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have his body before the Justices of his Lordships County Court of Somerset to be held at Dwidning Creek
in the same County the third Tuesday of June next. One thousand Seven hundred and thirty
Seven to answer unto John Burnall Ind. of a plea of trespass upon his land. and the same day
is given to the aforesaid John Burnall - At which day here before his Lordships Justices at a court
then held at Dwidning Creek in the same County came the aforesaid John Burnall and by George Douglas
his attorney and the aforesaid Sheriff to wit Joseph M'Garter Gent. now here deceased that he had
taken the aforesaid Richard Holland whose body here at this day he had ready to answer the aforesaid John Burnall
of the aforesaid plea as to him it was commanded - and whereupon the same Richard Holland put in his
place Robert Dunsmore Henry Gent. his attorney against the aforesaid John Burnall in the place aforesaid -

Whereupon at the request of the parties day is to them here given to be before his Lordships Justices
at the next Court to be held at Dwidning Creek in or the County aforesaid the third Tuesday of August then
next following in the same State as at present saving to the parties her.

At which day here came again aforesaid the aforesaid John Burnall and the aforesaid Richard Holland
by their attorneys aforesaid and hereupon the said John Burnall declared against the aforesaid Richard Holland
in the place aforesaid in form following - Somerset Co: Richard Holland late of Somerset County
planter was attached to answer unto John Burnall Ind. of a plea of trespass upon his land

And Whereupon the same John by George Douglas his attorney Complains that whereas
the said Richard Holland on the third day of May anno Domini MDCCXXXVI at the County
aforesaid was indebted to the said John in the sum of six pounds current money of Maryland for
a house by the said John to the said Richard at the Especial request and instance of the
said Richard before that time sold and delivered as by an account into Court brought
more manifestly may appear and so being thereof indebted afterwards on consideration thereof
upon himselfe did assume and to the said John then and there faithfully did promise that he the
said Richard the said six pounds to the said John when he should therof be afterwards
required well and faithfully he would pay and content Never the less the said Richard
his promise and assumption aforesaid in form aforesaid made nothing regarding but minded
and fraudulently intending the said John in that part craftily and subtilly deceave and defraud
the said six pounds to the said John hath not paid or him for the same in any sort contented
but the same to him to pay hitherto hath refused and still doth refuse altho thereto afterward
to wit the day and year aforesaid at the County aforesaid and often since that time by the said
John required whereupon the said John says he is damaged twenty pounds current money of
Maryland and therof he brings suit &c
Creditor John Doe Plaintiff
Debtors Richard Holland & John Burnall

1736 De Richard Holland to John Burnall
May 3 To one horse £6 0s 0d

By John Burnall

£6 0s 0d

March the 21st Day 1737 Then was the above aforesaid proved by the Oath of John Burnall
Ind. according to act of assembly Test Thomas Hayward Esq
and