Aforesaid upon himself did Assume and to the Said Luke then and there did faithfully promise that he the said John the said fourteen pounds Six Shillings and Six pence to the said Luke when he should be thereunto Requested he would well and faithfully pay and Content Nevertheless the Said John his promise and Assumption aforesaid in form aforesaid Made Nothing Regarding but plotting and fraudulently Intending the Said Luke in that part Craftily and Subtilly to Deceive and Defraud the aforesaid fourteen pounds Six shillings and Six pence to the said Luke ~~all the~~ the ~~same to~~ do the said John by the aforesaid Luke on the aforesaid twenty Ninth day of March in the year aforesaid and often Afterwards at Somerset County afs. within the Jurr afs. he was thereunto Requested hath not paid nor unto him for the same in any Sort Contented but the Same to him hitherto to pay or in any Sort to Content hath refused and Still doth Refuse and Deny whereupon he saith he is Worse and hath Damage to the Value of Twenty Eight pounds thirteen Shillings Like mony and thereupon he brings Suit &c. Ju. Dod

Pledges &c. Rich. Ro

Dr Mr John Webb To Luke Bowen Cr

1729	To Cash	£ 5	By 48 bushels Corn	£ 4	
March 19th	To Ditto	1	By 300 lb. Tob.	1	17 6
	To 7½ yards Holland tick 3/6	1 6 3	By boating of Cyder		15
	To 1 Sow and piggs	10	By Sawing of Cyder		10
	To Boom hundred pounds tob.	4 7 6			
	To your Tax in the Year 1731	12 6	By 60 Squirrill heads at 4		11 3
	To 175 lb tob.	1 0 6	1½ tob.		
	To 2 pr Shoes	12 0		7	13 9
	To one year & half Commendations	7 10 0	Ballance due L Bowen	14	6 6
		21 18 9		£ 22	0 3
	For pocket Bottle	1 6	March 19th 1738 Then came Mr Luke		
		£ 22 0 3	Bowen before me the Subscriber and		

proved the above Acct. According to Law Sworn before me Jam. Martin

Whereupon the afd John Webb present here in Court in his proper person, ~~and the prayer~~ at the prayer of the afd Luke Bowen by his attorney afd, adjudged to give Speciall bail to the action afd. Thereupon a certain John Bishop of Somerset County planter present here in Court in his proper persons assumed upon himselfe and did undertake for the Same John Webb that if in Case the said Luke Bowen should Recover Judgment in the plea afd against the said John Webb, or that the said John Webb should be therein Cast that then he the said John Webb shall pay the Condemnation of the Court thereupon or Render his body to the Custody of the Sheriff of Somerset County in Satisfaction thereof or that he the said John Bishop will do it for him &c.

Thereupon