Lying and being upon the South River in the Same County to have
and to occupy the Same to him the Said Nicholas and his Assignes from
the Said twenty fourth day of Decembr anno Domi 1707 unto the
twenty fifth day of Decembr which shoulde be in the yeare of our Lord God
1709 now Last past according therefore to him the Said Lessee Harris
and his Assignes the Summe of Sixteen pounds Sterling as yearly
rent of Right pound Sterling Same unto to be paid unto upon the
Two Feast Days of the Nativity of our Lord Christ now Last
past By Vertue of wch Lease the Said Nicholas unto the plantacon
Said wch the appurtenances Entred and was therof possessed &
Said Summe of Sixteen pounds Sterling at the Said Feast of
Christ now Last past being the rent therof was in arrear
and unpaid, by wch action hath accrued to the Said Lessor
Harris to have & require of the Said Nicholas the Said Summe of
Sixteen pounds Sterling Never the less the Said Nicholas at the Sev-
therous required the Said Summe of Sixteen pounds Sterling to
Said Lessor Harris hath not rendred but the Same to him to
render hath denyed and still doth denye wilfully Keeping on his Said
Lease the worse and hath Lost to the value of thirty pounds
Sterling, and therupon he brings this Suite

Pl. Dam. five hundred
pounds

In Custody of the Shrff of Talbot County

And the Said Nicholas Sworn by his Attorney Comes and defends the force and Injury when & where &c
Leave to Imparle thereunto until next Court and the Plaintiff also — At which Court
the Same day is given to the plaintiff also — At which Court
to wit the 11th day of July Anno Domini 1710 Comes again the Parties aforesd
Harris by his Attorney aforesd and prayes that the Said Nicholas Sworn to
his Decl in the plea aforesd may answer but the Said Nicholas Sworn at his
Solemnly Called Comes not but makes default whereupon the
plaintiff remaines against the Said Defendt wholly undefended
Therefore it is considered by the Justices here that the 11th day of July
Anno Domini 1710 that the Said Wm Harris Recover against the Said
Nicholas Sworn Sixty pounds as well the Summe of Sixteen pounds Said Said

(debt)

July Court 1710 —

759 debt aforesd as also the Summe of Sixty pounds of
Lobacco by the Court here adjudged unto him of Damages for his Costs
Suit in this by occasion of detaining the Same debt by the deft in Mercy &c —

Pro Court September Termes 1708 ss

P. G. Thomas Dimond Sonne & Lessee
vs. Talbot County ss —
Wm Elzo Cornelly

Pl. Remembred that here to
wit the 6th day of July in the Seventh
Yeare of the Reigne of our Soveraigne Lady the Queene that
now is Sr Anno Domi 1708 Elzo Cornelly of Talbot County and
was attached to answer unto Robert Grundy of a plea wherefore by force &
armes unto the plantacon dwelling house and Lobacco houses and appurtances
of Said Seituate Lying and being in Talbot County on the North side of
Choplank River and in the divideing Creeke adjoyning to Francis —
Armstrongs Land Called Holland addition beginning at a marked Cedar
running thence with Armstrongs Creeke Called Armstrongs Creeke South west twenty
two perches to a marked Locus Stump bounded on the East by a Line drawn
East South East for Length three hundred and twenty perches on the
North by a Line drawn North East from the End of the East South East
Line twenty five perches on the West by the said Armstrongs Land to
first mentioned Cedar on the South by the first South west Line Contg fifty
acres of Land wch the appertenances wch Thomas Dimond Sonne heire
to the Said William Dimond Sonne late of Talbot County deceased
did devise to the aforesd Robert Grundy for a term of years thence
yet to Come and unexpired Entred and him from his Same aforesd
Term of Expulsed and removed and other harmes to him the did do to the
great damage of the Said Robert & against the Kings peace &c —
and whereupon the aforesd Robert Grundy by Robt Goldsborough his attorney
Complaineth that whereas the aforesd Thomas Dimond on twenty fifth
day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand
seven hundred and seven at Choplank in Talbot County did demise to the aforesd
Robt Grundy the plantacon Land and premises aforesd To have and to hold
the Same to him the Said Robt Grundy his heires and assignes from the South
day of Xmas aforesd for and during the full term of three years from thence
next ensueing and fully to be Compleat and Ended by Vertue of wch demise
the aforesd Robt into the Said Land and premises aforesd Entred and was
therof possessed untill the aforesd Elzo Cornelly afterwards that is to say

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