

Liber  
P. C. R. John Hammond Foreman being Sworne together w<sup>th</sup> the rest  
aboute written withdrew, for a while and then brought in their verdict  
vizt

Wee finde this Indenture illegall deceitfull and voyd . . . . ordered  
that the said Easter Nicholls . . . .

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Feb. 12

Wednesday the 12<sup>th</sup> of February 1661

Present Charles Caluert Esq<sup>r</sup> Gouvernor Philip Caluert Esq<sup>r</sup> Chan-  
cello<sup>r</sup> Henry Sewall Sec<sup>r</sup> Baker Brooke Henry Coursey and John  
Bateman Cuncello<sup>rs</sup>

To the hono<sup>ble</sup> the Leiuetenn<sup>t</sup> Generall and the Councell of Maryland

Herman v.  
Colclough  
per Thomas  
Manning  
Atty.

The humble petico<sup>n</sup> of Richard Collett Attorney to Augustine  
Herman Sheweth That whereas there were certaine differences de-  
pending Betweene Elizabeth Overzee Ad<sup>trix</sup> of Symon Overzee dec<sup>d</sup>  
and Augustine Herman it was agreed vpon Betweene the said August-  
tine and Major George Colclough who marryed the said Elizabeth  
to putt the said differences to the Arbitrac<sup>o</sup>n of Henry Coursey  
and John Bateman Esq<sup>rs</sup> Cap<sup>t</sup> Samuell Tilghman and Cap<sup>t</sup> Miles  
Cooke and to that end the said Major George Colclough did on the  
20<sup>th</sup> day of February 1660 become bound to the said Augustine in a  
bond of one thousand pounds sterl: to stand to and performe what  
award the said Arbitrat<sup>rs</sup> should make as by the Condi<sup>o</sup>n of the said  
bond more at large appeareth

Yett now Soe it is may it please yo<sup>r</sup> honors that the said Major  
George Colclough hath not p<sup>r</sup>formed the said award to the greate  
dama<sup>n</sup>ge of the said Augustine wherefore yo<sup>r</sup> pet<sup>r</sup> humbly craues  
Judgem<sup>t</sup> against the said Major George Colclough for the said one  
thousand pounds sterl. and he as in duty bound shall alwayes pray &c.

The p<sup>r</sup>t sues p[ro]ut in petico<sup>n</sup> The def<sup>t</sup> alleedges that the bond  
was voyd the def<sup>t</sup> haueing confest Judgem<sup>t</sup> for the tobacco that was  
awarded, and therefore desired A Non Suite which was granted.

W<sup>m</sup> Bushell  
v. ———

Ordered that John Hammond . . . . vndertake . . . .

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Billingsley  
v. James &  
Toulson

To the hono<sup>ble</sup> the Gouvernor and Councell of Maryland.

The humble petico<sup>n</sup> of Tho: Billingsley Sheweth That yo<sup>r</sup> pet<sup>r</sup>  
bought and is seated vpon one hundred and fifty acres of land lying  
vpon the Clifles in Calvert County which formerly belonged to  
John James and W<sup>m</sup> Toulson of Anne Arrundell County who hath  
rec<sup>d</sup> good Considerac<sup>o</sup>n

Therefore yo<sup>r</sup> pet<sup>r</sup> humbly craues yo<sup>r</sup> Hono<sup>rs</sup> to Comand the said  
John James and W<sup>m</sup> Toulson that justly they warr<sup>t</sup> the said land and  
giue reasonable Assurance thereof And he shall pray &c.