

Francis Brooks Gentⁿ att the request of Cap^t Giles Brent, sayth upon his oath, That hee was p^rnt when Cap^t Vaughan examined Roger Baxster upon his oath sometime the last yeare betweene Michaelmas & Christmas Touching the burning of Cap^t Brents Books by Edw: Commins: & th^t hee did heare the s^d Baxster declare how th^t he saw Edw: Commins goe up into M^r Brents loft, & throw downe the Books, saying Burne them Papists Diuells, or words to th^t effect. And further this Dep^t sayth That after upon discourse touching this matter, wth the s^d Roger Baxster, the s^d Baxster told this Dep^t th^t he thought th^t Cap^t Vaughan did not sett downe his full oath punctually. But left out this touching the Books, for he did not heare That read, & th^t it, of all, most concerned Cap^t Brent. further hee sayth, That he, this Dep^t heard Cap^t Vaughan read the Depⁿ w^{ch} hee had taken of Roger Baxster to Cap^t Brent & he heard nothing in it touching the Books w^{ch} att th^t time hee did much wounder att. And further he sayth not.

Jurat Coram Gou^r

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Nouemb^r 9^o Francis Brooks Gentⁿ complayneth agst Will^m Joanes of Kent, for That about 2 yeares agoe the s^d Joanes made bargaine & con^t wth this compl^t for a certaine 9 swine number of hogs & cattle w^{ch} he was bownd to make deliuey of to him att the passing Bill therefore: w^{ch} this compl^t did & the s^d Joanes hath not as yett made any deliuey of the swine whereby he is damnified to the ualew of 2500^t Tob. And deteyneth still the Bill w^{ch} this compl^t passed to him, for the fores^d cattle & swine.

Warr^t to the Sheriffe of Kent ret January Cou^t.

Whereas it is publikely knowne to all the Inhab^{ers} of Kent th^t in the late Rebellⁿ of th^t Iland Jn^o Gressam of th^t Iland Plant was a Partaker wth the Rebels, & a principall & actiue Instrument to meinteine the s^d Rebellⁿ of foote. And whereas the s^d Jn^o Gressam notwthstanding the late Gou^rs Pardon published for the Ile of Kent 16^o Apr. 1647^o & the last Pardon allso published by Tho: Greene Esq^r Gou^r of this prouince & bearing date att S^t Maries 4^o Martis 1647. in th^t case fauorably prouided th^t all persons whatsoeu^r interested in the fores^d Rebellⁿ (Rich Ingle Marin^r only excepted) expressing sorrow for their facts, & comming & crauing for their Pardon before Michaelmas last past should haue their Pardon for their offence committed, as afores^d W^{ch} notwthstanding the s^d John Gressam persisting in his ill mind, as it doth appeare, hath contemned & neglected, to sue for. These are therfore to requyre & auliorize All Sheriffs, belonging unto this prouince, If att any time they shall find the s^d Jn^o Gressam wthin their district, th^t