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Wheareas Simon Wheaver Gent Sheriff of Kent County and made return thereof in these words Thereon Indorsed as follows Ex Corpus Simon Wheaver Sheriff. And a Deed sealed in Said Court before me signed and a Copy thereof Served thereupon according to Act of Assembly in Such Case made was exhibited Kent County ss Richard Fullstone of Kent County Cooper alias Dict Richard Fullstone of Kent County in Province of Maryland Cooper was summoned to Answer unto Dennis Sullivane of a plea that he render him the Just & full Sum of Six hundred pounds of good Sound Merchantable leaf Tobacco clear of all manner of trash and ground leaves in Cask of the value of Six pounds Sterling money which he unjustly detains &c. And thereupon the aforesaid Dennis by Thomas Perry his attorney Saith that whereas the aforesaid Richard the Twenty Second day of March Anno Domini Seventeen hundred & Fourteen at St Pauls Parish in Kent County in the Jurisdiction of this Court by his certain Bill obligatory which he the said Richard Sealed with his Seale and as his deed delivered hereinto Court brought the date whereof is the Same day & year aforesaid Bound himself to pay to the said Dennis the aforesaid Just & full Sum of Six hundred pounds of good Sound Merchantable leaf Tobacco clear of all manner of trash & ground leaves in Cask of the aforesaid value of Six pounds Sterling money Convenient in Said County or upon the tenth day of November next Ensuing the date of the said Bill Nevertheless the aforesaid Richard altho' often required the aforesaid Six hundred pounds of Tobacco to the said Dennis hath not rendered or paid but that he render or pay the said Richard further to hath denied and yet doth deny and unjustly detaine to the damage of the said Dennis twelve pounds Sterling money and thereupon he brings Suite &c. Power of Liver pd &c. Fit Doc & Rd Rec and the said Deft being called Come and the said pltff by his aforesaid Attorney says that the said Deft may give Special Bail to the aforesaid action which is granted After which Edward Scott of Said County here into Court came and Etch nowledged himself to be Special Bail in the aforesaid action that is to Say He doth undertake for the aforesaid Deft. the payment of the Debt aforesaid and Cost thereon ensuing if the said pltff shall obtaine Judgment in the said action against the said Deft. the Condemnation shall not Satisfie nor himself to