

April Court -- 1723 27

thereof to the Court here Endorsed in these words viz. *Joseph M. Lester Sherd* - thereupon  
 the Court adjourns until the Last Tuesday of Aprile being the thirtieth day of the Same month And doth  
 doth. On the said Seven hundred and twenty three, at which day and Year of the Court satt againe  
 then and there came the said George Goddard Esq<sup>r</sup> and by George Dashiell their attorney and defend  
 the same and Injury whene<sup>r</sup> and Offer themselves against the said Thomas Breton in the plea  
 and but the said Thomas Breton at the solemnly called Comes not work in his writ in the plea of farther  
 prosecuted against them the said George Goddard Esq<sup>r</sup> and by George Dashiell their attorney and defend  
 by the Justices here the same day and Year last mentioned that the said Thomas Breton and his  
 Cledges in prosecuting be in money<sup>r</sup> and that the Names of the said Cledges be sought for<sup>r</sup> and  
 that the said George Goddard Esq<sup>r</sup> and by George Dashiell their attorney and defend also it is considered by  
 the Justices here that the said George Goddard Esq<sup>r</sup> and by George Dashiell their attorney and defend recover against the said Thomas  
 Breton the Sum of One hundred & fifty eight <sup>pounds of Tobacco</sup>  
 by the Court here adjudged unto them for their Costs and Charges by them in this Court said out and  
 Expended according to the form of the Statute<sup>r</sup>

*A. A. Robert Martin* } *Somerset County*  
 } *William Hanes* }  
 } *William Hanes of Steyney Parish in Somerset County was*  
 } *attached to answer unto Robert Martin of Exeter of trespass upon*  
 } *the Case<sup>r</sup> And whereupon the said Robert by Francis Allen his attorney Complain*  
 } *that whereas the said William the thirtieth day of November And doth. On thousand Seven hundred and*  
 } *twenty two at the Parish and County of within the Jurisdiction of this Court was indebted unto the said Robert*  
 } *in Eight hundred and seventy pound<sup>s</sup> of Tobacco for Levies Sherd fees Publick dues and for boane ther*  
 } *upon to the said Robert then and there due owing and unpaid as by an and thereupon to answer*  
 } *may in Court appear and being so thereof indebted the said William in Consideration thereof afterwards*  
 } *to with the day and Year of at the place of upon himselfe did assume and unto the said Robert then and*  
 } *there did faithfully promise that he the said William the said Eight hundred and seventy pound<sup>s</sup> of Tobacco*  
 } *to the said Robert when he should be afterwards thereunto requested he would well and faithfully paye*  
 } *Content never the less the said William his promise and assumption of in form of made little regard*  
 } *ing but plotting and fraudulently Intending the said Robert in that Court Craftily and Subtly to*  
 } *deceive and defraud the said Eight hundred and seventy pound<sup>s</sup> of Tobacco to the said Robert he the said*  
 } *not paid or to him for the same in any wise Contented altho' the same to doe the said William by the*  
 } *said Robert on the first day of December in the Year of and Offer afterwards at the Parish and County*  
 } *of within the Jurisdiction of he was thereunto requested but the same to him to pay or in any wise*  
 } *Content hath refused and still doth refuse and deny whereupon the said Robert saith he is wase and hath*  
 } *Damage to the Value of seven hundred and forty pound<sup>s</sup> of Tobacco thereupon he brings Suite<sup>r</sup>*

1719	To 1 Levie	170
	To M <sup>r</sup> George Dashiell	200
	To 4 Sherd fees	130
1720	To 1 Levie	115
1721	To 1 do	109
1722	To 1 Levie	146
Nov 20		<u>870</u>

*Contra*  
 1722 Due - 870  
 Errors Excepted fine *Robt Martin*  
 (Whose)