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Judicious Men that were Nominated Appraisers who were by him
thewise sworn; When they had appraised what was brought to their
sight & knowledge, they delivered to this Deponent an Inventory
signed & Sealed by them amounting to the Sum of One thousand
One hundred thirty two pound Nineteen Shillings & ten pence half
penny, Dated the 14th day of October, in a few days Lord #
Blackiston departed this life, then this Deponent (as by his Council
was and is advised) became Joint Administrator, and proceeded to
the paym^t of the said Governor Lophys just Debts in the County
being duly proved, he having no legall or kindey Caution to Refuse
any part of the said Estate in his hands for the paym^t of
any Debt due to their Maj^{ties} either by Sir Edmond Andros Cap^t
General at his first, second coming or (in his absence) the Presidents
and Council, or any of their Maj^{ties} Receivers within this Province
Untill this Deponent had paid to diverse persons as far as the
Estate was appraised at and Amounted to, as by this Deponents
Accounts and Receipts exhibit^d into the Commissarys Gen^{ls}
Office more fully appears, which is by the Law of this Province
and constitution of the same full and due Administration, as this
Deponent is by his Council informed; this Deponent further saith
that some time in June last past, Esq^r Randolph their Maj^{ties}
Surveyor General did send or Orderd him to Refuse what
Effects of the said Governor Lophys Estate remained in his hands
and pay no farther for there was a Debt due to the King
was of a higher Nature than any other Debt or to that Effect,
not declaring by what means Governor Lophys became indebted
to their Maj^{ties} or in what Sum, but speaking generally; soon
after their Maj^{ties} Attorney Gen^l caused a Writ to be issued out
against this Deponent as Administrator of Lionel Lophys at
their Maj^{ties} Suit, some time after that, this Deponent was
served with a Writ of Quominus, as he understood it to be, by

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