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Edw. Solomon Heatch } Somerset County p^{te}. James Barramore late of Somerset County planter.
D. James Barramore } was attaked to answer unto Solomon Heatch of a plea of trespass upon the Case
And whereupon the same Solomon by Francis Allen his attorney Complain

that whereas the said Solomon the twelfth day of May anno domini. Seventeen hundred & thirty five at
at the County of Somerset within the Jurisdiction of this Court was possessed of one
Bay horse of the price of fifteen pounds Curr^t. money of Maryland one Sorrell
Mare of the price of nine pounds Current money of Maryland & of one Sorrell
Mare of the price of five pounds Current money of Maryland as of his
proper goods & Chattles & being so thereof possessed the said goods & Chattles out of
his hands & possession & usually lost which said goods & Chattles afterwards to wit
on the said twelfth day of May in the year afo^r at the County afo^r to the hands &
possession of the said James Barramore by finding came Nevertheless the said James
well knowing the goods & Chattles afo^r to be the proper goods & Chattles of the said
Solomon & to him the said Solomon of right to belong & appertain plotting
& fraudulently the said Solomon of the goods & Chattles afo^r. craftily & Subtly
to receive & defraud the goods & Chattles afo^r the^r after requested to the afo^r Solomon
hath not delivered but the goods & Chattles afo^r afterwards to wit the thirteenth day
of May afo^r in the year afo^r at the County afo^r to his own proper use
did convert & disposed to the damage of the said Solomon Heatch forty pounds
Current money of Maryland & thereof he brings Suite &^{pr} p^ldg^s & In Doe A Roe

And the afo^r James Barramore by George Douglas his attorney come and defends
the force and Injury when &^r and prays leave thereof to Imparle hereuntil
next Court and he hath it, and the same day is given to the afo^r Solomon Heatch
At the which said next Court to wit the Nineteenth day of August 1735 One thousand
Seven hundred and thirty five came againe as well the afo^r Solomon Heatch, as the
afo^r James Barramore by their attorneys afo^r and whereupon the same James Barramore
now as before defends the force and Injury when &^r and says that he is not guilty
of the premises above upon ^{him} imposed in manner & form as the said Solomon
above against him hath complained of this he puts himself upon the Country
and the said Solomon in like manner

Thereupon it is Commanded the Sheriff of Somerset County that Immediately
he should cause to come here before the Justices of his Goodships County Court of
Somerset now sitting at dividing Creek in the County afo^r Twelve &^r by whom &^r
and who neither &^r to recognize &^r because as well &^r and afterwards Immediately
came thereof the Jury &^r and the Juror of that same Jury by Joseph M^r Lester
Gov^t. Sheriff of the County afo^r to this Impannell being called came to wit
William Holland, Lewis Jones, Joshua Caldwell, Robert Mitchell, Philip Quinton,
Joseph Houston, John Records, Nathaniell Crapper, Benjamin Tull, John Townsnd
J^{rs}, Thomas Ackworth, and John Cops, who to say the truth in the premises afo^r being duly
elated byed and sworn upon their Oaths do say that the said James Barramore is guilty of the premises
afo^r in manner and form as the said Solomon Heatch above against him hath complained and afo^r
the damages of the same Solomon by omission of the premises afo^r beyond his costs and Charges by him
about his Suit in that part appoyed to three pounds Curr^t. money of Maryland and for those costs and
Charges