

Otho Holland plantiffe: Richard Burke Defendant
 Prince Georges County Ss. Richard Burke late of Prince Georges County Taylor otherwise Called Richard Burke planter of Tallbot County in the province of Maryland was [238] Summoned to Answer unto Otho Holland of a plea that he Render unto him the full quantity of one thowsand one hundred and thirty pounds of good Sound Marchantable Leafe tobaccoe to be paid in Caske which to him he oweth and unjustly Deteyneth etc.

And Whereupon the Said Otho by John Meriton his Attorney Saith that whereas the Said Richard the Eleventh day of June in the yeare of our Lord 1690 at Talbot County that is to Say at Charles Towne within the Jurisdiction of this Court by his Certaine bill Obligatory which the Said Otho with the Seale of the Said Richard Signed bringeth here into Court the date whereof is the day and yeare aforesaid the Said Richard by the Said bill Obligatory did bind himselfe his heires Executors Administrators or Assignes to pay or Cause to be paid unto the Said Otho Holland Inholder of Annarrundell County in the aforesaid province his heires Executors Administrators or Assignes the full quantity of one thowsand one hundred and thirty pounds of good Sound Marchantable Leafe tobaccoe to the paid in Caske Convenient According to the Act of Assembly at or upon the tenth day of October next Ensueing the date of the Said bill Obligatory Notwithstanding which the Said Richard the Said Sume of 1130 lbs. of tobaccoe in Caske According to the tenor of the Said bill Obligatory to him the Said Otho Although often thereunto Required hath not Rendered but the Same to Render unto the Said Otho hath hitherto denied and Still doth denye to the Damage of the Said Otho of 2000 pounds of tobaccoe and thereupon he brings this Suite etc.

Pledges etc. John Doe, Richard Roe. John Meriton.

The plantife by his Attorney aforesaid haveing Issued out two writts against the Defendant boath which Said writts was by the Sheriffe Returned that the Said Defendant was not to be found in his balywick and alsoe have Caused a Cobby of the Decleration to be Left at the house where the Defendant Last Lived in this County Likewise it is testified here in Court that the Said Richard Burke hath Elloined himselfe out of the Jurisdiction of this Court. Whereupon the Said Otho Holland by his Attorney aforesaid prayeth an Attachment against the goods Chattles and Creditts of the Said Richard Burke as well for the Said Sume of Eleven hundred and thirty pounds of tobaccoe his debt Aforesaid as Alsoe the Sume of four hundred forty and two pounds of tobaccoe for his Costs and Charges in this behalfe Laid out and Expended etc. And by the Court here it is granted unto him etc.

Murphy Ward desiers this deed of guift may be Recorded for the use of his Sonn Murphy Ward (Viz.) the Said Murphy Ward giveth unto his Sonn Murphy Ward three Cowes one Called Browney another Called Blacke the other Called Nancey with the three Cow Calves now by their Sides and alsoe a heiffer Called Nanceys heiffer with all their feemale Increase unto the Said Murphy Ward for Evar.

Ninian Beall plantiffe: Hugh Ryley Defendant

Prince Georges County Ss. Hugh Riley late of Prince Georges County otherwise Called Hugh Riley of Calvert County in the province of Maryland was Sumoned to Answer unto Ninian Beall of the Same County of a plea that he render unto him the full and Just Sume of three thowsand two hundred pounds