At a County Court held for the Right Hono.ble Charles Earl Anno 1688
and the 15th day of August aforesaid &c

Present Com.ds aforesaid &c

Came William Morris & Samuell Hayden & became indebted to the Rt hono.ble the L.d Prop.ty
in the full value of forty pounds Ster.g to be Levied on their goods & Chattles Lands &
Tenements The Condition being such that if Wm Morrison shall make his personall
appearance every Court-holden heard in Sussex County & that during pleasure &c &c
if the said Wm Morrison will in the interim make appeare that he is a ffreeman &
had in no wise acted any thing Contrary to Law that then the above Obligation
to be void otherwise to remaine in full force & power &c &c

The same Day Com.ds aforesaid

Came John Hambly & Marmaduke Minster & became indebted to the Rt hono.ble the Lord
Prop.ty in the full value of forty pounds Ster.g money of England to be Levied on their
goods & Chattles Lands & Tenements for the use aforesaid The Condition being such
That if Thomas Morrison shall & will make his personall appearance every Court-hol
den heard in Sussex County during the Course of one full year & a day, or if in the interim
he bring a Certificate under the hand of any Justice of the peace liveing & residing in any
County within the Colony of Virg.a & the said Certificate to be sealed with the Seale of the said
County & attested by the Clk of the said County the said Certificate making appeare that
the aforesaid Thomas Morrison is a ffreeman & not acted aforesaid & that in the mean
time he be of the good abearance towards all the good people within this Province that then
the above Obligation to be void otherwise to remaine in full force power & vertue &c

The same Day Com.ds aforesaid

Walter Lane pl.ff
agt
James Broughton def.t } declaration read wt, Issue Joined & Sangster ffor pl.ff & Roots for def.t

Sussex County to James Broughton of this County cordwainer
planter & Jean his wife were Summoned to answer unto Walter
Lane of this County in an action upon the Case =

And thereupon the pl.ff by James Sangster his Attourney comes & Says that the
said def.t at severall times secretly and Clandestinly dealt & Truckt with the pl.ff servants
and induced the said Servants to steale & purloine (from their Masters the pl.ff) severall
goods & commodities & the same hath rec.d & receiveds off viz in the Mouth of Aprill or
May Anno Domi 1687 the said Jeane wife to the said James Broughton rec.d of the
said Servants One Bagg full of Cares of Indian Corne & in the Mouth of July follow
The said def.t had one Indian Boote full of Shells Corne & in the mouth of Octobr
following the said def.t did receive of the said Servants a greate quantity of ffeathers
as many as would fill a bed & at severall other times the def.t rec.d of the said
Serv.ts praise Brandy & Milk wherefore the pl.ff declareth that the said Broughton
hath not only made a breach of his Lordpps good Lawes but also indamnified the pl.ff
to the value of three thousand pounds of Tob.o & thereupon brings his Suite

Sangster ffor Pl.ff. p.C. plaig. { Jno Do:
Rich Ro: }