His Lordship — Somerset County ss. Memorandum that this day to wit the 2. day of February 1729 came William
vs. Fenwick — Fenwick before me John Coldwell one of the Lord Proprietary's Justices of the Peace for the said
County to keep with his Sureties John Carr, Thomas Hoofington, John Watson and James Smith and
did acknowledge themselves to be indebted to his said Lordship that is to say the said William Fenwick in ten pounds
Sterling and the said John Carr, Thomas Hoofington, John Watson and James Smith in the Sum of fifty pounds Sterling Each
Due to be levied on their goods & Chattels Lands and tenements for the use of his said Lordship if default be made
in the Condition hereunto written.

The Condition of the above Recognizance is such that if the above named
William Fenwick be of the Peace and good behaviour to all his Lordship's good Subjects and especially to John
Newton of the said County and make his personal appearance before the Justices of Our said County Court to be held
at Dividing Creek the third tuesday of June next and stand and abide the Judgment of the said Court then this Recognizance to be void
and of none effect else to remain in full force and virtue in law. Jo Coldwell —

All which said next Court to wit the Sixteenth day of June anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred
and thirty the aforesaid William Fenwick altho solemnly called came not nor shew Cause why &c but makes default.

Likewise at the same day the aforesaid John Carr, Thomas Hoofington, John Watson and James Smith and every of them
being solemnly called to bring in the said Wm. Fenwick according to the tenor of their Recognizance came not but make
default &c

His Lordship — Somerset County ss. Be it Remembered that upon the Seventeenth day of June anno Domini seventeen hundred & thirty
vs. Archibald Sterling — came into Somerset County Court here Levin Gale who for the Lord Proprietary prosecutes and for the said
Lord Proprietary gives the Court here to understand and be informed that Archibald Sterling of Somerset
County merchant the Seventh day of April in the year aforesaid at the County aforesaid and within the Jurisdiction of this Court
with force and arms &c in and upon a certain John Townsend Junr. in the peace of God and the Lord Proprietary then
and there being an assault did make and him did beat wound and bruise but not so that of his life it was despaired and other harms
to him then and there did doe to his great damage and against the peace of the right honble the Lord Proprietary his good rule
and government whereof the same Levin for the said Lord prays advisement of Court &c

Gale for Lord.

Thereupon Command was given to the Shff. of Somerset County that he should take the said Archibald Sterling
if &c to answer &c and afterwards in the same Court came the said Archibald Sterling in his proper person and being
by the Shff. left to the Bar in Court humbly demanded how he would acquit himself of the premises aforesaid says that of
the premises aforesaid upon him imposed he is guilty thereof and is willing to pay his fine for the fact aforesaid

Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the aforesaid Archibald Sterling pay unto his said Lordship for his fine by the
Court hereupon him imposed for and by reason of the premises aforesaid and whereof he is convicted the sum of fifty pounds of
tobo. and that the said Archibald Sterling be taken to satisfie the fine aforesaid, and do give security for fees. Gale for fees.

His Lordship — Somerset County ss: Be it Remembered that on the Seventeenth day of June one thousand Seven Hundred
vs. John Townsend Junr. — and thirty came here into Court Levin Gale who for the Lord Proprietary prosecutes &c for the said
Lord proprietary Given in Court here to understand & be informed that John Townsend Junr of Somerset County
merchant the Seventeenth of April in the year aforesaid at the County aforesaid & within the Jurisdiction of this Court with force
and arms &c Did upon a certain Archd. Sterling Junr. in the peace of God & the Lord Proprietary then & there being
an assault did make & him did beat wound & bruise but not so that of his life it was despaired and other harms
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