

Preparation ag. by Duke Barber, which is not  
 contrary to ought in Justice and honor to do  
 least this scandal for a president for fabricating  
 for just abusive followers, not only to abuse  
 without in contempt of government & lawfully  
 summonsed, but also take the privilege to stand  
 and abuse all witnesses let them be or for in most  
 no name wife exempted, wherefore he humbly  
 craves that the cause may be tried by an  
 able jury & he consents according to the wish  
 of the officers And he shall ever pray

Rowley Spinke  
 Duke Barber

This cause is respite till next  
 Bro. all Court And the Court  
 the 2th to take the depositions of all  
 those now summonsed in this cause & to give  
 copies thereof either by 10 or 20 of demand  
 whereby to prepare themselves ag. next Bro. Court

John Jerome aged 24 years or thereabouts hath  
 sworn out that at the Court at Newtown Dorset  
 Duke Barber called Rowley Spinke wife who  
 said that he would prohibit for he said that he  
 caught her with her coat up about her neck  
 and she struggled with his coat & so at his  
 heels in motion with a sword And he said  
 Duke Barber further said that her other  
 was malicious and false & thereupon he  
 swore it & bid him swear it for he would  
 swear it & said that he brought none but Rogues  
 & Beggars along with him out of England some of  
 was the executioners of the same

John Jerome

sworn in open Court  
 before me  
 Wm. Boulton Clerk

Peter Miller says he saw out a list at St. Mary's  
 County Court held the 20th day of June last  
 after Elinor Spinke had taken her oath as  
 by her Duke Barber in a cause depending  
 at Court the Duke Barber called Elinor Spinke  
 and said that he had taken her with her coat  
 up about her neck & that Rogues & Beggars