

Then this Obligation to be void & to stand & remain in full force & Execution
 Now
 Great County of Kent Jurors for the Right Honourable the Lord Prop^r that
 now is for the Body of Great County of Kent upon their Oath do present that Charles
 Fortescue late of St. Pauls Parish in the County of Kent the nineteenth
 day of November in the year of Our Lord Christ's death seven hundred thirty
 eight at the Parish of in the County of Kent and within the Jurisdiction of
 this Court with force and Arms in Person Mary Garnett the wife of George
 Garnett in the presence of God and of the said Lord Prop^r then and there
 being an Assault did make and her the said Mary did beat wounde
 & villy treat vs that of her life it was much endangered & other harme
 to her then & there did to the great damage of her and Mary's
 the Peace of the said Lord Prop^r his good Rule & Government &c

On the Back of the said Inditur^t was indorved as folo
 Billa Vera Matthew Howard Forster 9th Juny
 And now here to wit at Great County Court at the Court house in the
 Town of Chichester in said County on the third Tuesday of November being
 the fourteenth day of said month in the year of Our Lord One thousand
 seven hundred thirty eight Cornelius the said Lord Prop^r by his
 Attorney at and prayeth that the said Charles to the action of may
 answer

And the said Charles in his proper person
 comes and doth deny the force & injury where to and saith that he
 cannot give way the Inditur^t as he doth against him brought in
 can have but that he is guilty of the Promisour as above upon him
 improved as by the Inditur^t as it is alleged and thereof submitt
 to the Court &c Therefore it is considered by the Justices here
 to wit at Great County Court at the Court house in the Town of Chichester
 in said County on the third Tuesday of November being the fourteenth day
 of said month in the year of Our Lord One thousand seven hundred thirty and
 eight That the said Charles pay the sum of One pound ten shillings
 current money of Maryl^d as a Fine for committing the Offence of
 Also it is considered by the Justices at the said place as last
 mentioned that the said Charles pay the sum of three hundred and
 eighty One pound of tobacco costs accruing on the Promisour as
 to the several Officers of this Court &c

Ordered by this Court here that the Justices do deliver the Sheriff of
 Great County, the said Charles not having where to satisfy the fine as
 nor no One offering to pay it for him. Thereupon he is committed
 into the Custody of the Sheriff of Great County until the fine is
 satisfied. It is also Ordered by this Court here that the said Charles
 give Security for the Town of Chichester on the Promisour as to
 the several Officers of this Court &c And he having no One to offer
 nor no One offering for him. Thereupon he is committed into
 the Custody of the Sheriff of Great County until he give Security as of