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Therefore by Consent of the Parties as it is Considered that the J. Gale and Parsonby Recover against the J. James Bawsey his Damages up to the J. five pounds One Shilling and four pence halfpenny at Money by the same James in form of Tobacco and  
as also: Pounds of tobacco for his Cook and Ranger as to the same Gale and Parsonby  
at his Request by the Court now here of the Agent of the parties as Adjudged which certain Damages in the Whole amount  
to five pounds One Shilling and four pence halfpenny at Money and  
of James in Money of £

W<sup>t</sup> Tucke & John Benson Esq<sup>r</sup> were given to the Sheriff of Lancashire County that he should take John Benson late of  
John Benson deceased County Sheriff of Lancashire found in his bailey land him should safe keep so that he might have his day  
before the Justice of the Landships County Court shewments to be held at Ormsk Arne Town the third Tuesday of March Anno  
Domini thousand seven hundred and sixto to answer unto John Gale and John Bensally of ye place of the aforesaid  
late & the same day is given to the aforesaid Gale and Bensally here vs  
At which day here came the aforesaid Gale and Bensally by W<sup>t</sup> Hay and their Attorney and the Sheriff having  
John Wilson was here returned that he had taken the aforesaid John Benson whose body here at this day he had ready to  
answer whereof Gale and Bensally of the aforesaid place unto him was commanded  
Whereupon the said John Benson at the prayer of the aforesaid Gale and Bensally is adjudged to give to  
special Bail to the Rector of the parish of Captain William Cullen of Lancashire County planter present here in Court  
in his bower Barrow understood for the said John Benson and a sum upon him of five hundred and four shillings  
Gale and Bensally if it should happen that judgment in the pleas aforesaid should be rendered for the said Gale  
Bensally against the aforesaid John Benson or that the said John Benson should be therein found that then he the  
said John Benson should pay and satisfy unto the aforesaid Gale and Bensally the Judgment of the Court thereupon as  
Renders his body in execution of such judgment to the Rector of the Sheriff of the County aforesaid in the furtherance thereof  
that he the said W<sup>t</sup> Cullen will do the same for him &  
Whereupon the said John Benson put in his place George Hayward Esq<sup>r</sup> Attorney at Law  
against the aforesaid Gale and Bensally of the aforesaid place —  
Whereupon at the prayer of the parties aforesaid day is to them now here given until the  
17<sup>th</sup> of the month of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eight

Whereas the said John Hovey,  
Against the advice and dissuasion of the people —  
And therefore at the prayer of the parties a day is to them now here given until ...  
From then ... following in the State that was levied to

Contested at Princetown on the 2nd Day of June then and following in the Year of  
the passing of this Act which day has been appointed by their Attorney-at-Law having on the said Day and  
subsequently by complaint of the Revd John Benson in the place aforesaid following -  
That the said County Planter was attached to answer unto John Gale and John

the patient of Dr. John Benson in the place of his former following  
Parson by long service of the Revd. John Benson in the place of his former following  
Served for John Benson late of Somers County Planter was Admitted to Answer unto John Gale and John  
Benson by his Lawyer of his profession to Chst. And Whereas upon the said Gale and Bensonly by William  
Hayward their Attorney complain that Whereas the said John the Twelfth day of April in the year of our Lord One  
thousand Seven hundred Sixty at the County of P. was indebted unto the said Gale and Bensonly in the sum of Two pounds -  
Sixteen Shillings and one Farthing Current money of Maryland for the sum of Articles and things in the account hereto  
Annexed mentioned and so there of indebted being the said John in consideration thereof afterwards went to the same  
Day and year aforesaid at the County aforesaid himself informed and to the said Gale and Bensonly then and there forthwith  
Promised that he the said John the sum of Money aforesaid he should be there required to the said Gale and  
Bensonly well and faithfully would pay and fulfil Never the less the said John the aforesaid and aforesaid  
in form of made aforesaid Required but minding and fraudulently intending the said John Gale and Bensonly in that part  
Coffily and Sollitly to Deserve and Defraud the sum of Money aforesaid the said Gale and Bensonly hath not paid or  
thence for the same in any part entered (altho' the same to the same John afterwards with the same Day and year  
and often since at the County of P. by the said Gale and Bensonly was Required) but the same to them to pay him that he  
allegeth hath refused and still doth refuse and doth yearly deny wherupon the said Gale and Bensonly say they  
are worse and have damage to the value of Twenty pounds of Money of Maryland and thereof has brought his cause  
Plaint to the Court of Common Pleas and the same is now on trial before the Honorable Mr. Justice of the Peace

Is now brought up before the Court of Common Pleas and Bancroft  
and the Dr. John Brown by his Attorney, Dr. Clegg and defends the fine and saying when & how & with whom he came  
Dated