

John Parsons v^o Wm Burroughs of Kent County planter stands
Wm Burroughs } Attacked to enforce unto John Parsons of a
} Plea of Trespass upon the Case of

And whereas upon the said John by Richard Macklin his attorney complains
that whereas the said Wm the tenth day of May Anno Dom 1702
at Carter river in Kent County within the Jurisdiction of this
Court in Consideration of y^e said John would quit his wife Agnis
to use her utmost skill and Endeavour to cure a sore breast
that Mary the wife of the said William then had that then
the said Wm upon himself assumed and unto the said John
faithfully promised y^t he the said Wm for the labours &
pains and Endeavours of the said Agnis wife of y^e said John
in y^e behalf to be taken as also for such Medicines as
the said Agnis wife of the said John should apply to the
Mary wife of the said Wm for the cure of her breast
would well and truly pay him y^e said John as much good
to be as he the said John for such Medicines as he the
John's wife should apply and for the labour and pains that
she should take should reasonably deserve when thereunto after
words required and y^e said John in fact sayth y^t he giving
Credit to the said promise and Assumption of the said Wm
and relying thereon he did suffer and quit Agnis his wife
who did apply such things to the said Mary's Breast proper
to remove and cure y^e indisposition of her breast and she
she then languished and the said Agnis did use her utmost
skill care pains and Endeav^r to heal her the said Mary's Breast
for all which he the said John sayth he doth reasonably
deserve to have the Sum of five hundred pounds of Tobacco
as appears by an Account to this date annexed and hereunto
Court brought. Nevertheless the said Wm the said five hundred
pounds of Tobacco according to his promise and Assumption aforesaid
unto the said John altho' often demanded he hath not paid but
the same to him to pay he hath and still doth deny and
refuse to the damage of the said John Parsons 1000 lbs
whereupon he brings this Suit. Pledges e. d. d. d. d.

And the said Plaintiff produceth the acc^t which follows
May y^e 10th Wm Burroughs Sr 1702
to the cure of your wife's Breast - - 200
to Medicines and my attendance - - 300
John Parsons

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