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to Charles Evans at the time of his death in their hands to be aduertised to the value of two thousand five hundred pounds aforesame whereof the said William of W. Dell and they hold saltersie to wit at Somersett County within the Jurisdiction of this Court and this he of right may be recovered by the party and the said  
Deft in like manner

Thereupon command is given to the Sheriff of Somersett County that immediately he cause to come here twelve J. by whom J. who neither J. to recognize J. because as well J. of which said except the said the said Sheriff to witness Allen Heath Newkent to wit the sixteenth day of August anno Domini One thousand seven hundred and twenty six and makes return that he hath here ready twelve J. as by his said precept he was commanded, and now hereafterwards to wit the same day and year came as were the said J. as the aforesaid debtors by their attorneys aforesaid and the Jurors of the Jury thereon impannelled being called likewise came to wit William Hardy, William Soper, Benj: Goods, John Tilman, Isiah Bredale, Cannon Wright, James Mumford, Isaac Brittingham, Robert Miles William Robinson, Mary Franklin, John Fleming, who being duly elected tried and sworn to say the truth in the premises upon their oaths do say that the aforesaid Benjamin Tule and Mary his wife on the fifteenth day of June anno Domini One thousand seven hundred and twenty six had divers goods and chattels which were of the aforesaid Charles Evans at the time of his death, remaining in their hands to be administered to the value of Nine hundred and Sixty Nine pence, and do assess the damages of the same William Evans by occasion of the non performance of his promise and affording him aforesaid his costs and charges by him about his suit in that part expended to Nine hundred and Sixty nine and for those costs and charges to One pound aforesame.

Therefore it is considered by the Jurors here the sixteenth day of November anno Domini One thousand seven hundred and twenty six that the aforesaid William Evans recover against the aforesaid Benjamin Tule and Mary his wife £ 6. of the same Charles Evans as well the sum of Nine hundred and Sixty Nine pence and one pound of lode his damages aforesaid by the Jurors aforesaid assessed as also the sum of ~~Nine hundred and Sixty One~~ pounds of lode for his costs and charges to the same William by the court here of his aforesaid suit as adjudged which certain damages in the whole do amount to Nine hundred and Sixty Nine pence plus one hundred and sixty three pds aforesame to be levied of the goods and chattels which were of the aforesaid Charles Evans in the hands of the aforesaid Benjamin Tule and Mary his wife £ 6. for aforesaid remaining to be administered, if so much in their hands they have, and if so much in their hands they have not then the aforesaid sum of Nine hundred and Sixty Nine pence and one hundred and sixty three pds aforesame to be levied of the proper goods and chattels of the aforesaid Benjamin and Mary and the aforesaid debtors in Merger £ 6.

Sgt Richard Wallace Somersett Esq: W<sup>m</sup> Roberts late of Somersett County Esquire at Dux W<sup>m</sup> Gandy  
W<sup>m</sup> Roberts age 60 was attacted to answer unto Richard Wallace of a place of his habitation of the  
same place by Richard Wallace by reason of his aforesaid  
claims that whereas he of same place is a good true & faithful subject of our good  
the King that now is & a good true & faithful subject of our Lord the King & divers his  
successors late Kings & Queens of England from the time of his nativity hath herto  
believed