any human being to this suffering. And what of the exhibit Sunday after Sunday? What of those Ministers of Christ who permitted this? What of those sanctimonious souls who followed through the Morning Prayer?

B.F.

page 602. Verdict Inter Labully plt and Hux and Taylour Defts We find no matter of fact

The Complt of Feacro Labully agst Tho: Hux and John Taylour concerning hog stealing being refferred to exa iacon of a Jury, who returned that they found no matter of fact is dismissed, and the defts costs adjudged by the Coirt agst the complt.

page 602. Abstract. Dif betw John Geary and Capt Edd Hill to next Ct.

page 603. It is unamiously agreed and ordered that Theoderick Bland Esqr and each of the Gentlemen of this Co'rt give and bestow to Charles Power one hundred pds of tobbo to be reed by the sherr (if requested in part or in whole and by him p'd to the s'd Power)

Noto: This contemptibly generous little gift is certainly given with the grand flourish.

B.F.

page 603. Abstract. Richd Mascall, John Smith, John Rogers and Christopher Batty to appraise est of Daniell Murrayne deed and ret inventory. They to be sworn by Mr John Holmwood.

page 603. Abstract. Sheriff to receive all arrears due former sheriffs at no salary.

page 603. Abstract. Ord that Capt Hill pay Robt Rouse 800 lb tobe in his hands for public cattle sold and that it be allowed to Capt Hill next year.

page 603. Owen Munpatrick servit to Capt Edd Hill is adjudged by veiw and exaicon of the Coirt to be fourteene yeares of age.

page 603. Abstract. Housekeepers and freemen absent from last election of Burgesses to be fined 200 lb tobo each, excepting those in danger of Indians on the frontiers.

page 604. Abstract. Order that the neighbors of any soldier pressed or employed agst the Indians pay him 6 days work "not doubting the willingnesse and forwardnesse of any Gentlemen or other of the whole Com to serve or contribute on the like or any other just occasion"

page 604. Abstract. "Verdict Inter Mr Hoe and Jack Negr We find no notorious fault".

Jack a negro servant to Mr Rice Hoe appealed to the Governor and Council for freedom, by virtue of a note given by his former master Mr Rice Hoe deceased. This opposed by Mr Rice Hoe Junr, who states the servt to have "beene refractory and disobedient" etc. The petition was refered back to the Co. Court, who had the case tried by a jury. The negro ordered released.

Rice Hoe appeals to next Genl Court and is ord to give security.

page 605. To the Right Hono'ble Sr Wm Berkeley knt Go'r of Virginia etc

with the Hono'ble Councell of State

John a Negro humbly presenteth That your petic'r being serv't to Mr Rice Hoe deed and haveing carefully served him about 18 years the sd Mr Hoe was pleased out of his good affeccon to the petn'r to give under his hand that when the petn'r should have served 11 y'rs more he should be free, provided the sd 11 y'rs service were honestly and truly performed

And when yo'r petn'r had served the sd ll years he presented the sd paper of his freedome to Westov'r Co'rt who told the petn'r that the Widd' Hoe the petn'rs Mistresse was an old diseased woman and that I should return to her and serve her untill it should please God to take her. So the petn'r did and hath continued in her service untill she dyed; And now young Rice Hoe claimeth yo'r petnr for his life time notw'thstanding his fathers paper under his hand to the contrary

May it please yo'r Hono'rs to examine the premisses and graunt yo'r poore petn'r his freedome now after 29 yrs service and y'r petn'r shall pray

page 605.

14th Octobr 1665 From the Gen'll Court
This cause of the Negro within named is refferred to the next Com
Coirt for exalicon, and if it apperes there that the petnir served
eleven yirs service without comitting any noterious fault then the
sd Negro forthwith to be sett free
rec febr 8. 1665

Test Fra: Kirkman Cl Con

Memorand that I Rice Hee gent do by these presents engage my selfe my heirs and asss to sett my Negre John Free at the expiracon of eleven yeares from the Day of the date hereof, provided that he the sd Negro doth carefully and honestly performe his labour dureing the sd terme of eleven yeares: But in case he the sd Negro shall neglect what businesse I or my asss shall imploy, or runn away, or thiefe or purloine any thing from his sd master or any other whatsoever, it shalbe proved agst him, then this ingagem't to be void and of none effect or else to remaine in full power and virtue. Witnes my hand this 26th Day of November 1653

Test Rice Hooe

Thomas Tanner

Isack Hermison rec febr 8. 65

I Isaac Hermison did witnes this within written note and that this

on the inside is my hand, weh time therein expressed the Negro hath faithfully served according to the testimony of the neighbours, all weh I have made oath to in Westov'r Co'rt to w'ch I can againe depose being called

10br: the 3. 1665

Isaack Hermison

John Cogan

These may satefie home it may concerne that we hose names are underwritten to the best of our knowledge do testifie that John Kecatan mr Howes negro have done Mr Hoe true and good service

> John Cogan John Stith

Edward X Ames his mike

James Blamore

the mike Robert Short

page 606. The Exaiacon of Mary Bird aged twenty three yeares or thereabouts, taken afore me this 10th of Octobir 1665

That about a week after harvest the examint saith that her Master and Mistris being gonne to Coll Woodes, Thomas Hooper and one Gerrard and an Indian boy servants to her Master Capt Edd Hill did drive some hogs cut of the yard at Sherley hundred, weh did belong to Mr Llewellyn and as soone as they were out of the yard that the sd Hooper Gerrard and the Indian boy did sett the dogs on them, and hunt them into the Riv'r, where the dogs seized on one of the sd hogs of Mr Llewellins a great sanded or Red Grisled barrow w'thout eares weh barrow this Exaiant saw them lay hold on (vidzt) Hooper Gerrard and the Indian boy and brought itt into the kitchin to dresse, haveing killed it by the water side before they brought it upp, where they and the rest of the servants did eate it and this she affirmeth to be truth on her oath and further saith not

the mike X Mary Bird

Sworne before me this 10th October 1665 (original record does not show who this was sworn before)

page 606. The deposicon of Ann During aged 30 years or thereabouts exalied and sworne saith as foll!

That about the twenty eighth day of 10 br last being servit to Thomas Hux the deponit heard Goody Hux speake unto her husbid and her man Richd for to take in one Sow wich came into the doore saying unto them she was good meat, but the depon't being busy in another Roome did not looke to see what Sow she was, but she was taken in and killed and the head boyled that night for supper, the meat being afterwards kept so obscurely that the deponit knew not where it was put. But in some tyme afterwards the depon't being free and a Liver of herselfe, Tho Hux came to the deponits house and demanded what Storyes she had imformed Goody Labelle whereupon the depon t bid him aske his man Richd, for it was about the Sow wich the sd Warner sid he had killed of the sd Labellye hereupon Hux replyed he would be hanged if ever his man speke of that sow, and further that he would give Goodman Labelley his choyce of the best sow he had, rather then it should come to any dispute, and he be proved a hogstealer and further saith not.

page 607. The Deposicon of Richd Smith aged 31 years or thereabouts exalied and sworne saith as foll.

That The Huxs man being at your deponts house about the 7th or 8th day of this last September informed the depont that there was a sow of Goodman Labellyes came to his Masters doore, and that Tho. Hux his wife seeing of the same sow s'd let us take her in and kill her for she is very good meate, imeadiately the sd Tho: Hux com'anded his man Richard Warner to haule her in and kill her, the sd Warner replyed to his Master you may do what you please it nothing concernes me, so then they tooke the sow and carryed her to a howse where they had tobbo hanging and John Taylour and his brother comeing home (they liveing at the sd Huxes) seeing of the sd sow turned her forth demanding what Sow it was. Tho: Hux replyed itt was a Sow of the wich he did intend to kill, then John Taylour sid fetch her in and kill her, then they tooke and killed the sd Sow and John Taylour whett his knife and cut the swallow forke into a crop and afterwards singed her in the Chimney corner and that night they dressed the head and harslett for supper, and when they saw Goodman Labelle comeing and lookeing for the sd Sow; they hidd her in the Straw, and there she lay a weeke or ten dayes, then Jno! Taylour tooke her cut of the Straw and put her under lock and key and further saith not

Jurat in Cur. Test Ho: Pryse Cl

page 607. Jone Smith aged 28 years of age or thereabouts sworne and exalied before me this 2d day of 8br in the years of our Lord 1665.

This depon't saith that Richd Warner came to the depon'ts howse and sd there was a Sowe came to his Masters doore x x etc. x x. Balance of deposition same as that of Richd Smith.

Signed Joane X Smith

Sworne and exaticd before me Will Bird

page 608. Capt Edd Hill the present Sherr of this Com is hereby fully authorized and impowered to require recov'r and receive the levies of this yeare (as it is raised in this Com) of all the now seated Inhabitants on the Southward side of Chickehamini Run betweene the head of turkey Island Creeke and Robt Peakes plantacon and give acco't thereof to the Co'rt

Ordered that 52 lb of tobbo per poll be required and rec'd by the present Sherr and pd as foll

Burgesse charges to Capt Wynne	3135
Charges of boat and men to ditto	1375
Burgesses charges to Capt Southoott	3135
severall charges to Mr Holmwood as per acco't	15460
Major Harris for goeing to list the militia	00700
Mr Randolph for the Acts of Assembly	00300

page 608 (continued)

carrying lires to the Governor by George Farlo	00100
a horse goeing to the Governor	00860
boat and hands to carry the Burgesses to Mr Hunt	00660
a Corps drowned to Mr Bird for a Coroners inq	01000
another Corps to Capt Southcot	01000
For what wee allow Doctour Smith for the March	00350
Mr Rouse for his house accomodacon	04000
for the ferry to Mr Bland	02000
for nailes and trimming the horse boat to ditto	00460
for Sherr extraordinary attendance on the Court	00500
for 20 wolves heads	04000
for Cask to Mr Holmwood	01542
for raising the house for the Court to the Carpenter eto	
for a wherry for the ferry to Mr Medford	00800
for Sallery of 37667 tobbo	03500
TOI DATIOLY OF CLOOL DOODS	00000
	41334
The County Cred'r	
for what Capt Hill is to allow for the tan house	2700
for w't Mr Holmwood and Mr Hill doth owe for Orphanes	
cattle by them sold	0800
cattle by them sold	0800
cattle by them sold	
	3500
Remaineth due from the County wich being divided	
Remaineth due from the County wich being divided amongst 742 will arise to 52 per poll and	3500 37833
Remaineth due from the County wich being divided amongst 742 will arise to 52 per poll and there rests	3500
Remaineth due from the County wich being divided amongst 742 will arise to 52 per poll and there rests wich is given and appointed by order to He: Pryse	3500 37833
Remaineth due from the County wich being divided amongst 742 will arise to 52 per poll and there rests	3500 37833

The Court is adjourned to the 4th of December

page 609. Abstract. A Court at Westover 4 Dec. 1665 Present Theoderick Bland Esqr

Lt Coll The Drew Mr John Holmwood
Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt Othe Southeett
Capt Robt Wynne Mr Willm Bird

page 609. Abstract. Dif betw Robt Busby plt and Tho Hux deft to be examined by Lt Coll Geo: Jordan and Ho: Pryse at the house of Mr Wm Bird who is to be umpire and settle the dif.

page 609. Abstract. In dif betw Geo Farloe (for Jno Johnson) plt and Jno Jacob deft, order that if Jacob shall not prove that Capt Epes pd Farloe 390 lb tobo for Jacob's use judgt to be granted Farloe for the sd Johnson. The name Farloe also appears in this entry as Farley.

page 609. Abstract. Jno Ludwell allowed 100 lb tobo for "preparacon of the buriall and attendance of James Wathen deed".

page 609. Abstract. Capt Edd Hill ord to pay Jno Geary 600 lb tobo "In full of the acco't of Physick and Chirurgery".

page 609. Abstract. Howell Pryse agent for Col Guy Molesworth ord to pay the levy of Weynoke parish 17 1b per poll for 12 persons of that family.

page 609. Willim Mac-Corsey serv't unto John Hodges is adjudged by the Court upon veiw and exa'iacon of the sd youth, to be fifteene yeares of age and to serve according to Act for all such age, arriveing at such tyme so that no Indenture prove the contrary.

page 609. Abstract. James Ward fined 100 lb tobo for being called 3 times for jury duty and not appearing.

page 610. The difference betweene Mr Anthony Wyatt plt and Willm Caswell mariner deft is referred to exaicon of a Jury

Jury	
Mr John Stith foreman	Mr John Jacob
Mr Walter Aston	Mr Daniell Llewellin
Mr Willm Duke	Mr Cornelius Clemance
Mr James Ward	Mr James Wallace
Mr Cuthbert Williamson	Mr John Hodges
Mr John Royden	Mr Andrew Meldram

Verdict

Wee find the words of the Declaracon spoke by the deft
Where as Mr Willm Caswell mariner hath publickly and maliciously defamed and traduced Mr Anthony Wyatt with the nocon of theife
for haveing stolen two hamocks from abord the sd Caswells Ship, weh
scandall being referred to the exa iacon of a Jury is found positive
for the plt. And whereas it appeareth to the Court by the subscripcons and appointmts of Mr Hen: Applewhite and others that the sd
Hamocks were legally bought and pd for, And that he did not take them
out of the Ship with a fraudulent purpose but publickly (before
severall sufficient men) and by order. The Co rt doth therefore
order (in regard of the knowne antiquity quality and fidelity of
the sd Mr Wyatt) and the sd absurd defamacon that the sd defen't
Caswell pay to the sd plt five thous'd pds of tobbo w'th costs als
exec.

Lt Coll Geo: Jordan for Willm Caswell appealeth from the Judgem't of this Court agst the sd Caswell for Mr Anthony Wyatt to the 3rd day of the next Generall Court.

Ordered that the appealant and defend t give caucon according to Law

page 610. The Court haveing respited and referred severall crude Comp'lts of John Cogan for want of cleere profe therein, and haveing rec'd severall other frivolous Compl'ts of the sd Cogan do expell

those triviall Complits as tending rather to contencon, then to deserve exaitacon

page 610. For the insolent and extravagant behaviour and expressions of John Cogan in publick Court he is Com'itted to the sherr' custody dureing pleasure of the Court.

page 610. Abstract. Mr John Barker, being appointed by the Governor to be a Justice of the Peace for this Co., takes oaths.

page 610. Abstract. Jno Stith files mark for cattle and hogs. 5th Jan. 1665/6.

page 611. To the Right Worp'll Court of Cha: Citty Com Anthony Wyatt humbly presenteth

That he hath dwelt and continued neere forty years in this Com vested with a reputacon (for most part of the time) equall to most Gentlemen in the Com, yet he is lately traduced and unworthily defamed by Willm' Caswell mariner, who in publick audience hath maliceously and slanderously reported and affirmed that the petn'r did formerly steale severall hammocks from abord the Ship whereof if the petiner were guilty he were utterly unworthy of either reputacon life or fortune. Further may it please your Worpp's to consider that the transaccons and dealings of Virginia depend (most) upon creditt and reputacon, weh once stayned as the petinr is by this unjust and opprobrious calumny (if not vindicated) inferrs damages beyond expression

x x (the petition goes on to request vindication and trial by a jury) x x

page 611. The deposicon of Mr Willm Bird exa'ied and sworne saith
That being in company w'th Mr Anthony Wyatt the 10th of 9ber
last there came Mr Caswell to whom Mr Wyatt did chide that he let
planters sit at his Cooke roome doore whereto Mr Caswell replyed
you have stole my hammocks out of my Ship and a bottle of wine, and
further saith not

Test Will Bird

Thomas Drewe Jurat' in Cur 10br 4. 1665 Test. Ho: Pryse Cl Cur.

page 612. Before the Right Worp'll Court held at Westover George Jordan in the behalfe of Willm Caswell humbly answereth to this peticon

Reserveing to himselfe all further answers he saith. That the last Court Mr Anthony Wyatt being something in drinke more then was convenient at that tyme; did call severall men knaves and rogues, whereupon the sd Caswell conceived that no offence would have been taken at such termos also the sd Mr Wyatt did affront this defend't at the board and told him that he was uncivill abord of his ship, to wich Caswell answered, that if he were uncivill it were to such as came to steale hamocks, and it is now affirmed by the sd Caswell,

that the sd Mr Wyatt or his Company by his order, did take two hamocks and a Jugg of wine out of his Ship, nobody being abord, and it was not knowne in a long tyme afterward who had taken them.

Ittis therefore humbly requested that for as much as drinke and not malice brought forth the words that the thing may be suspended, and the accon' fall untill the sd Caswell and Mr Wyatt meet personally.

page 612. Tho: Mallory aged 30 yeares or thereabouts exalied and sworne saith

That upon the 10th of 9br last his Ma'ties Com'rs satt at this place and your depon't being heere standing at the barr, saw Mr Willm Caswell Come to the barr, and haveing some businesse depending the Com'rs I thinke understanding so much did say that he might stay till after dinner, and Mr Wyatt stood upp and sd that he might as well stay till they had dined, as an honest planter might stay at his Cooke roome door and never be Invited to light his pipe, whereupon the sd Mr Caswell came by Invitacon into your deponts Company and was much in a passion and uttered these words, that he could find in his heart to arraigne Mr Anthony Wyatt as a fellon, I asked the Reason, and he replyed, that he stole two hammocks forty odd ells of Linnen, and a Jugg of brandy and saith no more

Thomas Malory

Jurat' in Cur 10br 4. 1665 Test Ho: Pryse Cl Cur

page 613 John Flowers aged 32 or thereabouts exatied and sworne saith

That being abord of Mr Caswells Ship along with Mr Wyatt, the sd Mr Wyatt did bargaine with the Mate of the sd Ship for two hammocks and told the sd Mate that being unacquainted with him he could not well tell how to satisfie him, but if he pleased he would pay it to Mr Ferd: Aston, and the mate told him that if he were not aboard when they came againe (the sd Mr Wyatt being then a goeing a shore to James Citty) he should find them where he left them, afterwards the sd Mr Wyatt went to the side of the Ship and requested Mr Tho: Mallory to fetch them from abord, the hamocks lying where the mate had left them when they went from abord, and the sd Malory did at that time hand over a Jugg of sack into the boat and further saith not

Jurat' in Cur' 10br 4. 1665 Test Ho: Pryse Cl Cur

page 613. Fordinando Aston 38 yeares or thereabouts exalied and sworne saith as foll

That being at James Citty, he mett with Mate Staucome who was the Mate of the Ship wch Mr Caswell was then Master of, who rid then

before James Citty. The sd Staucome dad aske the depon't if he would goe abord, who answered him he would and upon that invited some of his friends, amongst the rest Mr Wyatt was one, when they were abord, the sd Staucome asked this depon't if he would buy two hammocks, who answered he had no occasion for them, whereupon the Mate demanded of the depon't if he would pay him for them, who replyed if Mr Wyatt would have them I will satisfie you, whereupon the Mate delired them to Mr Wyatt, then Mr Wyatt told him saying If I should carry these hammocks to James Citty it is probable they may be stole, upon that the Mate answered he would lay them in such a place in the Cabbin, Mr Wyatt then replyed what shall I do if there be no man abord when I come, the Mate answered here they shall lye come abord and take them. The Mate afterwards meeting with this depon't told him some body had beene abord and taken the hammocks and demanded whether Mr Wyatt had taken them. This deponit replyed he could not tell, but when he came up he would enquire, where upon he asked Mr Wyatt if he had taken the two hammocks, who answered yes, now this depon't goeing to towne told the sd mate that Mr Wyatt had taken them, and this depon't did then passe his bill to Mr Wyatt x x (original record stained and torn here) x x Applewhite for the same, afterwards not paying the sd Applewhite according to his tyme the sd Applewhite arrested the depon't for the same, who then pd the tobbo to Mr Tho: Hunt for Mr Applewhites use and further saith not

Fer Aston

Jurat in Cur 10br 4. 1665 Test Hoel Pryse C1 Cur

page 614. Tho: Meriton aged 42 years or thereabouts exatied and sworne saith as foll

That being at Mr Clarkes in Mr Caswells Company before being arrested at Mr Wyatts suite he did enquire whether I had an accon' against him I told him I did arrest him in his Ma'ties name in Mr Wyatts suite of defamacon, where upon he fell into a passion and called him old dogg and old rogue and that he would spend five hundred pound sterl but that he would prove that Mr Anthony Wyatt stole two hammocks out of his Ship and sayth no more Tho: Meriton

Jurat in Cur 10br. 4. 1665 Test Hoel Pryse Cl Cur

page 614. George Farley (sic) aged 36 yeares exaied and sworne saith as foll.

That being at the house of Mr Clarke when Tho: Meriton came thether and being a while there the sd Moriton arrested Mr Caswell at Mr Wyatts suite upon that the sd Caswell fell into a passion, and called the sd Mr Wyatt old dogg and old rogue and sd it should cost five hundred pd but he would prove him a thiefe and further saith not George Farlle (sic)

Jurat in Cur 10br 4. 1665 Test Hoel Pryse Cl Cur C 13 64

page 614. Abstract. Peter Plum'er affirms sale of a mare colt to James Nicholls having rec'd 2 cows in paymt. Dated 23 April 1662. Signed Peter Plum'er Wit: James Powell Recognit 10br 4. 1665. Rec. 12 Janry sequ.

page 615. Abstract. Whereas Edwd Bushel, Admr of Tho Adams deed, obtained at James Citty Court, attachmt agst est of Jno Manning merchant for a debt of sugar, and whereas there is 5700 lb tobo in the hands of Sarah Potter relict of Geo: Potter, it being the whole assets of Potter's estate, Bushel has seized the whole sum as being due from Potter to Manning in paymt of the debt. Mrs Sarah Potter is thereby discharged from all obligation. Dated 4 Dec. 1665.

Signed Edw Bushel Subscribed by me Geo: Jordan

Ack in Court 10br 4. 1665. Test Ho: Pryse Cl.

page 615. Abstract. Mr John Barker appointed by the Governor one of the Commissioners of C.C.Co. Dated 25th 9br 1665.

Signed William Berkeley page 616. Woe whose names are underwritten sworne to enquire

concining the death of Edwid Brureton servit to Mr Daniell Clarke of the parish of Weynoke found dead in the woods by Richd Bradford Joyner and Charles Beale seaman on the 18th day of 9ber 1665, after veiw of the sd body on the 19th of this Instant November and strict enquiry made do find the sd Edwd Brureton to have been a sickly man, and disseased with the sourvey, sat downe to rest himselfe and fell asleepe and by the sd disease and the extremity of cold hapening on the 17th of 9 ber aforesd dyed in the night and by this and no other meanes came to his end, wich wer deliver as our verdict. Wittnes our hands this 19th of 9 ber 1665 Sworne by me

Otho Southcott

Richd X Mosby John X Warrener Jo: Mason Jeoffry X Montford Corel' X Dehull James Mason Neal X Cinclear Richd X Blankes James Cooper Francis X Story Henry X Blanks Thomas Thwing

page 616. An Inquisicon in the behalfe of our Souvereigne Lord the King concerneing the body of Teage Carroll cast out of the River on Land at Buckland in Westover parish in Cha: Citty Com he being a passenger in the Ship called the John and Mary, Willm' Caswell the Master, after veiw of the sd Corps on the 17th day of 9 ber Anno 1664: by us John Stokes, Willm Hunt, John Hodges, Andrew Meldram, George Farley, Willm Smith, The Sharpe, Jne Powell, Richd Meares, Tho: Strong, Robt Cradock and Nicholas Gatley, and strict enquiry since made and evidence rec'd, wee find that the sd Teage Carroll comeing in a boat with diverse others unto the side of the aforesd Ship John and Mary, and the sd Teage and some others makeing hast to get out of the boat into the ship aforesd pressed the side of the

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sd boat under the water, the sd boat takeing in a great quantity of water and the sd Teage Carroll and six persons more fell into the river out of the sd boat by wich accident the sd Teage Carroll was drowned and by this and no other meanes came to his end wich wee return as our verdict.

The body of the sd Teage Carroll
was veiwed and the Jury above named
sworne on the 7th day and yeare aboves'd
by me Otho Southcott

page 616. The Court is adjourned to 3rd day of Febiry

Note: Various persons have asked if I intended to include the unusual item to follow in these Abstracts. Yes, certainly. The Abstracts are not Sunday School books. The item is plainly backstairs gossip for a purpose. We all know how vile the low class female mind can be when given free rein to unloose all inhibitions. Here we are.

Then whether the deposition is 1% true and 99% false or not, we do know that every now and then the slums and jails of London were cleared of the lowest sluts, who were sent to the colonies as servants. Virginia the cldest and richest colony had her share of them. Moreover if we hastily consider moral conditions among the highest in the Court Circle at the moment, then just what was to be expected of these unfortunate souls? Born doomed. There was no color line drawn. Little indeed on the Continent now. It took Virginia and Maryland to develop that idea. Here is a foundation record of how and why. How do you like it?

Virginia has been subject to adverse criticism in regard to the caste system. The 'po-white' class know more about this sort of thing than we think they do. Does not this item throw some light on that subject?

One more point. One drop of Negro blood is the dividing line. Perhaps not in other parts of the country, but it is here. We have always been told that the finest colored people in Virginia came from Charles City County. Draw your own conclusions as to how that happened.

B.F.

page 617. The deposicon of Margret Barker, aged 47 or thereabouts exailed and sworne this 28th day of October

That your depon't being about 15 years since scituate and liveing by Mr Rice Hoe senr upon his land and being a comon reteiner to the howse this depon't did bring one Charles Magnars wife to bed of a girle which was black like a Negro and the sd Magnas lay it to Mr Hoes negro Jack and he did acknowledge it to be his. And this depon't did about that time see the said Negro Jack one night take an English wench of Mr Hoes by the arme, and had her out of Mr Hoes milk house into the orchyard and then throw her upon a bench and gott upon her and this depon't run and got an axe and flung at the

said negro and cut him on the leg And the neighbors sayd it had been his common practice; And these things together with the complaint of John Banister and Edward Spatiatt and diverse others of the neighbors to Mr Hoe concerning his Negro Jacks killing of their hogs they threatened to kill the said Negro, whereupon Mr Hoe for prevencon of future mischiefe to his neighbors and to secure his negros Life, did to your depon'ts knowledge give the said Negro a note which was writt by Capt Roger Marshall which the said Hoe sayd was not dated which did expresse he should serve some certeine time and then made him beléeve, upon his good béhaviour he should be free, But it was not made, as Mr Hoe Senr sayd, with any reall intent to sett him free, but onely to make him behave himselfe better that the neighbors might have no such cause of complaint nor he in such feare of loseing his Negro being then threatened by severall people to be kill'd But to this dept's knowledge after this note made to the sd Negro for for some short time he did behave himselfe something better then he did before, but afterward he did fly out againe. And for five or six yeares after that this deponit Lived there, the sd Hoe had never a servit maid but the sd Jack the negro lay with her or got her with child, wich this deponit was very knowing of, and delired one of them of a Negro child she being an English woman, and she being asked who was the father of it sayd, The abovesd Jack the Negro, and he being asked acknowledged it to be his Margiatt X Barker

her mike

Sworne before me Mathew Edloe The day and yeare above written

rec febr. 8. sequ.

page 618. Abstract. "The deposition of Susan English being 30 years of age or thereabouts exa ed and sworne saith".

Susan English states that she was a hired servant unto Mrs Sara Hoe about 4 years past. She tells of difficulties Mrs Hoe had in manageing the negro Jack. Doubtless not a word of it true, for had what she said been true Mrs Hoe would have set Jack free at once and been rid of him. The very fact that these depositions were made to enable Rice Hoe Junr to keep the negro gives the lie to a good deal in the deposition of Margaret Barker and everything in the deposition of Susan English. As for what the neighbors thought of Jack see page 57.

page 619. Abstract. A Court at Westover 3 Feb 1665/6. Present Lt Coll Tho: Drew

Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt John Epes Capt Robt Wynne Mr Jno Holmwood
Capt Francis Grey
Capt Otho Southcott
Mr John Barker

page 619. Abstract. Capt Ino Epes dismissed from suit of Ino Cegan, for land taken up by Cogan, lapsed and taken up by Tho: Jones. Cogan appeals to Genl Court.

page 619. Abstract. Mr Jno Holmwood and Capt Otho Southcott to settle dif betw Jno Cogan and Phill Limbrey.

page 619. Abstract. Judgt to Tho Crane agst John Steerage for 313 1b tobo. Marginal note "Scire fac- Satisfied by James Minge - 13th 1669".

page 619. Abstract. Judgt to Mr Walter Aston agst Walter Heines for 800 lb tobo.

page 619. Abstract. Edmond Shipdham conf judgt to The Walton for 800 lb tobo.

page 619. Abstract. Judgt to Capt Edw Hill agst Walter Heines for 285 lb tobo. Also order that Capt Hill pay Heines "three dayes worke next sum er and one Cow hide or the value thereof".

page 620. Abstract. Jno Holmwood and Capt Otho Southcott settle a/c betw Jno Cogan and Phill Limbrey at 700 lb tobo due Limbrey. Cogan appeals to Genl Court. Gives bond.

page 620. Abstract. Lt Coll Tho Drew to appoint 2 men of the neighborhood to decide dif betw Tho Calloway and Jno Harwood.

page 620. Abstracts. Judgts to following: George Farley for John Johnson agst Jno Jacob for 390 lb tobo. To Mrs Agnes Hamelin admrx of Steph: Hamelin deed agst Antho: Wyatt fer 3000 lb tobo. To Welthan Taylour agst Daniell Nunneley for certain clothes according to custom for her service and 140 lb tobo for her corn to be pd "at the arrivall of Ships". To Richd Mosby agst Andrew Meldram for 13.s 6.d Sterl money due on demand. To Howell Pryse 600 lb tobo for fees agt Jno Tate who m the relict of Capt Jno Wall.

page 621. Abstract. Ralph Poole formerly fined and Mr Anthony Wyatt the then sherr having failed to collect the full amt, the present sherr ordered to collect the bal.

page 621. Abstracts. Judgts to the following. H. Pryse agt Willm Irby for 831 lb tobo for fees. Former judgt to Richd James agst Tho Hux for 240 lb tobo confirmed. To H. Pryse agst Jno Warrener who m the relict and extrx of Alexander Fowler for 386 lb tobo for fees. To John Tatem agt Mr Hachaliah Horner for 432 lb tobo due by bill.

page 621. Abstract. Prob of will of Tho: Coale deed to Moris Rose exor.

page 622. Abstract. Jno Higgins serv't to Peter Rowlett having run away for 6 mosand there being much charge and labor to recover him to serve 2 years after his time.

page 622. Abstract. Court adj till "munday the 05th of this Instant Febry at 9 of the clock"

page 622. Abstract. A Court at Westover 5, Feb. 1665/6. Present Lt Coll Tho: Drew

Mr Anthony Wyatt Capt Otho Southcott
Capt John Epes Mr John Barker
Capt Robt Wynne

page 622. Abstract. Nonsuit to Capt Jno Epes atty of John Rous agst Jno Cogan

page 622. Abstracts. After long debate John Tate ord to pay Jno Cogan 350 lb tobo to bal a/cs. Also "Itt is ordered that Jno Cogan pay and deliver to Jno Tate or his ass's three shillings sterl and one empty pint glasse bottle rec'd of the sd Tates wife".

page 623. Abstract. Lease. 20 Nov 1665. Curtis Laud (or Land) of Weynoke parish, leases to John Pond of same parish, 100 acres in James City Co., being part of 500 acres surveyed by Majr Wm Harris in 1664. Refers to Laud's "right of his pattent". This Land bounded "from dockmans to toriham (or "tersham" o and so to the line of John Hix".

Wit: Thomas Calloway

Signed Curtis X Laud (or Land)

John Sharde

James Powell

Recognit 5 Feb 1665

Agreement in regard to seating the land. Laud to protect Pond for 6 years, etc. Dated 21 Dec. 1665.

Wit:

Signed Curtis X Laud

Thomas drewe

Note. This abstract annoys me. It is full of uncertainty. However it is the best my tired nerves can accomplish as I come to the end of this old order book. Persons have said to me "Why did you do this or that?". I make some politely evasive reply, but my heart is dark with thoughts of "Why did ent you make these abstracts yourself?"

B.F.

page 624. Abstract. Nonsuit to Phill Limbrey agst Jno Cogan in action of defamacon. Not proved.

page 624. The difference and Complt of Assault and battery betweene Ino Cogan plt and Robt Simonds deft is referred to the exalicon of a Jury.

page 624. Abstract. James Salmon ordered to pay Jno Cogan 500 lb tobo in full of a/c.

page 624. Abstract. Nonsuit to Sanders Davison deft agst Jno Cogan plt who sued without demand of his debt.

page 624.

Jury inter Cogan and Simonds Mr Ferdinando Aston

foreman

Mr Sanders Davisen Mr Richd Mosby
Mr Robt Jones Mr Peter Plum'er
Mr Richd Price Mr Meris Rose
Mr Geo Barefoot Mr Tho: Calloway
Mr James Wallace Mr Stephen Hamelin

Mr Cornel Clomance

Verdict Wee find that the petn'r Mr John Cogan was beaten by Robt Simonds

Whereas Jno Cogan sued Robt Limonds for an assault com'itted on the person of the sd Cogan, whereby his cheeke bone was broken, beside a defect thereby occasioned in his eyes, and other damages susteined weh cawse (as Matter of Fact) was referred to Law and exaliacon of a Jury, who returns their Verdict that they find that the sd Cogan was beaten by the sd Simonds, (as a matter of Law) to the Court. x x x (Simonds ordered to pay Cogan 4000 lb tobo and remain in sherr custody until he does so) x x.

page 624. Abstract. Judgt to Jno Cogan agt Robt Simons 1560 lb tobo.

page 625. Abstract. Richd Mosby ord to pay Mrs Agnes Hamelin 1636 lb tobo bal on a/o.

page 625. Abstract. "The deposicon of Tho: Groves aged 25 yeares exalied this 10th June 1665". Says that about Feb last Mr Stephen Hamelin came to the dwelling house of Mr Richd Mosby, and Mosby tendered him 3 hhd tobo, which Hamelin declined to receive by reason of the urgency of his business aboard Capt Gasse's ship. Mosby pressing him, Hamelin impowered "me the abovesd Thomas Groves" to receive them for his for his use, and give receipt to Mosby which he did. Sworn before

Signed Tho: Groves

Mathew Edloe

page 625. Abstract. Mary Warrener testifies on 5 Feb 1665/6 that she went to Mr Stephen Hamelin and asked whether Mr Biss should have the hhd of tobo. That he answered no, he kept it for Mr Stanton. Sworn 5 Feb. 1665/6 Signed Mary X Warrener Test. Hoel Pryse Cl

page 626. Abstract. A mark like an anchor with an S superimposed precedin "No. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7."

Mr Slade Pray Sr be diligent of this tobbo for your friend Thos Stanton and mine and mike and naile as you shall thinke fitt and shall be allowed all your proceedings as paying duties for freight as you shall thinke convenient according to your discrecon being for not our friend only but for a new propagate it being S Hamelin S.S.

Immediately following this letter on the record is a notation. See following page.

page 626 (continued)

This tobbo is att Mr Mosby 1 hhd 412 another 482 another 384 another at Fowler in the same plantacon 1 at Mosby at Weynoke at John Tate one hhd 398 another 383
2533 g'r 334 t'r 2199 nett

Mr Slade what you doe in the premisses lett it be donne for Mr Stanton or your new friend S Hamelin
Pray receive this Councell of my speciall friend Mr Rudds

page 626. Abstract. Statement of John Maton that Mr Hamelin coming to Mr Richd Mosby was asked by him to lend him 2hhd of tobo that was in his tobacco house. But Hamelin refused saying it was for Mr Stanton. Sworn in Court 5 Feb 1665/6. Signed Jo Maton.

page 626. Abstract. Statement of Richd Mosby. That in April 1665 he asked Mr Hamelin to lend him 2 hhd of tobo but Hamelin declined saying it was for Mr Stanton. "and further saith that Mr Ruds came for the tobbo to take aboard his ship". But no more freight could be taken for Mr Harris had taken 50 hhd. etc. Signed Richd X Mosby. Sworn 5 Feb 1665/6. Test Hoel Pryse.

page 627. Abstract. Judgt to Willm Dollin agt Jno Cogan 792 lb tobo.

page 627. Abstract. Dif betw Jno Cogan and Wm Wilkins to a Jury.

The same Jury

Verdict. No matter of fact. Each man to bear his own charges.

page 627. The Deposicon of Robt Potter aged thirty and nine yeares or thereabouts sworne and exatied saith as foll

That being in the howse of Sarah Potter there mett Mr Jn'o Cogan and Willm Wilkins, betwixt whom passed severall words of Ill and abusive language given to each ether upon wich they fell to Collering, in wich scuffle the sd Jn'o Cogan was on the ground flung by Wm Wilkins of wich fall Jno Cogan recid a black eye and a scarr on one of his lipps further the sd Wilkins lying on the ground upon Jno Cogan, a dog of the house seized upon one of the Leggs of Wm Wilkins and bitt him the wich wound Jn'e Cegan dressed and gave him medicines to carry with him and further saith not Robert Potter

Note: This delightful little social incident at Mrs Potter's country home on the James is a relief after some other entries in this old record book. Robert does not state who kicked the dog out of the scramble. Probably Mrs Potter. Note Dr Cogan's professional ethics - yet here the childlike 17th century mind again - he sues Wilkins.

B.F.

page 627. Abstract. Stephen Hamelin petitions for div of his father's estate. 2 or 3 gentlemen to appraise the est and report to Lt Cell Drew, he to divide the est. In case of dif betw Mrs Hamelin and her son they to appear at next Court for settlement.

page 628. John Wibert aged 28 yeares or thereabouts exatied and sworne saith

That some difference arising betweene Mr Cogan and Wm Wilkins the sd Cogan tooke upp an axe and sayd he would cutt of the sd Wilkins legs, and afterwards a restell and swore he would knock him on the head and further saith not

Juratr Coram me

John Wibert

Feb'r. 3. 1665. Robert Wynne

page 628. Sarah Potter aged 50 years or thereabouts exalied and sworne saith

That in the difference abovesd by accident some dogs bit the sd Wilkins leggs, and this depont did then give the said Mr Cogan some balsam to dresse the sd Wilkins legs and further saith not only he tooke up an axe and a pestell and threatned as abovesd

Jurat Coram ine

Sarah Potter

Febr. 3. 1665 Robert Wynne

page 628. Abstract. Power of Atty. 20 Janry 1665/6. Wealthan Taylour to Charles Power to prosecute action agst Daniell Nonnelly in C.C.Co. Court

Wit:

Signed Wealtham X Taylour

James Mills

page 628. The deposition of Daniell Maloone aged 22 years or thereabouts sworne and exatied sayth as foll. vidzt

That Welthan Taylour late serv't to Daniell Nunnely spoke to this depon't about two or three and twentyth of December last past to draw a condicon betwixt herselfe and Daniell Nunnely, the dep't askt her about what, she answered she had sold some of her corne to her sd Master, and further sayth not

Jur Coram me

Daniell Mallone

feb'r the first 1665

Robert Wynne

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page 629. Whereas a woman servit belonging to Mr Hacaliah Horner hath made severall Comp'Its and proofes to diverse particular Justices and to this Court of her most violent and creell usage by her sd Masters insufferable and frequent blowes, weh Comp'It being exhibited on Satterday last the first day of this present Court itt was then appointed and desired that Mr Horner should appe' this day and answer the premesses, wherein he fayleing and the Comp'It continueing The Court in Comiseracon of the Comp'It and for her preservacon from such exorbitant violence, Hath therefore thought fitt and ordered that the sd serv't shall be and remains at the house of Mr John Holmwood untill the next fourt or untill the sd Mr Horner shall request and procure any three or foure Justices of the peace of this Com to meet examine and determine the premisses

page 629. Samuell Amyes aged twenty six yeares or thereabouts sworne and exalied before me the 3d day of Febry. 1665

Saith that Mr Jno Cogan came to the house of Mrs Wall to gett a passage over the Creeke. Mrs Wall being at that time sick, the sd Cogan desired Mrs Wall that she would take some medicines of him, and in case she did recover if she would give him anything for his meanes she might and if she would not he would not demand anything, and at the same time the sd Cogan had severall medicines delivered to him by Mrs Walls order the particulars whereof the sd Mrs Wall hath and further your depon't saith not

Samuell Amyes

Jurat: Coram me Febir. 3. 1665 Robert Wynne

page 629. Abstract. Tho: Meriton complains that John Turnour has held out one of his servits from the County lists. Turnour ordered to answer complaint at the next Court.

page 630. Bills and other papers sent from Mr Langworth of London mariner to be delivered to Mr John Barker of Flower de hundred as foll.

Imp'rs

one Lire of Instructors to the sd Jn'o Barker bearing date the 24th July 1665

one Lre of Attorney to the sd Barker bearing date July the 29th.1665 Capt Tregnnemans bill with Recorded bill for two thousid pd of beefe Mr Daniell Adams bill for six hundird eighty three pds of tobbo to pd in porke

Charles Gregory bill for forty pd of tobbo Mr Willm Rookins bill for forty six barrells

Julian Allans bill for five hundred ninety five pds of tobbo or porke
Robert Short his accost of goods sold by Mr Drayton three hundred
fifty three pd of -- (tobbo ?)

Mr Willm Hunt of Buckland acco't w'th my bill to Mr Bowden
Mr Henry Randolph note to pay Mr Wyatt seaven hundred pds of tob'o
Mr Draytons bill for nine hund'rd ninety five pds of tobbo
Mr Howell Pryses bill for one thous'd ninety six pds of tobbo
Mrs Nowell bill for eight hundr'd ninety one pd of tobbo
Willm Strong bill for eighteene hundr'd and seaventeene pd of tobbo
Mr Anthony Wyatts bill for eight hund'rd eighty eight pds of tobbo
Mr Willm Walters bill for six hund'rd and seaventy pd of tobbo
Jno Burtons bill for five hund'rd and twenty pds of tobbo to be pd
in porke

George Douglas bill for three hundrd ninety nine pds of tobbo to be pd in porke

Mr Jn'o Waltridge his bill for three thous'd one hund'rd and eighteens pds of --

I Jn'o Barker of Flowerday hund'rd in Charles Citty Com do acknowledge to have rec'd of Capt Otho Southcott of the same County aforesd all the above menconed papers as L'res etc I

say recd this 16th day of 9ber Ao DM 1665

Test per me John Barker

Thomas Drewe

Recognit in Cur per Johan Barker gen' supra Feb'r, 5. 1665 Test Hoel Pryse Cl

page 631.

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1 at Cha: Mackennys 437	905
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To 675 persons 55 per poll	37125
To 88 horses 85 each	74 80
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Presented Feb'ry. 5. 1665 per me John Epes Probat' in Cur Feb'r. 5. 1665

Test Hoel Pryse Cl

This a/c allowed and approved.

page 632. Abstract. Capt Robt Wynne and Capt Jno Epes to examine witnesses in dif betw Mr Anthony Wyatt and Wm Caswell, mariner.

page 632. Abstract. "one molotto boy the sonne of Elizabeth Lucie dec'd" to remain with Howell Pryse until 30 years of age.

page 632. Abstract. Mr Cogan to give Robt Simonds an a/c of the Crop upon oath if requested according to agreement.

page 632. Abstract. Mr Antho: Wyatt to be pd 5500 lb tobo by the County, which he pd for the escape of Peter Grey for want of a sufficient prison.

page 632. Abstract. Order to Ho: Pryse for 1064 lb tobo for fees from Mr Wm Caswell mariner to be pd by his agent Mr Peter Plum'er

page 632. Abstract. Mr Wm Bird fined 300 lb tobo for absence from Court. Howell Pryse to receive such fines.

page 632. The Coirt is adjourned till the third day of Aprill 1666.

page 633. Abstract. Richd Prise, Churchwarden of Martins Brandon parish complains "That Edward Richards of the 3d parish begott a bastard child of his serv't Frances Bird". Requests process agst the offenders. Dated 5 Feb 1665/6.

page 633. The deposicon of Tho Epes aged thirty five yeares sworne and exalied saith as foll vidzt.

That being Comanded downe to James Citty by Governor Morison to a Court Martiall held there in August or September 1661. In my returne Mr Anthony Wyatt came in Company in a boat with my selfe and others, and requested us to call aboard of a Little Ship rideing at Anchor before the towne for two Hamocks which he bought of a Seaman which wee performed, and comeing to the Shipps side he called twice or thrice but whether answer were returned I know not then Mr Wyatt requested Mr Tho: Mallory to goe aboard the ship and fetch the Hamocks telling him where he left them which Mr Mallory did and found the Hamocks aboard in the same place Mr Wyatt directed him unto and threw them into the boat, and in his way come back stood a Jugg of wine beverage which with a free consent of all that were in the boat was handed downe and brought away the Jugg in my Judgement conteyneing neere a gallon. Mr Wyatt went not out of the boat the same time and further saith not

Jurat Coram me

Thomas Epes

24. Febry. 1665 Robert Wynne

page 634. The deposecon of John Raban aged forty five yeares or thereabouts exalied and sworne saith as foll vidzt

Declared in every particular as the abovesd Mr Tho. Epes only he was prest to rowe downe the officers and that he heard Mr Mallory call and stampe upon the deck of the Shipp

Jurat Coram me 24 Febry 1665 sign' John X Raban

Robert Wynne

page 634. The last leaf in the record book. Stained and torn.

page 634. Capt John Woodleife agod 51 yeares or thereabouts exalied and sworne saith

That goeing aboard of a Small Ship radeing before James Citty with Mr Anthony Wyatt and some others, there lay some hamocks — Cabin where they were with one of the Seamen belonging to the sd Shipp. Mr Wyatt demanded of him if they were to be sold who told him yes, and upon the said Mr Wyatt bought two hamocks of him and the man desired Ferd: Aston who was then aboard to receive the pay for them, afterwards the said Mr Wyatt went to James Citty — the Hamocks abord and in his returne from there he — Ship side and

called very often, and heareing no man to - requested Mr Tho:

Mallory to step abord and reach them - - by in such a place where

I left them, and Mr Mallory - - and reached them according to Mr

Wyatts directons, and withall handed over a Jugg of wine beveradge and further saith not

Jurat' Coram me

Jo'n: Woodleife

17. Martij A'om. 1665

page 635. Tho: Mallory aged 30 yeares or thereabouts exatied and sworne saith

That comeing from James Citty with Mr Wyatt and severall others the said Mr Wyatt desired them toput aboard of a small Ship which rid then before the towne, and this depon't lying in the head of the boat the said Mr Wyatt desired him to step aboard and fetch him two hamocks which he had bought and layd in the Cabin, the said depon't went up and stamped severall times upon the deck and no man appeared, then he went accordingly, and found the hamocks where Mr Wyatt told him they were, and handed them over and withall a Jugg of wine beveradge and further saith not

Jurat Coram me

Thomas Mallory

- March 1665 Robert Wynne

Robert Wynne

page 635. Sam: Harwell aged 30 years or thereabouts exalied and sworne saith

- being prest upon the Countreyes service downe to James Citty
- - comeing from thence Mr Wyatt was in the boat and requested them
- - aboard of a Little Ship which rid then before the towne and
Mr Thomas Mallory lying in the head of the boat, the said Mr Wyatt
requested him to step abord and reach him two hamooks which he had
layd in such a Cabin, nameing the Cabin where they lay, which Mr
Mallory did and handed them over, with a Jugg of beveradge wine and
further saith not
sign

Jurat' Coram me

Sam. H Harwell

March 17. 1665 Robert Wynne

Note: Now that the abstracts from this curious old book are finished, I must admit that they did bring about a certain nervous strain. Not that I can altogether blame the abstracts, for also in the year 1941 there were personal affairs that disturbed the routine of life. In my small family of three there was death, marriage, two serious operations, war - and I moved four times.

Therefore future historians and genealogists certainly will find that corrections can be made in this work. Please make them.

Beverley Fleet.

Fragment. Court Orders 1650.

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This item is a single sheet from a Court Order Book numbered 273-4

page 273. Att a Court holden att Westover Januar 10. 1650 present Capt Edd Hill

mr Tho: Drewe mr Jo: Westhropo mr Dan. Llewellin

sthropo mr John Gibbs

page 273. Abstract. Whereas Phillip Cowper deed left a small estate and several debts, the creditors to meet at Flowedeau hundred on 20 Jan. The est to be sold at outcry. The Drewe and Mr Jno Culpeper to be in charge.

page 273. Abstract. Whereas Henry Thorne lately decd left a small estate behind him with a wife and 2 small children, the Court allows the widow 4 bbl of corn and a bed, the bal to creditors.

page 273. Abstract. Whereas John Moore lately died "and left a small estate behind with a poore widdow", she to have 4 bbl corn and a flock bed.

page 273. Abstract. Order that Frances the relict of Henry Pott deed deliver within 20 days the whole est of Richd Hiller to Mr Humfrey Lister atty for said Hiller.

page 273. Abstract. Order that Wm Burford pay Mr Antho Wyatt atty of Mr Walter Chiles 390 lb tobo and 3 years interest.

page 273. Abstract. Frances the relict of Henry Pott deed to be pd 2000 lb tobo from est of Mr Hiller by Mr Lister his atty "it being the severall charges and disbursemts in the time of the sicknesse of the sd Pett, and for show-howse roome of the goods of the sd Hiller"

page 273. Abstract. Robt Letherland to pay Mrs Frances Pott 200 lb tobo "for two barrells of Corne taken out of her loft" and that she pay him 1161 lb tobo and 3 1/2 bbl corn due. Also order that Charles Adwell pay Frances Pott 300 lb tobe.

page 274. Abstract. Entry marked out "This order is void being mistaken in the entry". It is an order that admr be granted to Mary Plum'er on her husband's est, who died intestate on testimony of Mr Henry Randolph.

page 274. A Certificat is graunted unto Capt Wm Rothwell for 700 acres of land which apper'es due to him by the testimony of George Butterwick and Thomas Richards for the importacon of fourteene persons into this Collony, whereof he desireth Confirmacon by pattent The persons names vidzt

Wm Rothwell, Ingle Wothwell his wife. Robt Rothwell, Wm Rothwell, Millicons Rothwell, Martha Rothwell Childr

Wm Nash, Wm Grene, John Rider, Thomas Hooks, John Wms, Wm King, Stephen Homes, Jane Tompkins servits

Fragment. Court Orders 1650 (continued)

page 274.

Abstract. Dif betw James Warradine plt and Frances Pott deft to be settled at next Court without further delay.

page 274. Abstract. Charles Adwell to pay Wm Moorehall 400 lb tobo due by bill.

page 274. Abstract. On account of sickness of Jno Banister dif betw him and Jas Warradine to next Court.

page 274. Abstract. Order that estate of Pierce Lenan be sold at outcry Monday next and that "Capt Joseph Johnson high sherr" supervise the sale.

page 574. Abstract. Order that Richd Carter pay Curtis Laud (or Land) 864 lb tobo.

page 574. Abstract. Pierce Lenan having made over certain cattle to secure a debt to Jo: Sadler and Company, there being due 3040 lb tobo, the cattle to be delivered to Mr John Thrope atty for Sadler and Company.

Fragment. Court Orders 1672 - 1674 Charles City County.

The abstracts to follow are taken from a few sheets torn from an old Court Order Book from Charles City County now in the possession of the Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, Virginia. The Officers and Board of the Society have been most kind in allowing me to take the abstracts and include them with other 17th century material from Charles City County. The pages are numbered 503 - 550. The records begin 1672/3 as we show the date now. At that time February 1672.

page 503. Com Civitat Carol February - -.

page 503. Abstract. Thomas Lutson retd by sherr non est inventus in suit by Capt Nicholas Wyatt for 440 lb tobo. Attachmt agst estate.

pago 503. Abstract. Jerimy Woodhall plt vs Morgan Mackeny deft in action for debt to next Court.

page 503. Abstract. James Minge vs Ralph Poole to next Court. Also Cornel: Clements vs Jno Hodges to next Court.

page 503. Abstract. Nevet Wheeler sues Robt Rouse on bill for 1800 lb tobo payable to Wm Bird decd and tfrd by his admrs to plt. Bill proved pd and suit dismissed

page 503. Abstract. Judgt to Saml Basse agt est of Jno Fords for 1600 lb tobo in hands of Robert Rouse. Also attachmt to James Minge Clerk of the Court agst Mr Anthony Wyatt for 2735 lb tobo for arrears of Clerk's fees. Also Judgt to Mr Anthony Wyatt late sheriff agst Robt Rouse his sub sherr and deputy collector for 1611 arrears.

page 504. Abstract. Thos Blayton vs Richd Watherne to next Court.

page 504. Abstract. Phillip Lymbey retd non est inventus at suit of Tho: Blayton attor of John Hull (or Hall) and John Dodsworth in action of debt. Also judgt to Tho Blayton agt Jno Rix for 400 lb tobo due by bill consigned from Nicholas Perry.

page 504. Abstract. Judgt to Nicholas Wyatt, one of the collectors of this Co., agt Sadler and Quiney "preprettors of the lands at Martin Brandon com'only called the merchants land since the death of William Bird their late attorney off whom the quitt rents for the same lands was usually required and by him paid". for 624 lb tobo due for quit rents for 1671.

page 504. Abstract. Judgt to John Black plt agt Grendall Delahay deft for 950 lb tobo and 5 days work.

page 504. Abstract. John Elmey deft retd non est inventus to an action of debt for 500 lb tobo brought agst him by Georg Lee plt.

page 504. Abstract. Judgt to James Minge for 324 lb tobo. "The estate of Rice Hooe being see much returned atached in the hands of William Jordan" and due from Hooe to Minge.

page 505. Abstract. Dated 4 Feb. 1672/3

page 505. Abstract. Wm Irby gives security to entertain an Indian. Also John Stirdevant gives security to entertain Indians.

page 505. Abstract. Court adj to 3rd April next.

page 505. Att a session of the Justices at Westover 4th Febry 1672. Present Mr Anth: Wyatt, Lt Coll John Epes, Coll Robt Wynne, Maj'r Edward Hill, Mr John Drayton senr., Capt Nich Wyatt, Mr Jas. Bisse.

page 505. Order concerning ordinary and prison to be entered on records. Presented by Majr Edward Hill. Lengthy entry concerning Maj Hill's effort to build an ordinary where comfortable accomodations may be had at legal prices. The entry also designates a new building put up by the County as a jail. "and that James River on the North side thereof and soe upp West as the further Glebe of Westover and soe Northorly along the road way as farr as Herrin creeke and soe downe along the Creek to the mouth thereof and soe upp along the river West as afforsd shall be the bounds of the rules of the sd prison". Majr Hill to be "appointed Guardian warden or keeper of the said prison".

pages 507 and 508 missing.

page 509. Page headed "Com Civitat Carol Aprill iiid 1673"

page 509. Abstract. A Court at Westover 3 April 1673. Present. Mr Anthony Wyatt, Collo Robt Wynne, Májr Edward Hill, Mr John Drayton, Mr Thomas Epes, Mr James Bisse, Capt: Francis Poythress.

page 509. Abstract. Joshua Meacham one of the constables of Westover parish refuseing to execute a warrant issued by Mr Anthony Wyatt "for his insolency showne in contempt of the authority thereof" is fined 5000 lb tobo or be whipped with 20 stripes. Is dismissed and to stand committed until he give security for the fine.

page 509. Abstract. Judgt to Tho: Blayton agst Richd Wathen, who appeared by John Stith his atty, for 120 lb dressed pork he had promised to pay for Edward Clanton. The promise proved by oath of John Ellis.

page 509. Abstract. Judgt to James Minge plt agst Ralph Poole deft for 350 lb tobo "for the defts liveing uppon and occupying the lands of the plt from January the 29th 1669 to Octob: 10th 1671". Poole appeals to the Genl Court. He gives security for appeal. Also Minge.

page 510. Abstract. Judgt is granted Sampson Ellis, one of the legatees of Thomas Bridges decd plt, against John Pleasant attorney of James Janney and William Beauchamp of London, executors of the

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last will of John Beauchamp late of Virginia decd, who was one of the executors of the aforesaid Bridges decd. The judgt for 333 lb tobo a third of a legacy of 1000 lb tobo bequeathed to the plaintiff by Bridges.

John Pleasant attorney as aforesaid, appearing by Wm Cookson his atty, to answer suit of Ellis, for which judgt passed against Mr Tho: Mallory high sheriff, discharges the sheriff from judgt obtained agst him by Ellis.

Power of Atty dated 1 April 1673 from John Pleasant to William Cookson to answer suit of Ellis at Westover Court.

Note: Entries like the foregoing make abstract takers look abstract.

B.F.

page 510. Abstract. Admr of estate of George Harris of Westover parish, late dec'd "cum Testamento a'nexo", to Sarah his relict. Mr Antho Wyatt, Collo Robt Wynne and Lt Coll John Epes to appraise estate at the plantation of the dec'dt on 12th instant.

page 510. Abstract. Admr of est of Cornelius Clements of Westover parish "who lately dyed" to Ann his relict.

page 511. Page headed "Com Civitat Carol' Aprill iij. 1673

page 511. Abstract. Saml Phillips bound as security with Ann Clements for admr of her husbands estate.

page 511. Abstract. Judgt to Alexander Davison plt agst Phillip Lymbry deft for 300 lb tobo "to be layd out by the plt in cloathing for Temperance Smith an Orphan now in the custody of the plt". Thos. Mallory high sherr released from judgt on appearance of Lymbry.

page 511. Abstract. Judgt to James Mingo atty of Robt Ireland agst Roger Grene for 6609 lb tobo, formerly confessed 26 Oct 1671. Also judgt for L 11. Sterl. Also judgt to Richd Lawrence plt agt Roger Grene deft for 2160 due on bal of 2500 lb tobo. The sherr released from judgt on appearance of Grene.

page 511. Peter Moyle plt late servt unto Stephen Hamelin deft is adjudged free and the deft to pay costs.

page 512. Abstract. Deed of Gift. 12 Feb 1669/70. Richd Mansell gives "unto my deare Mother Moriall Mansell" 60 acres lying on the riverside at Merchants Hope.

Wit: Signed Richard Mansell

Elizabeth Mansell

William X Davis

Proved in Court by witnesses 3 April 1673. Test James Minge Cl Cur.

page 512. Abstract. Rowland Place sues David Goodale. Goodale, by lease dated 23 Jan 1662, having undertaken to farm a tenement of 50 acres called Cedar poynt, refuses to pay rent. This ordered

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viewed and reported by Cornelius Clements and Samuell Phillipps. Judgt to Place for 3200 lb tobo on their report.

page 513. Abstract. Judgt to John Drayton atty of Richd James agst Elizabeth Shipdham extrx of Edmund Shipdham decd for 425 lb tobo due by bill under the hand of the dec'd.

page 513. Abstract. Prob of will of Samuell Eale of Westover parish, late dec'd, to Jone his relict and extrx named in the will.

page 513. Abstract. Judgt to Wm Duke agst Ralph Poole for 210 1b tobo whereof 165 1b is assigned by bill from Will Stenton. Elias Osborne testifies the bill assigned by Stenton to him and by him to Duke.

page 513. Abstract. James Wallace and William Hill as security for Morriall Jones admr on estate of her late dec'd husband Morgan Jones.

page 513. Abstract. Judgt to James Bisse atty of Thomas Collson plt agt Thomas Morgan for 400 lb tobo.

page 513. Abstract. Action dismissed by Court in suit of Thomas Goodgaine (or Goodgame) agt Mahone Obrian for part paymt for "a boate and trimming her".

page 513. Abstract. It is agreed between William Williams plt and John Sturdevant deft that the deft have his 200 acres laid out first and the plt have his 400 acres next.

page 513. Abstract. Irby vs Green to next Court.

page 514. Page headed "Com Civitat Carol Aprill iij 1673"

page 514. "presentibus cum caetoris in pag: 509: Captt Southcott and M. D. Clarke"

page 514. Abstract. Curtis Laud (this name appears here as Land) conf judgt to Wm Duke for 550 lb tobo due by bill.

page 514. Capt Otho Southcott hath proved right to five hundred acres of Land for the charge of importacon of Thomas Mason, Polidore Prichard, Richard Patnam (this name blotted and difficult, subject to correction), Joseph Davis, John Adams, Elizabeth Seabrooke, Henry Roberts, Thomas Hindmars, Oliver Davenport, Elizabeth Wise.

page 514. Abstract. Judgt to Robert Lucy agst Arthur Stampe and his wife for 480 lb tobo "the sd Stamp and his wife running away out of their covenant service". The wife "hath offended against her sd Master Robert Lucy and his wife in abusive and unfitting language" but is excused at their request.

page 514. Abstract. Whereas Robert Lucy and Sarah his wife and Phillip Limbrey and Elizabeth his wife jointly own 1000 acres in Flower du hundred, inherited from John Barker decd, brother to sd Sarah and Elizabeth, desire partition. Request that Col Robt Wynne for the Lucys and Lt Col Geo Jordan for the Limbreys meet James Minge surveyor on the 22nd instant and divide the land.

page 515. Abstract. Noell Hutchin of Westover par records mark for cattle.

page 515. Abstract. Thos Winter conf judgt to Tho Mallory atty of Richd Lawrence for 379 lb tobo.

page 515. Abstract. Wheeler vs Lee to next Court.

page 515. Abstract. Wm Pully servit to Robt Short adjudged 12 yrs old.

page 515. Abstract. Judgt to Wm Duke agt Tho Mallory the present sherr for 454 1b tobo for nonappearance of Thomas Meriton. Attachmt by Mallory agt est of Meriton for that amt.

page 515. Abstract. The Blayton atty od Hall and Dodsworth plt agt Phillip Lymbrey Jeft to next Court.

page 515. Thomas Hamlin ordered to appear on compilt of Wm Irby concerning an Indian.

page 516. Headed "Com Civitat Carol Aprill iiij 1673 present Mr Anthony Wyatt, Coll Robt Wynne, Major Hill, Capt Otho Southcott, Mr John Drayton, Mr Bisse.

page 516. Abstract. Jno Niblet deft retd non est inventus in case of damage 4000 lb tobo brought by Morgan Jones plt. Attachmt agt deft. Also Attachmt obtained last Court by Geo Lee plt upon non est inventus retd of John Elmy for 500 lb tobo now renewed.

page 516. Abstract. Nonsuit to Jno Cogan agt Francis West.

page 516. Abstract. On complt of Morris Rose, ord that Capt William Rollinson renew his security for est of Sparrow's orphan.

page 516. Abstract. Case of Elenor Newman plt agt John Baxter and Margaret his wife for "defamatory words" refered to a Jury.

William Peebles foreman Will Wilkinson Morris Rose
Richard Dodd Wm Harrison Francis Lucy
Caesar Walpole Robt Lucy John Sturdevant
John Marshall Roger Reece Martin Quarles
They find for the plt 1500 lb tobo. Judgt agt defts, etc.

page 516. Evidences in this Case John Lowman aged 40 years or thereabouts Examined and sworne in Court the 3d of Aprill 1673 saith That Margaret the wife of John

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Baxter came to the depon'ts house on or about the second of March last past being Sabath day and sudeinly after her comeing to your depon'ts house Majr Hills servant maid being then and there present by name Elenor Newman the sd Margaret Baxter did in a most vile manner abuse and in a most slanderouse manner did call the sd Elenor Newman whoore and that shee had a bastard aboord the shipp and there she murdered it, with many other sadd abusive speeches as brazen face bitch and the like there being no manner of ill language returned to the sd Margaret Baxter by Elinor Newman but onely desireing her to be patient and quiett and not in such a manner to abuse her and further the depon't sayth not
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page 517. Joane Lowman aged 37 years or thereabouts examined in Court the 3 of Aprill 1673 Sayth the very same as her husband Jehn Lowman doth concerning Margaret Baxter abuseing of Elinor Newman the servant of Maj'r Edward Hill and further the depon't sayth not Jurat in Cur Teste James Minge Cl Cur

page 517. Abstract. Meacham vs Lucy to next Court.

page 517. Abstract. Elias Osberne and Tho Blayton agree to settlemt of their dif concerning land by Maj Edw Hill. Each gives security.

page 517. Abstract. Mr Thomas Mallory to continue the coming year as high sheriff by appointmt of the Governor. Is sworn.

page 517. Robert Stanford serv't to Maj'r Edward Hill for swearing and useing profane words in the pulpit of the parrish Church of Westover is censured to be whipt with 30 lashes

The execucon hereof respited by reason of the fellows indisposicon testified by Dr Irby

page 518. Headed "Com Civitat Carol Aprill. 4. 1673"

Sayth That about the 28 day of January last past being at William Vaughans house the depon't did heare Morgan Jones of Apamattocke say that when Morgan Jones of Jordans went upp to Apamattock to the Maj'r Generalls he the sd Jones of Jordans did bid him the sd Jones of Apamatock draw a will as the other will was drawne and withall said (meaning the sd Jones of Jordans) I will call as I come back and sett my hand to it and Thomas Jones shall witnes it. And Jones of Apamatock further said that he came not back that way but returned by Bayleys and this Depon't further sayth not

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page 518. The Deposicon of Thomas Clarke aged about 24 yearss Sayeth in manner and forme as John Evans sayth as afforsd and further sayth not

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page 518. The Deposicon of Mary Evans aged about 26 yeares Sayth The very same as John Evans and Thomas Clarke sweareth as affor'sd and further sayth That Jones of Apamatock did repeate the sd speech severall times and further sayth not Jurat in Cur. Aprill. 3. 1673 Test James Minge Cl Cur

Sayth That the next day after the buriall of Morgan Jones his widow came to this depon'ts house imediatly I sent for Morgan Jones when he came he declared there was a will of Morgan Jones dec'd at his home that he made when he lived with William Jordan withall told her wher shee might find it together with the lease Moreover he said he had another will of the sd Morgan's dec'd at his own house which was made by him when he was last upp in Appamatock which was made since the other he replyed that ther was but one witnes that was himselfe which Morgan Jones did intend his Country man Thomas Jones should have been a witnes to it and further sayth not

Jurat Coram Francis Poythres

page 518. The deposition of Sarah Vaughan aged 39 years sayth That what the aboved depon't deposeth this depon't deposeth the same and further this depon't taxed John Evans for raiseing a false report for reporting Morgan Jones now liveing should say that Morgan - - - Jones deed - - (bottom of page worn away) - -.

pages 519 and 520 missing.

page 521. Headed Com Civitat Carol June 3. 1673

page 521. Abstract. A Court at Westover 3 June 1673.

Present Mr Anthony Wyatt, Lt Coll John Epes, Coll: Rob't Wynne,
Maj'r Edward Hill, Cap't Otho: Southcott, Mr John Drayton Sen'r.

page 521. Abstract. Attachmt agt est of Jno Niblet deft in suit of Morgan Jones plt for 4000 lb tobo. Retd non inventus etc.

page 521. Abstract. David Goodale vs Wm Hunt to next Court.

page 521. Abstract. Judgt to John Steridge plt agt Thomas Balaston "marryeing the relict of Sam'l Eale deft" for 210 lb tobo due for work.

page 521. Abstract. Attachmt to Hubert Farrell agt Richard Pace for 302 lb pork and 336 lb tobo, he retd "non est inventus". Also judgt to Capt Hubert Farrell in right of Dorothy his wife, "Daughter and heyrese of her father Thomas Drew decd", for 3665 lb tobo agst Curtis Laud (or Land)
Also judgt agt Allen Jenkin for 2509 lb tobo in right of Dorothy Drew. page 522. Judgt agt Wm Smith for 854 lb tobo in same right.

page 522. Abstract. A balance on a bill of Tho Capell to be pd by Nicholas Mozier, who married the relict of Capell, payable to the estate of Tho: Drew, now to be pd by Capt Hubert Farrell who me the dau and heir of Tho: Drew.

page 522. Abstract. Judgt to James Minge Clerk of this Court agst Thomas Hill for attending a Court for dispatch of "Maratine affayres called by request of the sd Hill".

pages 522-3. Abstract. Power of Atty. 20 Nov 1672. John Sadleir and Thomas Quiney to Thomas Blayton merchant of Martins Brandon, in Va., to dispose of "our plantacons called Martins brandon in James River and Merchants hope in Virga in parts beyond the seas". The properties to be leased for 11 years.

Wit:

Signed John Sadleir

John Rudd

Thomas Quiney

John Hall

John Richards

Proved in Court by oaths of Rudd and Richards. Test Jas. Minge, C.C.

page 524. Headed Com Civitat Carol June 3. 1673

page 524. To the Worp' his Ma'ts Justices of Charles Citty Com The peticon of Thomas Blanton Humbly sheweth

That Mr David Jones by his will left John Jones and what estate he had to your peticon'r till he came to the age of seaventeen and then to have what he left him into his owne hands. Which will your peticon'r hath performed in dellivering to him what his grand father left him. Now so it is that your pet'r is informed that he has dellivered it in his owne wrong notwithstanding the will, therefore your pet'r humbly craveth that for his honest meaning he may not be damnified either that he may be now cleared or that he may have it till John Jones comes to age and he is in duty bound shall ever

Uppon this peticon This Court are of opinion that the will of David Jones should and ought to be kept invyolable

page 524. Abstract. Jane Clarke an orphan lately bound to Cornelius Clemants who is since deed to be continued to the widow. Her estate to be rendered to her at the end of her time, etc.

page 524. Abstract. Judgt "by nihil divit" to Wm Irby agt Roger Grene for 740 lb tobo.

page 524. Abstract. Entry states that a bargain of sale is endorsed on the back of a deed from Cesar Walpole to Dorrell Young recorded 3 Aug 1671. That Dorrill Young and Annes his wife assign to Richd Dodd, for 4000 lb tobo, all land within mentioned, sold by Cesar Walpole and Elizabeth his wife to sd Young. Dated 3 June 1673. Wit: John Cogan Signed Dorrill Young

John Drayton Annes X Young
Dorrill Young and Annes his wife appear in Court, on the date above

and surrender the land in the deed to Richard Dodd

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page 525, Abstract. Wm Duke and Hannah his wife, admrx of Wm Bird decd, bring action of debt agst Tho Meriton on a bill of 454 lb tobo. Meriton produces a bill for Sheriff's fees due him from Bird and is dismissed from the suit.

page 525. Abstract. Jno Rudd sues Nevit Wheeler for a bal on a/c. Wheeler protests as having offered paymt.

page 526. Abstract. The Clerk ordered to prosecute Nevet Wheeler, Capt Wm Rawlison and Thomas Mudgett for makeing an affray in the face of the Court.

page 526. Abstract. Prob of will of George Marshall of Martins Brandon parish, deceased to Ann relict and extrx.

page 526. Abstract. Hubert Farrell vs Nicholas Wyatt to next Court.

page 526. Abstract. Judgt to Richd Pryse agt Charles Webb 519 lb tobo.

page 526. Abstract. Wm Hunt ord to pay William Wragg "for setting up a weare for Mr Bland".

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present Mr Anthony Wyatt, Lt Coll Epes, Collo Wynne, Ma'r Hill,
Capt Southcott, Mr Bisse, Mr Clarke, Capt Poythres.

page 526. William Carver servant to Thomas Blackbird is adjudged by this Court tenn yeares of age.

page 527. Abstract. Ann Clements ord to pay Hachaleah Horner 2 cows, he having pd for them.

page 527. Abstract. Judgt to Henry Isham atty of Daniel Deheart agst Thomas Roe for 412 1b tobo.

page 527. Abstract. Case of defanatory words brought by Lt Coll John Epes agst John Black and Mary his wife to next Court. "it appeares the sd Mary to be of a vyolent spiritt and given to ill language" and that Black behaved himself insolently to the Court. They to remain in sheriff's custody.

page 527. The Deposicon of Peter Symmons aged about 31 yeares Sayth That Lt Coll Epes goeing downe to the lower end of the Island to lay out his land marks desired me to goe along with him to see it done, and putting upp of the land markes. John Blak's wife did remove them as fast as they were sett upp: Whereuppon Lt: Collo: said to Black's wife beware what you doe lest you bring the strapado on your back, whereuppon shee vyolently and

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undecently called the Lt: Coll: Raskall, whelp and puppy and further the depont sayth not

Peter X Symons

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Francis Epes junr aged about 27 years Examined sayth the verry same words as above expressed

Fran: Epes

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page 528. Headed Com Civitat Carol June 4. 1673

page 523. Abstract. Case of John Tucker atty of Reginall Tucker agst Stephen Hamelin concerning goods sold referred to next April Court on account of absence of Thomas Chamberlin who can clear up the matter. Also the same in case agst Abraham Hamelin.

page 528. Abstract. Lengthy impeachment by the Cleark of Nevet Wheeler, Thos Mudgett and Capt Wm Rollinson for fighting in the face of the Court. That they "did vyolently make an assault" upon the persons of Capt John Rudd and his Doctor James Tubb. Wheeler and Mudgett confess the indictment and submit to the clemency of the Court. Capt Rollinson having only endeavored to part the affrayers is acquitted. Wheeler is fined 1000 lb tobo. Mudgett to give surety for his good behavior.

Seven depositions are entered in the record concerning this affair. They are all summed up in the deposition of Anthony Wyatt Junior which is given below. He seems to have seen it all. The names and ages of the others follow:

page 529.	Rowland Place aged about 35 yeares	Sworn	3	June	1673
	John Turberville aged about 24 yeares	11	3	17	ŧŧ
	Sarah Scriven agod about 29 yeers	17	3	11	11
	Margaret Baxter aged about 25 yeers	11	3	17	tt
page 530	Roger Newham aged about 32 yeares	11	4	11	11
	Anthony Wyatt jun'r (see below)	11	4	19	tt
	Morris Burcher aged about 37 yeeres	11	4	11	11

page 530. The Deposicon of Anthony Wyatt jun'r aged about 25 yeeres Sayth

That he did see M'r Wheeler and Mr Rudds passe together out of the Court and jousling one the other when they came forth, alsoe the Doctor of Rudds came forth with them and sayd to Wheeler (who was then giveing the said Doctor a push) you foole why doe you push me; And Rudds said to Wheeler your tobacco was naught and the Doctor will prove it, with that the said Wheeler said the Doctor was a foole the Doct'r replyed Wheeler was an asse whereuppon Wheeler gave him a flurt in the face with the back of his hand with that Rudds with his left hand gave Wheeler a blow on the face and with a cudgett in his right hand struck him on the head, whereuppon Wheeler pushed away the Doctor Collored Rudds, and struck him and soe they fought; Rudds was throwne and bloody and soe were parted and Rudds came into Court and complained and this Depon't further further sayth not

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page 531. Headed Com Civitat Carol June 4 1673

page 531. Abstract. Nonsuit to James Bisse agt Thos. Morgan.

page 531. St Iago Possemento and Samuell Hillman verry poore and impotent men are dispensed withall from paym't of Levys till such time as they shall be of abillity

page 531. Abstract. The pet'n of Wm Harrison sen'r to be released from security for orphans estates in hands of Jno Ludwell to next Court, where Ludwell is ordered to bring security.

page 531. Abstract. The Malory one of the exers of Thes Bridges ordered to "delliver one Gunn unto John Gillham".

page 531. Abstract. Wm Duke and Hannah his wife, relict and admrx of Wm Bird dec'd to put in security for sd admr, exhibit inventory, etc. Also appointed guardian for her daughter Elizabeth one of the orphans of Wm Bird decd and ordered to put in security for her part of the estate. Also that Nevet Wheeler guardian of Thomas Bird one of the orphans of Wm Bird put in security.

page 531. Abstract. John Black and his wife released upon paying fees.

page 531. The Deposicon of John Turberfield (sic) aged about 24 yeeres

Sayth That about four months since this depon't hapned to be at Major Hills howse with Mr Pleasant and being in his kitchen talkeing with Ellen servant to the sd Maj'r Hill about her shipmates did heare the sd Ellen say that ther was a child found dead in Mr Knowles his Mayds apron on bord the shipp. And further sayth not John X Turbervill (sic)

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page 531. The Deposicon of Jane Davison aged about 26 yeares Sayeth That about Christmas last this Depon't was ar Maj'r Hills house where shee did heare Ellen his servant say that none came into Virginia but such as came out of Newgate or Bridewell for Murder or theevery and shee further said that shee was sorry shee came in for that it would be thought shee was as bad as any but shee thought that none except herselfe that were honest ever came in. And this Depon't further sayth sometime after being at Roger Rawlins house shee did heare Rawlins wife say that ther were three seamen at their house who reported that Ellen afforsd should have been hanged in England but that shee was with child and that she came aboard with child but they knew not what became of it: Wheruppon Margaret Baxter being present, called wittnes on those words, and further this Depon't sayth not

Jane X Davison

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page 532. Abstract. Nonsuit to Henry Presson agt Phill Lymbry. Richd Spencer failing to appear as witness fined 350 lb tobo.

page 532. The following actions to next Court on account of indisposition of several of the jurors. Wheeler vs Duke, Mudgett vs Duke, Blayton vs Osburn, Blayton vs Scriven, Blayton vs Duke. Also Moris Rose vs Wm Rollinson to next Court. The Court adj to 4th August next.

page 532. Abstract. Long entry regarding ordinary at Westover. Capt Edw Hill proposes to lease new building there for 21 years, the Court not to be removed from Westover for that term and no other to have license to keep an ordinary on North side of river during this time. This proposition accepted 28 Nov. 1672. Signed as foll:

Robert Wynne

Anthony Wyatt

John Drayton sen'r Francis Poythres

John Epes Nicholas Wyatt Thomas Malory
Danl Clarke

James Bisse

Thomas Epes

page 533. Abstract. At a Court at Westover 4 August 1673.

Present. Mr Antho: Wyatt, Lt Coll John Epes, Collo Robt Wynn,
Majr Edw Hill, Capt Otho Southcott, Mr John Drayton, Capt Nich'o
Wyatt, Mr Thomas Epes, Capt Franc Poythres.

page 533. Abstract. John Rudds vs John Cogan to next Court. Suit of Mr Antho: Wyatt agst Thomas Meriton to be audited by Col. Robt Wynne and reported to next Court.

Also Capt Nicho Wyatt, Mr John Drayton senr and Mr Jas Bisse to meet at house of Mrs Francis Drew on 20th, hear dif betw Georg Spencer and Rowland Place and also Geo: Spencer agst Robt Rous and report to next Court.

page 533. Abstract. Judgt to Antho: Wyatt agst Francis Poythres atty of Jas Halladay for pmt of 4 gal rum due by testimony of Robt Wynne.

page 534. Abstract. Deed. 7 August 1671. Nicholas Perry and wife Elizabeth sell Elias Osborn 100 acres in Martins Brandon parish. Bounded on N by Shorts Creek, East along Chipoake Creek, S on land of Nicho Perry and W into the woods.

Wit:

Signed Nicholas N Perry

Stephen X Coleman

Thomas X Heyard

Perry appears and acks deed. Test James Minge C1 Cur. On back of deed Perry to Orborne an assignmt from Elias Osborne to Joseph Osborne (no relationship shown in this entry) D. 15 Jan 1671/2.

Wit: Ralph Poole Signed Elias Osborne

Sarah Scriven

page 535. Abstract. Robt Wynne and Nicho Wyatt to meet at Martins Brandon, examine witnesses and prepare for trial the case of John Sadlier and Tho Quiney by Tho Blayton their atty agst Wm Duke and Hannah his wife admrx of Wm Bird dec'd.

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page 535. Abstract. John Ludwell ord to bring security for all orphans estates in his hands.

page p35. Court aj till afternoon (4th Aug 1673)

page 535. Present. Mr Anthony Wyatt, Lt Coll Epes, Coll Wynne, Capt Southcott, Mr Drayton, Capt Wyatt, Mr Tho Epes.

page 535. Abstract. Capt Nicho: Wyatt reports the following for concealing tythables. Wm Duke 5. Thos Stevenson 3. Tho Stoner 3.

page 535. Abstract. Nevet Wheeler atty of Richd Bullard agst Georg Lee for 24 fox, deer and racoon skins dismissed, Bullard having released Lee.

page 535. Abstract. Nonsuit to Capt Wm Rollinson agt Morris Rose.

page 536. Page headed Com Civitat Carol Aug. 4. 1673.

page 536. Abstract. Coll Tho Liggon and James Minge surveyors to settle dif betw Wm Harrison Jr and Wm Wilkins by agreemt betw them.

page 536. Abstract. Judgt to Wm Harrison Jr agst Jno Stith atty of Capt Jno Rudds for 171 1b tobo due for 10 pair oars.

page 536. Abstract. Attachmt by Tho Low agst estate of Nicholas Braddock on 7 bu salt and 2 chests val at 400 lb tobo.

page 536. Abstract. Power of atty. 7 July 1673. Mr Jno Rudds commander of the ship Hopewell to John Stith to collect debts, etc. Signed John Rudds. Witnessed by Ja: Tubb and William x Smith.

page 537. Abstract. Judgt to Jno Stith agst Jno Jones 453 1b tobo.

page 537. Abstract. Capt Wm Rolinson presents Nevet Wheeler and Tho Blayton in place of Morris Rose as security for est of the orphan of Charles Sparrow.

page 537. Abstract. In dif betw David Goodale and Wm Hunt concerning a "tenem't of Buckland called Cedar poynt", dismissed. Also Gabriell Harison vs Thos Stanly for work dismissed.

page 538. Headed Com Civitat Carol August 4 1673.

page 538. Abstract. A jury awards 600 lb tobo to James Minge Clerk of the County in suit agst Ralph Poole for defamation, Poole having said Minge issued a false order against him. The names of the jurors: James Wallaer (possibly Walluer) foreman, William Duke, Robt Lucy, John Harwood, James Binford, John Turner, Wm Edmunds, Henry Presson, Richard Pryse, John Ludwell, Joseph Osburne, Robert Hix. Poole appeals to the Genl Court.

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page 538. Abstract. Francis Rey requests that the wills of Henry and Ann Tame be recorded.

Abstract. The will of Henry Tame. Dated 21 Feb 1671/2. To wife Ann Tame 1/2 of estate. To son Francis Tame 1/2 of estate. He under 21. They failing in heirs "my estate unto my well beloved friend Francis Rey. Signed Henry x Tame. Witnesses John Niblett, Haince x Harman. Abstract. The will of Ann Tame. Dated 9 July 1673. "if my loveing husband Henry Tame be dead or never come againe", all estate to Francis Rea. Signed Ann x Tame. Witnesses Wm Badger, Joseph Osborne.

page 540. Abstract. Thos Mudgett assigns all right in a pyed cow to Frances - (left blank in original record) -. Dated 19 Nov. 1672. Signed Thomas Mudgett. Witnessed by Richard x Ward, Ann x Tame.

page 540. Abstract. Thos Ashwign having 'truck'd' with a servant of Thos Mallory for a coat contrary to Act against dealing with servants, Mr Tho Epes and Danl Malone to value the coat and Ashwign to pay Mallory fourfold the value.

page 540. Abstract. James Wallace enters himself security for orphans estates in hands of John Ludwell

page 541. Headed Com Civitat Carol August 5. 1673.

Present. Mr Anth: Wyatt, Lt Coll John Epes, Collo Wynn, Capt South-cott, Mr Drayton, Capt Fr: Poythres.

page 541. Abstract. Jno Black and his wife Wound for appearance L 20. Sterl. Nevet Wheeler and Thos Mudgett also bound.

page 541. Thos Blayton brings suit agt Elias Osborne for "a malicious interest to defame and ruine the plt". Referred to a Jury.

James Wallace foreman, John Turner, Charles Webb, Richard Shute, William Edmunds, Henry Presson, John Harwood, John Marshall, Phill: Lymbrey, Wm Wilkins, Richard Jones and Roger Grene.

The jury finds for the Deft. Blayton appeals to the Genl Court "for that one James Binford x one of the jurors x was before the charge was fully given to the jurors, putt forth and Charles Webb sworne in his steed".

page 542. By the Court. Binford dureing the tryall between Blayton plt and Osborne Deft, being found non compos mentis was putt from the Jury and in his steed Charles Webb was sworne.

page 542. Abstract. Elias Osborne reports Thomas Blayton in Court for hogstealing.

page 542. Judgt to Isaac Tatem agt Morgan Jones for 200 lb tobo for himself and wife as witnesses in dif betw Jones and Jno Niblett. Also judgt to Jno Smith 200 lb tobo for same.

page 542. Abstract. Phillip Lymbrey vs Henry Presson to next Court. Also Presson vs Lymbrey to next Court.

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page 542. Abstract. Nonsuit to John Harwood agst Wm Wilkins "the matter of accon being beneath the cognizance of the Court".

page 542. Abstract. The parish of Martinbrandon to pay Charles Webb for nursing a bastard child belonging to Frances - (left blank in original record) - servit of Mr Blayton.

page 543. Abstract. John Harwood sues Wm Wilkins for assault and battery. The Jury: James Wallace foreman, Tho Mudgett, Nevet Wheeler, Charles Webb, John Turner, Roger Grene, John Marshall, Wm Edmunds, Henry Presson, Richard Jones, Richard Shute, Phillip Lymbrey. The jury finds for the deft. Wm Wilkins sues John Harwood and his wife for assault and battery. The jury, as above, finds for the deft.

page 543. Abstract. Thomas Blayton vs Sarah Scriven to next Court "uppon an avisare volumis".

page 543. Abstract. Petition of Elizabeth Rivers "Sheweth That it hath been her misfortune to entermarry with one William Rivers a person of a loose conversacon, that hath taken no care of your petr's support or mainteynance but hath most unkindly left her and absented himselfe out of this Com the place of his abode leaveing your pet'r in a verry helplesse condition". That she has her own inheritance of land in Weynoke parish, but being "undercovert" cannot dispose of it. Asks releif. This granted by the Court.

page 544. Abstract. License to Lt Coll Jno Epes to entertain an Indian.

page 544. Abstract. An Orphans Court at Westover 15 Sept 1673. Present. Mr Antho: Wyatt, Lt Col Jno Epes, Majr Edw Hill, Capt Otho Southcott, Capt Nicho: Wyatt, Mr James Bisse, Mr Jno Drayton senr, Mr Dan'll Clarke.

page 544. Capt Nich'o Wyat prooved Right to 200 acres of land for the importation of Thomas Sena, John Bullard, William King and Thos: Ireland.

page 544. Abstract. Prob of will of Jno Tatem of Martinbrandon par to Elizabeth his relict and extrx named in the will.

page 544. Abstract. Prob of will of Thomas Gillnut to - (left blank in original record) - his wife and extrx named in the will.

page 544. Abstract. Order that James Wallace deliver to Thomas Goodgar (sic) "one botten pettycoate, three barrells of corne and a heyfarr" in right of Elizabeth his wife the orphan of - (left blank in original record) - Ramsey.

page 544. Abstract. Com of admr of est of Robt Potter deed Which is unadministered uppon" to Mr Antho: Wyatt sen'r. Capt Nicho: Wyatt and Capt Otho Southcott securities.

page 545. Headed Com Civitat Carol September 15. 1673.

page 545. Abstract. Cuthbert Williams producing a bill of Jno Lowman of 1350 lb tobo payable to Jno Bishopp and by him tfrd to Wm Clarke late deed. Lowman having pd the bill to Bishopp it is cancelled.

page 545. Abstract. Order that Jno Stith admr of Wm - (the original blotted, may be 'Clarke dec'd') pay to Cuthbert Williams, Henry Rogers and Mrs Clements the estate and portions of the children of the dec'd "who are in the custody of the sd Wm Rogers and Clements".

page 545. Abstract. Order that Wm Bushell deliver to Elizabeth and Sarah the daughters of Jane his wife, who was the relict of - (left blank in the original) - Cartwright, each of them a cow and calf "in satisfacon of a cow and their increase given them by a deed of Joseph Clarkes vide orphans Booke fo: 35".

page 545. Abstract. Ann the relict of Cornelius Clements has pd Jno Eales 9473 lb tobo for judgt obtained in right of Eales' wife agt Cornelius Clements.

page 545. Abstract. John Wilkinson servit to The Morgan dismissed from suit for running away. Not proven.

page 545. Abstract. Jno Royster, Cuthbert Williamson, John Cordell and Noell Hutchin to appraise est of Cornelius Clements before Oct Court. Otho Southcott to swear them.

page 545. Abstract. Receipt. 3 June 1673. From Richd Pace 2 cows, 2 iron pots and 1 chair table. Signed John x Tane. Witnessed by John Drayton junr, Peter x Read. Recorded by James Minge Cl Cur.

page 545. Abstract. Order that James Wallace deliver to Thomas Goodgan (or Goodgar) a gun due him in right of Elizabeth his wife.

page 545. Abstract. The petn of Richd Rawlins to be heard next Court.

page 546. Abstract. A Court at Westover 3 Oct 1673.

Present Mr Antho Wyatt, Lt Coll John Epes, Majr Edw Hill, Capt
Otho Southcott, Mr Jno Draper senr, Capt Nich: Wyatt, Mr Danl Clarke.

page 546. Abstract. Action of debt by Jno Cogan agst Jno Fletcher to next Court.

page 546. Abstract. Judgt to Jno Cogan agst John Black for 800 lb tobo "for physick and chirurgery" admr to William Garwood and Mary his relict now wife of the deft.

page 546. Abstract. Deed. 1 Oct 1673. Jehn Barker junr of the par of Southwark in Surry Virginia, planter, sells to John Barker the elder, all right in 75 acres in Martinbrandon par. "Whereas George Marshall late of Martinsbrandon in Charles citty Com planter dec'd

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was in his lifetime possessed x x which the said George Marshall purchased of the widdow and heyre of one John Barker deed and being so possessed the said Georg Marshall by his last will, x dated the nineteenth Day of March 1672, did give x to Ann his wife all his land goods and chattells to her and her heyres forever as by the sd will proved in the County Court of Charles citty may appear soone after the makeing of which will the said Georg Marshall departed this life possessed of the plantacon afforsd, And the said Ann hath since marryed with John Barker the elder of the afforsaid parish of Southwark planter since which marriage the said John Barker the elder and Ann his wife by a certeine writeing x dated the second day of September now last past did x sell x unto me the said John Barker the younger x the afforsd plantacon". etc.

Wit: Signed John Barker Jun'r

Wm Sherwood

Elizabeth x Hickman

page 548. Abstract. Judgt to Tho: Blayton atty of John Salteir and Thos Quiney agst Thos Stevenson for 900 lb tobo.

page 548. Abstract. Entry faded and blotted. Subject to correction.
" - - uppon a - - - forth by Sarah Harris administratrix of Georg
Harris dec'd against Roger Grene uppon a judgmt for 2860 lb tobo and
casq - - against him Decemb. 4. 1671

page 548. Abstract. "Ralph Poole for profane abearing within the Court house" to the custody of the sherr.

page 548. Abstract. Action of debt Rollison vs Row to next Court.

page 548. Court adjourned till the afternoone

page 548. presentibus ut ante and Mr Bisse and Capt Poythres
Mr Drayton absent

page 548. John Parrish a verry poore sickly person being discharged from payeing levies in his parish of Weynoke is hereby released from other the public leavys for this yeare

page 548. Abstract. The Lowe's attachmt agt Bradocks est to next Court.

page 548. Abstract. Judgt to John Hamlin agst Curtis Laud (or Land) for 6 days attendance of his people as evidences in dif betw Laud plt and Havly deft. This name appears as Laud elsewhere but certainly as Land here. Also judgt to Hamlin agt Henry Blanks for 2 days attendance as evidence betw him and Parrish at 40 lb per day, 80lb.

page 548. Abstract. Nonsuit to Elias Osborne agst Thos Blayton.

page 548. Abstract. Judgt to Thos Strong agst David Goodall for 5 days attendance as evidence for him agt Wm Hunt, 200 lb tobo.

page 548. Abstract. Judgt to Wm Irby agt Tho Cook for 200 1b tobo.

page 549. Abstract. Power of Atty. 3 Oct 1673. Sarah Harris admrx of Geo Harris deed to Tho: Grendon to collect debts. Signed Sarah Harris. Test James Minge.

page 549. Abstract. Petn of Richd Rawlins and Jno Witt to next Court that Coll Wynn may give the Court some light on the matter.

page 549. Abstract. Judgt to Mary Ledbeter agt Tho: Walton for 1000 lb tobo "for accomodacon cloathing and levyes expended x for deft."

page 549. Abstract. Richd Wright servt to Daniell Clark to serve 3 years from 29th Sept last past for running away.

page 549. Abstracts. Judgt to Wm Harrison agt Adam Taply 102 lb tobo due by bill. Judgt to Adam Taply agt Wm Harrison junr for 1 bu corn and 1 days work.

page 549. Abstracts. "John Black for laying hands on John Coggan (in the Court and Coggan appearing bloody in the nose)" committed till he give sec for good behavior. Also: "John Coggan for an assault made by him on John Black by pulling him by the hayre of the head in the Court and other rudeness com'ited in the face of the Court" fined 500 lb tobo and committed till he give sec for good behavior.

page 550. Abstract. Deposition of Tho: Stoner aged 40 years. That being in company with Jno Sadleir and Tho Quiney of London they said they desired no work of the tenants at Martin Brandon. etc. The deposition of William Savadge aged 38 years or thereabouts says he heard Sadleir and Quiney say they desired no work at Martin Brandon "for it did proffitt them noething". Dated Oct 3. 1673. Test James Minge Cl Cur.

page 550. Abstract. A Court at Westover 4 October 1673.

Present. Lt Coll Jno Epes, Majr Edw Hill, Capt O Southcott, Mr John Drayton, Capt N. Wyatt, Mr Dan Clarke, Capt Fran: Poythres.

page 550. Abstract. Jno Black failing to appear excused a/c sickness.

page 550. Abstract. George Spencer vs Rowland Place to next Court on account of absence of plt and Mr Bisse.

page 550. Abstract. Action brought by John Stith plt - balance of entry faded and worn away.

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Abstract

Long entry. Page mutilated. Refers to a pink or ship "young William", Andrew Blake two third part owner. The complainant, who being a stranger in this country, is unable to contribute further to the necessities of a voyage, seamens supplies, etc. That he addressed himself to the Governor and Council at their session in James City of 4 May 1681, praying that the ship and cargo be appraised and some part disposed of. Capt Bartholomew Clements and Capt Robert Morris were appointed to value the ship. That Andrew Blake, owner, at a Court held at Charles Towne for Charles City County on 3rd of June 1681, reported the matter. That Clements was ready but "that Capt Morris having businesse of great urgency, being upon a voyage to Accamack could not attend the same", etc. Torn part of entry refers to Capt John Hamlin as being one to now meet and confirm valuation.

Abstract. Wm Dobson conf judgt to Capt Wm Randolph atty of Mr Euse: King for 800 lb tobo.

Abstract. James Jubb vs Mrs Sarah Bland Exrx of John Bland to next Court.

Abstract. Richd Walker in December 1678 abtained judgt agst Meryday Davis for 100 lb tobo. Davis summoned to show reason why not paid.

Abstract. Mr Henry Burfoot vs Charles Rutland admr of John Rutland to next Court. Also Dr John Cogan vs Rutland to next Court.

Abstract. In his petition Meryday Davis states that an account for smith's work, done by him for Mr Giles Bland and others At Berkeley, is in a little trunk containing all of Mr Bland's papers. The trunk in custody of Mr John Everitt at Mr Armigers. The papers can be examined by order to Col White and Mr Armiger from the Governor and Council. These gentlemen desired to search for the account and submit it or a copy to a Court to be held for Charles City County on the 3rd of August.

Abstract. Entry mutilated. The names Capt Robt Lucy, Lt James Wallace and Rice Pritchett appear. Also John Drayton junr and Adam Taply. Also the sentences "Wallis complaining that the sd Pritchett hath thretned to shoot or" and "violence to such persons as shall com upon the Land to prosecute". Fragments show that Lt James Wallis and Mr Tho Douglis meet to carry out order and that the high sheriff accompany them if need be.

Abstract. Rice Pritchet by Wm Harrison his atty conf. judgt to Capt Wm Randolph atty for Euseb: King for 32 shillings Sterl. "Exd x x 1681" appears in the margin.

Abstract. Joseph Osborne plt vs Ralph Poole deft. Dispute over an account. Judgt to plt for 1 hhd tobo.

Abstract. Judgt to Thos Sowerby agt Richd Hide for 757 lb tobo bal on a/c. "Execu x x 1681" entered in margin.

Abstract. Edwd Greenwood sues Henry Armstrong "for severall shoes which ought to have been paid in Ausust last and was not although demanded, the deft confesseth the debt and tenders the shoes in Court". The debt cancelled.

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Coll'o Hill
Lt Col'o Clark Capt Llewellin)
Majr Poythres Capt Batt) Justices
Mr Drayton Mr Netherland)

Abstract. - Osborne formerly obtained judgt agst Rebecca Giles for 100 lb tobo. Judgt renewed.

Abstract. Entry stained. Appears to be nonsuit to Wm Robts against - Allen for nonappearance.

Abstract. Entry stained. Appears to be Wm - (possibly Thompson) hath judgt agt Edward Jones "for work done for the sd Jones by Wm Thompson decest" for 160 lb tobo due by a/c.

Abstract. Judgt to Capt Robt Lucy atty of Barnebey Kerney agst Adam Jay who was retd 'non est inventus'.

Abstract. Judgt agst the sheriff in suit of Edward Jordan plt agst Jonas Liscum "for his wifes portion out of the Estate of her Father", Liscum not appearing, etc.

Abstract. Rebecca Giles brings suit agst John Smith for defamation.

Abstract. Last entry, torn. "- - vs Phillip Jermans df't Reff'd to the next Court".

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page 1 (modern numbering)
Abstract. Wm Wilkins vs Jno Bishop to Mr Henry Harman and Mr Wm Harrison to audit and report. Also Judgt to Wm Wilkins agt Capt James Bisse high sherr for this Co for nonapp of Sam: Ocakes for 40 pair of men's shoes. (The name Ocakes possibly 'Weakes')

page 1. Abstract. Jno Dobey vs Jane Cogill dismissed.

page 1 Abstract. Judgt to Tho Harrison agt Capt Jas. Bisse high sherr for nonapp of James Sabeker for 780 lb tobo. Also Judgt to Lidia Newell agst the Sherr for nonapp of John Bell for 490 lb tobo.

page 1 Abstract. John Bell enters Jno Eberwitt as his atty.

page 1. Abstract. Rice Pritchett to have liberty to turn the road some small distance from his house.

page 1. Abstract. Attachmt to Tho Blighton (Blaton) agt est of John Good for 1600 lb tobo. Also to Blighton as assignee of Godfrey Sprewell for 400 lb tobo. Good retd non est inventus.

page 1. Abstract. Sylvanus Stoakes and Harman Bosman to appraise Geo: Churchill's est and Maj Stith to swear them.

page 2. Headed December 1685.

page 2. Abstract. Capt Robt Lucy vs Capt Nicho: Wyatt to Major John Stith to adjust a/cs and report.

page 2. Abstract. Judgt to James Denson (or Dawson) agt the sherr for nonapp of Abrah Storey for 300 lb tobo.

page 2. Abstract. Jas Tutthill vs Cha: Bartholomew dismissed. Also Robt Harwood vs James Thigpen dismissed. Also Pr. Barber vs John Chapman dismissed. Also Pr. Barber vs Xipher Hinton dismissed. Also Wm Symons vs Tho Harmison dismissed.

page 2. Abstract. Cha: Bartholomew assignee of Jno Cogan plt vs James Munford trustee to the estate of Robt Wyatt dec'ed referred to the next Court and then the defts to bring in an exact accoitt of the decedits estate.

page 2. Abstract. Attachmt to Jno Barker as marrying Dorothy the daughter of Sam: Eal agt the estate of Jonah Liscombe for value of one heifer and her increase with costs.

page 3. Abstract. Dorcas wife of Joseph Day appears and renounces rights in land sold by her husband to Edwd Phillipps.

page 3. Abstract. Attachmt to Capt Nicho: Wyatt agt Francis Seele for 600 lb tobo upon ret of non est inventus.

page 3. Abstract. "Ino Gallose hath turned Mathew Russhin out of doores the Orphin of Mathew Russhin decied and otherwise evilly intreated him". At orphans request John Wallis appid guardian.

page 3. Abstract. James Blaymore exhibits certificate for taking up a runaway negro servt to John Williams.

page 3. Capt Batte here

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By 814 tythables in this County at 31 per poll page 4. Abstract. Capt James Bisse high sherr for C.C.Co., impowered to collect above.	25551

page 4. Abstract. Charges of several cases tried in the Genl Court for Capt Wm Archer to be pd from his estate.

page 4. John Epes hath liberty to lay out his Fathers land according to his Fathers will and Mr Minges is requested to survey the same.

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page 4. Adj to 3rd Feb at Westever. Test H Davis D Cl Cur

Page 5. Abstracts. The Parker of this Co publisheth his intent of departure of this Country. The Shaw publisheth his departure out of Virginia.

page 5. Entered in margin "Capt Lewellin come"

page 5. Abstract. Fra: Lord by Lancellott Batthurst his atty confjudgt to Capt Wm Randolph assignee of Isaac Williams for 3000 lb tobo per bill dated 16 June 1685 and for 766 lb tobe by bill dated 27 June 1685.

page 5. Abstract. Judgt to Henry Gawler as marrying Katherine late relict and one of the exors of George Marable decd against Henry Burton for 428 lb tobe according to bill dated 11 March 1675/6.

page 5. Abstract. Judgt to Mr Ben Harrison agt Capt Jas Bisse high sherr for nonapp of John Hunt, for 490 lb tobo.

page 6. Abstract. Certificate that there is due to James Urwin 800 acres for importing himself 16 times into this colony. Rights assigned to Mr James Blair Clke.

page 6. Abstract. Mr Tho: Cocke admr of Wm Crabb deed vs Rowland Place Esqr to next Court. Mr James Minge Clk of this Co to have amended declaration.

page 6. Abstract. Com of admr jointly to Maj Fran: Poythres and Mr Peter Read on est of Anne Young decd. Est to be equally div betw orphans of dec'd. Maj Poythres and Mr Robt Bolling give bond L 60. Sterl. Mr Peter Read and Mr John Jean give bond in same amt.

page 7. Abstract. Judgt to Mr Richd Kennon in behalf of Messrs Wm Paggen and Company plt agst James Munford as trustee to the estate of Robert Wyatt deed deft, for 400 lb tobe, according to specialty exhibited under hand and seal of dec'ed dated 5 July 1684.

page 7. Abstract. Judgt to Jno Rudds agst est of Robt Wyatt deed for 392 lb tobo.

page 7. Abstract. Mr James Munford as trustee to the estate of Robt Wyatt decd submits a/c to val of 5844 lb tobo for paymts. The estate val at 5740 lb tobo. The Court deducts 600 lb from the a/c as "too rigerous a charge" on the part of Munford.

- page 8. Abstract. James Callum vs Jo: Day to next Court.
- page 8. Abstract. Mr Robt Netherland reports John Goodman, taylor, for having "lately begotten a bastard child".
- page 8. Abstract. Mr John Good to submit a/c of est of Nevett Wheeler decd. Orphans to abide with Mr Good for time being.
- page 8. Abstract. Tony a stray negro to live with Maj Fran: Poythres.
- page 9. Abstract. Judgt to Col Edw Hill agt sherr for non app of John Hood, for 538 lb tobo. Also attachmt to Capt Robt Lucy agt est of Capt Robt Morris for 4000 lb tobo. Also nonsuit to Capt Robt Lucy agt James Thigpen. Also Thos Coston sub sherr of this Co to pay James Denson 300 lb tobo if Abraham Storey does not app at next Court to answer suit. Also judgt to Tho Shaw agt Capt Jas Bisse high sherr 400 lb tobo for nonapp of Mer: Davis. Also Mer: Davis vs Jas Cooper dismissed, neither appearing.
- page 10. Abstract. Jno Tucker ord to serve Mr Jno Good full time.
- page 10. Abstract. All persons ordered to pay his estate to Joseph Clarke, orphan of Lt Coll Dan: Clarke of Weynoke, he now at full age.
- page 10. Abstract. Judgt to James Tutthill agt Charles Bartholomew for 1091 lb tobo. Also judgt to Wm Harrison agt est of Robt Wyatt for 400 lb tobo by bill dated 31 March 1683/4 and "also for one pair of Mens French Fall shoes in the sd bill". Also judgt to Coll Edw Hill agt the sherr for 1443 lb tobo for nonapp of Tho Harnison. Also attachmt to Ben Foster agt est of Robt Abernathy for 200 lb tobo on ret of non est inventus.
- page 11. Mutilated. Entry shows the name Randall Mattnoke.
- page 11. Abstract. Attachmt continued to Jno Everitt on the est of Bernard Sykes deed plt agt est of Jno Pye for 832 lb tobo. Also to Jno Everitt assignee of Wm Irby agt est of Pye for 346 lb tobo.
- page 11. Abstract. Judgt to Walter Shipley agt est of John Draiton deed for 370 lb tobo by bill dated 13 May 1681.
- page 12. Abstract. Entry refers to an audit presented by -j Harrison, Mr Peter Field and Mr Eusebius -, in dif betw Rowland Place plt and Wm Crabb deft. Place by his atty Mr Tho Blayton appeals to General Court. Blayton and Mr James Minge security for Place. Major John Stith for Crabb.

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page 89. Att a Court holden att Westover the third day of March 1696 Annoq Reg: Doni Rs Guiel: 3: 9.

The Justices present were Capt Daniel Lewellin Capt Charles Goodrich Mr Robert Bolling and Capt John Hamlin

page 89. Abstract. Elizabeth Peebles conf judgt to Capt Gyles Webb for L 3. 10. 00

page 89. Abstract. Judgt to Robt Simons agt The Taylor 450 lb tobe.

page 89. Abstract. Deed of Land Edmund Irby to Wm Irby to be recorded. Also Deed of Partition of Land betw James Cocke, Wm Lowe and John Butler ordered recorded.

page 89. Abstract. Ann Youll reliet of Tho: Youll vs Wm Scott dismissed.

page 89. Capt John Taylor one of the Justices now present.

page 89. Abstract. Richd Bland reports Joseph Renshaw for concealing tytheables. Renshaw not appearing judgt to Bland for 1000 lb tobo.

page 90. Abstract. Judgt to Roger Jones and Comp'a merchants of London agst Robt Bolling admr of Wm Gower decd for 3668 lb tobo by bill under Gower's hand dated 24 March 1693/4.

page 90. Abstract. Abraham Palmenteir of London, admr of Jno Feysin deed, plt vs Robert Bolling Exor of Edward Hughes deed deft, in plea of debt 54 shillings. Deft pleads he is not exor and has not admr the est. Plt says he is. Referred to next Court.

page 90. Abstract. Robt Bolling vs Thos Vinson to next Court.

page 90. Abstract. Com of admr to Benj: Foster of estate late of Thomas and Mary Hancock "both lately dyeing intestate within this County" for and in behalf of Elizabeth Hancock.

page 90. Last entry. Partly torn away and confusing. The following words appear: "Mary his wife Relict and administr'x of", "that the defts render the plt three", "Defts etc Uppon Nihil debet pleaded", "-nyel Clarke were Sworne", "-rd Lansdon acknowledg that".

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