

inside of her hind feet white about three years old Drove with the felle of Aron
 Bishop & with the felle of the pl^t & Aron Bishop did goe into the Indian Towne
 and there did accompanie the felle of Rowland Beevine two or three monthes which
 said Cow did felloe in the said Indian Towne but by the said Shockeye D^f the said
 Cow together with her Calf was drove to the said D^f house the Cow by the said
 D^f mismarked & the Calf marked in the said D^f mark which said Cow & Calf the
 pl^t did make diligent enquiry After I found her with her Earre Cropt of both sides of her
 head Cows & was claimed by the said D^f which Cow is since dead a coming of her
 Accord to the pl^t plantation Now the pl^t says he is Damuified for want of the said
 Cow & Calf & the loss of her increase to the value of fifteen hundred pounds of
 Tobacco & thereupon brings his Suite

Sangster p^r Quer. p^r sed.

John Doe
 Rich: Roe

Evidences
 Aron Bishop
 Jno Walker
 Esther Whapler
 Rowland Beevine
 Thomas Lyle

on part of the pl^t

And the said Rich: Shockeye D^f by Thomas Lyle his Attourney Courts and
 defendeth the forced Divorce that although our Demuror being cast yet never the loss
 of the Cow beud fitt of the Act of Assembly although the Jury heard vs in August last
 by their Verdict being about a year if there had been such case of Action where there is
 Now being not found guilty of fact then Now the pl^t goes cunningly & craftily & brings
 In his owne Suite the selfe said Cows and declares amongst the rest after he saith the
 mismarking of the said Cow & which Cow is since dead a coming of her owne Accord to
 the pl^t plantation as if the Cow (of his) could speak more News need neither doth he
 mention nor time certain when mismarked nor time when he was a coming to his plantation
 In regard the issue is joind was desired that he may prove in the first place that Cow as he
 claimeth his in what Nature he forcible kept this Cow otherwise if not he were most
 humbly desired satisfaction for unjust Molestation

And the pl^t by his Attourney aforesaid says that he ought not to be charged his accion
 aforesaid & that he prayeth may be enquired of by the Country & the D^f also
 Whereupon Judgment was given to the Sheriff of this County to cause to come here two or
 and lawfull men of his Baywick by whom the truth of the Matter might be the better
 which being done saith the said parties by their Attourneys aforesaid & the Jurors of that
 Jury likewise caused viz Samuel Follis George Follis William Leyson Thomas Holbro
 Thomas Guillen William Doucom Myles Grey Walter Taylor Wm: Alexander Jam
 Henderson Richard Warren Gydian Tillman who being sworn & sworn to say
 the truth in the premises upon their Oaths doe say Wee the Jurors doe finde for the pl^t
 which said Verdict was ordered to be entered & confirmed by this Court

The said Day Court as aforesaid

The petition of Thomas Lyle about his Cow Woman but was refused made

This Court adjourns to the second Tuesday in November