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against him alleged and of this he puts himself upon the Country, and the said ~~Steph~~ in like manner. Thereupon Command is given to the Sher. of Somerset County that immediately he cause to come here twelve ~~by whom~~ who neither ~~to~~ to Recognize ~~to~~ because as well ~~of~~ of which said precept the said Sher. to wit John Curwale Gent. now here at this day to wit the same day and year last mentioned makes return that he hath here ready twelve ~~as~~ as by his said precept he was Commaunded and now here afterwards to wit the same day and year come againe as well the said ~~Steph~~ as the said ~~Steph~~ by their attorney ~~and~~ and the Jurors of that Jury therein Impannell'd being called like-wise came to wit William Handy, John Lopez John Townsend, Christopher Riger Francis Sank ~~also~~ Thomas Collins, Robert Collier, Charles Townsend and Richard J. Gray, George Godwin and Thomas Holbrook who being duly Oathed byed and sworn, upon their Oath do say that the said Job Sherry is not guilty of speaking publishing and pronouncing of the scandalous words of the said Stephen as he above against him hath Complain'd ~~to~~.

Therefore it is Considered that the said Stephen Oath'd take nothing by his writ of declaration ~~and~~ but be in mercy for his false Comon, and that the said Job Sherry goe there of without day ~~to~~. Also it is Considered by the Justice here that the said Job Sherry Recover against the said Stephen Oath'd Seven hundred & fifty ~~to~~ pounds of tobacco for his costs and charges by him about his defence in that part agreed, to the same Job by direction of the Justice here adjudged according to the form of the statute in such ~~to~~ lately made and provided ~~to~~.

Joseph Maudslater } Somerset sh. Hannah Horsey and John Horsey both late of
G.D. Hannah & John Horsey } Somerset County planters was attached to answer unto Joseph Maudslater of a plea of her pap upon the Care ~~to~~.

And whereupon the same Joseph by Sermon hale his attorney Complain'd that where as the said Hannah & John the tenth Day of May Anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred & twenty eight at Somerset County within y^e Jurisdiction of this Court was Indebted unto the same Jos: in the Sum of Eighteen Hundred & forty two pounds of Tob: as by Certificates in Court Produced may appear And so there of being Indebted the said Hannah and John in Consideration here of afterwards to wit the same Day year ago at y^e County ago within y^e Jurisdiction upon themselves assumed of the same Joseph their there faithfully promised that when afterwards they should be thereto requested they y^e said Sum of Eighteen Hundred & forty two ~~of~~ of Tob: to y^e same Jos: would well & faithfully Content & pay Never the less y^e said Hannah & John their promise & assumption ago in form ago made not regarding but plotting & fraudulently Intending him y^e same Jos: in y^e part lastly Subtly to defraud & deceive y^e said Sum of Eighteen Hundred & forty two ~~of~~ of Tob: or any part thereof to y^e same Jos: they have not paid although the same to Doe the said Hannah & John afterwards viz: the same Day year ago at the County ago within the Jurisdiction by the same Joseph were requested but they the same hitherto to Doe have altogether refused & still doth refuse Where by the (same)