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Liber FF John Bayley plaintiffe [p. 252] Reym^d Staplefort defend^t The def^t put's in his answere

The Plea of Reymd Staplefort to the declaracon of Jnº Bayley

plaintiffe

The def^t Reymond Staplefort for Plea saith, that he and the plaintiffe John Bayley were & are Joynt partners generall of all & all manner of thinges Goods and merchandizes whatsoeuer, and that these Goods aboue expressed were deliuered to him by the said Bayley to be disposed of in the Joynt partnershipe betwixt them and of these hee is ready wth all other thinges to come to accompt wth the plaintift and make deuision, there being allowed to each of them respectively theire disbursm^{ts} and expences wth full allowance of Proffitt and losse as is usuall in all Co-partnershipe

The deft not prouing his plea that they were in Co-partnership, when the Goods to hime were deliuered, The ptt: Craues Judgmt which to him by the Board was allowed for six thowsand pounds of tob: & Caske as allsoe these Charges following

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an arrest and sumons for a wittnes	45)	
Attorneys Fees	60 {	245 to b
Attorneys Fees	120	343
one wittnes attendance 4 dayes	120	

Summons issued for wharton and Goosey to testifye on behalfe of the lord Prop^r ags^t Francis Carpenter sherriffe returnes this writt Executed

William Lister plaintiffe This Cause respited for a day John Gilson defend^t

The Court adjournes untill tomorrow morning nine of the Clock
All mett as yesterday being 5th Aprill 1666

James Ringgould plaintiffe

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Anthony Purs by his Attorney
Thomas Hinson defendant

The Plaintiffes Declaracon agst the
Defendant is as followeth

To the Rig^t Hon^{ble} Charles Caluert Esq. Leiutenn^t and Gouerno^r of the Prouince of Maryland And the rest of his Hon^{ble} Councell

The humble petⁿ of James Ringould most humbly sheweth

That yor petrs father did Obtaine a pattent for a tract of land Containing twelue hundred acres lying on the Easterne shore in Talbott County, and soe it was that yor petrs Father did Conuey a parcell of three hundred of the said land to yor petition but soe it is that Anthony Purs hath gone and seated on yor petrs land and Cutt downe much timber and sould it off the said land by making