

The same Day Comm^d as above

John England Comp^o pl^{ty}
Edward Jones
David Dale def^t & d
plea of Debt

The Attorney for y^e pl^{ty} appeared as above &
V. J. And for y^e d^ef^t

The pl^{ty} Attorney desired his d^ef^t may be read vizt
Somerset^t J^r David Dale late of his County was attached to answer
unto John England and Comp^o in plea of Debt &

And whereupon the said John England by his Attorney Edward
Jones saith that he the said David Dale by a certain Specialty
(which is produced by the pl^{ty} Attorney here in C^o) signed with
the hand and sealed with the seal of him the said David Dale
did assume upon himselfe and promise to pay or cause to
be paid unto the said John England and Comp^o or certain
Attorney the full summe or quantity of five hundred twenty
and three pounds of good found merchantable tobacco and C^o.
the said tobacco being long since due; but he the said Dale
litter regarding his promise and Assumption has fraudulently
intending to deceive the said John England & Comp^o
of the said tobacco hath denied payment and full duty
although often demanded the pl^{ty} saith by their Attorney
Edward Jones that they are damaged and hath demanded
to the value of one thousand forty six pounds of tobacco
and hereupon brings his d^ef^t & i / i

The Specialty read vizt
Know all men by these presents that David Dale of the
County of Somerset in the Province of Maryland planter
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