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Mr John Daugherty }
Richard Wrentham } Command was Given to the Sheriff of Somerset County that he should keep safe
safe keep so that he might have his body before the Justice of his Lordships County Court of Somerset the 1st of
Princes Ann Town the third Tuesday of August Anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred and Sixty two to
Answer unto John Daugherty of Lymington of the County of Southampton the Case &c And the same day is given to the said John
And hereupon the said John Daugherty complained of the said Richard Wrentham in the place of
in form following - Somerset for Richard Wrentham Late of Somerset County Clerk was Attached to Answer
unto John Daugherty of Lymington of the County of Southampton the Case &c

And Whereupon the said John by Samuel Wilson his Attorney complains that whereas
the said Richard Wrentham after the first day of May in the Year of our Lord Seven hundred and
Sixty two the fifth day of May in the Year of our Lord Seven hundred and Sixty two at the County of
by his certain note in Writing Committed a Breach of promise to pay to the said John the sum
of his pounds four Shillings and four pence Current Money of Maryland for the said Richard by means whereof
and by force of the Statute in that behalf made and provided the said Richard became chargeable to pay to the
said John the said sum of Money as aforesaid afterwards he should be thereto Required and he being
chargeable being in Consideration thereof to have paid the day and Year last past at the County of
upon himself did assume and to the said John then and thereafter fully promise that he the said Richard
the said sum of Money to the said John when afterwards he should be thereto Required would and
and faithfully pay and content according to the form and Effect of the note &c Nevertheless
the said Richard his Promise and Assumption aforesaid made not Regarding but plotting and fraudulently
intending him the said John in that behalf craftily and Subtly to deceive and defraud the said sum
of his pounds four Shillings and four pence Current Money of Maryland thereof to the said John he
not paid or him of the same in any sort hath Contented but the same to him to pay he hath both
Refused and still doth Refuse all the thereof to have paid the day and Year last past at the
County of &c and after since by the said John Required to the Damage of the said John the sum of Ten
pounds Current Money of Maryland and therefore he brings Suit and Suffereth

At which the foregoing Declaration was made and sent to be shew'd the day and Year aforesaid by the
which day here came the said John Daugherty by his Attorney aforesaid the Sheriff to wit Lymington Wilson who
Returned that he had taken the said Richard Wrentham whose body here at this day he had Ready to Answer the said
John Daugherty of the County of Southampton to him it was Commanded and further the same Sheriff Returned that he
had served the said Richard Wrentham with a Copy of the foregoing and according to Act of Assembly in such Case
Provided &c Whereupon at the said day the said Sheriff being solemnly Sworn to bring the body of the said Richard
Wrentham before the Justice of the Peace of the County of Southampton the said Sheriff did bring the said Richard
Wrentham which he had taken for his Judgment which the said John Daugherty keepeth of and Appointed
his Lordships Writs thereon against the said Richard Wrentham as follows the Command was given to the
Sheriff of Somerset County that he should keep safe Richard Wrentham Late of Somerset County Clerk the same
called Richard Wrentham of Somerset County Clerk if he should be found in his County and he should
safe keep so that he might have his body before the Justice of his Lordships County Court of Somerset the
be held at Princes Ann Town the third Tuesday of November Anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred
and Sixty two to Answer unto John Daugherty of Lymington of the County of Southampton the Case &c
According to the form of the Statute in such Case lately made and provided of Lymington that he should be
Eight thousand pounds of Silver which he to him he owes and unjustly detains and Lymington the same
day is given to the said John &c At which day here came the said John Daugherty by his Attorney

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