

Ordered that Henry Thacher, Henry Washington, Leonard Price and Clement Nicholson Gentlemen lay off her Dower in the Estate of her said Husband in Middlesex County, and report to the next Court.

An Indenture from John Taylor and Anne his wife to William Taylor, was proved to be the act and Deed of the said John by the Oaths of the Vintners there, which together with a Commission for the Privy Examination of the said Anne, and the Certificate of her Acknowledgement are ordered to be Recorded.

On the Motion of James Hiptonistate and John Robinson, It is ordered that Richard Hopkins and Mary his wife be summoned to appear here at the next Court, to deliver up to them, the Estate of George Blake deceased or give them Counter Security for the same.

An Account of the Profits of

was exhibited and sworn to by George Warrack his Guardian and ordered to be Recorded.

An Account of the Profits of the Estate of Roger Jones Esquire Orphan of Humphrey Jones Deceased was exhibited and sworn to by Maurice Smith his Guardian and ordered to be Recorded.

William Mountague for reasons appearing to the Court, Time is granted him till next Court, to make up and return an Account of his wards Estate.

William Meacham

William Channing George Daniel and Charles Lee are recommended to His Honor the Governor as persons duly Qualified to execute the Office of Inspectors of Tobacco at the Publick Warehouse at Habanna.

John Perry William Rackney Rowland Sutton and John Butler are recommended to His Honor the Governor as persons duly Qualified to execute the Office of Inspectors of Tobacco at the Publick Warehouse at Remy.

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An Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of Abraham Pease deceased was
this day returned and ordered to be Recorded

Alexander Sanders is Excused from rendering an account of his Ward's Estate
he now being of age

The last Will and Testament of William Mountague deceased was presented
in Court by Henry Kipp and Philip Mountague the Executors therein named
and proved by the Oath of John Platt one of the Witnesses thereto, who likewise
deposed that he saw John Owen the other witness subscribe his Name as such
which is ordered to be certified; and on the motion of the said Executors who
made Oath according to Law Certificate is granted them for obtaining a Probate thereof
in due Form, giving security, whereupon they with William Pease their
Security entered into and acknowledged their Bond with Condition required
by Law.

Ordered that William Legar, Maurice Smith, James Nathan and Charles Lee or
any three of them being first sworn before a Justice of the Peace of this County do
appraise the Estate of William Mountague deceased, and make report to Court.

Jack Bonner Gentleman having produced a licence to practice as an attorney
in the County Courts, and other Inferior Courts, took the Oaths appointed by
Act of Parliament to be taken instead of the Oaths of allegiance and Supremacy,
took and subscribed the Oath of Abjuration, and also repeated and subscribed the Test
and then had the Oath of an Attorney administered to him.

Andrew Davis

Plt

against

Richard Iverson

Def.

In Torts of Assault and Battery

This Day came the Parties by their attorneys and thereupon a Jury to wit Daniel
Stringer, Rowland Sutton, Samuel Wood, William Berry, James Filds Henry

Johnson, George West, John Berry, Conwell Stampen, Thomas Sanders, William
Bristol, and John Reed, who being elected Jurors and sworn, upon their oath Do say
That the Def^t is guilty of the Trepass of Fault and Battery in the declaration mentioned
in manner and Form as the Pl^t against him hath declared, and they do assess the Pl^t
Damages by occasion thereof to Ten pounds besides his costs. Therefore It is sanctioned
that the Pl^t recover against the said Def^t his Damages assessed in form of assize
assessed, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, and the
said Def^t may be taken &c.

William Moulton a signee of Mary Calison. Pl^t

against

Henry Washington and Lucille his wife Administrators
of John Mountague Deceased

} on Petition

} Def^t

Judgement is granted the Pl^t against the said Def^t for Two pounds thirteen shillings
and three pence and his costs by him about his Petition expended, to be levied of the Goods
and Chattels of the said Deceased in the Hands of the said Def^t unadministered, if so much
thereof they have in their Hands to be administered, and if they have not then the Costs to be
Levied of their own proper Goods & Chattels.

Joseph Stevens

Pl^t

against

William and Philip Mountague

Def^t

} on Debt

This Day came the Parties by their Attornies and the Def^t relinquishing their former
Plea say that they cannot deny the Debt action nor but that they owe to him Two
Hundred Pounds in manner and Form as the Pl^t above complains against them
Therefore It is Conclained that the Pl^t recover against the said Def^t his said Debt
and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, and the said Def^t in
Money &c. But this Judgement the Costs Excepted is to be discharged by the Payment
of one hundred Pounds with Interest thereon at the rate of five per centum per annum
to be completed from the Twentieth Day of February MDCCXXIIth to be paid
Memorandum Time is granted the Def^t to file a Bill of Injunction

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James Smith. Pl.

against

James Daniel. Def.

In Law

This Day came the Parties by their attornies and thereupon a Jury to wit Daniel
Sbonger, Rowland Sutton, Samuel Wood, William Denny, Henry Johnson, George
West, John Denny, Samuel Stampen, Thomas Sanders, William Wislens, Andrew
Davis, and Thomas Wortham, who being elected tried and sworn the fourth, do speak
upon the Issue joined upon their Oath do say that the Def. did assume upon
himself in manner and form as the Pl. against him hath Declared, and they do assess
the Pl. Damages by Occasion of the non Performance of that assumption to Twenty
Nine pounds Twelve shillings and ten pence besides his Costs. Therefore it is considered
that the said Pl. recover against the said Def. the Damages aforesaid in form aforesaid
assessed and his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. and the said Def. in
money &c.

John Wiatt junior. Pl.

against

John Welsh. Def.

In Law

This suit is dismissed

Carroll Wadding. Pl.

against

Rice Jones. Def.

In Debt

This Day came the Parties by their attornies, and the Def. relinquishing his former Al-
lath that he can not deny the Pl. Action not but that he owes to him Seventy Nine
Pounds ten shillings in manner and form as the Pl. above complains against them
Therefore it is considered that the said Pl. recover against the said Def. his said Debt
and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, and the said Def. in money
&c. But this Judgement the Costs excepted is to be discharged by the Payment of Forty Nine
Pounds fifteen shillings with Interest thereon at the rate of Five per Centum per annum
to be computed from the first Day of March MDCCLXXVIII till paid.

Philip Rootes and John Rootes. Plt

against

Philip Ferehanson. Def

} In law

This Day came the Parties by their Attornies, and the Def^t relinquishing his former Plea saith that he cannot deny the Pl^t action for one hundred and fifty three pounds Two shillings and sixpence with interest thereon at the rate of five per centum per annum to be computed from the twenty first day of January 1722 till paid Therefore with the Consent of the Pl^t it is considered that the said Pl^t recover against the said Def^t his said Debt and his costs by him about this in this behalf expended and the said Def^t in money &c

Thomas Buch. Plt

against

Philip Ferehanson. Def

} on Jure Facias

This Day came the Parties by their Attornies, and the Def^t relinquishing his former plea saith that he cannot deny the Pl^t action nor but that he doth detain from him the Money and Tobacco in his writ of Jure Facias mentioned. Therefore it is considered that the Pl^t have Execution against the said Def^t for nine hundred two shillings three pence and sixpence with Tobacco, and fifteen shillings or one hundred and fifty pounds of Tobacco, and also for the costs of suing forth and prosecuting this writ.

Memorandum ^{fruits} to be given out of this Judgement for five pounds eleven shillings and one penny.

James Robb. Plt

against

Henry Anderson and Rice Jones. Def

} In Debt

This Day came the Parties by their Attornies, and the Def^t relinquishing their former Plea say that they cannot deny the Pl^t action nor but that they owe to him Five pounds Twelve shillings and seven pence in manner and form as the Pl^t above complains against them Therefore It is considered that the said Pl^t recover against the said Def^t his said Debt and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. ^{and the said Def^t in money &c} But this Judgement of the

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the costs excepted is to be discharged by the Payment of Three pounds & sixteen shillings & three pence half penny with interest thereon at the rate of five per Centum per annum to be computed from the twentieth first Day of November one Thousand seven hundred and eighty three till paid.

John Dutton Plt

against

Edmond Kidd and William Delawar Def.

} In Debt

The Deft. not appearing though again solemnly Called on the motion of the Plt. by his attorney, It is ordered that the order of the last Court be confirmed and that the Plt. recover against the said Def. his Debt in the Declaration mentioned being six pounds, and his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the said Def. in prison &c But this Judgement the costs Excepted is to be discharged by the Payment of three pounds with interest thereon at the rate of five per Centum per Annum to be computed from the Twentieth Day of May MDCCLXXII till paid

Robert Daniel Plt

against

John Jackson Def.

} In Debt

The Def. not appearing though again solemnly Called on the motion of the Plt. by his attorney, It is ordered that the order of the last Court be confirmed and that the said Plt. recover against the said Def. his Debt in the Declaration mentioned being and his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the said Def. in prison &c But this Judgement the costs excepted is to be discharged by the Payment of

John Graves Plt

against

Benjamin Williams Def.

} on Petition for £2. 7. 3 Due by all

Judgement is granted the Pl. against the said Def. for the said sum of Two pounds Seven shillings and three pence, and his Costs by him about his Petition especially, and seven shillings & sixpence for an attorney & fee

Martha Fabb. Pl.
against
Philip Finchamson Def. } on Seize Facias

The Sheriff having again returned that the Def. was not found, and that he had nothing whereby he might be warned in his Wardwicks, and the said Def. not appearing though again solemnly called on the motion of the Pl. by his attorney, It is ordered that Judgement be entered for the said Pl. against the said Def. that he have Execution against the said Def. for eleven pounds one hundred and sixty six pounds nett Tobacco and fifteen shillings or one hundred and fifty pounds Tobacco and the Costs of suing forth and prosecuting this writ, and the said Def. in Money &c.

Henry Gains Pl.
against
Philip Finchamson Def. } on Seize Facias

The Sheriff having again returned that the Def. was not found, and that he had nothing in his Wardwicks whereby he might be warned, and the said Def. not appearing though again solemnly called on the motion of the Pl. by his attorney, It is ordered that Judgement be entered for the Pl. against the said Def. that he have Execution for thirty five pounds one hundred and forty three pounds nett Tobacco and fifteen shillings or one hundred and fifty pounds Tobacco, and the Costs of suing forth and prosecuting this writ, and the said Def. in Money &c.

Carver Tarrant Pl.
against
Philip Finchamson Def. } on Seize Facias

The Sheriff having again returned that the Def. was not found, and that he had nothing

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in his Bailiwick whereby he might be warned, and the said Def^t not appearing though again solemnly called, on the motion of the Pl^t by his Attorney It is ordered that Judgment be entered for the Pl^t against the said Def^t That he have Execution for eighteen pounds, one hundred eighty pounds Tobacco, and fifteen shillings or one hundred and fifty Pounds Tobacco, and the Costs of suing forth and prosecuting this Writ, and the said Def^t in Mincey &c

Mary Brown Pl^t

against

Philip Richardson Def^t

} on deure facias

The Sheriff having again returned the Def^t was not found and that he had nothing in his Bailiwick whereby he might be warned, and the said Def^t not appearing though again solemnly called, on the motion of the Pl^t by his Attorney It is ordered that Judgment be entered for the Pl^t against the said Def^t for eight pounds five shillings and two pence Two hundred and two pounds out Tobacco, and fifteen shillings or one hundred and fifty Pounds Tobacco, and the Costs of suing forth and prosecuting this Writ and the said Def^t in Mincey &c

Richardson Pl^t

against

Philip Richardson

Def^t

} on deure facias

Thomas Reader Rootes Pl.
against
Daniel Stronge Def. } In Law
This suit is dismissed being agreed by the Parties

The same Pl.
against
Barnabas Lipscomb Def. } on Petition
This suit is dismissed, and it is ordered that the Def. pay unto the Pl. his Costs

Thomas Reader Rootes Pl.
against
Michael Lipscomb Def. } In Law
This suit is dismissed and it is ordered that the Def. pay unto the Pl. his Costs

Deeds of Land and Release from John Dalgleish and Philip Rootes to Laurence
Micaham expressed to be the Act and Deed of the said Philip by the Oaths of
Jehann Robin David Rier and Edmund Ridgely witnesses thereto, and the said John
came into court and acknowledged the same to be his Act and Deed, and they are
ordered to be recorded

Charles Vinton Pl.
against
Thomas Wortham Def. } on Petition for Ls. 5. 0. 0 due by
account
Judgment is granted the Pl. against the said Def. for Two pounds, and his
Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

Charles Robinson Pl.
against
Thomas Kemp Def. } on Petition
This suit is dismissed being agreed by the Parties

Charles Robinson

Pl.

against

Thomas Kemp

Def.

In Law

This suit is dismissed being agreed by the Parties

Richard Corbin & Daniel Her Esquires — Pl.

against

Alexander Sanders

Def.

In Debt

This suit is dismissed, and it is ordered that the Def. pay unto the Pl. their Costs

John Wisa

Pl.

against

Thomas Kemp

Def.

In Law

This suit is dismissed

Edward Ware Administrator of Peter Ogilvie Deceased Pl.

against

Frances Ogilvie

Def.

In Law

This dismissed being agreed by the Parties

John Lewis

Pl.

against

Richard Daniel

Def.

on Petition for £1. 17. 6

Due by account

Judgment is granted the Pl. for the said sum of one pound seventeen shillings & sixpence against the said Def. and his costs by him about this Petition expended.

Archibald Ritchie assignee of Ezekiel Matthews Pl.

against

Salomon Ennis

Def.

In Debt

This suit is dismissed being agreed by the Parties

John Lewis

Pl.

against

Richard Hopkins

Def.

on Petition

Judgement is granted the Pl. against the said Def. for one pound ten shillings and his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

John West junior

Pl.

against

John Lambeth

Def.

on Attachment

Be it Remembered, that at another time to wit the third day of July last Richard Bray junior being sworn agarnished in this suit, Declared he owed the Def. ten shillings and it is ordered that he pay the same to the Pl. towards satisfying his Judgement, and now at this day came the Pl. by his attorney, and Richard Parsons being sworn a garnisher in this suit Declared he owed the Def. two pounds and six pence It is ordered he pay the same to the Pl. towards satisfying his Debt and costs.

John Chapman

Pl.

against

Thomas Price Executor of Thomas Price Decd. Def.

on Petition

This suit is dismissed

John Dillard

Pl.

against

Philip Turcherson

Def.

on Petition

This suit is dismissed

John Springer

Pl.

against

Edward Ware

Def.

on Petition for L² S. 2. due by Note of Hand

Judgement is granted the Pl. against the said Def. for the said sum of two pounds four shillings and two pence, and his costs by him about his Petition expended.

Stephen Coste

for L¹ 17/6

count

thirteen shillings

Petition is dismissed

Richard Bull Pl.

against

Robert Kemp Def.

} on Petition for £2.5.0. 10s $\frac{1}{2}$ &c

} and Tobacco due by account

Judgement is granted the Pl. against the said Def. for the said sum of Two pounds five shillings, and one hundred and five pounds and one half pence of Tobacco and his Costs by him about his Petition in this behalf expended

John Williamson Pl.

against

Daniel Stringer Def.

} In Trespass.

This Suit is dismissed being agreed by the Parties

William Dean Pl.

against

William Moulson Def.

} In Case

This Day came the Parties, and the Def. acknowledges the Pl. action for

Therefore with the consent of the

Pl. it is Considered That the said Pl. recover against the said Def. his said Debt and his Tobacco costs by him about this suit expended. and the said Def. in many

On the motion of William Moulson an Injunction is granted him to stay all proceedings on a Judgement obtained at Common law by Mungo Hanvey against the said William Moulson, until the Matter in Equity is fully heard giving Bond and security to prosecute the same with Effect

Ordered that William Dean be appointed Surveyor of the Road from the Middle Church to the Lower Chappels.

Charles Neilson Esquire returned his list of Liables by him taken for the Middle parsonage of this County

Ordered that the Court be adjourned to the Court in Come

The minutes of this Days proceedings were signed by

Ch^r Robinson Gentleman

A Court held for midlesex County at the Court House
in Uxanna on Tuesday the fourth Day of September, in
the fourth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George
the Third by the Grace of God of Great Britain France
and Ireland King Defender of the Faith &c. and in the Year
of our Lord Christ one Thousand seven hundred and sixty
four.

Present his Majesty's Justices, Christopher Robinson, Ralph Wormeley,
Robert Daniel and James Mills Gentlemen.

Settlement of the Estate of Peter Ogilvie deceased was this Day returned pursuant
to an order of this Court and ordered to be Recorded.

It is ordered that Christopher Robinson and Ralph Wormeley Gentlemen inspect
the Clerks Office of this County sometime between this and the first Tuesday in
November next.

Pursuant to the said it is ordered that Christopher Robinson & Ralph Wormeley
Gentlemen view the Scales and examine and try the Weights at the Publick
Warehouses at Uxanna and Hempstead in this County by the Standard Weights
of the County, and if the Scales and weights shall want repairing, or the weights
be found deficient or differing from the lawful Standard that they cause the
same to be repaired and amended, and the weights made conformable to
the Standard

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The Gentlemen Appointed to view the Road called *Chilthorpe* returned their report, according to which the Road is ordered.

An Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Robert Price Deceased returned and ordered to be received

An account of Transfer Tobacco in *Stamps* Warehouse was presented in Court by John Berry, one of the Inspectors who made Oath thereto & ordered to be Recorded.

Ordered that Henry Thacker, John Murray, Thomas Laughlin and William Roane or any three of them, settle the Estate of Thomas Luggie Deceased according to his Will

John Daniel

Plt

against

Philip Ticherson

Def

} on attachment

This Day came the Plt. by his attorney and the Deft though solemnly called came not. and thereupon the Plt. having proved his Account for Nineten pound, eighteen shillings, Therefore It is considered that the said Plt. recover against the said Deft. the sum aforesaid and his Costs by him in this behalf expended and it is further ordered that the attached Goods be sold, and the money arising therefrom to be paid to the Plt. towards satisfying this Judgement

On the motion of William Jones who was Secretary for Richard Jenson's Administration of the Estate of Rebecca his wife, It is ordered that the said Richard be summoned to appear at the next Court to give the said William Countersecurity, or Deliver up to the said William the said Estate.

John Orr Neal

Plt

against

William Dean

Def

} for Freedom Due

The Parties were this Day fully heard, and mature deliberation being thereupon
had. It is found, that the said Pl. recovers against the said Deft his Lodging
and his costs by him about
his suit in this behalf expended.

an Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of William Ormisham deceased was
this Day returned, and ordered to be recorded.

Deeds of lease and Release from George Davis and Mary his Wife to William
Orms. were acknowledged by the said George and Mary (the being first Examined
privily, according to Law) to be their Act and Deed, and the said George also
acknowledged the Receipt for the Consideration Money, all which on the
Motion of the said William is Ordered to be Recorded.

Archibald McCall Robert Waddington William Snodgrass Esq
against
Edward Ware Administrator of Peter Ogilvie Deceased. Defs. } In Law

note
Costs 149 p 15

This Day came the Pl. by their Attorney and the Deft. agreed that the Pl. have
sustained Damages by Occupation of the Testator Non performance of the assumption
in the Declaration specified to Twelve Pounds Nine Shillings and Sevenpence
besides their Costs. Therefore with the assent of the Pl. It is considered by the Court that
he recover against the said Deft. his Damages agreed as aforesaid, and his Costs by him
about his suit in this behalf expended, of the Goods and Chattels of the said Testator to
be delivered when assets shall come to the Hands of the said Deft. to be administered.

An Account of the Profits of the Estate of Churchhill Blakey was presented in Court
and sworn to by Robert Clark his Guardian, and ordered to be recorded the balance
due the orphan being Twelve pounds seventeen shillings and three pence

John Farrington. Pl.
against
Edward Smith. Def. } on attachment.

Be it Remembered, that at another Time to wit the third Day of July last Edmund Mickleborough was sworn again in this suit, who declared he owed the Def. six shillings, he is ordered to pay the same to the Pl. to wards satisfying this Judgement. And now at this Day came the Pl. by whose orders this suit is dismissed

James Daniel. Pl.
against
Francis Bryant. Def. } In case

This Day came the Pl. by his attorney, and thereupon a Jury consist Benjamin all Feb 17 1762
Wright, William Ristow, Richard Davis, James Gibson, Griffin Lugg, Henry 20
Mickleborough, John Daniel, Samuel Wood, John Dillard, Henry Johnson, 20
Thomas Sanders and Thomas Whitley who being sworn over and truly to enquire of Damages in this suit, upon their Oath do say that the Pl. hath sustained Damages by reason of the Def. breach of Promise in the Declaration specified to Twenty seven Pounds Nine shillings and four pence half pence besides his Costs. Therefore it is considered that the said Pl. recover against the said Def. his Damages aforesaid in Form aforesaid assessed and his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the said Def. in Money &c

Archibald Ritchie. Pl.
against
James Lee. Def. } In case

This suit is dismissed and it is ordered that the Pl. pay unto the Def. his Costs

Joseph Handee. Pl.
against
Edmond Kidd, William Baldwin and James Smiths Def. } In Debt

The Sheriff having returned that the Def. James Smith was not found this suit is discontinued against him, and the other Defs. Kidd and Baldwin say that they cannot deny the Pl. Action, nor but that they owe to him Twenty pounds and

in manner and form as the Pl. against him hath Declared. Therefore on the motion of the Pl. by his attorney It is considered that the said Pl. recover against the said Deft his said Debt and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, and the said Deft in money. But this Judgement the Costs Excepted is to be discharged by the Payment of Ten pounds with Interest thereon at the rate of five per Centum per annum to be computed from the Tenth Day of November 1722 till paid.

James Dawson Pl.
 against
 Thomas Wortham Deft. } In Debt

This Day came the Pl. by his attorney, and the Deft relinquishing his former plea saith that he cannot deny the Pl. action, nor but that he owes to him sixteen pounds in manner and form as the Pl. against him hath Declared. Therefore It is considered that the said Pl. recover against the said Deft his said Debt and his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, and the said Deft in money &c. But this Judgement the Costs Excepted is to be discharged by the Payment of sixteen pounds with Interest to be computed thereon after the rate of five per Centum per annum from the twenty third Day of June 1722 till paid.

Memorandum the Pl. agrees to stay Execution one month.

Edward Ware Pl.
 against
 James Hiptinstall Deft. } In Trespass

This day came the Parties by their Attornies, and thereupon a Jury to wit Benjamin Watt, William Roston, Richard Dawes, James Gowers, Griffin Tuggle, Henry Mchellough, John Daniel, Samuel Wood, John Dillard, Henry Johnson, Thomas Sanders, and Thomas Orstley, being elected tried and sworn the Jurors to speak upon the Issue joined, upon their Oath to say that the Deft is guilty of the Trespass in the declaration mentioned, and they do assess the Pl. Damages by Occasion thereof to Two pounds because his Costs. Therefore it is considered that.

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the Pl^t recover against the said Def. his Damages assessed, in form aforesaid specified
and his costs by him about this suit in this behalf expended. And the said Def. may
be taken

Lowent Gann Corbin Gentleman, Absent James Mills Gentleman

James Mills

Pl^t

against

Benjamin Rhodes

Def^t

} In Law

This Day came the Pl^t by his attorney, and he acknowledges the Pl^t Action
for sixty five pounds, sixteen shillings, and six pence half penny. Therefore with
the assent of the Pl^t It is considered that the said Pl^t recover against the said
Def^t the said sum of sixty five pounds, sixteen shillings, and six pence half penny
and his costs by him about this suit in this behalf expended, and the said Def^t
in Money &c

Grand Jury Pl^t

against

Jeremiah Darnall

Def^t

Mary Wilson

} On Proccement for living in Adultery with

This Day came the Parties by their Attornies, and thereupon a Jury to wit Benjamin
Wright, William Bristol, James Gibson, Griffen Suggle, Robert Clark, John Daniel,
Samuel Wood, John Dilland, Henry Johnson, Thomas Sanders, Thomas Whillie
and John Datchelder, who being elected by the Jury and sworn the Jurors to speak
upon the Issue joined, upon their Oath do say that the Def^t is not guilty in manner
and Form as the Pl^t against him have declared. Therefore It is considered that
the Pl^t take nothing by their plea, but for their false clamour be in Money and
that that Def^t go hence without Day

Ordered that John Wake be summoned to appear here at the next Court to show cause
why he did not appear this Day as a witness on behalf of our Sovereign Lord the
King, against Jeremiah Darnall

Edward Ware. Plt
 against
 John McTully. Def. } In law

This Day came the Plt. by his attorney and thereupon a Jury consisting Benjamin Wiatt, William Benson, Richard Davis, James Gibson, Griffin Suggs, Robert Clarke, John Daniel, Samuel Wood, John Dillard, Henry Johnston, Thomas Sanders and Thomas Nutley being sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages in this suit upon their Oath do say that the Plt. hath sustained Damages by Occasion of the Def. Breach of Promise in the Declaration specified, and they do app^r the Plt. Damages by Occasion thereof to Nine pounds, thirteen shillings and five pence half penny besides his costs. Therefore It is considered that the said Plt. recover against the said Def. his Damages aforesaid in form aforesaid specified and his costs by him about this suit in this behalf expended and the said Def. in money &c

Robert Alcock. Plt
 against
 John Lambeth. Def. } on attachment.

This Day came the Plt. by his attorney, and Robert Murray being sworn a Garnishee in this suit, Declared he owes the Def. sixty one Pounds eighteen shillings and eight pence with legal Interest thereon from the first Day of September MDCCLXXXIX till paid, Whereupon It is Ordered that he pay the same to the Plt. towards satisfying his Debt. and also the costs of the attachment paid against him.

An account of the Sale of the Estate of George Wortham deceased returned, and ordered to be Recorded.

Ordered that Edward Ware pay John Munter and Thomas Roberts each for two Days Attendance at this Court as Witnesses against James Hixton et al.

Gabriel Mitchell exhibited and made oath to an Account of the Profits of his Wards to wit the balance due the orphan being four pounds ten shillings which is ordered to be Recorded.

Edward Tidd. Plt

against

John Batchelor and John Stringer Esors of Richard Blackley Defs

} on Petition

This suit is dismissed being agreed by the Parties

Francis Smith. Plt

against

John McNelly. Defs

} In Law

The Deft not appearing though again solemnly called, on the motion of the Plt by his Attorney. It is considered that the Order of the last Court be confirmed, and that the Plt recover against the said Deft. the sum of six pounds four shillings & pence and his costs by him about his Petition in this behalf expended. And the said Deft. in Mercy &c

John Brown. Plt

against

Samuel Brown and Joseph Tuggle. Defs

} on Petition for Ls. 2. & due by note of Hand.

It is agreed that the Plt against the said Defs for the said sum of four pounds two shillings and eight pence, and his costs by him about his Petition expended and seven shillings and pence for an attorney fee

John Clary. Plt

against

Christopher Robinson. Defs

} on Petition for L2. due by account

Judgement is granted the Plt against the Defs for the said sum of two pounds and his costs by him about his Petition expended and seven shillings & pence for a lawyer fee

Thomas Dawson Plt

against

Edward Dillard Defs

} on Petition for L1. 15. 7th due by note of Hand

Judgement is granted the Plt against the said Defs for the said one pound fifteen shillings

and seven pence half penny and his costs by him about his Petition expenses and
seven shillings and six pence for an attorney fee

Henry Allen Plt
against
Edmond Thidd and John Thidd Deft } on Petition for £ 15. 6 duty being

Judgement is granted the Plt against the said Deft for the said sum of three pounds
fourteen shillings and his costs by him about his Petition expenses and seven shillings
and six pence for an attorney fee. But this Judgement the costs excepted is to be dis-
charged by the Payment of one pound seven shillings with Interest thereon
at the rate of five per Centum per annum to be computed from the Twenty fourth
Day of May 1760 till paid (1760)

Henry Allen Plt
against
James Montague Deft } on Petition

This suit is dismissed, and it is ordered that the Deft pay unto the Plt his costs.

Andrew Davis Plt
against
Edward Thew Deft } On Petition for £ 2.0.0 by acc:

This suit is dismissed

Vincent Hudson Plt
against
Solomon Enloe Deft } In bail

This suit is dismissed

William Churchill is for reasons appearing to the Court, excused from rendering
any account of his Ward Estate -

27th Tuesday 5 Septem 1768

James Rophinstall by John Robinson . . . Pl^t

against

Richard Rophin and Mary his wife . . . Def^s

} Summons

Ordered that the Def^s give the Pl^t counter securities for the administration of the Estate of George Roke deceased, or deliver up the said Estate to the Pl^t.

Buchan Corbin and David Ror Executors of James Reid Esq^r deceased Pl^t

against

William Churchhill John Churchhill and James Churchhill Executors
of James Reid Esq^r deceased . . . Def^s

} Indeb^t

This Day came the Parties by their attorneys, and by consent of the Parties all matters in difference between them are referred to the Determination of Christopher Robinson and James Reid Esquires whose award is to be the Judgement of the Court, and the same is ordered accordingly.

Charles Nelson Esquire . . . Pl^t

against

John M^r. Miller . . . Def^s

} on attachment

This came the Pl^t by his attorney, and the Def^s though solemnly called came not, the Pl^t having proved his claim for four pounds, nine shillings, and five pence due upon It is considered that the said Pl^t recover against the said Def^s the said sum and his costs by him about his Detention expended, and it is further ordered that the said Def^s make sale of the attached Effects according to law and pay the money to the Pl^t towards satisfying his Judgment

William Mountague exhibited and made oath to his several Wards accounts, which were examined and allowed by the Court, and ordered to be recorded

Richard Corbin and David Ror Executors of James Reid Esq^r deceased Pl^t

against

John Smith and Henry Washington Gent^l law Sheriff . . . Def^s

} Exec^{rs} facias

ATB
The Def^t Washington being duly Summed, and not appearing It is ordered that Judgement
be entered for the Pl^t against the said Def^t that he have Execution for the pounds fourteen
Shillings and seven pence namely three pounds, five shillings and fifteen pence or one hundred
and fifty pounds, Taxes, and the Costs of suing forth and prosecuting this writ, and
the Sheriff having returned that the other Def^t John Smith was not found, on the Motion
of the Pl^t by his attorney on alias return Facias is awarded him against the said
Def^t returnable here at the next Court

Ordered That the Court be adjourned to the Court on Tuesday

The minutes of this Days proceedings were signed by

Ch^r Robinson Gentleman

A Court for Proof of Publick Claims, and for receiving
and Certifying Propositions and Grievances held for Middlesex
County the Day of in the Year
of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third the Annus
Domini 176 Before his Majestys Justices of the said County
to wit John Robinson Robert Daniels James Mills and Charles Nelson
Gentlemen

The Act concerning Publick Claims was openly read, and then divers publick Claims were
produced according to Law by the respective Claimants, and together with the Vouchers ordered
to be Certified to the General Assembly by the Clerk to wit

A Claim of William Denny for taking up a Runaway Slave named Denny
belonging to William Shackney of this County

A Claim of John Dugos for taking up a Runaway Slave belonging to
William Blackburn

The Minutes of these Proceedings were signed by

John Robinson Gentleman

At a COURT held for Middlesex County at the Court House in London
on Tuesday the fifth Day of February in the fifth Year of the Reign of
our Sovereign Lord George the Third, by the Grace of God, of Great
Britain, France and Ireland King, Defender of the Faith &c. And
in the Year of our Lord Christ MDCCCLXV-

Present his Majesty's Justices Christopher Robinson, Ralph Wormeley, Gauris,
Corbin, James Mills, and Charles Neilson Gentlemen.

John Robinson Gent^r produced a Commission from the Hon^{ble} Francis Fauquier Esquire
his Majesty's Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of this Colony bearing
Date the fifteenth Day of October MDCCCLXIV appointing him Sheriff of this County,
upon which he took the Oaths to his Majesty's Person and Government appointed by
Act of Parliament to be taken instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy
read and subscribed the Test, and also took the Oath of a Sheriff, and entered into
Bond with William Churchill Esq, his Security, and also entered into the several
other Bonds according to the several Acts of Assembly

The Court proceeded to lay the County Levy as follows.

Middlesex County D

To Mr Secretary Nelson by Account	12 Feb 90
To John Dennis Junr Deputy Attorney for his Salary	10 AC
To d ^r for attending a Court of Oyer & Terminer for the Trial of Batchelor & Peter	2 10
To the Clerk of the County his usual Salary	12 A8
To d ^r for attending a Court of Oyer	2 10
To d ^r for taking an Inquisition as Coroner	1 33
To d ^r for making out Lists of Fitchables for the Country & County	4 00
To Edward Ware for Keeping Ferry	20 80
To d ^r for taking Care of the Court House	7 28
To the Sheriff for Publick Services	12 A8
To d ^r due the former Sheriff for balance	5 18
To Rob ^t Elliot for Two Register Books	£4.0.0

To James Wortham Subsheriff per Acc^t.

12.62

4. 50
105

To Edw^d Ware Gaoler per Acc^t.

335

To W^m Diddle for summoning a Coroner's Jury

50

To Philip Mountague p^r Acc^t for Delinquents

84

To d^r for Balance Muir's Acc^t.

0.10.0

To be levied and sold to pay the Charge of the New Dragon Bridge

3000

To be levied to pay Money Debts

1000

To 6 p^r C^t collecting

766

Contra C^t

£5.2.62 13345

By 1418 Tithables at 9^s each

12762

By Bal^l to be accounted for next year to the Sheriff

783
13545

Ordered that the Sheriff collect of every Tithable Seven within this County Nine pounds of Tobacco and the Balance being Seven hundred and Eighty three be paid him at laying the next Levy

Ordered that the 500^s levied for Edward Ware's keeping Ferry over Urbanna Creek by Consent of the said Ware be paid to Mr. Robinson Esq^r for the Use of Alexander Reader's Estate

Ordered that George Daniel be appointed Surveyor of the Road from the Globe Road to the Mother Church, Turk's Ferry and the Dragon Bridge also to Locust Point

George Daniel, Philip Mountague and James Wortham having taken the Oaths appointed to be taken instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy the Oaths of Abjuration and subscribed the same as also the Test and the Oath of Deputy Sheriff administered to them

A Bill of Sale from W^m Churchill Esq^r to Hannah Churchill Widow was acknowledged in Court and ordered to be recorded.

Sunday 5 Sept. 1765

An Indenture from John Brooks and Elizabeth his wife to John Starnard was acknowledged by the said John Brooks and Elizabeth (she being first privily examined), and the said John Brooks also acknowledged the Receipt thereon indented, all which is ordered to be recorded.

On the motion of John Taylor Administration is granted him of the Estate of his late wife Elizabeth, ~~he~~ having taken the usual Oath and with William Brookes his Security entered into Bond according to Law.

On the motion of James Patyson Administration is granted him of the Estate of Richard Patyson decd, he having taken the usual Oath and with Charles Neilson his Security entered into Bond according to Law.

Jane Meacham's Ordinary Licence is renewed she having with James Wortham her Security entered into Bond according to Law.

A Bond from Rice Jones, Wm Mountague and James Edmonson to Richard Corbin Esquire was acknowledged by the said Rice and proved by the said William and James by the Oaths of David Rice and James Mountague two of the Witnesses whereof and Ordered to be recorded.

Articles of Agreement indented between Rice Jones and Richard Corbin Esq were acknowledged by the said Rice and ordered to be recorded.

Ordered that Tobias Allen, Robert Blackley, John Chowning & John Thurston, or any three of them, being first sworn do appraise the Estate of Rich^d Patyson decd. and report to the Court

An Indenture from George Johnson to Tobias Allen, and a Receipt thereon indented were proved by the Oaths of the several Witnesses whereof and Ordered to be recorded.

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A Bill of Sale from Paul Philpotts and Anne his Wife to Andrew Davis was proved by the Oaths of Barber Davis and Jo^hn Hiptinstall two of the witnesses where to is admitted to Record.

On the Petition of John Daniel Licence is granted him to keep Ordinary at his House in Wottona he having with William Chowning his Security entered into Bond.

Ordered that the Churchwardens of Christ Church Parish bind out Samuel Chowning and George Chowning Orphan of George Chowning deed, and Samuel Greenwood Orphan of Samuel Greenwood deed to serve according to Law.

William Churchill, Robert Daniel, Christopher Robinson jun^r, George Daniel and Thomas Kemp, by Virtue of their several Military Commissions, took the usual Oaths to his Majesty's Person and Government, and read and signed the Vot.

Rowland Sutton took the Oath of an Assistant Inspector at Kemp's Warehouse and with John Morgan his Security entered into Bond.

On the Motion of Agnes Bristow's Administration is granted ~~her~~ on the Estate of James Bristow deed she having with Morris Smith her Security entered into Bond.

Ordered that William Segar, John Segar, James Mountague and Philip Mountague or any three of them being first sworn do appraise the Estate of James Bristow deed.

Edmund Berkeley sen^t. Gent. in open Court renounced the Executorship of the last Will and Testament of Churchill Jones deed.

License is granted Edmund Berkeley sen^t. Gent. to keep Ferry over Piankeltand at Season's.

The Action of Trespass on the Case brought by Anne Jones against Braxton Bird is Dismissed.

John Seckright Lessee of John Wake Pl.

against

John Berry

Def.

} In Payment for Fifty Acres of Land
with the appurtenances lying & being
in the Parish of Christ Church & County of Middlesex

This Day came the Parties by their Attornies, and the Gentlemen to whom the Matter
in Difference had been referred returned their Award in the Words following, to wit,

In Pursuance of an Order of the Worshipful Court of Middlesex County bearing
Date the 7th Day of June 1763 We the Subscribers met on the Land in Dispute
between John Wake Pl. and John Berry Def. and having viewed the same,
and considered the Deposition taken in this Cause & having also heard
the Testimony of several Witnesses, and examined the Papers produced to us
by each of the Parties, are of Opinion that the Branch next to the Pl. Stream is
the true Bounds between him and the said Berry, and that therefore Judgment
ought to be entered for the Def. Given under our Hands this Ninth Day of
August 1764 Ch^s. Robinson John Smith Robert Elliot. On Consideration
whereof it is adjudged that the Pl. take Nothing by his Bill, but for his
false Clamour be taken ~~re~~. And that the Def. go hence thereof without
Day and recover against the Lessee of the Pl. his Costs by him about his
Defence in this behalf expended.

John Symmer Pl.

against

Edward Brisson

Def.

} On Petition for £ 2. 19. 6. 2 said to be due by
Account.

This Day came the Parties by their Attornies, and the matter being fully
heard, It is considered that the Pl. recover against the said Def. the Sum of
Two Pounds nineteen Shillings & six pence half penny with Costs and charges
See.

Hezlor Nuttall Pl.

against

Christopher Milles

Def.

} In Case

On the motion of the Pl. This Suit is discontinued

John Crane

Pl.

against

In Debt

W^m John A. Arm. Churchill Ex^{or} of A. Churchill Esq. decd Def.

This Day came the Parties by their Attornies, and the Def^t relinquishing their former Plea say that they cannot deny the Pl^t's Action. Therefore it is considered that the Pl^t recover against the said Def^t One hundred and thirty seven Pounds fourteen Shillings the Debt in the Declaration mentioned, and also his Costs by him in this behalf expended, to be levied of the Goods and Chattels of the said Decedent in the Hands of the said Def^t unadministred, if so much thereof they have, and if not, then the Costs to be levied of their proper Goods and Chattels, and the said Def^t in Mercy &c. But this Judgment, the Costs excepted, is to be discharged by the Payment of Thirty five Pounds One Shilling and seven pence with Interest to be computed thereon at the Rate of five per Centum per Annum from the fifth Day of April MDCCLXXV till paid.

The Hon^{ble} William Nelson Esquire

Pl.

against

In Case

Philip Fencham

Def.

This Day came the Pl^t by his Attorney, and thereupon a Jury, to wit Daniel Swiner, John Layton William Segas, Darmon Darboe, Thomas Sanders, John Stringer, Jacob Acre, John Dillard, Henry Johnson, Rice Jones, Lard Mountague, and Alexander Gill being sworn well and truly to inquire of Damages in this Suit, upon their Oath do say, That the Pl^t hath sustained Damages by Reason of the Def^t's Breach of Promise in the Declaration mentioned to Six Pounds four Shillings and a half penny besides his Costs. Therefore it is considered that the Pl^t recover against the said Def^t his Damages aforesaid in form aforesaid aforesaid and also his Costs by him in this behalf expended. And the said Def^t in Mercy &c. And it is further Ordered that the Sheriff make Sale of the Effects by him attached towards satisfying this Judgment.

John Murray

Pl.

against

James Lee

Def.

In Debt

The Attachment awarded in this Suit being returned executed, and the Def.
tho' solemnly called not appearing, On the motion of the Pl. by his Attorney
It is considered that he recover against the Def. his Debt in the Declaration
mentioned amounting to Twelve Pounds four Shillings and also his Costs by
him about his Suit in this behalf expended, and the said Def. in Mercy &c.
and it is further ordered that the Sheriff make sale of the Effects by him
attached according to Law. But this Judgment, the Costs excepted
is to be discharged by the Payment of Six Pounds One Shilling and six
pence half penny with Interest to be computed thereon at the Rate of
five per Cent. per Annum from the first Day of June 1767 till paid.

John Wiatt junior

Pl.

against

Darmon Darby

Def.

In Case

This Suit is dismissed with Costs.

Thomas William Sanders

Pl.

against

John Cornelius

Def.

On Petition for £1.10.0 by Ass.

This Suit is dismissed.

John Gordon

Pl.

against

Charles & John Ferguson

Def.

In Scire facias to renew a Judgment obtained
by Pl. ag. the Def. 3 Aug. 1763 for £5.7.0 w.
Int. from 6 Oct. 1762. 15q. in Feb. a 15/ or 150 Sol.

The Alias Scire facias awarded in this Suit being returned executed on the P. Ferguson
and the S. Charles not found, and the said Defs. tho' solemnly called not appearing,
On the motion of the Pl. by his Attorney, It is considered that Execution be awarded

him against the said Defs according to the Form and Effect of the Recovery afo.
and also for the Cost of suing forth & prosecuting this Writ.

Solias Allen

Pl.

against

John Smith

Def.

On Pet^r for £2.11.3 said to be due from
the Est^t of John Smith dec'd by Acc^t.

Judgment is granted the Pl^r for Two Pounds ten Shillings and Costs

Ordered that the Court be adjourned till to morrow morning 10 o' Clock.

The Minutes of this Day's Proceedings were signed by

Ch^r Robinson Gent^l

At a Court continued and held for Middlesex County
at the Court House in Urbanna on Wednesday the sixth Day
of February in the Fifth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord
George the Third by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and
Ireland King, Defender of the Faith &c. And in the year of our
Lord Christ MDCCCLXV.

Present his Majesty's Justices, Christopher Robinson, Gavin Corbin, Robert
Daniel and James Mills Gentlemen.

A Deed of Mortgage from Paul Philpott to Robert Daniel Gent. was pro
duced and the Oath of Rob^t Daniel jun^r One of the Witnesses thereto admitted to.

Augustine Rice

against

John Taylor

Pl^r

Def^r

On Petition for £ A. S. C said to be due
by Account

This Day came the Pl^r by Esq^r his Attorney, and the matters being fully consid^{er}
sidered that the Pl^r recover ag^t the Def^r Three Pounds ten Shillings and his Costs in this behalf
expended.

Present Charles Neilson Gent.

The Hon^{ble} Richard Corbin Esq. acknowledged his Indenture to Garvin Corbin Esq. which is ordered to be Recorded

Archibald Ritchie Gent.

Pl.

against

George Warrick

Def.

On Petition for £3.16.10 said to be due by Account.

This Day came the Pl. by David Her his Att^y and the Def. in his proper Person acknowledges the Pl.'s Action. Therefore it is considered that the Pl. recover against the said Def. Three Pounds sixteen shillings and ten pence with Costs and Lawyers Fee.

John Minter

Pl.

against

Richard Hopkins junr.

Def.

On Petⁿ for £2.0.0 by Acc^t.

Judgment is awarded the Pl. for Two Pounds and Costs

Henry Street

Pl.

against

John Legar

Def.

In Cases

This Suit is dismissed.

On the motion of John Yarrington a witness for John Minter ag^t Richard Hopkins it is ordered that the said John Minter pay him for Five Day's Attendance at this Court according to Law.

Henry Street

Pl.

against

Sarah Brinn

Def.

On Petⁿ for £1.9.0 by Acc^t.

Judge is granted the Pl. for the said Sum with Costs & a Lawyer's Fee.

Archibald Ritchie junr

Pl.

against

Def.

In Debt

Larane Mountrague

Judgment for the Tobacco Costs.

Henry Street

Pl.

against

Def.

In Debt

Isiah Brim junr

This Day came the Pl. by his Attorney, and Samuel Daniel and John Daniel undertook for the Def. that in case he should be cast in this Action, he should pay the Condemnation of the Court or render his Body to Prison in Execution for the same, or that they the said Samuel and John would pay the Condemnation for him; And whereupon the Def. comes and defends the Force and Injury, whence and saith that he cannot gainsay the Pl's Action; Therefore it is considered that the Pl. recover against the said Def. Five Pounds three Shillings and four pence with Interest to be computed thereon at the Rate of five per Centum from the twenty sixth Day of July MDCCLXXII till paid, and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended, And be the Pl. Def. advised &c. Moved that the Pl. agrees to stay Execution on this Judgment three Months

John Philman

Pl.

against

Def.

In Debt

Charles Lee

Dismiss Agreed.

Richard Hopkins junr

Pl.

against

Def.

On Petition for £3.2.6 said to be due by Account

William Odean

Dismiss

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Andrew Davis Pl^t

against

Edward Davis Def^t

} On Pet^r for £2.0.0 by Acc^t

This Suit is dismissed.

Edward Voss Pl^t

against

Elizabeth Reade Def^t

} On Pet^r for £3.6.9 said to be due by Acc^t

This Day came the Parties by their Attornies, and being fully heard, It is considered that the Pl^t recover against the Def^t Three Pounds and Costs.

David Loudon Pl^t

ag^t

John Atkinson Manins Def^t

} In Case

Dismiss being agreed by the Parties

John Aldin Pl^t

against

Edmond Mitchell Def^t

} In Case

This Suit abates by the Death of the Pl^t.

Ordered that Edward Voss pay David Furnes for five Days Attendance as a Witness for him against Eliz^t Reade

The Will of William Mountague dead was further proved by the Oath of John Owen

The summons awarded at the Instance of W^m Jones against Richard Iverson being returned executed, and the said Iverson not appearing the solemnly called, It is Ordered that he deliver up the Estate of his late Wife Rebekah to the said William

Jones or give him Counter Security.

Alexander Gill Pl.

against

John Crump Def.

} Pl.^t for £1.12.6 by Account

This Day came the Pl. by his Attorney, and having proved his Account, It is considered that he recover against the Def. One Pound twelve Shilling and six pence with Costs and a Lawyers Fee.

John Aldin Pl.

against

Jacob Acre Def.

} In Case

This Suit abates by the Plaintiffs Death.

Oliver Segar Pl.

against

Hannah Price Def.

} On Pl.^t for £3.10.0 said to be due by Account.

This Day came the Parties by their Attornies, and mature Consideration being had of the Evidence on both sides, It is considered that the Pl. recover against the Def. Three Pounds ten Shilling and Costs.

John Aldin Pl.

against

John Stringer Def.

} In Trovass, Assault and Battery

This Suit abates by the Plaintiffs Death.

Ordered that Oliver Segar pay James Walton for Four Days Attendance and Crockett Saltnes for three Days Attendance as Witnesses for him against Hannah Price.

John Taylor Pl^t

against

Randolph Rhodes Def^t

} On Petⁿ for £3.16.0 due by Note of Hand

The Sheriff having returned that the Summons was not executed by the Order of the Pl^t it is considered that this Petition be dismissed.

John Taylor Pl^t

against

Robert Stampor Def^t

Pl^t

Def^t

} On Petⁿ for 1.3.4 due by an Order accepted

Judgment is granted the Pl^t for One Pound Eight Shillings and four Pence with Costs.

Henry Wall Pl^t

against

Henry Whiting Def^t

Pl^t

Def^t

} In Debt

Discontinued being served on the wrong Person

John Newcomb Pl^t

against

Richard Daniel Def^t

Pl^t

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Def^t

} On Petition

The Def^t confesseth Judgment for Two Pounds fifteen Shillings and Costs.

Thomas Price Exor of Tho^s Price dec'd Pl^t

against

Thomas Lee & John Hardee Def^t

Pl^t

Def^t

} Petⁿ for £2.3.0 by Obligation

This Day came the Pl^t by his Att^r and the Sheriff having returned that Tho^s Lee is no Inhabitant of his County this Suit is discontinued as to him, and the Def^t Hardee being duly summoned and not appearing, Judgment is granted the Pl^t against him for Two Pounds Three Shillings and Costs. But this Judgment the Costs excepted is to be discharged by the Payment of One Pound two Shillings and six pence with Interest to be computed thereon from the twenty ninth Day of March 1768 till paid.

David Her

Pl.

against

James Parsons

Def.

On Attachment

This Day came the Pl. in his proper Person, and the Def. tho' solemnly called not appearing, and the Sheriff having returned that he had attached the Effects of the Def. in the Hands of Thomas Wortham, the Pl. proved his Debt for sixteen Pounds twelve Shillings and Three with Interest on Fourteen Pounds six Shillings past thereof from the first Day of June MDCCLXXV. Therefore it is considered that the Pl. recover against the said Def. Sixteen Pounds twelve Shillings and Three pence with Interest on Fourteen Pounds six Shillings past thereof to be computed thereon from the first Day of June MDCCLXXV till paid and the Costs by him in this behalf expended. And it is further ordered that the Judgment obtained by the Def. against the said Thomas Wortham be condemned and made liable to the Plaintiff Demand, and that the said Wortham do pay the same to the said Pl. towards satisfying this Judgment.

John Aldin

Pl.

against

John Sminger

Def.

In F. & B.

This Suit abates by the Death of the Plaintiff.

John Abbott Esq. of Jacob Abbott Pl.

Def.

On Pet. for £5.0.0 due by Note of Hand

John Aldin

Def.

This Suit abates by the Death of the Defendant

James Mills Esq.

Pl.

against

Ann Jones

Def.

On Pet. for £4.5.0 by Account

This Day came the Pl. by his Attorney and having proved his Account, It

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is considered that the Pl.^t recover against the said Def. Four Pounds five Shillings and Costs.

John Taylor

Pl.^t

against

John Dillard junr.

Def.^t} On Pet.ⁿ for L.A. 15. 6 by Ass.^t

This Day the Parties being fully heard It is considered that the Pl.^t recover against the said Def.^t Four Pounds fifteen Shillings and six pence with Costs.

Edward Ware

Pl.^t

against

Thomas Worham

Def.^t

} On Attachment

Judgment is granted the Pl.^t for Two Pounds four Shillings & four pence and Cost, and it is ordered that the Sheriff make sale of the attached Effect according to Law.

An Account of the sale of the Estate of John Worham deceased was returned and Ordered to be Recorded.

John Stringer is appointed Constable in the Room of John Aldin.

John Lee is appointed Constable in the Room of William Owen.

Ordered that Darnon Darby pay Ruddy Darby for Three Days Attendance as a witness for him against Wiatt.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned to the first Tuesday in next month.

The minutes of this Days Proceedings were signed by

Chr. Robinson Genl.

At a Court held for Middlesex County at the Court House in
Urbanna on Tuesday the Second Day of April in the Fifth
year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third by
the Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King
Defender of the Faith &c. And in the year of our Lord Christ
MDCCCLXXV.

Present Christopher Robinson, Gannin Corbin, James Mills and Lewis
Mountague Gentlemen Justices.

Ordered that the Sheriff summon Twenty four Freeholders to appear at next
Court, that out of them a Grand Jury may be Impaneled.

Ordered that the Rates of Liquors be continued as formerly.

Fanny a Negroe Girl belonging to Clement Nicholson is adjudged to be twelve
years of Age, and Suba a Negroe Boy belonging to the same Person is adjudged
to be ten years of Age.

Lewis Mountague Gent. took the Oaths appointed by Act of Parliament to his
Majesty's Person and Government, as also the Oath of Abjuration, repeated and
subscribed the Test, and then had the Oath of a Justice of the Peace and of a
Justice in Chancery administered to him.

Lewis Mountague Gent. is appointed to take the List of Tithables in the
upper Precinct of this County, James Mills Esq in the Middle and Ralph
Wormeley Esq in the lower.

On the Motion of George Channing Licence is granted him to keep Ordinary
in the Town of Urbanna, he having with Benjamin Rhodes his Security
entered into Bond according to Law.

Tuesday 24 April 1765

The Settlement of the Estate of John Wortham dead was returned and ordered to be recorded.

The Settlement of the Estate of John Meacham deceased was returned and ordered to be recorded.

On the Petition of Jean Owen widow of William Owen dead Administration is granted her on the said Decedent's Estate, she having with John George, and William Wood her Securities entered into Bond according to Law.

John Jackson, William Sagar, Philip Mountague and James Mountague or any Three of them being first sworn are appointed to appraise the Estate of William Owen deceased.

A Deed of Gift from Anne Humphreys to her Son John Humphreys was presented in Court and Ordered to be recorded.

John George's Ordinary Licence is renewed he having entered into Bond with Charles Lee his Security.

An Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of William Mountague dead was returned and ordered to be recorded.

Ordered that the Sheriff employ workmen to alter the Lawyers Bench and make it convenient for their Books and Papers, and James Mills Esq. is desired to direct how the same shall be done.

Present Charles Nailson Gent. Absent Mr. Mills & Lewis Mountague Gent.

Thomas Mervall

against

Thomas Wortham

Pl.

Def.

} In Case

This Day came the Parties by their Attornies, and thereupon came also a Jury, to wit, Charles Lee, Lodowick Suggs, Richard Davis, Thomas Saff, Tho: Whitley, George Davis, John George junr, Tobias Allen, Henry Johnson, William Gardiner, Thomas Sanders and David Barrick, who being elected, tried and sworn the Truth to speak upon the Issue joined, upon their Oath do say, that the Def: did assume in manner and form as the Pl: against him hath declared, and they assess the Pl's Damages by Occasion of the Breach of that Assumption to Twenty three Pounds thirteen Shillings and three farthings besides his Costs. Therefore it is considered that the Pl: recover against the said Def: his Damages aforesaid in form aforesaid, and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended, And the said Def: in Mercy &c.

Absent Garvin Corbin Esq, Present James Mills Esq

Mary Stevens Pl:
 against } In Case
 John Morgan and Needles Still Deft

This Day came the Parties by their Attornies, and thereupon came also a Jury, to wit, Charles Lee, Lodowick Suggs, Thomas Saff, Thomas Whitley, Tho: Sanders, John George junr, Tobias Allen, Henry Johnson, Alexander Gill, Darmon Darby, David Barrick and Richard Davis who being elected, tried and sworn the Truth to speak upon the Issue joined, upon their Oath do say, That the Defendants are Guilty and they assess the Pl's Damages by Reason Whereof to Four Pounds ten Shillings besides her Costs. Therefore it is considered that the Pl: recover against the said Def: her Damages aforesaid in Form aforesaid assessed, and also her Costs by her about her Suit in this behalf expended. And the said Deft: in Mercy &c.

Edward Ware Pl:
 against } In Debt
 John Aldin & Benj: Williams Deft

Be it Remembered that heretofore, to wit, the seventh Day of August 1800

Judgment was entered for the Pl^t against the Def^t for Three pounds Six Shillings and seven pence with Interest from the first Day of April in the said Year till paid and Costs; And now at this Day with the Consent of the Pl^t by his Attorney it is ordered that this Suit be discontinued as to the Def^t Williams.

Thomas Spencer and Mary his Wife - Complainants

against

Edward Spencer Guardian of John Meacham and

the said John Meacham - Def^t

In Chancery

This Day a Report pursuant to a former Order of this Court was returned in the Words and Figures following, to wit, [See the Report recorded in Will Book p. 2A3]
On Consideration whereof it is Ordered and Decreed That the Def^t deliver to the Pl^t the Slaves mentioned in the said Report of the Prices following, to wit, Adam Forty five pounds, Sue Thirty five pounds, Linah Forty five pounds, Will Fifteen pounds, Jama Ten pounds, Jane Twenty pounds, Sall Ten pounds, And pay to the Pl^t One hundred and sixty five pounds Eighteen Shillings being their Share of the Estate of John Meacham decd.

James Lenti

against

John Greenwood

Pl^t

In S^t B.

Def^t

This Suit is dismissed

Robert Dalgleish

against

Edward Dillard

Pl^t

In Case

Def^t

This Day came the Pl^t by his Attorney and the Def^t in his proper Person relinquishing his former Plea, saith that he cannot deny the Pl^t's Action. Therefore with the Assent of the Pl^t it is considered that he recover against the said Def^t Seven pounds Nineteen pounds and two pence half penny and his Costs by him about

his Suit in this behalf expended. And the said Def. in Mercy &c. And it is further Ordered that the said Def. remain and be committed to the Custody of the Sheriff of this County in Execution for this Judgment.

The last Will and Testament of William Williamson having been proved by the Witnesses thereto is admitted to Record.

An Indenture from David Her to Alexander Frazier was acknowledged by the said David and ordered to be Recorded.

Francis Whiting Pl.
N. against } In case
Edward Dillard Def.

This Day came as well the Pl^t by his Attorney as the Def^t in Custody of the Sheriff of this County, and the said Def^t relinquishing his former Plea acknowledges the Pl^t's Action for Seven Pounds nine Shillings and Eight Pence. Therefore it is considered that the Pl^t recover against the Def^t the Sum aforesaid and also his Costs by him in this behalf expended, and the said Def^t in M^oney re. And on the Motion of the Pl^t it is further ordered that the Def^t stand committed in Execution on this Judgment.

Wm. Snodgrass A.P.^{le} of Arch^d. McCall. Pl^{ty}
against } In Debt
Thomas Price Def.^t

The Def^t. being called and not appearing, on the Motion of the Pl^t. by his Attorney, it is considered that the Order of the last Court be confirmed, and that the Pl^t. recover against the said Def^t. his Debt in the Declaration mentioned amounting to Eight hundred and seventy one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and ten pence and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended, And the said Def^t. in Mercy &c. But this Judgment, the Costs excepted, is to be discharged by

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the Payment of Four hundred and Thirty five Pounds nineteen shillings and eleven Pence with Interest to be computed thereon from the Second Day of October 1769 to the Time of Payment. Mem^d That the Pl^d acknowledges to have rec^d fifteen shillings and ten pence farthing in Part of the Principal of the above Debt, and also to have rec^d Thirty two Pounds eleven shillings and eight Pence on the Second Day of November 1769 in Part of the Interest.

James Campbell Pl^d

against

Thomas Price Def^t

} In Debt

The Def^t not appearing the Pl^d again solemnly called, On the Motion of the Pl^d by his Attorney. It is considered that the Order of the last Court be confirmed and that he recover against the said Def^t Twenty one Pounds ten shillings being the Debt in the Declaration mentioned and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended, and be the said Def^t amerced. But this Judgment the Costs excepted, is to be discharged by the Payment of

with Interest to be computed thereon at the Rate

of Five per Centum per Annum from the Third Day of August 1769 till paid.

William Churchill, John Churchill & Armistead Churchill } Pl^d
Exors. &c. of Armistead Churchill Esq^r

against

Samuel Deagle Def^t

} In Debt

The Def^t not appearing though again solemnly called, on the Motion of the Pl^d by David Her their Attorney, It is considered that the Order of the last Court be confirmed, and that the Pl^d recover against the said Def^t and John Her in his Security their Debt in the Declaration mentioned amounting to Twenty one Pounds eight shillings and seven pence and also their Costs by them about their Suit in this behalf expended, And the said Def^t in Mercy &c. But this Judgment, the Costs excepted, is to be discharged by the Payment of Ten

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Pounds fourteen shillings and three pence half penny with Interest to be computed thereon at the Rate of five per Centum per Annum from the first Day of November MDCCCL to the time of Payment.

Abvent James Mills Gent. Present Rob. Daniel Gent.

Archibald Ritchie Gent. Pl.

against

} On Pet. for £ 3.13.10 1/2 due by Account

1769

July 20 1769

in Jan. 1770

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John Cornelius Def.

This Day came the Pl. by his Attorney and the Parties being fully heard, It is considered that the Pl. recover against the Def. Three Pounds thirteen shillings and ten pence forthing with Cost and seven shillings and six pence for an Attorney's Fee.

Archibald and William Brounley Pl.

against

} In Debt

Benjamin Rhodes sen. Def.

The Def. not appearing the Pl. again solemnly called, On the motion of the Pl. by David Mac their Attorney, It is considered that the former Order of this Court be confirmed, And that the Pl. recover against the said Def. and ^{Lewis Mountaine} John Robinson Gent. Sheriff of this County their Debt in the Declaration mentioned being Fourteen Pounds two shillings and also their Cost by them in this behalf expended, And the said Def. in Mercy be.

Merry Street Pl.

against

} In Debt

John Owers Def.

The Def. not appearing the Pl. again solemnly called, On the motion of the Pl. by his Attorney, It is considered that the former Order of Court be confirmed and that

the Pl.^t recover against the Def.^t and James Mountague his Common Bail his Debt in the Declaration mentioned being

James Mills Esquire Pl.^t

against

Thomas Wortham Def.^t

} In Case

This Day came the Pl.^t by his Attorney and the Def.^t comes and defends the Force and Injury when he. and saith that he cannot gainway the Plaintiffs Action for Five Pounds six Shillings and ten pence halfpenny: Therefore with the Assent of the Pl.^t it is considered that he recover against the Def.^t his Damages aforesaid in, from afo.^r confessed and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the said Def.^t in Mercy &c.

James Mills Esq.^r of Andrews Davis Pl.^t

against

William Marston Def.^t

} In Debt

The Def.^t not appearing, the Pl.^t again solemnly called on the Motion of the Pl.^t by his Att.^r It is considered that the former Order of Court be confirmed, and that the Plaintiff recover against the Def.^t and Darmon Darby his Security his Debt in the Declaration mentioned being Eighteen Pounds two Shillings and four pence and also his Costs by him in this behalf expended, And the said Def.^t in Mercy &c. But this Judgment, the Costs excepted, is to be discharged by the Payment of Nine Pounds One Shilling and two pence with Interest to be computed thereon from the first Day of January 1765 at the Rate of five per Centum per Annum till paid.

Edward Bristons Pl.^t

against

Chr. Robinson jun^r & John Murray Def^{ts}

} In Debt

The Defendants not appearing, tho' again solemnly called. On the motion of the Pl^y by
his Attorney, It is considered that the former Order made in this Cause be confirmed,
and that the Pl^y recover against the Defendants and Lewis Mountague John Robinson Jent Sheriff
of this County his Debt in the Declaration mentioned being Seventeen Pounds four
Shillings and also his Costs in this behalf expended, And the said Def^s in mercy be.
But this Judgment, the Costs excepted, is to be discharged by the Payment of Eight
Pounds Twelve Shillings with Interest to be computed thereon at the Rate of Five
per Centum per Annum from the ninth Day of August MDCCCLXV till paid. -
Memo That the Pl^y acknowledges to have received this Day Seven Pounds Nine Shillings
and one penny in part of this Judgment.

Charles Neilson Esquire

R.

against

Philip Ferchamott

Def.

On Attachment

Dismissed by Order of the P.V.

John Segar

—

against

Robert Elliot

Def.

In Debt

This Day came the Pl^t by his Attorney, and the Def^t in his proper Person comes and defends the Force and Injury when ac- and saith that he cannot deny the Pl^t's Action: Therefore it is considered that the Pl^t recover against the Def^t his Debt in the Declaration mentioned amounting to

William Churchhill gent.

Pl.

against

Jonathan League

Def.

In Debt

This Day came the Pl. by his Attorney, and the Def. in his proper Person comes and defends the Force and Injury when he, and saith that he cannot deny the Pl's Action, and on his Motion it is ordered that the former Order against him and John Robinson gent. Sheriff of this County be set aside; And thereupon it is considered that the Pl. recover against the said Def. six Pounds eight Shillings and his Costs by him in this behalf expended, And the said Def. in Mercy &c. But this Judgment, the Costs excepted, is to be discharged by the Payment of Three Pounds four Shillings with Interest to be computed thereon from the twenty second Day of October MDCCCLXIV till paid.

William Jones

Pl.

against

James Smith and James Daniel

Def.

In Debt

The Defs not appearing tho' again solemnly called, On the Motion of the Pl. by his Attorney, It is considered that the former Order of Court be confirmed. And that the Pl. recover against the Defs and ^{Lewis Mountague} Robert Daniel Gent late, Sheriff of this County his Debt in the Declaration mentioned being

William Jones

Pl.

against

James Smith and James Daniel

Def.

In Debt

The Defendants not appearing, tho' again solemnly called, On the Motion

of the Pl^t by his Attorney, It is considered that the former Order made in this Cause be confirmed, And that the Pl^t recover against the Def^t and Lewis Mountague late Sheriff of this County the Debt in the Declaration mentioned amounting to

James Gregorie

Pl^t

against

Henry Whiting

Def^t

} In Debt

The Defendant not appearing, though again solemnly called, On the Motion of the Pl^t by his Attorney, It is considered that the former Order made in this Cause be confirmed, and that the Pl^t recover against the said Def^t his Debt in the Declaration mentioned being Seven Pounds nine Shillings and six pence with Interest to be computed thereon at the Rate of five per Centum per Annum from the twenty first Day of September MDCCCLXII till paid, and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended And be the said Def^t amerced &c.

Alexander Frazier

Pl^t

against

Rich^d. Corbin & David Hor Executors of Jas^{es} Reid Esq^{re} decd. Def^t

} In Case

The Persons to whom the matters in Difference between the Parties were by a former Order referred this Day made their Report in the Words and Figures following, to wit, "In Obedience to an Order of the County Court of Middlesex, bearing Date the 6th Day of February 1768 We the Subscribers have examined the Accounts subsisting between Alexander Frazier Pl^t and the Exors of James Reid Esq^{re} Defendants, and do find a Balance of One hundred and thirty five Pounds Sterling and Three hundred and thirty three Pounds seventeen Shillings and nine pence Current Money due from the Estate of the said James Reid to the said Alexander Frazier. Given under our Hands this Second Day

of April, 1765. James Mills, Charles Nelson". It is thereupon considered that the said Pl^t recover against the said Defendants One hundred and Eighty five Pounds Sterling, And Three hundred and thirty three Pounds Seventeen Shillings and nine pence Current Money, and also his Costs by him in this behalf expended, to be levied of the goods and Chattels which were of the said James Reid at the time of his Death in the Hands of the said Def^t to be administered, if so much thereof they have, and if they have not, then the Costs to be levied of their proper Goods and Chattels, and the said Def^t in Mercy &c.

Thomas Acade Rootes	Pl ^t .	} In Debt
against		
Thomas Wortham	Def ^t .	

The Def^t not appearing, the Pl^t again solemnly called, On the Motion of the Pl^t by his Attorney, It is considered that the former Order of Court be confirmed and that the Pl^t recover against the said Def^t.

Lodowick Jones Orphan of Humphrey Jones deceased made Choice of William Moore for his Guardian, who thereupon with Maurice Smith his Security entered into and acknowledged a Bond according to Law

Christopher Robinson, Robert Daniel and George Daniels	} Pl ^t .	} In Debt	
Executors of Christopher Custis dead			
against			
Edward Voss	Def ^t .		

This Suit is dismissed being agreed by the Parties

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