

Wth His Lordship

Rich^d Gresham

Command was given on the 11th day of December Anno Domini
Thousand Seven hundred and thirty two To the Sheriff of Kent
County that he take Richard Gresham late of S. Pauls parish
in the County of Kent if he should be found in his custody

him safe keep so that he have his body before the Justices of our next County Court to be
held at our Court House in the Town of Chichester in said County on the third Tuesday in March
then next ensuing to answer unto a certain Indulment of an assault against James
Thorn Esq^r and that the same Sheriff have at the said Court the same writ

and as such said Court is held at New Romney at the Court House in the Town of Middelton
in said County on the third Tuesday in March being the twentieth day of said month
Anno Domini one thousand Seven hundred and thirty two being the day of return of
said writ John Gresham Gentle Sheriff of said County and made return of said writ
to the Court here recited and ordered that by Cassi Longworth Esq^r of the County of Kent
The Jurors for the right Honourable the Lord Proprietor that now is for
the body of Kent County and upon their oath do present that Richard Gresham late of
S. Pauls parish in the County of Kent the twenty third day of November Anno Domini
Thousand Seven hundred thirty two at the parish of in the County of within the Jurisdiction
of this Court in and upon James Thorn in the peace of God and of His said Lord Proprietor
and there being with force and Arms an assault did make and take the said James Thorn
and there did beat wound and evilly treat so that of his life it was much departed and
other harms to him done and there did to the great damage of the said James and
against the peace of the said Lord Proprietor in good rule and dignity
J^{as} M^{oore} Esq^r for
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on the same was ordered viz. a true bill of James Moore for same

and the said Richard Gresham in his proper person comes and saith that he cannot
deny the Indulment of so as against him brought nor that he is guilty of the
promises above upon him imposed as by the said Indulment it is alleged and thereupon
submits to the Court. Wherefore it is considered by the said Justices here to hold at
New Romney at the Court House in the Town of Chichester in said County on the third Tuesday
in March being the twentieth day of said month Anno Domini one thousand Seven
hundred thirty two that the said Richard Gresham do find the sum of fifteen
Shillings and eight pence current money of Maryland for his offence for committing the
assault and according to his Confession and also pay the sum of three hundred
thirty seven pounds of Tobacco for same to the officers of this Court on the pro:
misses and

James Smith Esq^r

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Charles Smith

Information given Court 1731 for marrying out of
the province the same continued until the
third Tuesday in June next the Court in Courts for
said County

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William Firth

The same William Firth having committed an assault
against one W^m Richard for the Court ordered to give
surety for his appearance at any time during
the Court sitting upon which the same William
Firth came into Court in his proper person and