

In Court held at Westchester County 25th of July 1698 Present

Mr. Joseph Wickes	Mr. Wm. Leonard
Mr. James Ruggels	Mr. Nath. Eastle
Mr. Henry Hooper	Mr. John Comygers
Mr. John Amson	Mr. Wm. Tenney

Thomas Howard Records his Mark the Swallow
Hatched and an Inkhold on y^e Left side =

George Green is appointed by y^e Court to be y^e Exor
of y^e Court

James Ruggels
1698
Peter Duane

After long Debate of this Cause between y^e pt & Deft
upon y^e Deft. Peter Duane not performing y^e Conditions
of a Bond made between him & James Ruggels of a
plantation in West Island y^e Indenture bearing Date
26th of Octob^r 1692: Indist. on y^e file of Records in
1698 it will more largely Appear: Now y^e Deft. Peter Duane
having so many ways Broken his Indenture of Lease and
several Conditions therein contained. The Court y^e 24th
of y^e last order of Jury to be Impowerd for to make a diligent
inquiry into y^e true nature of y^e Case: And thereupon they
return Impowerd to examine y^e Court whose names are
Edward English foreman Benj^m Quercy N^o 2. Batman
John Deane Walter Hooby John Whittington James Hunt
Wm. Hooper Lewis Stoney: Thomas Duane Foot M^o 1.
Wm. Deane y^e 25th of Jury after they had heard y^e Witnesses
of both sides y^e Jury brought in this Verdict In these words
We do find for y^e pt And that y^e Deft. give in y^e sum
of 100^l for y^e performance of y^e Agreement wth ten pounds of costs
damages Edward English foreman for in open Court given
and to have y^e Verdict Recorded for y^e better security
of y^e pt James Ruggels

The action was given
out to Mr Ruggels
20th Augt 1698

In the action granted
out y^e 15th of Octob^r 1698