W<sup>m</sup> Layton ag<sup>t</sup> Richard Higginbotham late of Som<sup>r</sup>sett Liber N N County Taylor was Attached to Answer unto W<sup>m</sup> Layton of a plea of trespas Assault & battery

And the said Richard by Christopher Rousby his Attorney cometh and defendeth the force & injury when &c and prayeth liberty to imparle here unto until next Court & itt is granted him, the same day is given to the said W<sup>m</sup> Layton

Now here att this day to witt the twentieth day of ffebruary in the third yeare of the Dominion of Charles Lord Baltemore &c Anog Doni 1677 came the said Richard Higginbothem by his Attorney aforesaid, but the said W<sup>m</sup> Layton came not but made default, whereupon itt is granted by the Court here that a Nonsuite be Awarded agt the said W<sup>m</sup> Layton And that the said Richard Higginbotham Recover agt the said W<sup>m</sup> Layton the sume of

pounds of tobacco for his costs & charges by him about his defence in this behalfe laid out & expended And the said  $W^{\rm m}$  in mercy

Roger Tole agt plaintife haveing his Wittnesses ready here for a tryall, Wm Watts the Defendt by Kenelm Cheseldyn his Attorney moved this Court that the cause might be continued till April Court next; Whereupon itt is ordered by the Court, that the Defendt pay the plaintiffe for his Wittnesses attendance & all Court Charges for this Court, & that this cause be thereupon continued till April Court next.

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John Darnall
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Eliza Paget Exx This action abates, the defendt being dead
Tho: Paget
Henry Harris
               This action is continued untill next April Court.
Tho: Taillor
Tho: Wynne
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    agt
Clement Hill
Richard Perry
                These three actions are continued untill next Court
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Daniel Jenifer
Daniel Jenifer
     agt
Richard Perry
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