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last will of William Blanner late of the County of Kent. Died of a plea of trespass upon the  
Case & that thereof he should not fail &c.

At which said third Tuesday of March to wit the eighteenth day of the same month and  
Done One thousand Seven hundred and thirty four being the day of the return of the will aforesaid  
came the said Thomas William Executor aforesaid by William Worsingham his attorney and the Sheriff  
of Somerset County to whom the foregoing will was directed Lewis cometh and maketh return  
thereof to the Court here Endorsed in these words following Copi Copu. p. for. M. Master Sher.  
Whereupon the said Nathaniel Housy at the prayer of the aforesaid Thomas William by his attor-  
ney aforesaid is adjudged to give Special Bail to the action aforesaid thereupon aforesaid Francis  
Porter of Somerset County Gent. present herein Court in his proper person undertook for  
the said Nathaniel Housy and aforesaid upon himself that if it should happen that the  
said Thomas William should recover Judgment in the plea aforesaid against the said Nathaniel  
Housy or that the said Nathaniel Housy should be therein Convict that then he the said  
Nathaniel Housy should pay and satisfy unto the said Thomas William the Judgment  
of the Court thereupon or render his Body in Execution of such Judgment to the prison  
of the Sher. of Somerset County in Satisfaction thereof or that he the said Francis Porter  
will do the same for him &c.

Whereupon the said Nathaniel Housy by Robert Jonckin Housy his attorney cometh  
and defends the free and Injury whereto and prays leave thereof to answer hereuntil the next  
Court and he hath it and the same day is given to the said Thomas William herealso &c.

At which said next Court to wit the seventeenth day of June and Done One  
thousand Seven hundred and thirty five came against as well the aforesaid Thomas William  
Executor aforesaid as the aforesaid Nathaniel Housy by their attorneys aforesaid and thereupon the said  
Nathaniel Housy pray<sup>ed</sup> leave thereof to answer hereuntil the next Court and he hath it  
and the same day is given to the aforesaid Thomas William herealso &c.

But before the next Court the day which the last Ingardence was to betwix the  
parties aforesaid to wit the second day of July One thousand Seven hundred and thirty five the  
aforesaid Nathaniel Housy produced his Lordship the right Honourable the Lord Proprietary  
writ of Habeas Corpus directed to the Justice Sheriff and Clerk of Somerset County the  
tenour of which writt followeth in these words Ver.

Maryland's Charles absolute Lord and Proprietary of the provinces of Maryland and  
avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. To the Justice Sheriff and Clerk of Somerset County  
greeting Whereas aforesaid Nathaniel Housy is detained in the prison of our said County  
under