

Know all men by thees Presants that I John Wood doe yfreey Wil-
liam Codwell from all dues and detes and all demands from the begin-
ing of this world unto this day as witnes my hand the tultth of Agust
in the year of owr Lord God 1662

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Witnes John Small

John W Wood

his marke

Daniell O Hicoun

his marke

and for the Confirmation of his sayd Petition desiereth that M^r Wil-
liam Marshall M^r John Small Hewgh Thomas and Randall Cremer
might haue thear oath giuen them Concerning the Premisses which
was granted

M^r William Marshall sworne and Examined in open Court sayeth
that sumtime in August last past that John Wood and William Cod-
well wear together and this deponant heard John Wood say thear
hath bin sum differance between us but I ow you no ill will and in
Case you will helpe mee to too emptie hogsets to put my tob: in I
will helpe you a month to which william Codwell sayd hee woold and
John wood Replied but I hope you will not requir more of mee the I
am Able to which William Codwell Replied God forbid that I shoold
requir you to doe more then you are able and the sayd Wood replied
that hee woold then doe him the best saruice hee coold and further
sayeth not:

M^r John Small sworne and Examined in open Court sayeth that
beeing in the field William Codwell Came to this deponant and desired
him to make him a bill and a discharge betweene John Wood and him-
self and that Ended William Codwell Asked John Wood to helpe
him a Mounth and John Wood was willing to helpe him a mounth
and William Codwell sayd that in Case hee performed his munths
worke hee woold giue him too emptie hogsets and further sayeth
not:

Hewgh Thomas aged 24 years or thear abouts sworne and ex-
amined in open Court sayeth that to the best of this deponants re-
memberance sumtime in August last past William Codwell and John
Wood wear in dispute concerning Caske to put the tob: and william
Codwell asked the sayd Wood wheather hee woold helpe him a
mounth and the sayd wood Replied nothing whearupon this deponant
sayd John you may doe wors then to helpe him hee beeing a poor
man and the sayd wood Replied I doe not much Care if I doe helpe
him whearupon the sayd Codwell Replied if you will helpe mee I will
giue you too hogsets and John wood Replied hee woold helpe him a
month and doe him what good hee coold but hee woold not bee
forced to doe any thing more then hee was abell and William Codwell
Replied God forbid that I shoold desir you to doe any thing more
then you are able and so thay Concluded and william Codwell was to

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