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Command was Given to the Sheriff of Kent County the 26<sup>th</sup> day of November Anno Dom 1696 that he take William North if he should be found in his Bailiwick and him & safe keepe soe that he haue his Body before the next Justice of the Peace Court to be hold for said County to enforce unto Jonas Greenwood of a piece of Debt &c.

At which Court viz: the 26<sup>th</sup> day of January Anno Dom 1696 the day of returne of the said writ same Court Dow. Swatnam High Sheriff of said County and made returne of the said writ in these words viz: Copy for perusal Swatnam Sheriff

Jonas Greenwood Deb<sup>t</sup>

at  
William North Deb<sup>t</sup>

vs  
Wm. North wife  
resid<sup>t</sup> William North of Kent County

Plaint<sup>f</sup> was Summ<sup>d</sup> to Appear unto Jonas Greenwood of a piece of Debt

And whereupon the said Jonas by Wm. Homplough his Att<sup>r</sup> said that whereof the said Jonas on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of July Anno Dom 1693 was an Attorney sworn and admitted in this Court to practice as an Attorney and the said Jonas being admitted & Authorized soe as aforesaid he the said Wm. North viz on the same day and year in consideration and at the special request and request of him the said William North that if the said Jonas would be his Att<sup>r</sup> in said Court and sue and implead M<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Miller of the County Kent in three several Actions in said Court that then he the said William North would not only pay his foot due but all for pay to the said Jonas all his other officers foot as by the said three Acc<sup>t</sup>s shall make to be come due And the said Jonas in fact saith that he trusting to the promise and Assumption aforesaid did prosecute the said M<sup>r</sup> Miller in said Court in three several Actions and did pay officers foot for the same which Officers foot did amount to the sum of Eighty four pounds of Tobacco so that the foot amounting to the said Jonas in the said three Acc<sup>t</sup>s three hundred pounds of Tobacco which in all amount to the sum of three hundred Eighty and four pounds of Tobacco &c Notwithstanding the said Wm. North his promise and Assumption aforesaid but plotting contriving and fraudulently enticing him the said Jonas in this behalf to do this and lawfully to sue and defraud the said sum of 384<sup>l</sup> of Tobacco