Whereupon ~~an~~ same writ was given to the Sheriff of the County to bring here twelve good & lawfull men of his Bailiwick
that the matter in hand might be the better understood & upon pannel whereof are returned as follows. (viz) William
Gill. Robert Warn. Jorge Long. Edward Long. Edward: John. Christop: Snoford. Da
Evans. Edward Harney. Edward Fowes. Barnaccon & Evidences sworn & Examined received their Charge & withdrawn
for ye — And the same day afore the said Jurors afore made their return to the Barr in Court, are now being
personally called being all agreed of their Verdict. The pltt & Deft being likewise called. the Verdict is read as
follows ye. — We — of the Jury do find for the pltt. Whereupon the Court Orders to be entered & Confirmed Judgment
And the Court Orders the Jury on the Tryall between the Pltt Bryan: Snow & Rob: Lotte to enquire
into what damages the Pltt Snow may have sustained in the Pltt Action Brought, wch the Jury were then sworn in
Court received their Charge & are dismissed for ye. — The Jury returned do bring in their following Verdict
viz. We — of the Jury do find the said Bryan: Snow is damnified to the value of four hundred pounds & of Law Costs. which the
the Court Conformed according to Act of Assembly. &c

Ralph: Dorchester } Somerset County ss.
Pltff
Pl. } John: Taylor alias John: Taylor of Somerset County was attached to answer unto Ralph
Defdt } Do: in a plea of Debt. &c. — Who whereupon the said Ralph. by Robert: Davis
Pl. Atto: } his Attorney saith that whereas the said John. the fourth day of October in the
year of our Lord 1687. at Dorchester, within the Jurisdiction of this Court by a certain
Bond with a Condicon, or a certain instrument in Writing, which the said Ralph, under the hand & seal of the said
John Bringing here into Court, the date whereof is the day & year aforesaid, did acknowledge himself to be bound to
the said Ralph. in the full & just Sum of five thousand pounds of good sound Merchantable Tobacco & Cask to contain
the same, to be paid to the said Ralph. &c at upon or after the last day of October next ensuing the date
of the said instrument in writing as may and doth more fully & clearly by the said instrument appear. Notwithstanding
the said John. the said Sum of 5000 pounds of tob aforesaid according to the tenour of the said Instrument in writing
to the said Ralph. he hath not paid but hath hitherto refused & doth still refuse to pay although thereunto demanded
to the damage of the said Ralph of 10000 pounds of tob. and therupon he brings this Suit &c.

— Davis for Pltff. pray judgment } Jno: Doe
Defendant } Saith

And the Deft by Samuel: Alexander his Attorney saith the Pltff Condicon ought to have been voided in ye pltts Declaration
that he by he might have pleaded to the Condicon of the said Bond, & the Condicon is not voided, & for that ye Defdt
cannot answer, but saith that he ought to have a Non Suit, and humbly craves the Courts judgment.

Samll Alexander for Deft.

And the Deft saith that in his Bond he forfeits the Deft to the Bond & Condicon in Court produced &
saith that they ought to plead & have no non Suit Davis

The premises being considered this Court Orders a Non Suit agst ye Deft to Deft &c.