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Persons found for coming with in Dore contrary to Order not being called w^{ch}. Jonathan: Dow
Dr. John: Higrens. George: Hy. Henry Lynton. Benjm: Rize. William: Browns. Gu: Allan
John: Farrst. Samuel: Mersham. William: Rids. Ruz: Murray

humble Petition of Bryan Leonard to their Majesties Justices of the Peace for Somerset County sheweth
whereas your petitioner is now bound to James: Sangster by the assignment of William Robbinson
a Judgment made and signed by your petitioner in the time of your petitioner's service in the said
County and compulsion was forced to sign, by virtue of which your petitioner is detained and kept
James Sangster contrary to law in surety, so your petitioner humbly craves your worship's Order
for freedom and your petitioner as in duty shall ever pray.

The Petition read y^e said Bryan was Ordered to return to his master James Sangster.

Our Majesties. } Somerset County sh^{eweth} Henry Lynton of this County was summoned to answer to
} what should be objected against him in behalf of their Majesties
Henry Lynton } And whereas the said Henry Lynton stands indicted in that he the said Lynton
} hath most wickedly sinfully and shamefully committed fornication with a woman
} as County, and upon his body hath begotten a bastard Child to the great dishonour of Almighty God, stand
} will examples of their Majesties good people, and against the good laws and institutions of this County, their
} Attorney Craves judgment may be entered against the said Lynton according to Law &c.

James: Sangster Clerk Just.

where Judgment the said Lynton pleaded not guilty. though the said indictment hath that he was the only father
of the said bastard Child. and Order given that Henry Lynton give security to keep himself this County
from said bastard Child, and also that he be of the good behaviour

And thereupon found the said Lynton and William Doffman and did acknowledge them selves by way of
Recognizance to be indebted unto their Majesties Lynton in 10. shillings. Doffman in 5. shillings. to be levied out their goods
and chattels for their Majesties use &c. The Condition of which Recognizance is such that if the above bounden
Henry Lynton do keep himself this County from the above said bastard Child, and also be of the good behaviour
to all their Majesties Liege people of this County, and likewise pay all good dues then the Recognizance void, or
else to be and remain in full power force and virtue.

Dr. John: Higrens exhibited several accounts into Court ^{the he made Oath by} wherein he has made several dishonours in
to out of the Administration of the Estate of Anne Smith deceased, and therefore humbly prayed that the
Court will please to value that he owes in money. and what being considered, the Court hath valued the
to be worth five shillings per hundred, and that to be the rate for others in the same species. and
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sw: Whittington } for petition.
} So the wor. Commissions of Somerset County in Court sitting
} to the humble petition of Andrew: Whittington sheweth. Whereas John:
} Cropper late of this County did was indebted to yo^r Honour 1095 Pounds of tobacco in Cash. Gu
} fraudulent having married with Rhodiah. Host the Result of the said debt y^e Honour Craves an
} Order against the said fraudulent for the above said tobacco and your Commissions as in duty bound shall pray
} to have the said Whittington made Oath 1. in Open Court. and thereupon the said Gu