Moses: Fenton. Plt
Contra.
Wm: Cooke. Deft

Somerset County ss. Wm: Cooke of this County Planter was attached to answer unto Moses Fenton of the same County in a plea of debt.

And whereupon the pltf by James: Langslow his Attorney Comes and sayes that the deft upon the twenty third day of January Anno Dni 1688 became indebted unto the pltf in the full and just quantity of five hundred pounds of good sound merchable tobacco in Casks to be payd in Consideration on Bargained Sold and dely and may appear by a Certain instrument under the hand and seal of the sd deft. which bears date the day and year aboves and is here in Court produced Yett notwithstanding of the forsd instrument the sd deft fraudulently and Craftily intending to deceive the pltf hath hitherto denyed payment and yett doth denye among Flow therefore required to the pltfs great loss and damage to the value of One thousand pounds of like tobacco in Casks and therupon brings this suite

James: Langslow p Quo pltfs gros { Jno: Doe Rich: Roe }

The Bill mentioned in the Declaration was kept from me p pltfs Attorney

Ordered by this Court the Bail Bond be delivered p the Sherriff to the pltf.

Martin: Curtis: Plt.
Contra.
Silas: Chapman. Deft.

Somerset County ss. Sylas: Chapman of this County Bricklayer was attached to answer unto Martin Curtis of the same County Taylor in a plea of debt &c.

And whereupon the pltf by James: Langslow his Attorney Comes and sayes that the said Sylas is Bound and standes indebted unto the pltf in the Just sum and quantity of four hundred and twenty pounds of good sound merchable tobacco in Casks the which payment well and truly to be made the sd deft did bind himself his Heirs Exctors & Admrs to the pltf his Heirs Exctors Admrs or Assigns as doth and may appear by a Certain Instrument under the hand and seal of him the sd deft. bearing the 19th day of July Anno Dni 1686 and is here in Court produced. But the sd deft fraudulently & Craftily intending to deceive the pltf of the sd sum of 420lb. of tobacco as aboves hath hitherto denyed y payment of the same, and yett doth denye to the pltfs great loss and damage to the value of 840lb of like tobacco in Casks and therupon brings this suite

Langslow p Quo pltfs gros. { Jno: Doe Rich: Roe }

The Bill mentioned in the forsd Declaration was kept from me p pltfs Attorney

Ordered by this Court that the Sherriff Assign the Bail Bond to the pltf.

Edmund: Dickison plt
Contra
Jno: Conner. Deft

Somerset County. ss. John: Conner late of this County was attached to answer unto Edmund: Dickison, of a plea of trespass upon the case &c.

And whereupon the sd Edmund by Peter. Bout his Attorney saith that the sd Jno is a true Credible and faithfull Subject of our Soveraign Lord the Kiney that now is, and as such himself hath governed and behaved from the time of his Nativity hitherto amongst his Neighbours and other the good people of this Precinct, with whom the sd Edmund hath had any Comerse Followship or Conversation, hath been held reputed and taken, without any Blett Spott or even the Suspition of any Felony, theft, robbery falsity or committing any other hurtfull crime, without blemish or fault or imputation and imposed, from the time of his Birth hitherto himself hath behaved and governed, whereby he hath not only obtayned and gotten to himself the great Friendship favour and good will of divers worthy persons and other good people of this Precinct, but also divers great gains and profitts towards the maintenance of himself and family hath honestly gained and Obtained. Nott withstanding the sd Jno. Knowing the happy Estate of the sd Edmund but mind ing