

Liber N N inlargem^t out of Prison aforesaid did pay to the damage of the said Thomas six thousand p^ds of tobacco & thereupon he brings his suite

And the said Richard Hill by Robert Carville his Attorney cometh & defendeth the force & injury when &c and prayeth liberty to imparle hereunto untill next Provinciaall Court & itt is granted unto him, the same day is given to the plaintiffe also

Now here att this day to witt the Sixteenth day of October in the third yeare of the Dominion of Charles Lord Baltemore &c Annoq^o Doni 1678 came the said parties by their Attorneys aforesaid And the said Richard by his said Attorney saith, that he is in no wise guilty of the p^rmisses above by the said Thomas imposed upon him And of this he putts himselfe upon the Countrey And the plaintiffe likewise Therefore itt is comāded the Sheriffe of S^t Maryes County that he cause to come here twelve &c by whom &c And who neither &c to Recognize &c because as well &c Att w^{ch} said sixteenth day of October in the yeare aforesaid came as well the said plaintiffe as the said Defend^t by their Attorneys aforesaid And the jurors impannelled being called likewise came to witt Tho: Hedge, W^m Thomas, Henry Parker, Joseph Tilley, David Holt, John Highland, Morgan Jones, John Warren, John Hollins, Thomas Pattison, Thomas Jones & Robert Mason who being Elected tryed & Sworne to say the truth in the p^rmisses upon their Oaths doe say that the said Richard Hill is guilty of the p^rmisses above by the said Thomas imposed upon him And they asseesse the damage of the said Thomas to fifteen hundred ninety eight pounds of tobacco Therefore itt is considered by the Court here that the said Tho: Bland recover against the said Richard Hill as well the sume of ffifteene hundred ninety eight pounds of tobacco damages by the jurors aforesaid in forme aforesaid assessed As also Sixteen hundred Sixty two pounds of tobacco costs of suite And the Defend^t in mercy &c^a

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| Edward English | } |
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| James Stavely | |

p. 696 Gerard Slye } Symon Reader otherwise called Symon Reader late
 ag^t } of S^t Maries County was Sumōned to Answer unto
 Symon Reider } Gerard Slye Sheriffe of the said County in a plea
 that he render unto him the Sume of foure thousand pounds of tobacco which to him he oweth and unjustly detaineth