

25th January

25th day came before me Henry James and William Edwin of
St. Martin hundred planter & as knowledge is sufficient to our ears
and Leonard Calvert Esq. Lieutenant-governor of Virginia your honorable
council and the present weight of good merchandise tobacco, to be
paid unto the said Leonard Esq. for his expenses adventures or affairs
on or before the 10th day of November next. And if you shall not
so do, you your will and grace for your debts your goods and
adventures is at the said present of your honorable council and the
present weight of tobacco, shall be lent upon the lands goods and
effects of the said Henry James and William Edwin respectively
your honorable council. In witness whereof the said Henry James and
William Edwin gave unto the said Leonard Esq. his seal and
witnessed the 25th day of January 1637.

Signum
seal
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William
Edwin

Thomas Cornwallis Esq. and one of the Council of Virginia your honorable
council Esq. Anne Abney of Mathias hundred planter for that whereas
the said Anne Abney is indebted unto the said Thomas Cornwallis
in your honorable council and the present weight of good merchandise
tobacco to be paid unto the said Thomas Esq. is that the said Anne
Abney, the said Thomas, the said tobacco unto the said Thomas
Esq. was not paid, but the said Anne Abney is liable to pay the same
to the damage of the said Thomas of four hundred wt. of tobacco.
And for the said being so paid & granted your honorable council the
said Anne Abney.

The day came and appeared Anne Abney and confessed that she
doth owe the said your honorable council and five hundred wt. of tobacco unto the
said Thomas Cornwallis in manner as is alleged.

Signum Anne Abney
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in consideration of good recovery
recovery Esq. Anne Abney for the said 500 wt. of tobacco