

Therefore itt is considered by the Court here that the said plaintiffe recover against the said Defend<sup>t</sup> the said sume of Eighteene hundred pounds of tobacco debt, as also five hundred thirty six pounds of tobacco costs of suite. Liber N N

John Burridge }  
 ag<sup>t</sup> }  
 Eliza Green & } This action is continued untill next Court.  
 Tho: Potter }

Edward English } George Oldfeild late of Cecil County gent<sup>l</sup> other- P. 443  
 ag<sup>t</sup> } wise called George Oldfeild of the County of Cecil  
 George Oldfeild } was sumoned to Answere unto Edw<sup>a</sup> English of a  
 plea that he render unto him the just quantity of  
 sixteen hundred sixty & one pounds of good sound M<sup>r</sup>chantable  
 tobacco & caske which to him he oweth & unjustly detaineth

And whereupon the said Edward by Robert Ridgely his Attorney saith, that whereas the said George the seventh day of Septemb<sup>r</sup> one thousand six hundred seventy six by his certaine bill Obligatory sealed with the seale of him the said George & here in Court produced whose date is the day & yeare aforesaid, did acknowledge himselfe to be holden & firmly bounden unto the said Edward in the just quantity of sixteen hundred sixty & one pounds of good sound M<sup>r</sup>chantable tobacco & caske, to be paid to the said Edward English or to his certaine Attorney his heyres Ex<sup>rs</sup> Adm<sup>rs</sup> or assignes att or upon the tenth of Octob<sup>r</sup> next ensuing in some convenient place in the said County, To which payment well & truely to be made the said George did binde himselfe his heyres Ex<sup>rs</sup> & Adm<sup>rs</sup> firmly by those p<sup>r</sup>sents Notwithstanding which the said George the said sume of sixteen hundred & one pounds of tobacco to him the said Edw<sup>a</sup> according to the tenour of the said bill Obligatory although often thereto required hath not paid, but the same to pay hath denied & as yet doth deny, whereupon the said Edward saith he is dampnified & hath losse to the Value of two thousand five hundred pounds of tobacco & thereupon he produceth his suite

And the said George by John Jones his Attorney cometh & defendeth the force & injury when & c and prayeth liberty of speaking hereunto untill next Court & itt is granted him, the same day is given to the said Edward

Now here att this day to witt the two & twentieth day of febr<sup>y</sup> in the third yeare of the dominion of Charles Lord Baltemore & Annoq̄ Doni 1677 came the said plaintiffe by his Attorney aforesaid & offered himselfe ag<sup>t</sup> the said George in the plea aforesaid, but the said George came not but made default Therefore itt is considered by the Court here, that the said Edward English recover against the said George Oldfeild as well the said sume of sixteen hun-