

Case No. 9,017. MANDEVILLE ET AL. V. WASHINGTON.  
[1 Cranch, C. C. 4.]<sup>1</sup>

Circuit Court, District of Columbia.

April Term, 1801.

PRACTICE AT LAW—WRIT OF INQUIRY—PLAINTIFFS' OATH.

On a writ of inquiry the plaintiff's oath may be given in evidence of the amount of his claim.

On writ of inquiry. [Suit by Mandeville & Jamieson against Nathaniel Washington.]

THE COURT admitted an account supported by the plaintiffs' affidavit to be given in evidence to the jury, it having been stated

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by some of the bar and admitted by all, that such has been the practice in the district courts of the commonwealth of Virginia.

<sup>1</sup> [Reported by Hon. William Cranch, Chief Judge.]