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Recordes In Gener

For the townes of

23 Midletowne &

Shrowsbury

Begun the

19th off December Anno

1667

1663

Richard Richard

A Coppey off the Charter or Grand Pattent granted vnto the Purchassers & Pattentees off Newarinke Narumsum & Pootapirk. &c

To All whome these presents shall cume I Richard Niccoles esquir Gouerner vnder his royall highnesse the Duke off Yorke off All his territories In Ammerica, send Greeting, Whearas thare is Acertayne tract or percell off land within this Gouernmentt lying and being near Saundy point, vpon the Maine, wch Sayd percell off land. hath bin wth my consent & Approbation bought by Sume off the Inhabittants off Grausend On Long Island off the Sachimes theiffe Proprietes thareoff who before mee haue Acknowledged too haut receiued Sattisfaction for the Same, to the End the said lands Should bee planted & Mannured and Inhabitted & for diuers Other good causses & considerations Thaue thoughtt fitt to giue Confirime & Grantt And by these presents doe Giue & Confirme & Grantt vnto Wm Goulding Samuell Spicer Richard Gibbins Ed Stoutt, James Grouer John Bowne John tixton Nathaniell Sillvester Wm Reape Walter Clarke Nicholas Dauis Obadiah hullmes Pattentees And thare Assosiates thare haires Successors & Assignes All that tract & part off the Maine Land, begining At A certaine place commonley called, Or Knowne by the Name off Sandey Poyntt, and Soe runing along the bay West North West, till it cume to the mouth off the Raretan Reuer, from thence, Goeing along the Said reuer to the Westermost part off Acertaine Marsh Land wch Diuides the reuer Into two partes, And from that part to run In A Direct Southwest Lyne into the woodes twelue miles And then to turne Away South East & by South, vntill it face Into the Maine Ocean Together with All landes Soyles reuers Creeks harbours Mines minerales (royall Mynes Excepted) quarries Woodes Meddowes pastures Marshes Watters lakes fishing hawkeing hunting fowling And all other profits commodities & heredit ments to the Sayd Landes & premisses belonging And [illegible]taining with thare & euery off thare appertenances [illegible] part & percell thareoff, to haue & to hold [illegible] for the Sayd Landes herrid Amts & premisses [illegible] euery off thare [illegible] names hearby [illegible] herein [illegible] mentioned to

be given & graunted, to the only proper use & [illegible]
off the Sayd Pattentees, and thare Assosiates, thare
hairs Successors And Assignes for ever, upon sue
learmes and conditions As hearafter are express
that is to Say that the Sayd Pattentees & Assosiates
thare hairs & Assignes, Shall within the Space of
three Yeares, beginning from the day off the date hereof
Mannure & plant the Aforesaid landes & premisses
and Settell thare One hundred Families at least
In Consideration, whearoff I doe promise and
Grant, that the Sayd Pattentees & thare Assosiates
thare hayres Successors and Assignes Shall inioy the
Sayd Landes & premmisses with thare Appertenances
for the learme off Seaven Yeares next to rume
After the date off these presents, free from
payment off any rentes ruffumes Excize tax
Or Leavy whatsoever, but After expiration off
the Sayd learme off Seaven Yeares, the persons who
Shall bee in possession thareoff, Shall pay After
the Same rate wth others within this royall
highnesse his territories Shall bee obleiged
unto, and the Sayd Pattentees, & thare Assosiates
thare hairs Successors and assignes Shall have
free leave & libertie to erect & build thare townes
& villedges In such Places As they In thare
Discretions Shall thinke most convenient
Provided, that they Assosiate themselves
& that the houses off thare townes & villedges
lye nott to Far Distant, & Scattering one from
the other, and Allsoe they may make such fort
ifications for thare defence agt an Enemy
as may Seeme Needfull, And I doe likewise
grant unto the Sayd Pattentees, and thare
Assosiates thare hayres Successors & Assignes
And unto any & all other persons, who Shall
plant & Inhabitt, in any off the landes Aforesaid
they Shall have free liberty off consistence wthin
any mollestation, or Disturbance wtsoever In
thare way off worship, And I doe further graunt
unto the Aforesaid Pattentees thare hayres
Successors & Assignes that they Shall have
liberty to Elect, by the voate off the Major Part of
the Inhabitants, five or Seaven other Persons off
the Ablest & discreatest off the Sayd Inhabitants or
a greater Noumber off them, off the pattentees the
hairs Successors or Assignes Shall see cause to
Joyne with them, & they together, or the Major Part
off them Shall have full power & authority to
make such peculiar prudential Lawes & constitutions
amoung the inhabitantes, for the better & more
Orderly gouer[illegible] off them, as to them Sh[illegible]
Seem meet [illegible] ided they bee not [illegible]

to the publique Lawes off the Government
And they shall allsoe have liberty to try all
Causses & Actions off Debt & trespasse
arrissing amoung themselves to the valew
off ten poundes, without appeale, but that
they remit the hearing off All criminall
Matters to the Assises At Newyorke, And
Furthermore I doe promise & Grant unto ye
Pattentees & thare Assosiates aforement
ioned thare haires Successors & Assignes, that
they shall have in all thinges hand & quall
priuiledges Freedumes & immunities, with any
off his Altyes Subiectes, within this Gouernmt
the Sayd Pattentees & thar Assosiates. thare
Hayres Successors & Assignes, rendering & pay
ing such Dewties, & Acknowledgments, As now
are, or hereafter shall bee constituted & est
abliched by the lawes off this Gouernmt, under
the obeydience off his royall highnesse
his hayres & Successors, Prouided they doe Noe
wayes infringe the liberties priuiledges Above
Specified, Given under my hand & Seale At
Fort James In Newyorke, on Manhatans
Island the 8th day off April in the 17th
Year off the raigne off oe Sovereigne Lord
Charles the Second, by the grace off God. off
England Scottland France & Ireland King
deffender off the Hayth, and in the yeare
off oe Lord God 1665 Richard Niccoles

Entered in the office
off Recordes In Newyorke
the day & yeare above written
Matthias Niccoles secr

Vera Coppea

Rd Richardson

At a Generall Assembley off the [illegible] off Shrewsbury on Narumsunk neck the 19th off December Ao 1667

Officers chossen by the inhabittants off Midltowne on Newasunk neck & established by oath At this present Assembly or court held the day and year above written

Officers For Midltowne

Richard Gibbins constable

Jonathan Holmes } Overseers
Wm Lawrance }

Steven Arnold } Deputes
James Ashton }

Portland poynt
Henery Percy
Richard Richardson
James Bowne

Officers for Shrewsbury on Narumsunk

Petter Parker constable

Christopher Allmey }
Edward Pattisson } Overseers & deputes off Shrewsbury
Eliakim Wardill }
Barthe West }

The Generall Actes or Orders enacted At this present assembley. Upon the propo. presented by the Inhabittants to the Pattentees & deputies Are in Order set downe Vizo/

First it is hearby ordered that according to ye tenour off the first proposition, that the true & exact Acto off what Sumes off monyes and goods hath bin employed by those persons wch ware formerly made Choisse off to Act in the behalfe off themselves & others in the purchase off this whole tract of land from the Indians, shallbee drawne upp & presented to the next court, or Assembley off Deputies & officers, the representives off the Inhabittants in generall, or else Sooner iff Acconvent tyme or opportunity present, wh the Accompt Imperticular off charges wh hath insued thereupon &c

Likewise it is hearby expressley ordered & concluded, that every person, who hath right to Debate & determine off things

A Coppey off the letter sent from Richard Nicolls Gouern.r &c to the inhabitants off Midwood & Shrewsbury dated 10th off Aug.t 68 —

Lt. Freiends / Yo.r addresse to mee bearing date y.e 26th off July & your letter off y.e 4th off Aug.t by the hands off James Grover, is received in answer to w.ch I shall not deney you my advise, for as I have contributed on my part to your first settlement, soe I think it meet to remmove such doubtes & questions now remaining amoungst you, In the first place you must rest sattisfied, w.th the assignment made by his royall highnesse the Duke off Yorke, unto the Lord Berkley & S.r G. Carterett off all the landes lying on the west side off Hudsons River, wherein your tract is comprehended you must submit to y.e Governer & Government, establisht In y.e province off New Jersey /

You may depend sattley for your title to y.e landes upon the pattent granted unto you by mee & I am confident that when you speake w.th Capt. Carterett hee will assure you off the same, And that your landes are free landes to your selves paying onley such moderate Acknowledgments as the rest off your Naibourds doe, or may doe hereafter /

Having breefley given you answer to the head off your Questions, it remaines onley that I must not passe over your kind expressions towards mee, without returning you this my last assurance, that wharein I can at any tyme contribute, moor to your prosperity you shall not fayle off future testimonies that I am

Your Loueing Freind

R. Nicolls

Aug.t 10th Fort James
In New Yorke

To the inhabittants Att Navasink
Atrue Coppey

Rd Richardson

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Disputes & Controversies shown to Mr. Gov's Ins Liberty at S Court & Ld. of the Ps & their pursuit thereof

Concerning to the Orderly Settlement
Many good additions, & Orders
Liberty by Courts & Towns, that is to say such
men as shall be made choice of by the Generall
part of the Inhabitants, with the Joynt Consent
of persons Expressed in the Charter & Grand Lawes
& have a like power hereby, to make & Repeale
Lawes & Orders Constitutive & the maior part of
them so Chosen — which priviledge is granted
only to the Number of Fourteen Inhabitants, but howsoever
& those Inhabitants having Right & Interest to Shares
of Land are hereby Required & Confirmed to Share out
Lands & Affaires, According to the Second Proposition —

The Summe, or Substance of the third Proposition
The Numbers of those who have right to Lands for
Full & General Meetings. viz. Each three purchasers
how many are taken in, with Such, who have
allready payd, & those who have not payd, so get the
10 to 60 Number of Inhabitants in generall, the
Acct. hereof is likewise ordered to be not found
Assembly

The Effect of this Propo: as touching the choice of
Officers, hath bin already put in practice —

As touching the 4th It is Ordered that three men of
Each Towne, that is to say two of them to be Surveyors
That go this first place Each their Way of Each
Neck of Land, commonly called Newaskik &
Narumsunk and to give a Report of the Same to the
rest of their Judgment & Observation, As to the
Quantity of Land & Meddow, that for Each Share and
Equall Distribution, may properly be Layd by the
Lynitts of Each Towne, in the Next ensuing
Sett downe, when all Convenient Expedition
Shall be to say the Tenth Day of this Last of February
and that good Observation, as well of Quality as of
Quantity, may be given in, that So Each Mr. Amig
be provided in Such Proportion, as Shall be
thought most Meet & Equall —

The first Act for Survey of the two Necks

Concerning this 5th Proposition It is Ordered that Whereas
Inhabitants Inhabitants of Aquidneck or Rhode Island & Connecticut
have by Ingadgd to have & Injoyed Share & Share Alike
Upon a Division of this Last Years Survey all, & Each Share
Accounts & Proportions of Land purchased with all Rights
is Mortgaged or Lost by Share Neglect, or Removall Death
It is thereby Determined, that all Such Persons & Heires
whose Right may happen to accrue, shall Enjoy the
and this next following, with Interest to Settle their
according to their former Grant, It Shall remain
Wholly In the Choice of the Ossinders here Appointed
& Inhabitants, & their Heirs & Assigns
made Purchasers & On the Upon Such Alienations
as may be carried Over to them by Generall Order

order for Admittance of this ingadged from other Ps

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[illegible] Lots to be taken in Order to be peopled by Inhabitants from other pts.

[illegible] further it is Ordered that none shall [illegible] with others, take upon him or them to take upp or dispose off to his owne or other mens use without especiall Order from the constable & Overseeres off the towne or townes, that is to say such Lotts or Peeles off land as is not already settled unlesse that a Man or Family from other pts be sett thereon, & that by orderly choise off Lotts as they Lye are or shall bee layd outt, None to leave & take without especiall Order as Aforesaid

An order for towne Courts consisting off constable Overseers & Assistant [illegible]

The 9th Prop. is likewise approoved & wholey granted as touching the convention off town Inhabitants & Meetings together to consult for the mutuall commodity or Good off each other as occaission shall require, and to make such orders as shall bee thought expedient for the tyme present, as ffuture & to appoint a Clark to keep a register off such that Acts & proceedings, Allwayes provided that they enact nothing contrary to the Actes Lawes & orders, as well off ye generall Assembley of both towns as off the publique Lawes of the Government &c

Act: setting & strong liquor to Indians

The Setting off Strong liquors to Indians is likewise by vertue off this Act forbiden, According to the forfeiture or penalty prescribed or set Downe by the Law of the Country &c

The Act for Admittance off Townsmen

The Admittence off Townsmen is Allowed so far as to make up the Number off one hundered, wth the inhabittantes, wth are hear allready seated the money received for each township, to remaine In the Seaven mens handes, viz. Wm Goulding John Bowne John Tilleton James Grover Richard Stoutt Samuell Spicer Richard Gibbins for the wch they are to bee Accomplable unto the inhabittants Who are most concerned herein, The Aforesaid Townsmen are to have Equall priviledge wth the purchassere In the use off Common Meddow as In proportion off Upland Assigned to Each In Lotts &c

Portland Poynte to bee reduct Into ten pts &c Divissions Or Lottes & Noe Moore

Richard Richardson chossen & Appointed to keepe all Actes Orders & deedes wth ye register off the Same all acts pertaining to the Land as recorder In Generall &c

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Att a Generall Assembley off the Gattentes & Deputies held the 1st off June, Att Todds Pointe, the Acts & orders &c followeth

Ao = 1667:

Whereas an order was made by the Gattentes & Deputies off this towne held the 4th off Decembr last Att Shrowsbury Vpon Narrunsunk for Surveying off the two Necks, Namely Nowasunk & Narrunsunk with Ao Sumy pretency or Claime alledged to this Court this businesse, was Neglected, After Debatte thereoff, It is hereby againe Ordered, that according to the tennour off the aforesayd Order, three Men out off Each towne, two off them to be Surveyers, are to take Assistt Vello, both off the Upland & Meddow off Each Neck & to take good Observation off the quantities & Qualities of Each, & to give A Report thereoff, Sor as formerly was Ordered Only one Man to be chosen by the inhabittants (Vpon choise made of the other six aforesayd) And he to stand as an Umpire betweene Each Towne: and him to have timely Notice Given him by the Constable & his Order, Sfor and In the Name off the towne, & this to be Done by the latter End off November next, att furthest, & that the Moor Shares off Land are to be layed out with the Sd Neck Sdo not within the Limitts off the whoale Tract & Purchasse off Land &c

Sd round order for Survaij off the two Necks,

Ordered Vpon Mutt Debatte hereoff, that Noe Moor Persons Whatsoever, either Purchasers townsmen or others, Shall hereafter be Admitted & taken In there Lotts in Number Above 110 as Near as Att present can be Found, or itt be Found that Sre not Sod Many, Yett Notwithstanding Noe More, are to be from hereafter Admitted Sr aforesayd &c

Noe Moor purchasers or Townsmen to be admitted

Ordered That Att or before the time off Survey off the two Necks Above mentioned, the whoale tract off Land pertaining to all the intire Purchasers is to be Surrounded & mared out by those which be Appointed for Survaij off the two Necks in Proportion & Manner

Ordered That upon the Proposition, and Debate for Stonie highway Gui: Shrowsbury Or Narrunsunk, the breadth of the Said highway is to be Ten pole & not Under, the breadth Over & Above to the Discretion off the Townsmen, and to Runn the Sd 4 thoe Lotts, with are now made, vizt Shall be Layed, Staked Sd Lotts highway Sor to Terminate in that place, & still the Sd Lotts be Kept & Maintained Inviolable, And this Highway is to be understood & Meant, the Common Sd Stony highway Sd Street, wch goeth from One End off the towne unto ye

5 Shrowsbury Highway

Concerning laying Out off Landes

Ordered, Thatt upon all and Every Occaission, off laying out off landes, that Each towne, have thar Liberty to make choise off Aman for laying out off land wthin the bowndes off each towne, And that None shall bee layd out, butt by the Major Voat off the towne & According to the Former Order for Lottes &c &c

For the Choiss off 4 Men for Assistance In Each town

Ordered Thatt Each townes Inhabittant shall have Liberty to choiss four Men for Assistance to the Ouenseers & Constable for the Mannaging off all afairs Relateing to Each towne for preventing disorders or contemptious behaviour In Word or Deed off any Person or persons, & incase Any Order or Act by them soe Chosen shall bee Neglected or Neffe Undone, the constable Aforesd With the Overseeres, & the four Assistance Abouesd have hearby Power, to see each Act or Order by them soe done or made, to bee Executed & performed Accordingly, & this Act to stand In full force, Untill amoore perticular law or Order bee given forth by the Superiour Courtt, &c

Concerning the Gifft Land

Ordered/ Thatt in answer to the Proposittion concerning the Gifftland, the determinate Resolution thareoff upon full Debate was this, that in respect it is not yet cleered, soe as is intended by this Courtt and Expected by the Nattives, & for other Reasons It is thought fitt to remitt the consideration hereof to the Next generall Assembley, then to bee Ended In the Meane Tyme, all thinges Relateing thartoe are to stand as Now they doe Unalterable, Noe Partt nor percell off ye Said Land, to bee At all Disposed off &c

Ordered Thatt the former proceedings or Actes of the Road Island Men in thar laying out off Land on Narumsunk, the consideration, hereoff is likewise refferred to the Next Courtt, wther to stand or Nott/

Ordered, Thatt the Next Generall Assembley off the Pattentees & Deputies for the townes off Midletowne & Shrewsbury bee One the last tiwasday In Novemb Next/

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It is agreed upon & beetween Bartholomew West off the towne off Shrewsbury on Narumsunk neck & John Hall off the Same towne on the other pt this 20th off November 1668

The Afforesaid John Hall doth hearby touen promise & agree, wth the Afforesaid Bartholomew his haires or assignee, forthwith to Deliver over into his the sayd Bartholomewes possession all my right tittle & interest, wtsoever to mee belonging or aptaining In, or unto my share off land, Lyeing & being wthin the limitts off the Afforesaid towne off Shrewsbury on Narumsunk neck, wthall, the commodities, priuilegs & appertainences wtsoever, thareunto belonging or appertaining, both off Upland & Meadow, for him the said Bartholomew to haue hold injoy & possesse, as his owne proper right and interest, from the day off the date hereoff, to him his haires exectors admrs or assignes, for ever, together likewise wthall such Dattell, as are att present in my possession, as my owne proper Estate & Jutterest, viz One Dow One heiffer, One Mare, One colt, off a year old & Advantage, & one Dolt, Sucking, All which likewise I doe hereby promise & Ingadge, for to Deliver up into the handes off him the Afforesaid Bartholo as his owne proper right & Interest, for him his haires, exectors admrs or assignes, to haue, & to hold, injoy possesse & make uss off as his, & thare owne, wthout any mollestation, together wthall thare Increase, or other benifitt arrissing thareby &c

John Hall & Barth West thare Agreement

In Consideration whearoff the Afforesaid Bart West, his haires or assignes, doth hereby promise & firmley ingadge, by these presentes, to receive him the afforesaid John Hall into my house & habitation & to find him wth sufficient meat drinke lodging Washing & Dyett, Dureing the full space & tearm off his whoale liffe time, & to give & allowe him ye sayd John Hall, sufficient maintainence for Dyett & Cloathing, as well in the tyme off sickness as In health, for as long time as hee shall Live as Afforesaid, unto the which the parties abouesaid haue hereunto Enterrchangably set to the Handes, & Sealdes, the day & yeare Above written

these wordes are to be added left Outt in the twenty Eighth Lyne. the foregoing word to Mollestation there expressed, is thus viz wthout any hinderence or Mollestation by him the said John Hall his haires or assignes or any person or persons whoever agreeing wth ye Originalle

Attested by Richard Richards & James Bowne & subscribed unto by John Hall & Bart West

The Merkes off the Hoges & Cattell
Belonging to the Inhabitants
Att Portland Pointt entered
Upon record this 22th off
January 1668

Henry Perry his merke
A troop w.th A Slitt in itt & A small
Nick on the Horiside thereof

Randall Huett Senior his merke
two Slitts On the right eare
like a Flower de Luce

Record off hoges & Cattell On Portland pointt thare Merkes

Randall Huett Junior
his merke
Two Slittes on the right eare like
A Flower de Luce, and A halfe
Peny under on the underside of
the left &c

Joseph Huett his merke
two Slitts, On the right Eare
& one trop on the left,

James Bowne his Merke
One trapp on the left eare And
A Noth on the under part of the
right &c

Wm Bowne his merke
A trop and A cut in the upper side off the
Eare

Richard Richards on his Merke
A troop On the right w.th a cut Into the under pt of ye left

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Record of Lotts on Portland poynt

the Lott No 1 John Horabin

The Lotts on Portland poynt being reduced into No 10 are layd out and are in breadth 20 pole each Lott, and run up from the banck into the Woodes upon a Strait Line West N. West. So Stand as the land is Good About 60: or 70 pole, the further Most Lott one the South Side No 1: No 2 James Bownes, No 3 Richard Richardsons: The Lott one the North Side the Swampe or Valley, the first is Randall Huets Senior No 4, the next to it is Henry Pixey No 5 = No 6: John Birds No 7 Randall Huettes Junior, No 8 William Bownes No 9 William Shakerly

And further it was granted unto the Inhabitantes abouesaid, off Portland point at the time off ye Lott reducement, and laying out off ye abovenamed ten lotes December 15th 1667. that in regard off the small quantity off land to those the said Lottes belonging at present, that if heare after any moor land convent at hand bee found fitt for planting. the inhabitantes abouesaid. shall have the benifitt thereof for ye further Inlargment of the abouesaid Lots of Land &c

The Ouiessees thare Ingadgment May ye 26: 1669

Wee whose Names are hereunto Subscribed being chossen, by the Inhabitantes off Midltowne for Ouiessees, Wee doe hearby promise & ingadge to performe, the Office & place thareoff. According to our best Understanding, In all cases & Actions of Debt and trespasse amounting to ye Sume of fiue poundes. According to the charter given & granted to the company of purchassers off Newasink Navum sunk & Pootepeck, In Witness whareof wee have hereunto Subscribed this 26th of May 1669

the mirke of
Richard Stoutt
Jonathan hullmes
Edward arnish
James Bowne

Subscribed. In Court before the Pattentees, & deputies of the towns of midltowne the Shrewsbury May the 26: 1669

Test Rd Richardson, recd:

13 Mathew Howard his Indenture recorded May 26th. 1669

It is hearby covenanted & Agreed upon & beetween Henery Percy off Portland point, on Newasink Neck, on the one part & Hester Howard on ye other ptt, for and In the Name and behalfe of her Son named Mathew Howard. In manner & form Following

The Aforesaid Hester doth hearby firmely by these presents bargaine covenant and Andagree with him ye Aforesaid Henery Percy & Kathern his wife, that they together, or either off them shall from the day off the date hereoff, take into thare charge and custodey, the Above named Mathew Howard Aged Seaven Years, or thare aboutes. & him to entertain and receive, as A Servant or Apprentise for the full space and tearme off fourteen Years, ye is to say, untill hee the said Mathew Attaine unto the full Age, off one & twentey, After ye Expiration off wch. hee the said Mathew is to bee acquitted of this ingadgment, And, to bee as A freeman, ~~[illegible]~~ but in the meane time, the said Mathew is to doe and performe, all such Service and Imployment as hee the Aforesaid Henery Percy shall imploy him In wth. respect to his Strength, and Abilitie And to behave himselfe in manner as Affaithfull & trusty Servant ought, to doe and performe &c

In consideration off which, ye Above named Henery doth promise & firmeley ingadge, by these presentes to teach, and instruct him, the said Mathew, in the Art & trade off A black Smith, according to his the said Henreyes best Skill, knowledge & Judgment therein as likewise to find him the Sayd Mathew wth. Meat drinke Lodgeing washeing Cloathing, and Apparile Sufficient. for ye Summer as in winter time, during the Aforesaid tearme off fourteen yeares, Soe as is fitting warme Decent & Nessicary for a Servant.

And furthermoor, At the end or Expiration off ye Above said tearme of tyme, the said Henery is to give and bestowe upon him ye said Mathew, A Sett of tooles or such Implementes, as properly belonges unto ye trade or calling off A Smith, bizo. A paire off bellowes one Anuill one hammer and A beacl horne, and what other tooles is Nessicary besides, wch. ye said Henery shall off his owne free and voluntary will give and bestowe, as likewise to give him ye said Mathew at the end off the Aboudsaid tearme off tyme /

14 Two New Sutes off Apparill, one Sute for Ordinary common ~~days~~ Warding, and the other Sute for Sabbath day Warding &c

As Also it is further agreed upon and between the Abouesaid pties, that incass of Mortalitie, that it should soe happen, that the Afforesayd Henery should Dye before the end off the Afforesaid tearme of time, that then ye Said Mathew is to bee left, in the custodey & charge of Katherine Lorrey his wife, but incass it soe fall out, that neither off these two should survive, to live out the Noumber of Yeares afforesayd, the Said Mathew is then to goe free, and to bee At his owne libertey Otherwise this Ingadgment is to stand In fuerforce power & effect, unto the wch the Abouesaid Hester hath hereunto set too her hand & Seale in the behalfe off her son as Afforesaid, Dated the 25th of May and in the One & twentey Year off the raigne, off our Soueraigne lord Charles the Second off England Scotland France & Ireland king, And in the Year of our Lord God 1669

Signed by Hister Howard
And Attested by John Tillton &
Rd Richardson / Vera Copia

I Underwritten doe hearby in Sollome Manner promise and ingadge to performe ye place & office off a constable to the best of my Understanding, as A conservator off the publique piace, in the towne off Shrowesbury, & in all things relateing thereunto, to the utmost of my power, unto the which I have hereunto Subscribed the 26th of May 1669

Eliakim Wardell

Subscribed in Court before the pattentees & deputies & deputies off the townes off Midltowne & Shrowesbury May ye 26th 1669
Vt Rd Richardson Ord.

The Same Ingadgment verbatum the Same day being ye 26th off May was Subscribed by James Ashton, constable off Midltowne.
Witness Rd Richardson

15 We Underwritten doe hearby in our Owne behalfes, as likewise by ~~from~~ Order from Wm Goulding, pattentees, give full power and liberty unto the rest of the pattentees, Inhabiting in Milltowne, to Elect unto themselves, three off the Ablest, and honestest Men, to Agitate & Act, with them as pattentees in our Name & behalfe, in such thinges as pertaines to ye Orderly Settlemt of bussiness amoung ye Inhabittants, and this said choiffs of Men is to continue soe long as wee the sd pattentees aboresaid, shall bee Absent &c. In Witnesse. Whereof Wee have hereunto Subscribed this 26th of May 1669

John Tilton

Test, Rd Richardson

Samuell Spicer

May 27th

Ordered, that Richard Richardson as recorder In generall, is to Attend during the time of ye Courtes Sitting. & to make Entery of all the Actes & orders in ye booke off records, all such bussiness as concerneth the publique Affayres of this townes, for the wch, ~~the Act~~ hee is to have the Sume of ~~three~~ ~~the Sume of~~ twenty five shillings of ye Inhabitants of Milltown in particular. in consideration of ~~this~~ tyme & labour &c. for One year from the day of date hereof

Upon debate of the rates of Landes. being formerly left to decide at this Court, It is voated & hereby Ordered, that all lotts are to bee rated ~~at~~ Alike in equall proportion &c.

The Constable off Shrewsbury his Order

Whereas Afformer choise off officers was made In ye towne off Shrewsbury, vizo a Constable & Overseers as hath bin evidenct to ye Court, Consisting of ye Number off Pattentees ~~[illegible]~~ And Diputies held on port Land point ye 26 of May 1669. and Forasmuch as one off the Overseers see chosen, is uncapeable off the said place, in respect of Absence & infirmity &c, as likewise ye two other, of the sd Overseers, are fallen from the rest off ye company of purchassers, and doe at present seeme to disclaime the same, this therefore is to give expresse Order, to ye constable of Shrewsbury

to give warning to all ye inhabitants to assemble themselves together, and to make choiss off thre other, to act as Overseers, In thare roome, & to make thare repaire to, the house of Richard Richardson who is Impowered by virtue hereof in ye absence of ye Pattentees abovesaid, to establish them, according to ye forme of ye ingadgmt. left on record, and by virtue off thare power & authority given & granted to ye pattentees & thare Associates, by Charter, & further moor that ye Constable is hereby to take Notice and to returne ye Names of such persons, who shalbe found averse to ye pearable Settlement of Order & Governmt. ye soe Hor Hutture they May bee proceeded against, Accordingly, pr. Lawe point dated the 26th of May 1669

Subscribed by John Tilton, Richard Stout Samuell Spicer, Ja Gronix, Jo Bowne Rd. Gibbins, Edward Smith, Ja: Ashton Jonathan Hulmes Rd Lippincot, Jo: Hance, James bowne

May 27th 1669

Ordered, That if any person or persons in ye limites of ye townes of Midstowne & Shrewsbury shall contemptuously Deney to Assist ye constables upon his Express Command, in ye kinges Name for the keeping off ye publique peace, Suppressing of riotous or disorderly persons, every hee or they soe Offending, shall bee liable to pay ye Sum off forty shillinges, to bee Forthwith levied, upon hy or thare estate, After due process made and complaint made by the constable, to the Overseers of each towne off the fact or, or Agreate Sume, According to ye Nature, or manner of fact or facts off contempt or disobeidience committed, & further ye all persons inhabiting in ye Lymites off ye townes Afforesayd, are hereby required, to give Assistance, upon all just & meet Occaissions, to ye constable or his lawfull deputies, upon paine off forfeiture Afforesaid

Ordered

That all publique charges whoever is to bee levied upon, & payd out off ye Estate off every particular Inhabittance off thiss townes, & ye Constable hath hereby Power, to see this Order performed, When tymes & Occaission shall shall require &c

June 30th 1669

Record of the deed or conveyance
off land made over, unto Annanias
Gant ~~by~~ off Saundirth by his Brother
Zachary Gaunt, viz.

This deed Wittnesseth, that I Zacharij
Gant, off road Island have Sould, & firmly
disposed off my whole Share off land
off that tract of wch. Newasink in New
Jersey is apart and off wch. John
Tillton off Gravesend, & Walter Clarke of
road Island, are two of ye Pattentees:
The aforesaid land wth all the appertenancy
& priviledges, thartoo belonging, and that
doth belong to mee, by having a whoale
Share off land, thare I have fully Sould
from mee, or any Order off or from, or
by mee, for ever, to my Brother Annias
Gant, or any Order, off or from, or by
him for ever, Wittness my hand thy 10th
9 Mounth 1668

Zachary Gant

Delivered in presence
of us

John Easton
Isarell Gant

The purchass of a Share off land at
Narumsunk by Zachery Gant abovesaid
was wittnessed to mee as a true & real
thing, by Thomas Potter & Thos. Wmterton
June 30th 1669. Pmee Richardson

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Bee it known unto all men by these presents, that
I John Throckmorton junior off the towne of
Gutowne off Midltowne In the province off N Jersey
doe hearby give full power & authority, as likewise doe
Appoint constitute and Ordaine my well beloved father
Mr John Throckmorton off ye towne off Providence
In Newengland, my true & lawfull Attourney to ask
demaund, Sue for levey and recovery, all such Sumes
Or Sumes off moneyes, goodes, Merchandize, Wares
Or thinges whatsoever, wch shall be found to bee In
the handes, Off Richard Beeres, off Wattertowne
Or In Judah Beeres, his Daughter, in his Or her
possession, Or In any other person Or persons, liveing
Or Inhabiting In Newengland, Or els Whare
That is to Say, All such Estate, off Money Goodes Rate
Or wt els, wch did formerly belonge, Or doe any
Wayes Appertaine, to the proper right, Interest, Or
estate off my late deceased brother Freegift Throck
Morton, dying intestate, Soe far as Appeares, for
the recovery, & receipt off wch I the Abouesaid
John, as lawfull haire Or Next of kin, wth him
my Abouesd father, doe hearby give full and absolute
power and Authority, & to every Intent & purpose
to him my Afforesd father, for him to receive
make Uss & dispose off, as shall Seeme best unto
him, as likewise to Ordaine & constitute, One Or
moor Attourneyes, In his Owne & my behalfe
as shall Seem most meet & expedient, for him
Or they to Aske demaund, Sue for Implead
recover & receive, any pt or pcrcell off money
Goodes Or wt els, Shall bee found In the handes
off the ptie Abouesd Or any other wt Soever, dew
by bond bill confession Or Other testamoney
& to give receipts Or discharges for the Same
In as full firme & absolute Manner, as
though my Selfe were present, In Witness
Whereof I have hereunto Set my hand & Seal
dated this 6th of November 1669

John Throckmorton

Signed Sealed In the presentes of us
whose Names are hereunto Subscribed

Rd Richardson grecd
Jonathan Hullmes, Son to Obadiah Hulmes
off road Island,
Edward Smith, Son to mr Edward Smith of
road Island, being Assistance
& officers chossen & Appointed In
the towne off Midltowne

Test Rd Richardson grecd
off the towne of midltowne
& Shrewsbury.

record off the
letter off Attº
sent by Jno
Throckmorton
to his father
Mr Providence

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19 November 2: 1669

At a court held this day, At the house of randall Huet ye Ordr On Portland point.

Present — James Ashton Constable
Richard Stoutt
James Grover } Pattentees
Wm Bowne
James Bown
Jonathan Hullmes } Dep: tie
Edward Smith

Wm Bowne and James Bowne off the towne of Midtown, on Newasink neck, are Appointed to Act as Pattentee In the room of John Tilton & Samuell Spicer off Gravesend, according to An Order under both thare handes as Appeares on record bearing date the 26th of May etc

Ordered, That the Court is adiourned, to the last tewasday In December next, & in the Mean time Richard Richardson is to give Notice to the constable off Shrewsbury, in Sum convenient Lyme, hereof & further that ye inhabittants off Portland point have liberty to determine Amoung the mselves where to have thare principall lotts off Land laid out, & to give in thare result thareof At the Next Assembly etc

November 2: 1669

At a Court held At Portland point, 28th day of Decemb 1669: — Present,

John Bowne
James Grover
Richard Gibbins } Pattentees
Richard Stoutt
Wm Bowne
John Beckman

James Bowne
Jonathan Hulmes
Edward Smith
Richard Lepincott } Dep: tie & Overseers
John Hance

James Ashton constable

Ordered, That it is graunted unto John Haunce off Shrewsbury, for him to hould & inpoy two Lotts off Land, Anording to A former graunt, being Allready Layd Out, & taken upp by him the said John, At, or near Pootapeck & that him ye said John shall hould the said two Lotts. For & in the behalfe off James Heard and Edward Wharton, purchasers the said John having produced, the Orders, tharfore from under the said Heard, & whartons hands, to this present Court, & further it is Ordered, by the sd Court & Authority Above said, that no Lotts off Land moor be granted to any other, with are thare laid out untill the claymes thareof bee first made Clere & evident, to this Court. Notwithstanding [illegible] presence whatsoever

verbal

Jno Hance his Grant for 2 Lotts At Pootapeck for James Heard & Edward Wharton

This Latter Clause [illegible] Reference [illegible] of [illegible]

Ordered / That upon the prop[o]s made by the depu[ty]
for an Assurance to Edw[d] Rainsford Esq[r]
to Entry made & inrolled for the title of Land
within this purchase, It is hereby ordered
y[t] the pattentees by the James Grenvile, John
Bowrie, Richard Stroat, & the rest of the
present & pattentees do proceed upon a speedy
conveyance, with deue & dispatch of the said deputy
& draught of the said Assurance, & present
the same to the Corporacon to be delivered
into his handes, unto whom the Inhabitants
may repayre for a transcript thereof &
duly vnder his the said Corporacon hand —
depending with the Originall, soe to be given
as aforesaid, wch shalbe by vertue of
this Order as authentique, as any Assurance
wch can be made & given forth, by the aforesaid
pattentees, the same Assurance so to be
given, & made, as ouer the said pattentees proper
cost, & the same to be grounded, & modelled
according to the tenour of the pattent, & prise,
& granted to the pattentees, and shall assigne
vnder the Hand & Seale of Collonell Richard
Nicholls. Esq[r] Gouernor of Yorkshire &
and this to be done between this and the first
of March next /

Ordered / That for the defraying of the charges
& expenses about y[e] prosecucon of these Causes in Court &
of these Causes In Court & from, That there
shalbe, & there is made to each person
soe employed, viz[t] the Pattentees deputy &
constables &c to each of them, the Shilling
p day, to be Levied upon the publique Acco[t]
of this Towne, by the constable according
to an Order made, the last Court day of July

Ordered, That whereas, Sum[dry] disorder hath lately
past in y[e] vnlawfull killing of Swine, vnder
y[e] pretence of swine void, & vnmarkt In y[e]
Woodes, for the prevention of which & Redress
practize, for time to come, It is hereby Expressly
Ordered, that no person whatsoeuer, whether
Lymitts of this Towne, shall from hence forth
presume to Kill any Hogs vnmarkt, notwith-
standing any pretence of Custome, Law or Statute
to the first disquiet the Officers of each
Pentiff for the first disquiet the Officers of each
towne of this intent and purpose hereof, And
further wherein, If any person, shall happen to
kill any Swine vnmarkt, & aforesaid the
person shall bring the said Swine & Hogs
into the Towne, & there opening or cutting
the whole are Sealed, and present him to y[e]
Officer

for defraying Court charges

1[o] Sept: sitting at Scarborough

In y[e] Woodes or Hogs going vnmarkt

And to the Officers Aforesaid, that Soe An
Order may bee taken tharein as Shallbee
thought fitt, but iff any manner of
persons, Shall from henceforth by any
Unlawfull wayes or Secrett practize, endeuour
off himselfe, priuatly to kill, & to conuay
any ~~manner of~~ Swine, wch are Not markt
as Aforesaid, contrary, to the true intent
and meaning off this Act or Order, heare
Sett, the Parties, hee or they Soe offending
Shallbee liable to forfeit fiue poundes, & ye
Same to bee forthwith leuied upon the
estate of offender, upon proofe off the fact
committed, by the officers wch shallbee
Apointed heartoo, and the Same to bee disposed
off as the court shall think fitt;

Ordered, That the Lymites or boundes off this towne
off Midltowne, is to bee Set forth and bounded
Westward, off the towne, for the further
Inlargement off ye Same, Soe as shallbee agreed
upon After A full view taken off ye Land
wch, is to bee done At or upon the 16th day
off March next, off wether ~~ff~~ mitt, And
After, this is Soe done, the certaine boundes
thareoff is to bee taken, & Set downe In writ
hting as exact as May bee and the Same
to bee recorded in the townes booke

Order for the boundes of Midltowne for ye Land thereof westwards

Ordered, That the Inhabittantes off Portland
haue by vertue of this Act, full power
and Liberty, to take up thaue principall
Lottes of Land, or Second Diuissionee At or
Near, A Small Creeke within the Lymites
of this towne of Midltowne, cald Many
mind Spring, & thare to bee layd out
And iff It Shall Out, that thare bee not
land enough, conueniently to Accomodate
them ye said Inhabittantes, they Shall
haue Liberty to take up what Shall bee
wanting, upon Newasink Riuer, In
Sume conuenient place, to make up ye
full complement off the Noumber of
Acers off Plantable Land, together with
Meddow conuenient, equall, wth ye rest of
the Inhabittantes of this the Aforesd towne

By Order off ye Commissioners, &c.

A Record. off John Jenkins off the Towne off Saundwich his Deed or Conveyance off Land, vnto George Allin 25th July the 5th. 1670/

Know all men, by these presents, That I John Jenkins off the Towne off Saundwich in ye Colony off New plymouth In New England, Wiaeuor, for and in consideration off ye Sume off twelue li in hand, paid by George Allin off ye Towne off Saundwich in the Colony Aforesaid planter, vnto me ye Aforesaid John Jenkin, the receipt off it, I do say — John Jenkin. doe Acknowledge, my Selfe, fully Satisfied & Payd, and haue bargained, and Sold, Aliened, Enfeoffed my heires and Assignes, And by these presents, doe fully and Absolutly bargaine & Sell vnto ye Said George Allen his heires and Assignes, All my Lands, In ye County Or Colony off New Jersey both vpland & meddow Land, reclaimed Or vnreclaimed, Shares Or Purchase, not. All the Said John Jenkin haue bought off William Reape of Newport, vpon Road Island Merchant, As may Appeare by A Letter vnder the hand of Walter Clarke, off Newport vpon Road Island, Clark for ye Company off Purchasers. bearing date, the Seauenth off the Eleaventh Month One thousand, Six hundred Sixty Seaven, And Also by Indenture vnder the Hand of Henery Bull, off the Same Island. bearing date ye Thirtieth off ye fourth month. One thousand Six hundred Sixty & five, the which Shares off Land, being All the Land Purchase Or Share off the whole tract off Land purchased of ye Indians, As Also my further Right Shares off Land, lying & being in New Jersey aforesaid which land lieth in three tracts, with vnreclaimed Meadow Shares, which rights are Scituate Riuarint Shares, which rights, within diuided Or vndiuided Marumsum & Postapeake, with all the priuiledges &c. both vpland & Meddow, with all the priuiledges and Appurtenances thereunto belonging, To Haue and to Hold, vnto the Said George Allen, his heires and Assignes for euer, and I the Said John Jenkin for my Selfe, my heires & Assignes doe Couenant and grant, to and with the Said George Allen his heires and Assignes, to warrant and Saue harmless the said George Allen his heires & Assignes from any manner of Person Or persons, that Shall lay any lawfull claime, vnto the Said bargained premises by Or vnder me, the Said John Jenkin Confession, by Or vnder me. the Said John Jenkin In witnesse, whereof I haue, hereunto Set my hand and Seal this Second of Iune, 1670

John Jenkins

In the presents of us
Richard Hand[illegible]
John Jenings.

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By Order off ye Pattentee
July 7th 1670

This may certiffy All to whome it may concerne that I Daniell Gould off Newport on Road Island hauing halfe A Share off Land in the rountey of New Jersey, according to the purchase and Shareinge, off those Landes which are commonly called and Known by the Indian names off Newasink arumsunk and Pootapeck, haue Bargaind, and Sould, and by these presents for my Selfe my hares &c freely Truly and Firmly make Ouer and yeild vpp, all my whole right Title and interest ye I haue, or euer had, in the Aforesaid landes, unto George Allen off Saundwich In the Collony off Plymouth in Newengland, to him and his haires for euer, firmly to possess and Injoy to ye worldes end, from any Molestation off mee and my haires for euer, In Wittness Whareoff, I haue hearento, Set my hand and Seale the 12th day off ye Howeth mount 1670

Daniell Gould

In the Presentes off vs

Wm Richardson
Walter Parker

This may certify to all whome it may concerne ye I Joshua Coggshall off Portsmouth on Road Island doe Order and Allowe George Allen off Saundwich to receiue and dispose off my halfe share of Land, which I haue in the rounty off New Jersey in as Full and Ample manner, As if I were thare present my selfe, As Wittnesse my hand the 12 day off the 2 mount 1670

Joshua Coggshall

In ye presents of vs

Daniell Gould
Nicholas Easton junior

24 July 5th Ao 1670

At a Court held, the Day and year Above written At Portland Poynte, Present

Pattentees
William Reap
John Bowne
James Grover
James Bowne
Wm Goulding
Richard Gibbins
Richard Stoutt

John Haunce
Eliakim Wardell
James Bowne
[illegible]

Peter Tillton, William Shaddock Eliakim Wardell and Richard Lipincott, ware Established Overseers for the towne, off Shrewersbury according to a certificate under the towne clarkes, hand bearing date the 4th day of the 5th mounth as likewise ingadged According to the forme, set downe in this Booke, intitled the Overseers Ingadgment, as Also John Hance, is ingaged constable, upon choise made by the maior voat of the Inhabitants of Shrewersbury according to the certificate under the towne clarkes hand, who also ware appointed & chossen deputies as Appeares by ye sayd certificate, to Act this present court In the townes behalfe

The Pattentees, Abovesayd, haueing giuen Notice to ye Overseers, chossen and deputies off midltowne to appear At this present meeting to Ishue, and to Auditt all Accoumptes pertaining to the purchasse, off these nesbe of Land yeo Willm Reap off road Island Merchant being present to tender his part off Accoute yeo with the rest interest herein, for the Satisfaction, of the purchassers who are herein concerned, this Answer following inserted On record, was returned yeo viz

Freindes the Pattentees At Portland point

13 These are to giue you notice, that ye towne haueing formerly made choiss off deputies for ye next court which court hath formerly bin perfect to be held about eight, dayes hence, but now it prouidentially

Falls Out, that One off ye Deputies is At present Disabled, by reasson off Sickness to Attend this day and the towne is not now in a capacitie to make choiss off Another, by reasson of the Shortnesse off ye warning, wch Otherwise may bee had for A new choiss against the perfixt pay formerly published amoungst us by the pattentees, As for wm Reaps being thare, to give in Accoumptes Iconsiue that may bee done without the presence of ye deputies, they being not able to judge of them

Dated the 4th of the 5th mounth 1670

by mee
John Willson towne deputy

Record of Intelligence given for a meeting to sum Nominated Assosiates At Strowersbury Febuary 15th 1670

Freindes

This is to give ye notice that thare is A meeting intended by the Pattentees & thare Assosiates On thursday next, the 22th of this instant mounth, At James Grovers house At the Mill At Eight of the clock, this meeting requiring the presents of every particular persson, who are Nominated Assosiates, thare & then to declare thar Willingness & Assent, to ye Tearmes & propositions, to bee presented and put in practize, without delayes, wch may tend to ye Preiudice of Others in the veiwing purchassing & possessing of land Comprehended in the pattent this Warning requiring ye speedy compliance hearin, Or els to declare ye mindes either for the declining, Or otherwise prosecuting the Bussiness

To: mr: christopher Almey
Eliakim Wardell
Jno: Hance
Rd Lipincott
wm: Snaddock

Nominated Assosiates:

Edward Pattisson
Barthe: West
Nicho: Browne
Tho: Winterton

This Noat was Directed to John Hance, to communicate the contents thareof to ye Persons abouesaid, Subscribed

By
Richard Hartshorne
John Bowne
Richard Gibbins
Richard Stratt

Test Rd Richardson

27 Newasink Narumunk & Pootapeck is Dr as Followeth to wm Reaps

	£ sh d
To John Tillton & comp^a in Peage 16 p^d	24-5-0
In rum at tymes at 7^s-6^d p Gallon	23=10-0
45 ells duffeels at	25=02-0
To the Sachim of ye Gift Land & to Randall Huet in rum	1=11-6
To a Sloopes hire 10 daies, wth Expence in Provissions upon a voyadge wth the Pattentees to Pootapeck neck	4=06-0
To the charge of three men sent from road Island to settle ye Countery Affaires bear &c	3:08-0
To the Ess off Dirrick Smithes Sloope for thare transportt	4:11-6
To 21 Dayes for my selfe on ye publique Affaires wth provision	3=03-0
To the Forbearence of my money	0-00-0
To my Expence of time Now Attending the publique Service at the making up of this Acco^t	0-00-0
Summ	89-07-00

The abovesaid Accoumpt of Disburtmentes of wm Reaps, amounting to 89 to 07 is owned by us the Pattentees & deputies now present Atw th Portland point, as Witness our handes, the 5 of July 1670

Pattentees { Will Goulding, John Hance, James Crouder, Chakim Wardell, John Bowne, James Bowne } Dp^ts

Richard Gibbins

Richard + Stout his marke

Jo. Richardson rend^r

28 Pinarink Narumsunk & Portapeck &c Dr to
Several Disbursements by James Grover John
Tilton & Jon Goudeby & Company: as Hollowell

		£	s	d
To Loparmora in Black Leage 986 gilders which is 20 £. 5 s — — —	20	05	00
To him In white Leage — 162 gilders 20 ch is	6	15	00
To 2 Loading Coats &, At 150 gilders is —	6	5	00
To a Gun and a paire of Briches 46 gilds —	1	19	06
To ditto In Leage 20 gilds 1 Anchor of brandy 140 is 160 gilders with Court rite English —	6	18	00
To Tobacco as tymes 32 1 Shirt 10 gilds is 42	1	15	00
To Ditto in Black and white Leage 31 d. g: —			
61 payes off Brookes. At 6 is 316 gilds in m:	13	07	06
To 2 Coats & 1 pair off breeches 70 gilds — —	02	19	00
To Boat hire At 3 times — 323 gilds — — —	13	09	06
To Loparmora and his men at times in rum —	5	16	10
To Several mens wages for Sourcace voyages made for the purchase off Pinarink —	366	17	06
To recording the deed off Sale in New yorke 30 gilders and to Loparmora 1 coat & breeches it 40 gilders is all 70 gilders — — —	02	19	00
The Accompt off the Second Purchase — —	Sum:	149	6: 10
To: 30 round Sachims in Leage 1320 gilds is	55	00	00
To 9 Blanckets 360 gilders is — — — —	15	00	00
To 9 coats at 315 g 9 Kettles 240 is 555 g: 6d	23	07	06
To 4 & 1/4 of Powder 21 g 15 & 1/2 of Lead 11 — 6 howes 27 is in all 59 gilders and in English &c: —	02	09	06
To Expence on the Indians At New York, 60 g: is —	02	10	00
To Expence for them At Greenwich is 50 g: is —	02	01	10
To Recording the Deed 25 g — — — — — is	01	00	10
To Tobacco to them At times 20 g — — is	00	17	10
To: Our voyage in the purchase & marking out the 2 Purchases Narumsunk & Portage together with Provisions. the Indians had no voyage 720 gilds is — — —	29	11	08
To 2 Anchors of Rum 200 g — — — — —	08	06	08
To Treat D.o of Jersey Governer Expences 350 — —	13	11	08
To: Expences At Narumsunk from on y Country 800 gilds — — — —	20	00	00
To the Sachim 6 Coats 210 gilds — — — —	1	—	—
To Indentage charges 100 gilds			
To Christopher Allowy 50 gilders for himself & his Boat At Narumsunk — — — —			
	Sum: Totall is	359	

Newaink Remmunk & Protapirk &c
By Generall Assemeyer Laid to Jams Groner
Compenij as ffolloweth =

	lb	s	d
By Samuell Spricer	4	0	0
By James Grover	4	0	0
By wm Goulding	1	0	0
By Jn° Bowne	4	0	0
By Benj° Gibbins	4	0	0
Benj° Stout	4	0	0
John Tilton	4	0	0
Mark Sutcliffe	6	0	0
Thomas Moor	1	13	4
John Cunklin	0	15	0
Walter Clarck	3	00	0
Letter Elson	3	00	0
Thomas Pimberton	3	00	0
Richard Lippincott	13	10	0
Emmanuell Woolley	3	00	0
Wm Shaddock	3	00	0
Edwd Wharton	3	00	0
Richard Borden	9	00	0
William James	1	05	0
Robert Barr	3	00	0
Thomas Potter	3	00	0
George Webb	3	00	0
John Coffyn	3	00	0
William Evering	3	00	0
Thomas Clifton	3	00	0
Henery Bull	3	00	0
Samuell Hollman	3	00	0
Nicholas Browne	4	00	0
Richard Richardson	4	00	0
Christopher Allmij	4	00	0
Jonathan Hutchins	3	00	0
Jn° Cooke	3	00	0
Geo: Shutte	3	00	0
Wm Peter Lucas	4	00	0
Mathias Hollmd	4	00	0
Joseph Arnold	3	00	0
Edward Smith	3	00	0
Nicholas Davis	8	00	0
John Shattuck	4	00	0
Roger Ellis & his son	6	00	0
Elakim Hardie	4	00	0
[illegible]	3	17	6
[illegible]	4	00	0
[illegible]	4	00	0
[illegible]	3	17	6
Thomas Potticlerk	4	00	0
	178	18	04

	lb	s	d
John Hocadon	2	1	4
James Bowne	1	14	8
John Wilson	4	00	0
John Burkman	4	00	0
Thomas Cox	3	10	0
Edmund Lapkitus	3	10	0
ffrancis Masters	3	10	0
Jn° Townsend	4	00	0
Henery Lippcott	4	00	0
Jobiah Hardson	4	00	0
John Haunce	4	00	0
Zachery Gaunt	1	10	0
Francis Brindley	3	10	0
Ralph Goldsmith	3	10	0
Walter Wall	4	00	0
Jn°. Hall	3	10	0
Job Allmeij	4	00	0
Joseph Coleman	3	00	0
John Frogmorton	0	6	8
John Brown of Ll	3	00	8
Jam Bowne	1	06	8
Thomas Potter	1	00	0
	74	19	02
	178	18	4
	253	17	6

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Newarink Narumsunk & Pootapeck Cr
by Seuerall Sumes of Moneyes Paid Wi
Preape as Holloweth

	£	s	d
Edward Thurston	3	00	0
John Allen & Robart Taylor	3	00	00
Nath.a Tomkins	4	00	00
Richard Lippincott	3	00	00
Georg Mount & Benjamin Bordin by Richard Bordin	6	00	00
By Richard Burden towards the Aduance of 5 Shares at 16 yr d	2	10	00
By John Jenkins at 16 a d	3	00	00
Daniell Gould & Joshua Cogshill	3	10	00
Richard Sissell	4	10	00
John Wood	4	00	00
Gerrard Bowrne	4	10	00
By Robart Story	9	00	00
William Shaddock & Georg Webb	1	00	00
By William Shaddock & John Jenkins	2	00	00
By Thomas Clifton	0	10	00
By Robart Carr and Walter Clark	1	00	00
			00
	54	10	00

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Newasink Narumsunk & Pootapeck Debittor to William Reape, as will Particulorly Appeare in folio 27: under the handes off the Pattentees & deputies of this purchase Amounting too the Sume of 89 lb - 7 shillings is - 89 lb = 7 sh = 0 d

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Newasink Narumsunk & Pootapeck is Debr To John Tillton James Grover William Goulding & the rest of yt company. as pticulorly Appeare In the 28th folio of this Booke Amounting to the Sume of - - 359 lb = 01 sh = 0 d =

This Accoumpt was made vpp & Allowed of by vs the deputies wth the Seuerall Particulars thereof In Witness whereof we have this sixth day of July

Newasink Narumsunk & Pootapeck is Cr-

By Moneyes Payd to William Reape
will particularly appeare, in folio 30th & 8
of this Booke amounting too - - - 54=10

Rests dew to Ballance dew to
Wm Reape the Sume of 34 } 34=17

Sum^a = 89=07

Contra Creditter

By Severall Sumes of moneyes Paid
to John Tillton James Grover & William
Goulding & company as appeare by the
Severall particular Sumes expreset in the 29th
folio of this Booke amounting to the
Sume of - - - - 253=17=06

Rests to Ballance dew to ye
Pattentees - & Comp^a the Sume of } 105=03=06

Sum^a = 359=1=0

Viewed examined
off Shrewersbury & Midtown
expreset in this Booke
Hearevnto Subscribed
One thousand six hundered & Seaventy

Aaron Hauts
Eliakim Wardell } Debutys
James Bowne

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A List of the Names of the Purchasers of Agawam Wenasumk & Lotapish

5 Acres of Land

Samuell Spire	1	Edward Lawson	1
James Stone	1	Bartholomew West	1
John Brown	1	Robart West	1
Richard Gibbins	1	Thomas Johnson	1
Richard Stoutt	1	John Hoccabin	1
John Sifton	2	James Brown	1
Mast. Silvester	4	John Gibson	1
John Throckmorton	2	John Knobman	1
Walter Clarke	1	John Townsend	1
Peter Easton	1	Henery Tippits	1
Tho: Pinnerton	1	Josiah Hanson	1
Richard Lippincott	1	John Haunce	1
Edmund Woolley	1	Hezekiah Brindley	1
Wm Shaddock	1	Walter Wale	1
Edward Harison	1	Job Alloney	1
Richard Borden	3	Joseph Coleman	1
Wm Turner	1	Wm Brown	1
Robart Carr	1	John Smith	1
Thomas Potter	1	Wm Reap	2
George Webb	1	John Brown Jr	1
John Coggshall	1	Edward Thurston	1
Wm Codington	1	Jn° Allen: Robt Taylor	1
Thomas Clifton	1	Jn°: Jenkin	1
Henery Bull	1	Zachery Giant	1
Samuell Holman	1	Nathaniell Lombard	1
Nicholas Brown	1	Benjamin Sprague	1
Richard Richardson	1	Joseph Biggar	1
Christopher Alloney	1	Georg Mount	1
Jonathan Haines	1	Ben: Borden	1
John Cook	1	Richard Sewell	1
Georg Chute	1	Daniell Gould & Jos	1
Mark Lucas	1	Edward Bourne	1
Gabriel Hubbard	1	Gideon Hathorne Esq	1
Peter Arnold	1	Robart Hazard	1
Edward Smith	2	Jn°: Wood	1
Nich°: Davis	1	Thomas Hart	1
Wm Shaberly	2	Jn° Jonson	1
Roger Williams Pidson	1	Edward Cole	2
Francis Brindell	1	Robart Story	1
Edward Jarrat	1	Wm Gifford	1
	49		41

folio 34 A List of the names of the purchasers of Newasink Narumsunk & Spotapick &c

	Shares of Land
James Leonard	01
Thomas Dungan	01
Jno Horndell	01
Marmadube Ward	01
Richard Moor	01
Ralph Gouldsmith	1
	6
James Ashton	1
	7

The Names of such who are Entered as township men &c Townshippers

Thomas Cox	1
Edmund Laphitra	1
Hra: Masters	1
John Hall	1
Bashan	1
James Grover iunior	1
Richard Sadler	1
Daniell Estill	1
Wm Lawrance	1
Wm Chiesman	1
Anthº Page	1
Wm Layton	1
~~James Ashton~~	~~1~~
Wm Goulding	1
John Stoutt	1
Henery Percey	1
John Bird	1
Randall Huet iunr	1
Randall Huet senr	1
Samuell Spicer	1
Barthº Lippincot	1
Job Throckmorton	1

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An Order made by the pattentees & deputies hear present At Portland point this six of July 1670 as followeth

Whereas it appeares by the list of the names of the purchassers and townsmen of these necks of Newasink Narumsunk & Pootapoch, that Severall, have come short of payment of there dew sume of money equall wth the rest you it remaing in the handes of severall for certaine years past, It is hearby expressly ordered by the Pattentees & deputies, that after dew and timly notice given to the parties aforesayd for the paym^t and makeing up the Severall sumes that is wanting the parties aforesaid are to provide and accordingly make payment of the same, soe farr as is properly dew, by the last of November next, Otherwise in case of delayes or fraudelent dealing in the premisses, the pties for such defaultes after publication of this order, shall forthwith bee Lyable, by vertue of this order, to forfeit there Landes to those who are hereby Impowered to seize thereupon, Namely the Pattentees whose names are hereunto inserted, who by vertue of an acco^t given in of all the Severall disbursemts pertaining to the whole intire purchase of those Necks It appears thereby, that a certaine sume of money is thereby dew unto those the aforesayd Pattentees & Comp^a ask demaund, sue for levy & recover, as also to discharge the Severall persons wch at present are found wanting upon the makeing up there full paym^ts: wth the rest of the purchassers and townsmen

Testis Ed Richardson

Wm Goulding
James Grover
John Bowne
Richd Gibbs
Richard Stouter
Willid Reape

folio 36,

July 8th 1670

It is thought meete by the pattentees = That a conuenient noumber of purchasers who ware the first and principall in the purchass off, these three neckes, viz° Newasinke Narumsunk & Pootapeche, are hearby to bee nominated, Elected & chosen, as Assosiates to ioine wth: the pattentees, whose names, whoss names are inserted, & set downe, who by vertue off this Act, or Order, shall henceforth have a full interest right and claime, in ye pattent given & granted, to the pattentees by Richard Nicholls esqr late gouerner off Newyork, to those men who are therein expressly nominated, and particularized as may appeare, who together wth: thare Assosiates hearby declared, to Act together, for future tyme for the further settlment and purchass off landes wch at present lies void, according to the title tenour graunt & substance off the Aforesaid Pattent, the which the said Pattentees, and now received Assosiates & combinates together, Doe Promise, and hearby ingadge, one to ye other to deffend iustify & maintaine, the said Pattentt. According to the true intent and meaning thareof upon the pennalty, or forfeiture off each share off land from those who from, this time forward shall any wade endeuour, to Ouerthrow disanull or any wayes infringe the liberties thareof, as it is given & granted to all the pattentees, and Assosiates, whoss Names wth: os the sayd Pattentees, are here

Expressed, viz°

Wm: Bowne
Tho: Whittlock
John Willson
Jno: Ruckman
Walter Wall
Jno: Smith
Richard Richardson
Jno: Horabin
James Bowne

Jonathan Hulmes
Christopher Allmey
Eliakim Wardell
Bartholomew West
Jno: Haume
James Ashton
Edward Pattisson
Wm Shaddock
Tho: Winterton
Edward Tartt.

Beniamin Burden

19 These above named wee the aboue said Pattentees haue chosen to or selues to bee Assosiates. wth vs: acording to ye premisses abouesaid as wittnesse or hands ye day & yeare, abouesaid

Willid Reapt

Will gaulding James Grouer John Bowne

Zach: Cobbinry Richard + Stoutt

Test: Ed Richards

It is Further Ordered by the Pattentees
That the Noumber off Assosiates whose
Names are inserted, are not Soe Duly
compleated, but ye Sume One Or Two in
Noumber moor may bee admited, that
is to Say, Such Only who are of the No
of Purchassers / If the Pattentees & Assosiates
Aforesaid, Or the Maior part of both Shall See cause &c

John Bowne
Will gaulding
James: Grover
Rich + Stout
Rich Gibbins
Willid Reape

Witness
E Richardson

It is Further Ordered and agreed, upon ~~the New~~
that the new Elected Assosiates, whose Names are
Inserted, &c are hearby admited, to have an Equall
Partt and Proportion, of the Gifftland, upon the provisio
that the pattentees, Shall have the privilege to take up
unto themselves, A Double Share off Upland and Medow
in Sume convenient place, Only Areassonble Quantitie
of Land, lying neare, the Watters Side, is to bee left out
By them for the Common benifitt of the rest & them
Selves, off About three mile in distance from the Bayside
to ye First lott Or Division, by them taken upp which
Land is to bee laid Out, and Distributed In equall Pt, amoung
the Said Assosiates & pattentees All charges & disburstmentes to goe equall
& the Lotts Or Severall Divissions, allsoe, excepting the Aforesaid
double Shares, ~~Allowed as a gratuity~~, to those the above named
~~Pattentees, whose Names are inserted~~, &c which the
Said Pattentees have reserved to, themselves / And by
the consent of the Purchassers /

Sest is = Ed Richardson

the Wordes (and pattentees) in the thirteenth
Lyne was enterlind, before ye signing
Hereof, & ye 15 & 16 Lynes razed out

Signed by order of ye Pattentees presente, and Attested
by mee as thaw Act, Sume of the Assosiates being
Present /

Ed Richardson

July 8th 1670

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July 8th 1670

Ordered / That noe manner of Persons whatsoever shall presume to take upon him or them, to purch asse, or take up unto themselves any part or parcell of Land, without the Order consent or Approbation of the pattentees & Assosiates, within the bounds, or limits of the Pattent, from the Indians, or Natives of ye the Pties. soe doeing, shall loose, the Value of the money soe disposed of, & bee Liable to such further fine, or penalty as the patentees & Assosiates shall see cause / or the maior pt of them with latter Clause of (maior pt) hath Also reference to ye Pattentees & Assosiates Abouesaid /

Ordered / That about November next, the Lottes off Land remaing in common wanting of the full number of one hundered and Eighteene, are to bee Layd out by James Grouer: Appointed hearenne

Ordered / That upon the first munday of the Mounth of Apprill, Each Towne viz: off Midltowne and Shrewersbury are to make choiss ~~made~~ of thare Overseers & constable, and after choiss made the officers soe chossen are to bee Establisht At the next generall court held At Portland point

Ordered / That After debate concerning the two Lotes of Land At Pootapeck, in controversy beetween Wm Reape of road Island Merchant & John Hance, off the towne of Shrowersbury. It is hearby Agreed upon by the Major Voat, That him ye Abouesaid Wm: Reape, shall from hemeforth, haue the free possision off the Aforesaid Lotts off Land, In respect ye the Aforesaid Jno Hance hath not performd his promiss, made At Severall tymes, first to ye Pattentees, & secondly to ye Court In the dew Setlmt: and possessing the Same, As Likewiss yt ye former Order off Court granted to ye Aforesaid John Hance, bearing date ye 18th off December last is hearby (for ye Causes Abouesaid) made void & off noe effect /

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folio 39

It was graunted and agreed upon
By the company off pattentees and
deputies present, In July last, 1670
that margerett Huet widdow relict off
Randall Huet the elder deceased &c
should have a part off the Gift Land
(commonly soe called) formerly promised
to him the late deceased Randall, by ye
Pattentees, &c provided the said margret
shall redily contribute to ye clearing
the same out of handes of ye Indians
when, thartoo required, soe far as her
ye said Margrets partt or share shall
amo: unto &c

Witness R. Richardson

At a Meeting of sume Inhabitantes
of Midltowne & Shrowersbury May 15th 1671
at James Grouet house
It was then & thar concluded on. That
After the exact laying out of both the
Townes Aboutsaid, & the townsmen made
equall, with the purchassers in the same
townes: After this is soe done. the next
adiacent land to each towne is to bee layd
out, for the benefitt of the purchassers
in equall ptes, to thar owne proper use
In such conuenient Quantities as shall bee
hereafter agreed upon by the Noumber of
Purchassers Aforesayd, herein concerned

folio 40

May 15th Ao 1671

At a meeting held the 15th of this instant mounth, It was Orderd & Agreed Upon by the Pattentees Present viz: John Bowne, Ja: Grover, Richard Stoutt, Richard Gibbins, wth: the rest of Inhabittantes of Middtowne & Shrowersbury (whose Names are extant in this Booke) That At Upon the 29th day off September next, a meeting is Appointed, for the choiss off A fitt nowmber off Men, to Survay the two Necked off Newasink & Narvunsunk, & for to give thare Judgment, Attouching the qualitie & quantity both of the Upland & Meddow, According to ye Substance of former Orders & Agreemts: &c, this Being Assented too: & now Againe, Agreed Unto by ye Inhabitants afore

At the Same time & Day Richard Richardson was Appointed to stand as Recorder for Both towns: According to An Agreemt: expressed in this Booke, for one whole Yeare, from the date hereof &c

May 31th 1672

Wharedas Richard Lippincott & Nicholas Browne inhabittantes of the townes of Shrewersbury ware formerly nominated for Assosiates according to An Act made, July 8th 1670: as is expressed in the 36th folio of this booke (the entry of whose names being then Omitted or forgotten) the said Parties abovesaid Richard & Nicholas are likewise to be Added to the nowmber of Assosiates tharein expressed, by Order of the Pattentees &c

Richard Lippincott and Nicholas Browne Added to the No: of Assosiates nominated in the 36th folio

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Record of Robartt Story his Deed or Convayence of land, One share (as is expressed in the Hollowing, Bill of Sale) unto John Jay off Barbadoes, Recorded May the 20th 1671

Know all Men by these presentes Thatt Whaaras it appeares by a Wrighting, Or coppey of a deed or Bill of Sale, under the hand off Robartt Story Merchant (formerly One off the purchassers, belonging to Newasink Narumsunk & Pootapeck) Thatt hee the said Story, hath Sould and disposed of all his whole, Right, title and Interest of One Share off Land, both Upland & Meddow, together with all the Appertenances, priuiledges & rights, thartoo Belonging or, Appertaining (as may moor largly appeare) Unto John Jay planter, liuing or inhabiting in the Island off Barbadoes, &c, And Whareas the said John Jay, hath giuen full power and Authority unto John Burnyeatt, and John Hance, by Vertue of A leter of Attourney, under his the said Jayes hand I the Abouesaid, Robart Story, my haires or Assignes doe hearby moor fully freely cleerly and Absolutly Affirme & confirme, by Vertue of this presentes Wrighting, All and euery part and pexcell of ye Or conuayence under mine, the said Robart Storyes hand, as may Appeare, As to the Absolute Sale of my the Aforesaid Share of land and meddow: diuidio into two partes, One containing Six Accers, Or thare Aboutes lying together, wth the other lott of about forty Or fiuety Accers, &c together wth all houses, Edifices, & biuldinges, Orchardes & Barnes & Stables, And all other the Appertenances whatsoeuer, to the said Land Belonging, Or in any wise Appertaining, As Allsoe, Such Cattell Stock, Hogges, & other the premisses, As Are moor pticularly mentioned & expressed, in an Inventory, Or Lill hearunto annexed, To All Which & to Euery part & pcell, thareof, I the Abouesaid Robt Story my Haires Or Assignes, doe in a moore especiall manner, (And by Vertue of the instructions: Under his the said John Jayes hand unto his ye said Attournies, in his behalfe for the deuretefying & moor proper conclussion off ye Agreemt: Abouespecified Expressed in Wrighting) doe Hearby

Folio 42/ Make Ouer, All my Right title and interest and Full Claymé wtsoeuer, vnto him the sayd John Jay, his haires Executors: Administrators Or Assignes, for him the said John Jay his haires or Assignes, to haue & to inioy & possess as his Owne proper right & interest, without any mollestation, or Incumbrance, by any Person, or Psons, whatsoeuer, wch: may hear after Arrise, by any Claime Or pretence of right, to any part or Pcell of ye Premisses Aforesaid, In Witnesse whereof I the A Bouesayd Robartt Story, haue hearonto Sett to my hand, & Seale, this Sixteenth day of May 1671

Signed Sealed & deliuered In the presentes of vs. whose names are heaxvnto Subscribed

Robartt Story

Rd Richardson
James Bowne
John Horabin

An Inuentory of the Cattell and other Stocke mentioned in the deed of Sale, whereunto, these presentes are Annexed,

Imprimis Two Oxen } in all ten Cattell young & old
five Cowes }

Fower Breeding Sowes:
In All twenty Swine young & old

Item
One Breeding mare
Tackling for A plough

Item: one hoe 1 Axe &
22 one Iron Pott large &c

Quiet & peacable Possession

With ye deliuery & receipt of all ye Aboue mentioned pticulars either in Kind, or in full valuation thereof, according to Estimation from Robt. Story in ye Behalfe of John Jay, ~~we say receiued~~ we say receiued by vs whose Names are hearvnto Subscribed: John Burny John Hant

Postr: Euery thing is receiued in kind as Aboue Specified, Only sixteen swine for ye wch we haue receiued satisfaction In Neat kind

witness
Rd Richardson

John Burnyeat
John Hante

witness
R R
Ja Bow
Jno Horabin

43.

The last will and testament of Randall Huet the elder of Portland point in the Province of New Jerssey this 12th of January 1669:

I Being in my perfect sence and memory doe in the first place bequeath my Soule vnto God my body to the Earth and my estate to my wife and children, viz: my housing and home lott I give to my wife, and the other part of my land belonging to my townesship, (which is not yet layd out, the one halfe I give to my wife, and the other halfe I give vnto my younger Son Thomas, and the part of the Giftland, wch rumes to my share, which properly belonges vnto mee, both by Gift and owned by the Pattentees, I say that part, I give to my other two Sones Randall and Josseph, they bearing equall part in the Incumbrances, wth thare naighbourds more over I give vnto my Son Thomas the younger one red heifer and one young Sow, and vnto my Son Joseph, I give two hundred & sixty pounds of Tobacco, and vnto Ann Huet daughter to my Son Randall. I give one Cow calfe, viz the first that my cowes shall bring, and my wife to deliver it when it is fitt to weane, and vnto my Son Randall I give my new Suite Coat and Breeches and hatt, and all the rest of my Goodes Cattell and whatever, is within doors and without I freely give to my wife

Witnessed by
James Bowne Bersee
Henery Perrey

This will (thus written) James Bowne hath witnessed to bee the will & testament of Randall Huett, &c. Per Richardson

(44) Record of Walter Clarck of Road Iland his deed unto George Allen of Sandwicth/
September the 18th 1672/

This deed or wrighting bearing date the twelfth day of the fifth mounth in the year 1669 Witnesseth That I Walter Clark, of Newportt on Road Iland have, for a valuable consideration allreadij in hand received, Given granted bargaind sould and made Over unto George Allen of Saundwich in the Collonij of Plimouth in New England to him and his haires for ever, All that mij whole share of land, which I have in the westerne Parts lying and being in the countrij of New Jerssey, commonlij calld & knowne by the Indian names of Newasink Narumsunk & Potapeck I the saye Walter Clarck being a purchasser, haveing as much right by purchass as anij man, have made Overall mij whole right title and interest that I had by purchass in those Landes to the said George and his haires for ever quietly and peacably to Inioy from anij mollestation of mee or mij haires for ever. In wittness whereof I have hereunto set to mij hand and seale the Daij and Yeare Aboue written/

Walter Clarck

Signed sealed & delivered In the presents of Robart Denis
Daniell Gould/

Record of Randoll Huett his bill of sale to Dirick Tunisson Octob: 8th 1672

These presentes witneseth, That I Randoll Huet have sould unto Dirick Tunisson, his haires or assignes my home lott and housing thareupon containing eight acres, or thareabouted, lying and being on Portland pt on Newasink neck, together wt two acres of meddow belonging tharunto, with all the profitts and commodities, tharunto excepting sume certaine fruit trees off apples and peaches for him the said Dirick to have hold inioy and possesse as his owne proper Right, to him his haires and assignes for ever from mee the said Randoll my haires or assignes Quietly and and peacably to Inioy as afforesaid. In consideration whereof, the afforesaid Dirick his haires or assignes, is to pay unto Xpher Allmij off Shrowersburij the sum of five pound, in such currant pay as him the said Christopher shall except for accoumpt of him the said Randoll his haires or assignes. At or before the 20 daij of Octob next insueing the date hereof, and also three pound moor in worke, soe as the parties afforesaid shall agree. for in building or other worke In Wittness whereof the parties abouesaid have hereunto set to thare handes this third daij of Octob 1672

Randoll Huett
Dirick Tunisson

Witnessed by James Ryleyk
Rd Richardson

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45.)

Record of Thomas Potter & Ann his Wife Thare Deed, Or Bill of Sale Unto Edward & Faith Pattisson, this 8th of Octob 1672/

Bee it Knowne unto all men that I Thomas Potter of Shrousbury have sould to Edward Patterson of the Same towne, my whole Share off Land, except the mill lot and the breakers lott and the great lott, In consideration whearof, Edward Pattisson is to pay to Thomas Potter two cowes twenty bushells of Indian Corne Seaventeen shillings and six pence in porke and halfe a Crown in silver (the meddow now received) Thomas Potter is to have the Vss of the housse and ground ioyning to it and the commonage till Michaelmass cume twelmunth, and then the said Thomas Potter is to deliver all his right and title of land in this purchase (Only the boardes and doors excepted)

the markes of T: A Thomas and Ann Potter

Thomas winterton Wittness

Bee it Knowne unto all men by these presents that Wharas I Thomas Potter of the towne of Shrewersbury. On Narumsunkneck in the Provinc of Newjerssey, did formerly make Sale of One whole Share of Land, excepting Only sume certaine percelle &c unto Edward Pattisson late deceased inhabittant of the Same towne aforesayd as appeares by a certaine note Or Memorandum under mine the said Thomas and his wife Ann Potters handes, this presentt wrighting further Declareth and testefieth, that wee the said Thomas and Ann Potter aboudsaid, doe for Or Selves Our haires Exrecto: Adm: Or Assignes, fully freely & firmly, by these presence Assigne, and make Over all Our right title and Interest whatsoever of the whole and intire Share of Land housing Or houss, which now standeth upon the aforesaid land, Or any part or percell thareof, the aforesaid lotts or percells of land excepted viz: the mill lott, the lott commonly called and Knowne by the name of the breakers lott, and the great Lott &c, which said parcelles is to bee in quantity equall with Others at its laying Out, Together with

46. All the Proffitts and commodities priviledges immunitys & rightes whatsoever, thareto belonging or Appertaining both of upland timber Meddow, ffenceing, Marsh or housing above mintioned, unto Faith Patterson of the same towne abovesaid widdow relict and executrix unto him the abovenamed Edward Pattison deceased her haires executors Administrators. or Assignes for to have hold Enjoy & possess. ffor ever, ffree from all Incumbrance Mollestation or trouble whatsoever from us the abovenamed parties Thomas and Ann Potter Our haires executors Administrators or Assignes; or any other person or persons whatsoever, which shall, or may hearafter, lay any claime to all, or any part or parcell of the land and premisses aforesaid, as touching the aforesaid share, or ffull proption of upland and Meddow which the said Thomas or Ann his wife thair haires or Assignes doth or did challenge to themselves. thar haires & Assignes, by vertue of A single purchasers right, within the bounds or utmost limits of all the Landes purchassed, in the three neckes of Nevesink Narumsun & Potapeck, to all, & every part of which, wee the abovenamed parties, Thomas & Ann Potter, ioyntly & severally have assigned, and doe hearby Assigne up all Our right title & intrest of the landes Meddow and premisses and appertenances: tharto belonging, unto her, the abovenamed Faith Patterson, her haires, executors Or Assignes, wee hearby Owning to have received full and plenary sattisfaction for the same according to Agreement, In Witnesse whearof the abovesaid parties have hereunto set too thar hand & seale, this 5th day of October 1672 —

Signed By
Thomas Potter
Ann Potter

Signed Seald and delivered
In the presence of us/
R^d Richardson
signum
Georg Chate

Record of Wm Shackerlyes deed or bill of Sale
unto John Jay of Barbadoes &c for a Share of Land
Octob 14th 1672

To all Apian People to whome this present
Writing shall come I William Shackerley of the
Island of Barbadoes Marrin. Send Greeting, whareas thare
hath been Severall tractes, or Parcelles of land within
the province of New Jersey. latly purchassed by
divers perssons belonging to the Barbados, or els whare
Situate lying and being upon those three neckes of land
commonly called and Knowne by the names of Newa
sink Narumsunk & Pootapeck amoung the number
of which purchassers I the said William Shackerley
have been One and have an equall Share and ppitiy
with the rest, in and to the land aforementioned, Know
Yee that for divers good causes, and considerations mee
hereunto especialy mooving and perticularly for
the Sume of thirteen poundes Sterling or the value thereof
to mee in hand paid by the Attourneyes or Assignes of John
Jay of the Afforesaid Island of Barbados planter (viz =
John Hans and Peter Tillton, who have Acted herein
in behalfe of themselves and the rest) I the said Wm
Shackerly have given granted aliened Sould conveyd
and made Over, and by these presentes doe give grant
allien Sell conveay and make Over, Unto the said
John Jay his haires and Assignes, All my right title
and interest Unto that Share or portion of land, which
by vertue of my purchasse, I have, or ought to have
in the Same, as an equall Sharer, with the rest of
the purshassers Afforeexprest, together with all and
Singular the Appertinances thar unto belonging or
in anywise Appertaining To have hold Possess
and Inioy the said Share or proportion of Land, Situate
on the three Neckes Afforedisceribed, unto the said
John Jay his haires & Assignes unto the Only use behoofe
and benifitt unto him the said John Jay his haires and
Assignes for Ever, And I the said William Shackerley doe
for mee my haires and Assignes Covenant and promise, to
warrant & defend the Title and Proprietiy of the said
Land Unto the said John Jay his haires & Assignes Against
any Claymee demand or pretence, that may or shall At
any time, hearafter bee made, to the Same, by from or
under, mee or my Assignes, or of any other Person or persons
whatsoever In Testimoneiy whareof, I have hearunto set
my hand and Scale, At Newyorke, the Six and twentey

48. Day of September, In the four and twentieth year of his Maties Raigne Anno Domini 1672.

Sealed and Delivered in the presents of

Peter Vrys
Jo Clarke

William Shaker

Record, of Robart Story his deed, Or Bill of Sale unto John Jay of Barbados for A share of Land, &c. Octob^r 21th 1672

Barbados

So. All Xpian: People, to whome these psents Shall come, Greeting, Know Yee, that I Robart Story now resident, in the Island aforesaid m^r Chant for and in consideration of the full and vist Sume of Sixty pound of good and lawfull money of England to mee in hand, At and before the Sealing and delivery hearof, by John Jay of the Island aforesaid planter well and truly paid, the receipt whereof I doe hearby acknowledge, and my selfe therewith fully Satisfied contented and paid, and thereof, and of every pt & parcell thereof, doe cleerly Acquit exonerate and discharge, the Said John Jay his haires Executors & Administrators: and every of them for ever by these presence, as Allso for divers Other good causes and considerations, mee hereunto mooveing Have given granted bargaind, Sold, aliend enfeofed and confirmed, and by these presentes doe fully Cleerly & absolutly give grant bargaine Sell allien enfeofe and confirme unto the Said John Jay his haires and assignes for Ever, All that my prell of Land Scituate lying and being in the towne of Shrolbury in the county of Newjerssey in newengland Containing by Estimacon Six Acres Or tharabontes - together with All housses Edifices and buildings, Out housses Gardens Orchards barnes Staples and all other the appertenances W^t soever, to the Same premisses belonging Or in any manner of wise aptaing. Together Also with all that my forty or fifty Acres of Land, or moor Scituate in the county of New Jersey Aforesaid

Together with all the Commons and pasture Ground
and all the Dattell Stock, horse, vt insills for ploughing
hogges, and all Other appertenances whatsoever to ye
said forty or fiufty Acers of land, belonging or in any
wise appertaining, which said Dattell Stock hoggs &
other the premisses, are moor particularly mentioned
~~[illegible]~~ & expressed in a list or Schedule
hereunto annexed To have & to hold, the said two pcells
of Land, houses Edifisses and buildings (the sayd pcell of forty
or fiufty Acers being in the Tennour or occupacon of one
Thomas Wright) and all and singular Other the premises
wth. thar and every of thare rightes members and
Appertenances and every of them and every part and
parcell thareof, unto the said John Jay his haires
and Assignes, to the only proper uss & behoofe of the
said John Jay his haires & Assignes, for ever, and to noe
Other uss intent, or purpose, and I the said Robart Story
for mee my haires executrs & Admrs: doe covenant
promise and Agree, to and wth. the sd John Jay his
haires & Assignes, by these psents, that I the said Robart
Story at the time of the Sealing and delivery hereof
have in my selfe, (and as I am A free purchasser)
have good right, true title and lawfull authority, to
Grant bargaine Sell & convay, all and singular the sd
two pcells of Land, & premisses, the smallest whareof is
commonly called by the name of the towne lott, and the
greatest is commonly called by the name of the great
Lott, and every part and pcell of them with the Ap
pertenances unto the said John Jay his haires &
Assignes for ever in manner & forme aforesaid
And Lastly I the said Robart Story, for mee and
my haires, the said two pcelles of Land, houses Edifisses
buildings Stock Dattell hogges & all and singular
Other, the before mentiond premisses, wth. thar & every
of thar Appertenances, and every part and pcell of
them, unto the sayd John Jay his haires and Assignes
~~shall and will~~ Against all psons whatsoever shall
and will warrant, & for ever defend by vertue of
these psentes / furthermoor the sayd Robart Story
doth Covenant promise & Agree to and with the said
John Jay to make good what shall bee wanting
of the pticulars of the Stock mentioned in the Schedule
hereunto Annexed (if any) unto the sayd John Jay or
his assignes, In Witnesse whareof I the said Robartt
Story have hereunto put my hand and Seale this Eighteenth
day of March, Anno Domini One thousand six hundred
& Seaventey & in the three & twentyth Year of the

50.) Raigne of King Charles the Second of England &c

Sealed and Deliuered In presente of (After ye razure of the words in the tenth Lyne within written) of us

Robart Story

William Fuller

Rich: Poore

To which deed, this certificate was Anexed as Followeth

Barbados By the deputy Gouerner

This day Richard Poore personally Appeared before mee & made Oath upon the holy Euangelist that hee did see the within named Robart Story seale & deliver the within written as his vollentary Act & Deed Giuen under my hand this 16th. Day of Apprill 1672

Recorded in the Secretaries office the 17th of Apprill 1672

Chr. Codington

p Richard Lake deputy secretary

A Schedule or Inuentory of the Cattell and other stock mentioned in the deed of Sale, whartoo these presentes are annexed

Imprimis Two Oxen
Item five Cowes
Item four breeding Sowes
Item ten Cattell young & old
Item twenty Swine young & old
Item One breeding Mare
Item: Tackling for a plough
Item One hoe & an Axe & 1 large Iron Pott

Item if thare bee moor then wt is mentioned in the Schedule the said John Jay is to enioy it & if thare bee any disposed of since the D Story came from New Jersey the sd Jay is to haue the proceeds thareof

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Record of William Rogers his Acknowledgmt to William Shaddock, November 26th 1672

This sheweth to home it may concerne, that I William Rogers have sould to William Shaddock my halfe, share of Land At Newasink with all the priuiledges belonging thar unto as witness my hand this 7th of march 1667

Testis: Ed Richardson

William Rogers.-

Record of Robart Carr of road Island his deed of Sale unto Gyles Slocume of the Same Island Nouemb. 26th 1672

Bee it Known unto all men That I Robart Carr of new port on Rhoad Island in the Colloney of Rhode Island & providence Plantations in New England, hauing with the rest of the purchassers in company lawfully purchased to my selfe a whole & full share of Land At and in the Exartes of Land commonly called, Newasink Arumsom & Potapeck, together with the Sachims gift in new Jersey in Ammerica. Now for and in full consideration ~~received~~ and satisfaction received in hand, I the said Robart Carr have lawfully & absolutly sould, unto Gyles Slocum of Portsmouth on the said Rhode Island all my said whole and full share of Land At and in the said Exartes of Land called Newasink Arumsom & Potapeck, with the Sachims gift, and all my title rights benifits priuiledges and appertenances belonging to the said for euer, And I the said Robart Carr doe hearby firmly bind my selfe my haires executes Administes ~~and assignes~~ unto the said Gyles Slocum his haires executes Administes and Assignes, that the said Giles Slocum, his haires executes Administrators or Assignes, shall haue hold and quietly possesse and enioy all the said whole and full share of Land, with all the title rights benifits priuiledges and appertenances thare unto belonging as his and thar proper right and propriety free from any claime, or molestation whatouer by me the said Robart Carr my haires executes administes or Assignes and unto all and singuler of the premisses In the presentes of these Witnesses I the said Robart Carr haue here unto set my hand and seale this three and twentyeth day of May in the year one

52.) Thousand six hundred and sixty seaven being the nineteenth year of his Mtie raigne - - - - - -

Signed Sealed & dd in the presence of us
Samuel Hubard
Robart Taylor
Robart Williams

Robartt Carr

To wch said deed these lines warrant

I have given to my son John Slocum my whole share of land above mentioned in this deed
Witness my hand, Gyles Slocum senior

I say and his wife and there aires for ever

Record of Nicholas Davis his deed to Thomas Potter for two Shares of land -- November 27th 1672

Know all men by these presence whom it may concerne that I Nicholas Davis of road Island Merchant doe acknowledge to have bargained & sould, unto Thomas Potter of Shrossbury or Potapeck all my right title and interest of two Shares of land and medow, with all other priuiledges to it belonging, or appertaining and doe ingage to give unto the said Potter or his assignes a moor fuller deed, & doe ingage to make good the sale from all men, and unto this I doe bind mee my haires executes or assignes, as witness my hand this day & year 26th of the 12th mounth 1672

Nicholas Davis

Witness Thomas Taylor
Thurlagh Swynij

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53.

Record of Kathern Percey her deed of Sale
Vnto Christopher Allmey Feb 3d 1672

To all Xpian people, to whome these presentes
shall come, Know yee, that I cathern Percy widow
for divers good causes & considerations, mee hereunto
[illegible], doe hearby Acknowledge to have sould bargained
[illegible] & confirmed, And doe by these presentes freely fully
firmly, sell bargaine ~~agree~~ agree confirme and make
over vnto Mr Xpher Allmey of the towne of Shrosbury
in the province of New Jerssey, his haires executes
Administrs: Or assignes, all and every part and
peell of my whole share and full proportion of land
and meddow, with All & every of the Appertenances
priuileges thareunto belonging Or in anywise
Appertaining together, with the houss Or houssed
edifices Or buildings that is now vpon the Said land
Or any part thareof, the land cleered broken vpp
fenceing fruite trees, Or wt else is Ground fast Or
Naile fast, vpon the same land, Or any pt Or percell
thareof lying Or being in the bounds Or limites
of midltowne Or Portland point, in the abouesaid
Province of Newjerssey, Landes layed Out Or
to bee layed Out, Soe far forth as mine the Aforsd
Catherne Perceyes full share Or townshippe
Shall ammount vnto, Together with all such
Stock of Cattell hogges & horss Kind, as is expressed
in an Inventary, hereunto annexed, All which
& every partt & peell thareof, as is herein expressed
Or inserted in the Said Inventory I the above-
named Kathern Percey of Portland point in the
towne of Midltowne, aforesaid for mee my haires
executes Administrators Or Assignes doe hearby Ack
nowledge to have sold & made Over, to him the Above
named Christopher Allmey his haires Or Assignes
for him or they to have hold inioy & possess as his Or
thare Owne propr Right and interest for ever for
& in consideration of the full Sume of thirty pounds
Or Valuation thareof, according to the common prise of in
Goodes wares Or merchandizes, two and twenty pounds

54.) of which said Sume, I the aforesaid Katherne Percey doe hearby Acknowledge, to have received in part of payment, of the Sume Aboue specified the remainer being eight poundes, the Aboue said Christopher Allmey, or his Assignes is to pay in manner and forme, according to the contentes of Abill bearing date, wth these presentes, In Wittnesse whareof, I the aboue named Catherne, have hereunto set to my hand and Seale this 7th day of January Ao 1672

Cathern Percey

Signed Sealed & deliuered in presentes of Vs/
James Bowne
Rd Richardson

An Inuentory of such hogges Cattell & horss kind which is at present in the possession of Mr Kathern Percey to bee deliuerd to mr Xpher Allmey as Holl.o

Three Sowes - - -
One Sow Shoat - - -
One Barrow Shoat
One Boar - - -

Of Cow Kind
four head of Cattell to bee diuided beetween the said Kathern & Barnard Smith in halues &c

Of Horss kind
two Mares - - -
One Yearling Mare
two Coltes - -
} 5 inch

The Cattell and horss kind, to bee deliuered on demand as aboue specified, the Swine being Six in Noumber, are allready deliuered in kind by mee/

Cathern Percey

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Record of Randall Huett his Deed of Gift to William Smith cooper recorded ffebuary 10th: 1672

This presentt Wrighting wittneseth, Thatt I Randoll Huitt of Portland point in the towne of Midltowne, doe hereby promiss and firmleij ingadge mee mij haires or Assignee, to Assigne & set Over, Unto William Smith cooper of the Same place, his haires or Assignes all my right title interest, and full Clayme, whatsoeuer, Unto mine the said Randolles halfe Share of land, lying in the Same towne, together with the priuiledges rightes & immunities, whatsoeuer thareunto belonging or in any wise Appertaining, as Also a halfe part or Share of Meddow, for him the said William to Haue hold inioij & possesse, to him his haires or Assignes for euer, without any mollestation whatsoeuer from mee the said Randoll my haires or assignes or any other persons wtsoeuer, In Consideration of which the said Wm. Smith, doth hearby ingadge to build a dwelling housse on the said land, or any part thareof and to settle himselfe thare on, neare adjacent to the dwelling houss of the aforesaid Randoll as a naighbour, and incuss the said William, shall see causs to remoove in time to come, the said William is to make tender thareof in the fuitt place, to the Same randall, to Sell, & Upon his the said randolls refussall, it Shall bee lawfull for him the said William to make Sale thareof to whome hee shall thinke good, In Wittnesse hearunto the parties haue hereunto Set to thar handes this 18th day of of Januarij 1672

Randoll Huitt
William Smith

Subscribed in the presence of us
R. Richardson
Barnard Smith

Record of Samuell Bordin of Portsmouth On Rhoad
Island, his Agreement with Lewis Mattix recorded
February 10th 1672, viz:

Articles of Agreement indented & muttually concluded &
agreed On betweene Sam: Bordin of Portsmouth On the
One partt, & Lewis Mattix of the said Portsmouth On the other
part wittnesseth

That the sd Samuell being the true owner & propritor of A Share
of Land lying in a tract of Land, wch is scituate near New
Yorke in the necks of land called Navasink Narumsunk & Pot[illegible]
0 It is agreed that the said Lewis Mattix, shall at or before the first
1: day of Appeill next insuing the date hereof, Remoove
himselfe & goe unto the said tract of land, and shall there
take upp into his possession & Allsoe settle the said Share of
land, soe that thereby the said Samuell Bordin may not come
to any damadge, or detriment for want of his the said Lewis
Mattix not settling and possessing the Same/
2dly that the said Samuell Bordin, shall with all convenient
Speed. if may be and if possible, before the first of Appeill
aforesaid repaire, to the said land & cause the said Share or
soe much of it as hee can, to be layed out together, which being
accordingly done, he shall possess the said Lewis Mattix thereof
or otherwise appoint another to see it done/
3dly That the sd Lewis Mattix his heires or assignes, shall have one fourth
part of the Aforementioned Share of land, really confirmed to him
or them for ever, with all Commodities belonging/
4: That to prevent contest in the Division of the said fourth partt
iff the said Samuell & Lewis cannott of themselves Agree, then the
sd Share of land, or soe much thereof as shall bee now set out by the
purchassers, shall by two indifferent persons, muttualy chossen bee
equalley and imparttiallij bee divided into fower partes, and then
the One of the outside fourthes, shall bee the true right and possession
of the said Lewis Mattix his heires or Assignes for ever, the determin
ation of wch of the two sd fourthes, if they Agree not, shall bee decid
by Lott, & soe wt soever Afterwards shall bee divided, shall in ye same
manner aforesd bee determined/
5/ That the sd fourth part of the sd share, or part thereof shall bee
soe divided, that the sd Lewis or his Assignes may build & plant
on there owne land/
6: Thatt the sd Lewis Mattix or his heires or Assignes shall from ye
Aforesd first of Appeill, possess, & have the benifitt of the aforesaid
whole share, for the tearme of Seaven yeares, provided the said Samuell
or his Assignes, doe not in the meane time, see cause to take ye
use & possession of those three fourthes into his or there owne
hands - wch if they doe at any time hearafter, it shall bee in
there power, and shall bee forthwith surrendered upp, unto the
sd Samuell Bordin &c
7 That the said Samuell, shall at or before the time of his
demaunding the said land, & taking it into his possession,
make & give the said Lewis, his heirs or Assignes

57. Authentique deedes for the Afforementioned fourth partt, off the whole premissed Share, both diuided and vndiuided

8. That if within the time, that the said Samuells three fourthes, doth remaine in the possession of the said Lewes thare shall arrise any publique rates, taxes or dewties to bee paid for the said land, and the said Lewes bee forced to pay it, then shall the said Samuell, repay vnto the said Lewes or his Assignes, the full Sume from time to tyme, wch hee shall thareby bee forced to disburst

9. That the sd Samuell Bordin, shall pay & disburst for the presentt transportattion off the sd Lewes, of aboutt the quantity of a hogsd, or a hhd & a halfe, of goodes, and also fiue Swine vnto the said land, for all which the sd Lewes or his Assignes shall repay vnto the said Samuell or order att the Afforement land, before or att two yeares end, from the date hereof the full Sume off wt the sd Samuell, shall at present pay & shall also pay it in good currant Merchantble pay /

10. That the said Samuell, shall in conuenient Seasson this next Spring let the sd Lewes haue a Cow, deliuered at the Afforesaid land, wch Cow the sd Lewes is carefully to prouide for & looke vnto for four yeares time, and for halfe the increasse by breed, to bee equaly diuided at the foure yeares end and iff the Cow shall in the meane time, bee lost through or by the carelessnesse off the sd Lewes, hee shall then at the end off the four yeares deliuer another Cow, as good in the roome off that Cow, or otherwise make Restitution vnto ye said Samuell or his Assignes, but iff the sd Cow bee then liueing shee shall wth the halfe of the increase as Afforesaid bee Surrendered & deliuered at the end of the sd four yeares, Only it is excepted, that if the sd Cow shall misscary by the way then the sd Samuell shall not remaine Obleiged to send another

And to the true & faithfull performance of euery the aboue written Articles, the Afforesaid Samuell Bordin & Lewes Mattix doe bind themselues, thar haires executrs Administrs or Assignes in the penall Sume off forty poundes sterling, each to other, In wittness wharof the sd parties haue muttaly set thar hands and Seales to two of this tenure & date, dated, the 12th of Febuarij 1667

Samuell Bordin

Lewes Mattix his marke

Signed & Sealed in presents of

John Sanford

Wm Smyton

58.) Record of Lewes Mattix his Acquittance to Samuell Bordin for the Dow expressed in ye Agreement recorded on the other side folio of this Booke inserted on the back side of ye said Agreement.

This is to testify that lewes Mattix doe Acquitt and and discharge Samuell Bordin from the w[illegible] mentioned Dow as wittness my hand this 7 of August 1671

Lewes Mattix
his Marke

Wittnesse Petter Parker
John Hante

Record of the Assignment made On the backe side of the said agreement by lewes Mattix unto Dirrick Junnisson. viz.

I lewes Mattix doe hereby assigne and set ouer all my right title interest and full claime wt soeuer of mine the within mentioned fourth part of a Share of land expresst in this deed or weighting from Samuell Bordin of Rhoad Island, as moor largly appeares dew unto mee the said lewes, the which aforesaid quantitity or proportionate Share of land, I the said lewes Mattix my hairs or Assignes doe hereby assigne & sett ouer unto Dirrick Junisson his hairs or Assignes, as is moor fully expresst in a deed of Sale, under mine the said Lewes his hand, In wittnesse whereof I haue hereunto sett to my hand this 7th day of Febuary 1672

Lewes Mattix
his marke

Wittnesse Rd Richardson
Wm. Smith

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59.

The Agreement, made and concluded
one between Randall Huett, one the one
partt, and charles Haynes one the other
part, as Hollowesh

The Same Randall, hath sould unto charles
Haynes: one ~~halfe~~ third, of a certaine Boat or
Sloope. now in the possession of the sd Randall
wth: one ~~halfe~~ third of ye Rigging Dable Anchor
& Appertenances to ye same boat belonging
ye Sailes: & all ~~things belonging~~ all other things
appertaining thereunto for him ye sd charles
to have hold: & to take into his possession from
henceforth, the profittes arrissing of wt
is produced, of the Sloopes Imployment, is to
bee shared, & diuided, into three partes of wch
ye Aforesaid Randall is to have, two thirdes
of the benifitt & the other third the sd
charles is to have, of wt is produced, Infraightes
or hire &c., but wt is produced of the benifitt,
wch: shall Amount of getting pine wood & of
makeing tare thereof is to bee equally diuided
between the sd parties, and incase, the said
charles is minded to make Sale of his Aforesd
partt or Share of the boat, hee is to proffer
the Same in the first place unto him ye
sd Randall, & if hee refusses the same charles
hath his liberty to make Sale thereof to
whome hee will — For & in consideration
of his the same charles partt or share of ye
Boat above expressed, hee is likewise to pay
unto ye sd Randall, the Sume of Seauenteen
poundes fiue shillinges in goodes or commodities
according to the common prize, or rate of goodes
At New Orraincie, to bee paid At or upon ye
twenty fiue day of decembre next insuing
the date hereof. In wittness hereunto the
aboue said ~~the~~ have hereunto set too thar handes
the 12th of April 1674

Randall huit
Charles haynes

Wittness hereuntoo
Ed Richardson
John Lorabin

(60.) Record of Jarratt Bourne of Road Island his Deed of Sale, for 3/4 ths of a Share of land made Over unto Christopher Allmey of Shrowsbury recorded November the 25th 1674/

To all Persons to whome these presentes shall cume, the deed of bargaine, & sale bearing date the second day of Novem Ao Domini 1670 Wittnesseth, that I Jarratt Bourne of Po[illegible] on Rhoad Island, for and in consideration of ten pounde ten shillinges sterling, unto mee in hand payd by Christopher Allmey of New Jerssey haue granted bargained Soud, and confirmed, and by these presentes for mee my haires executores & administrators, doe fully cleerly and absolutely grant bargaine allien sell and confirm to the said Christopher Allmey his haires and Assignes for euer, three quarteres of a Share of land, lying & being at Newasinbe, Narumsum & Potapeke In New Jerssey Aforesaid, together wthall & singuler the Commons liberties & Priuiledges, and Apptenances to the sayd land, & euery part and perceell thareof belonging, to haue & to hold the sayd land, together with all & singuler the premisses aboue, by these presentes granted to the said Christopher Allmey, his haires and Assignes, to his and thare owne proper vss and behoofe for euer, And I the said Jarrett Bourn, the said land together wthall and singuler the premisses, unto him the sayd Christopher Allmey his haires and Assignes, against mee my haires & Assignes, or any claymeing, by from or under mee, will warant and for euer defend by these presentes, In wittness whareof, I haue hereunto set my hand and seale the day & year aboue written/

Jarrad bourne

Signed sealed & deliuerd in the presence of

Thomas Ward
Richard Bailey

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61.

Record Of Thomas Moore his deed Of Sale
To Christopher Allmey for A Share Of Land
Recorded, ffebuary 16th, 1674

Know All Men, by these presentes, That I Thomas Moor
Of South hould, Senior, One long Island, haue for my Selfe
haires Executors & Administrators, Sould, & made Ouer, to Christopher
Allmey of Shrosbury in newjerssey, all my right tittle and interest
in a parcell of Land, lying in a place commonly called, newasink
narumsunk, & Pottapeck, and the other ajacent landes purchased
and to bee purchassed, as to the indian title Of those landes, I being
One of the first purchassers Of the said Landes, And I doe
hereby warrantt this my Sale, good in law, free from any
persson or perssons, any way from mee, or my order, I say, I the sd
Thomas Moore, haue for my Selfe haires executors, & Administrators, fully
& absolutly, Sould, & made Ouer to the Aforesaid Christopher Allmee,
his haires Executors, & Administrators, all the aforesaid Landes
meddowes Commons, trees timbers, with all & singuler the priuiledges
Appertinances profittes, & immunities, that shall, or may hereafter
Belong to the Aforesaid landes, and doe hearby acknowledge, to haue
received for the premisses, a valuable consideration to my satt
isfaction, to the Confirmacon Of the premisses, & euery them of
I the said Thomas Moore, haue for my Selfe, haires and
Administrattes, Subscribed my name, & sett to my Seale this
24th day Of August 1674

Thomas Moore

Signed Sealed & delivered
in presence Of

Nathaniell Coddington
Anthony Watters —

Record Of Christopher Allmey his deed Of sale
for A Share Of land, Sould & made Ouer to Jacob Coale
ffebuary 16th 1674

Know All men by these presence, that I Christopher Allmy
Of the towne of Shrosbury in the prouince Of Newierssey, hau
for mee my haires Exrectes, Or assignes, Sould & made Ouer Unto
Jacob Coale, in the Same towne Aforesaid, his haires Or asignes
One Share of land lying within the Boundes Of Potapeck, or ye
westward part Of Narwatacum Reuer, being a Share of land wot
I the said Christopher, did buy Of Thomas Moore, Of South hould on
long Island, formerly A Purchasser for A Share Of land, as appears
made Ouer, & Sould Unto the said Christopher, according to a wrighting
Or Bill of Sale, from Under his hand, All Which, and according to ye
Same right & tittle, I the Aforesaid Christopher, doe hereby asigne
& Sett Ouer, all my right title, & interest, thareof, together, with
all the priuilledges, & Appertenances thareunto Belonging, Or in
any wise Appertaining, to him the said Jacob Coale, his haires
executors Admrs Or assignes, for, and in Consideration Of A
Valluable consideration, by mee the said Christopher, in hand
received, and According to a Bill from Under his the said Jacobs
hand, Bearing date with these Presentes, The Aforesaid Share
Of land, & Priuiledges thareof, the said Jacob Coale his haires Or
assignes, to haue inioy & Possesse, As his, Or thare Owne for
ever, for thare Owne proper Use benifit, & Behoofe, free from
any Mollestation Or claime from mee the said Christopher
my haires Or Assignes, IN WITNESSE whearof I haue
hereunto Set to my hand this 13th day Of febuary 1674

Christopr Allmey

Subscribed in the Presence
Of Us

R. Richardson
Joseph Parker

62.) Record Of Christopher Allmey his Bill Of Sale for three Quarters Of A Share Of Land Unto Joseph Parker, recorded ffebuary 19th 1674

To all Perssons, to whome thess Presentes shall Cume, this deed Of Bargaine & Sale, Bearing date, this 13th day Of ffebuary Ao. 167[illegible] Wittnesseth, That I Christopher Allmey Of Shrosbury, for and in Consideration, Of thirty poundes, Sterling allready received in hand Paid by Joseph Parker, Of the Same towne Aforesaid in the Province New Jerssey, haue granted, Bargaind Sould & confirmed, And by these presentes, for mee, my haires Executors Administrators doe fully cleerly and Absolutey Grantt bargaine Alien sell and Confirme Unto the Said Joseph Parker, his haires & Assignes for ever, three Quarters Of A Share Of Land, lying & being At Newasink Narumsunk & Pottapeck, in the province Of Newjersey Aforesaid together, With all, and Singuler the Premisses Aboue, by these presentes Granted, to the Said Joseph Parker, Viz the Commons liberties priuiledges & appertenances, to the Said land & every part and percell thareof belonging, to haue and to hold the Said land and Priuiledges thareof, to him the Said Joseph his haires and Assignes, to his and thares owne proper Uss and behoofe for ever and I the Said Christopher Allmey, the Said land, with All & Singuler the premisses unto him the Said Joseph Parker his haires & assignes, Against mee my haires or Assignes, or any Clayming, By from Or Under mee, Will warrant, and for ever defend, by thess presents, In Wittness wheareof, I haue, hereunto, Set to my hand and Seale, the day & yeare Aboue Written

Signed Sealed & deliuered
in the Presence Of
Rd Richardson
Jacob Coale

Christopher Allmy

Record Of Peter Tillton his deed Or Bill Of Sale Unto Abraham Browne for one Share Of land, recorded ~~ffebuary~~ July 3d Ao. 1675

This shall testefie, to All whome it may, That I Peter ~~Tillton~~ Of the towne Of Shrosbury in Newjerssey doe Acknowledge to haue Sould, A purchassed Share Of land to Abraham Browne Of the Same towne, his haires Assignes And Administrators, for the just Sume Of twenty five Poundes withall and Singuler priuiledges, And Appertenances thareunto belonging, lying At Potapeck, With All Other Adittions, As far As Any other purchassers, interest, Within the towne Of Shrosbury And I the Said Peter tillton, doe ingadge my Selfe, mee my haires Assignes, Administrators, to Maintaine & defend ye Said Abraham Browne his haires and Assignes Against any Persson Or perssons whatsoever, As wittness my hand this 19th Of August 1670

Peter Tillton

Peter Parker
Sarah Parker
Signum

Mem Edum

(64.)

For the Orderly settelment of a Court Of Sessions, to be Tel in the Countie of Midltowne, by the Justices Of the Peace, & Officers Appointed, According to the Forme here Prescribed

The Stille Of the Courtt to bee Entered thus

At a Court Of Session held At In the Countie Of midltowne, in the province Of New Jersseie, by the Lord proprietes Authorities, In the Year of the raigne Of our Soueraigne lord Charles the Second, by the grace Of God King Of great Brittaine, France & Irlands, Defendr Of the Faith, And in the Yeare Of our Lord, God &c

Imprimis

Insertt the Name of the Gouvr

Sillence comanded

Then lett the Cryer or Undersherife Make Proclamation, & say Oyes, thrice &c & Sillence comanded in ye court Upon paine Of Imprissenmentt

Sutters to Appeare

After Sillence comanded

Let the cryer make Proclamation saying All manner of Perssons, that haue anie thing to doe at this courtt, draw neare & giue your attendance, and if any one shall haue anie plaintt to enter Or sute to prosecute, let them cume forth & they shall bee heard

Sillence thus comanded, & proclamation Soe made, the cryer, shall call for the plaintife, thus A B Cume forth & prosecute thy Action against A D Or els thou will bee nonsuited, &c

And the Plaintife, putting in his declaration the cryer shall call for the Deft saying A D, Cum forth & Saue thee, & thy Baile, Or els thou will forfeit thy recognizance

Thus much as touching the Horme & Maner Of the Courts proceeding &c acording to ye custome & Maner Of N. Y. gouvrnt &c

Secondly

Richard Sadler Of midltowne Appointed Cryer & county Marshall for this present year 1676

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3dly The Place Appointed for holding this Court, is to be at Shrosburij At Hrs Bordins house

The Forme Of an Oath for A Jurator

You shall Sware in the presence Of Allmighty Gods, that you will true triall make, & just Verdict give to ye best Of your Understanding in the cause depending, Or that shall Come before you this present court, according to ~~[illegible]~~ evidence &c

The Cryer Or countie Marshall his Oath

You shall, Sware in the presence Of Allmighty Gods, that you will duely & truly According to the best Of yor Abillity & as Occaission shall require, to Serve & execute all such Warrantts Writts Orders & executions As shall bee delivered into yor handes, by the Authoritie Of the Courtt As Also to doe & Act all things wch is properly belonging to yor place as A county marshall

August the 21th 1676

Richard Sadler Sworne & apointed County Marshall as afores

The Clark Of the Sessions Court his Oath

You doe hearby Sware in the presence Of Allmighty Gods, that you will according to the best of your Care, & endeavour to keepe A true & exact Register Of all the Acts Orders & determinations Of the Court Of Sessions held for this Countie Of Middlesex &c

Forme Of An Oath for A Witness

You shall Sware in the presence Of Allmighty Gods, that you shall speake the truth, the whole truth, and Nothing butt the truth, in the Case depending beetween A. B. and D. E. to the best Of your Knowledge & Remembrance &c

(66.)

September the 6th 1676

At a Court Of Sessions held at Shrosbury in the Countie Of Midletown the day & ware Above written, By the Lord proprieter Sr. George Cartterett, his Authoritie, in the 28th ware Of the raigne Of Our Soneraigne lord Charles the Second, by the grace Of God King Of great Brittaine France & Ireland Defendr Of the Faith, & in the Year Of our Lord God 1676

Phillip Carterett esqr Gouerner in the prouinc Of N Jersey

Presentt Mr John Bowne
Mr James Grouer } justices Of ye peace
Mr Joseph Parker } & Commissr

The Names Of the Jury appointed, sworne & Impanelds for this presentt Court ward As Holloweth

Of Midletowne	Mr James Ashton	George Chute
	John Willson	George Hulett
	James Bowne	Randall Hulett
	Thomas Cox	Thomas Barnes
	James Dorsett	The Aplgate Senr
	John Stoutt	Henery Dier

of Shrosbury

Courtt Orders.

Upon the hearing Of the bussinesse depending beetween Edmund Laphetra plfr & francis Masters deft & finding ye Action by the Ds plfr wrong Staten, the plt is Nonsuited, & Adiudged to pay Cost & charges &c

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At a Court Of Sessions
held At Shrosbury 8th Of
September 1676

In the difference Depending
Beetween Henery Leonard pl.
& Richard Sadler defd. It is
Ordered by this Courtt, & agreed upon
by both Parties, to refer the hearing
& full determination thereof Unto
two Or moor ~~men~~ indiferentt men
chossen by each party, for a full end
Of All matters, in difference beetween
them, &c.

Edmund Laphetree, his Action against
Francis Masters Againe renewed in Courtt

The iury whose names are inserted, on record
goeing forth, Sworn & impaneld, returne the
following Verdict in the difference beetween
Edmund Laphetree pl. & francis Masters defd.
The Verdict is As Holloweth

Wee find for the defendt. ten shillings
Besides the cost & charge Of this Courtt
This Verdict Of the iury being thus brought
In the iudgment Of the Court is as followeth
That the said Verdict being as wee conceive
Agreeable to equitie & reasson, the same
is Allowed & Approved by the members of
the courtt

The Order & Sentence Of Court is As touching
the business Of Thorlogh Swiney and
Mary his wife, Upon breach of the Law
for Hornication, before marriage, as hath
bin ~~evident~~ formerly evident, for the wch
he is fined twenty Shillinges, and
his wife twenty shillinges, the one
halfe, to the Court & the Other halfe
to the towne

A Court Order

Whearas, wee find, that A neglect in Severall persons who have bin warned, to; appeare and Atend, Upon the business Of this Court, in the tyme of thare, sitting, as iury men for the preventing, Of such neglect for future time It is hearby Ordered, by the authoritie Of this Court, that If any Juryman After lawfull warning as aforesaid shall refuse to atend the Court, or wilfuly to Absent himselfe, dureing the time Of the Courtes sitting, Or untill hee bee by ye Court dismissed, The party, soe Offending shall pay As a fine the Sume Office shillinges, to bee levied as a fine for every dayes default, & for the time Of his Absence, in the time Of the Courtes ~~[illegible]~~ sitting to bee fined According to the pleassure Or discretion Of the Court

Attacthmentes

Record Of an atacthment for Thomas Applgate, Senior
Novemb 20th 1676

To the constable, Marshall or his dep

These are in his mtis Name to comand you, to attach the Cattell Of Major John Henicke, wch is in the hands Of Thomas Applgate Senior

October the 29th 1676 James Grover

To the Countey marshall or his deptis

Returned Executed by Richard Sadler County Marshall
Septemb 12th 1676
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These are in his majtis Name to will and require you, forthwth to attacth the Estate Of Nicht Davis in the handes Of Thomas Potter to answer Edmund Gibbon by Richard Hartshorne his Attourney, in an Action Of debt, Of eighten Poundes, at the next, Court Of Sessions to bee houlden in the Countey of the Newasonh and to make a true returne, as you will answer to the Contrary/

Midltowne the 12th of September 1676

November the 21 1676

Nathaniell Lippitt plaintiff against Christopher Allmey deft in an action of the cass for breach of contract to the damadge of the plantiff ten pounds

Nathaniell Lippitt plantf against Christopr Allmey deft in an action of detainure for detaining of a Barrell of goods of Sondery sorts to the Valleu of ten poundes /

The names of the Jurymen impaneld the day & yeare aboudsd

Mr Peter Parker foreman	Geo: Mount
Jonathan Hulmes	John Smith
Edmund Laphetra	Thomas Cox
Thomas Appelgate Sen:	James Dorsett
Thomas Barnes	Richard Stout
John Havens	John Stoutt

At a Court held at midltowne in especiall manner called by the Plaintife abouesaid, the day & yeare abouesaid / in the Province of New Jerssey in the 28th yeare of the raigne of our Soueraigne ~~of our Soueraigne~~ lord, charles the Second by the grace of Godd ~~King~~ of ~~England~~ great Brittaine, France & Irelands King & by the authority of the Lord proprietor Sr George Carterett & in the Yeare of Lords Godd 1676

Philip Carteret esqr Gouerner

Presentt, Capt John Bound
Mr James Grouer } iudices
Mr Joseph Parker

The Verdict of the Jury impanelled deliuered into Court in the difference beetween Nathaniell Lippitt plaintiff & Christopher Allmey defendant is as followeth

For breach of Douenant
Wee fine for the plaintiffe forty shillinges with costes & charges of the court/

Wee doe Obleidge the defendant to deliuer Unto the plaintiffe the barrill, with all his goodes in good condition/

This second action is allowed, concerning the barrill of goodes giuen in according to euidence & iuryes Verdict by the members of this Court

And likewise further orderes/ that the plaintiffe Nathaniell Lippitt, forthwith adress himselfe to the constable of Shrossbury, and One man moore chossen by him, who shall by vertue of this Order, haue power to take into thare Custodie the Aforesaid Barrill of goodes, the said Lippitt prooueing by Oath, the said Barrill ~~of~~ & goodes, to bee his owne proper goodes, ~~if~~ If soe it bee required by Christopher Allmey defend^t. Or any Other in his behalfe/

The first action in the breach of couenant is allowed by the members of this Court

But forasmuch as Christopher Allmey def^t. hath alleadged to this court that hee is at present Unprouided for Sufficient testamoney, or wittness in the cause allreadey debateed, beetween him the said defend^t. & Nathl. Lippitt plaintiffe

36 Upon such his request, or allegation, the Court hath thought fitt to Order, that ye Aforesaid Ammercement of forty shillings

Bee at present Suspended untill thare bee a Rehearing thareof at the next countie Court or sooner if Occaission required, Aee the said deft. puting in Sufficient Bonds, to prosecute his action intended against the ~~[illegible]~~ said Lippitt /

Upon the Complaint of Richard Sadler constable & countie Marshall, against Christopher Allmey for contemptuous demenour, towardes him the said Richard, in the time of his Officiating, as a county marshall, in the Kings business, as likewise for the detaining of certaine writtes or warrantes granted by Mr James Grant & Joseph Parker, iustices soe farr as is made apparant to this Court, by him the Aforesaid Richard, the Court takeing the Same into thare Consideration, & by Vertue of an Act of Assembly provided in such Cases, the Court doth hereby Order that the said Christopher Allmey, shall pay as a fine for such his contempt, the sume of three pound, by way of Amerem to bee levied upon his estate, for the use of the publique /

Upon the county marshall his informacion to the court of lawfull warning, to Joseph Huitt, James Percey, & Dirick Tunisson, according to order for thar appearence, at this present Court, as wittnesses, who fayling to appear, the court hath thought fitte, for such thar contempt to Amerce the said parties in the sume of thirty shillinges 30: shill to each person for this thard contempt, to bee levied upon the estate of each person by the marshall unless good & lawfull excuse bee made by the ptie aforesaid

72.) A Coppey of [illegible]

Midltowne, Prouince of Newjersey October 9th 1676

These are in his m^tis name, to will and require yo^w to attach in the handes of Thomas potter, of Shrosbury all ye goodes & chatteles that hee the said Thomas Potter, hath in his handes of Nicholas Davis deceased, or of right belonging unto him, or from any power derived from him, to remaine in his handes, to bee responsible for the payment of a debt dew from him the sd Nicholas Davis, unto Mr Samuell Shrimpton of Boston Merch^t: for the Sume of thirty foure poundes eighteene shillinges & apenij, as by accoumpt apeares at the next countie Court to bee holds for Midltowne & Shrosbury, & to make a returne of this writt to the said Court, & for your soe doeing this shallbee your sufficientt warrant, given under my hand the day & year abovewritten By mee John Bound

To the county marshall of Nowasinky

Returned executed the 10th of Octob^r 1676

Hra: Masters his action ag^t Edmund Laphetra, March the 21th 1676

Francis Masters Plaintife / In an action of the cass against Edmund Laphetra &c for twelue poundes 12 shillinges wch the said def^t oweth to the, plaintife, notwithstanding the def^ts refuse, and still doth refuse, to pay the same, to ye damadge of the plaintif five poundes, tharfore comences his action Withdrawne before the Courts sitting

March 13th 1676

Christopher Allmey Plaintife

Against francis Masters def^t In an action of the Cass, for Slaunder & defamacon to the Sume of One hundered poundes for the trouble charge & wrong done to him ye said Plaintife for which hee craues the judgm^t of this Courtt

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At a Countey Court Of Sessions held the, 27th & 28th of March 1677, at midltowne, in the province Of New Jerssey/

Present, Mr. John Bowne, James Grover, Joseph Parker, justices

The jury Impanelds, & calleds, whose Names are one the file/ &c

Upon a full hearing Of the bussiness depending Beetween Christopher Allmey plt. & francis Le Master deft. In an Action Of Slander, and defamation, Soe As it is declared, & given in, the judgment Of the Court is, That they conceive it not Meet for them to take Cognizance thareOf, Or that it is Actionable, haueing Relation, to former Proceedings in the higher Court Of Assize Of this province, Allready by them determined, &c

The Action commenst by francis Le Mester plaintif, & Edmund Laphetra deft. withdrawn the plaintif to pay one halfe cost of court, According As the Law in such Cases provides/

Thomas Applgate Plaintife Upon an Attatchmentt enterd On record, the said plaintife Calleds in Court but Nott appearing nor none in his behalfe hee was Nonsuiteds/

Upon a full hearing Of the bussiness depending Beetween Richard Hartshorn Att. of Edmunds Gibbon & mr Samuell Moore, Of woodbridge in the behalfe Of mr Samuell Shrimpton Of Boston merchtt. Concerning A debt dew Unto each Of them, from ye estate of Richd. Davis deceased, & soe prooved in Court, the One of eleuen pound, to the said Edmunds, & the other of thirty Seauen pound 18 shillings 1d, to the said mr Shrimpton, & none appearing As deft. to implead the said parties, And forasmuch is the said estate hath been legally Attached by both parties, & returned executed into this Court, and proofe made of both said debts dew to each partie, the Court doth Order that what estate, is to bee found in the handes

If Thomas Potter Of Shrosbury Or Any Other persons, concerned, with him tharein Shall bee equaly deuided, bee tween the Aboue said Parties, According to fitt proportion Of each Sume Abouesaid, and the Same to bee deuided, Soe as that the attathment first Serued, Or executed may take place according to tyme & date in the diuission Of the said estate bee tween both parties with allowence Of cost of Court by each Of them Arriseing hearetpon,
But noe execution to bee granted or executed Upon the said estate, Within One whole yeare from the date hereof, Except the Abouesaid partie or parties Shall enter into bond Sufirient to bee responsible, to Answer to the defent: in Cass Any shall Appeare, Within the time Limited as Aforesaid

(Province Of Newjersey

The Oath of a Constable

Whearas you A B are chossen by to bee constable amung the inhabitants liueing in the place, comonly called
You doe Sware, by the euerliueing God, that ye will Endeuour the preserueing the peace, and the discouery & preuention of all Attempts against ye Same. You shall directly & truly publish All Orders, & proclamacons, that shallbee directed to ye by the authoritie in this prouince established & execute all warrants & Commissions, that in like manner Shallbee impossed Upon you as Aforesaid, You are to preuent with your best Care & industery All Unlawfull Assemblies, & to Assist, all such Officers, as shallbee imployed for the Seruice Of Our Soueraigne Lord the King & the Lord proprietor, & for performance, of the Same, you shall in his Maiesties Name Comand Such Strengh Of his Mtis Subiectes, as the Nesecitie Of the Affayre requires,

And in All thinges to Performe the duty Of a Const: According to the best Of your judgmt: & the Lawes Of
38 Our Nation, Soe help you God,

75. Thomas Hiuitt Of Shrosbury Sworne, Constable Of the said towne, According to the maner & forme, expresed in this booke March the 28th 1677

Actions entered against the Next insueing Court to bee held the 4th of September next 1677

August the 25th 1677

Thomas Applgate of Elder against John Henwick esq defendt in an Action of the Cass for the redeliuerij of those Dattell formerly attathed in my owne handes, or otherwise, yt a full & absolute assurence bee made & given for the land, the said plaintife formerly bought of the deft for the wch the sd plaintife craues the iudgment of this Courtt/

Bartholomew and Tho: Applgate plaintifes in an Action of the Cass against the inhabittants of the towne of Shrosbury defts that is to say those inhabittants that ware then in being. when the plaintifes made an agreementt with them

August the 26: 1677

Nicholas Browne plaintife against Christopher Allmey deft in an Action Of Detainure, for Unjust detaining of a Mare, with her increass for Seuerall Yeares, to the plaintifes great loss & damadge for the wch hee craues the iudmt of this Courtt/

August the 28th 1677

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Ffrancis Le Mester, Plaintife
against Edmund Lafetra defendent

In an Action Of the cass, for four pound for One yeares Lodging washing, & looking After his Cattell

The plaintife Declares against ye defend: in an Action of the Casse/

Wharas hee the plaintife, haueing lodged the defent: one yeare in his house & washed his Clothes, and Lookt after his Cattell Notwithstanding the defendt, contrary to All law or honesty doth refuse, & Still doth refuse, to pay the said plaintife for ye said Charge & trouble, tharefore hee the plaintife bringes his Action and crauds Judgmentt of this Court with cost & Damadge, &c

An Attachmentt/

To the County marshall or his deputie

These are in his Mtis name, to will & require you, upon sight hereof, forthwith to attach the Cattell of John Ffenwickes Of New Salem in the prouince of New cesaria or Newjersey hear in America esquire, being one paire Of oxen or steeres, & one black Cow & cafe now runing in the woodes, near Shrosbury or as many of them as Can bee found to answ walter webley of the Citty of Newyorke factor by his attourney Richard Hartshorne in an Action of debt of twenty pound Starling at the next Court of Sessions, to bee holden for the County of the Newasinks, whereof you are nott to faile, as you will answer y contempt, & to make a true returne/

attachm: to webly by Rich: Hartshorne upon Fenwicks Cattell copy

Dated the 24th of august 1677 by me John Bowne

This Attachmentt is serued according to the tenour hereof, that is to say two Steeres or Oxen & one Cow by mee/ Richard Sadler

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77.

Sumondes

Midltowne, August 16th 1677

to the marshall of Midltowne or his deputy

These are in his Majesties Name, to will & require you to warne beniamin devall & Thomas Wright to appear at the Court held at Shrosbury on the first tewasday in September to give in there evidence in the case depending, betwixt Thomas Applgate Senior, & the towne of Shrosburij, whereof you are nott to faile, as you will answer to the Contrarij & to make a true returne

by mee
John Bowne

To the county marshall or his deputij

These are in his Mtis name to will & require you to Sumondes, Thomas Cox to make his personall appearence at the next court of Sesions, to be holden for the county of the new sandes, then & thare, to give evidence; in a cass depending between Thomas Applgate & Bartholomew Applgate, & the inhabitants of the towne of Shrosburij whereof you are not to faile, as you will answer yor contempt & to make a true returne hereof by mee.

dated the 25th of augnst in the yeare 1677 James Grover

the names of the jurymen

James Ashton	John Smith	absent
Jo: Throckmorton	James Dorsett	
Jo: Stoutt	Jonathan Hulmes	
Randall Huitt	James Grover	impaneld
George Mount	Samuell Hutton	objected agt
Richard Stoutt	William Layton	
Georg Bruiss	Joseph Huitt	

To the county marshall / These are in his Mtis Name to require you to warne thess mentioned in the litt to make thare appearence, at ye Court for jurymen, whereof, you are not to faile, as you will answer to ye Contrary

September the 9th 1677

Courtt Orders

Presentt - Captt John Bowne
Mr James Grover
Mr Joseph Parker } Justs

Ordered, Upon a heareing of the bussiness beetween Bartholomew, and Thomas Applgate plaintifes, and the inhabittantes of the towne of Shrosburij defents & forasmuch as the said Barth° did nott appeare nor none impowered in his behalfe, the Court doth Order that the parties abouesaid Viz: Barth° & Thomas Applgate, bee Nonsuited, & to pay all costs & charges, &c

Ordered, That whearas an Attachment was granted Unto Thomas Applgate ye elder for Attaching Sume Cattell of John Fenwickes esqr - in his ye said Applgates custodij & for as much as it Appeares, that ye Attachment was not legaly executed, ~~it is ordered~~ A Nonsuite is tharefore Ordered against him ye said Applgate, wth costs & charges &c

The abouesaid Action of Barth° & Thomas Applgate withdrawne After hearing & A Nonsuite passing thareon by order &c Thomas Applgate was permited to comence Another Action in his Owne Name in forme & manner following,

Thomas Applgate plaintife/
against the inhabittantes of the towne of Shrosburij defendents in an action of the Cass for the breach of Couenantt, that is to Say the inhabittantes of ye Same towne, that ware then present or in being, when the plaintife, made an Agreement with them

Upon a hearing & triall of this action the plaintife being put to proue, (by the party impleading him viz Richard Hartshorne) who it was of the inhabits: wch did actualy agree, with him ye said plaintife, or ware present at ye agreement makeing, the plaintife faylin[illegible] in ye dew & legall proofe hereof, A Nonsuite was order wth costs & charges &c

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September 5th 1677

Itt a Court Of Sessions held At Shrosburij

Ordered / the bussiness depending beetween Nicholas Browne plaintife & christopher Allmij defl. the deft called but not Appearing nor none in his behalfe, the bussiness is referred to ye next insuing Court in March next for a hearing /

The Attatchmt. served Upon ye Cattell Of John Fenwickes esqr. by the Countie Marshall for Walter Webbley Of N:yorke is approoued as agall by this Court, & to Stand in full force, Untill next Court or furder Order, Upon request Of Richard Hartshorne Attº that is to say thoss Cattell Abouesaid Vizt. two Steeres Or Oxen & one Cowe runing in the fall Necke, Or thareabouts, to the end the said Jnº Fenwick might haue timley notice thareof &c

Ordered / that Upon a hearing Of the bussiness beetween Francis Lemester & Edmund lafetra defl. the defl. pretending Only the insuficiency Or Unlawfullnese Of his Sumoning to Courtt wch was prooued by the Constable a lawfull Sumondes & soe adjudged by this Courtt, the defl. nott makeing furder plea, it was Ordered that hee the said defl. was to pay all costes & charges Of suite, wch amounts to ye Sume of forty five, Shillings & Sixpence in all, as appeares by accoumpt Of Perticulrs

Whareas itt Appeares that thare is a certaine Sume Of money dew by bill unto Edmund Gibbon from ye estate Of Nichº Davis deseas & forasmuch as an order of Courtt is allready past for the whole debt being eleuen pounds Apartt of wch, said Sume, is to bee money as apeary by bill, It is Ordered, that for the Satisfying Of the said Money debt, that what is found in any perssons handes of ye said estate that the Same bee prized & delivered, Unto ye said Gibbon or

His Lawfull Substitute at money priss, Or as it Sod adjudged by this present Court, the Specia or Kinds prized as followeth

Tobacco at 2d ½d ⅌ ℔
80. Beefe at 30d ⅌ barrill
Butter at 5d ⅌ ℔
porke att 48d ⅌ barrill

Hurder Ordered, and adjudged by this present Court that ye said Severall Specias as is here inserted, is to bee prized according, to ye present or ordinary Valluation, Vizt

Porke at 3d ⅌ barrill
Beefe att 40d ⅌ barrill
butter att 6d ⅌ ℔
tobacco at 3d ℔

Which is to bee the prise for the payment Of such debtes as is all readey Attatched in the handes of any persson within this Vounteij being found to bee of ye Estate Of Nicholas Davis deseased dew to mr Shrimpton of boston Edmund Gibbon Or Others impowered by them that is to say the money debt only exceptd dew to him the said Gibbon

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Province Of N:wjersey

81 A coppy of ye wartt of arrest: on xpher Allmey march 18th 1677

Whareas I am informed that Christopr Allmey Of the towne of Shrosburij in the County of Newcastle, hath Unlawfuly seized into his handes, & converted to his owne Uss a certaine wrack of Sea being a Vessell Loaden with logwood, & other Comodities without giveing Accoumpt thareof According to Law/

These are tharefore in his mtis name to will & require you On sight hearof to arrest ye Body Of the said Christopr Allmeij & him Safely keep in yr custodij, Or Convay to the Common Geole thare to bee held till hee hath put in good Securitie to answr the Action of William Sandford Attr for Our Soveraigne Lord ye King in an Action Upon the Cass At the next Court to bee houlden for the Countey Aforesaid Of five hundred pound Sterling & to Stand the judgmentt, Of the said Courtt, pre of faile Not At yr pirrill, given Under my hand & Seal at Elizabeth towne, in ye Province Abovenamed, the 2d day Of march An. dom: 1677

Ph Carterett

To the Marshall Of the County Aforesaid Or his lawfull deputy/

Actions entered against this next insueing Court
At Midltowne, March ye 18th 1677

Imp^ts

Phillip Carterett Esqr governer in the behalfe of Sr George Carterett lord proprietor of this prouince by Wm Sanford Attourny generall of Our Souraigne Lord the King, complaineth Agt Christopher Allmey defendent in an Action of the cass damadge One hundered pc: sterling

Secondly

Phillip Carterett esquir, governr & collecter in behalfe of Our Souraigne Lord the King by William Sanford Attourny plaintife Christ Allmey deft in an Action Upon ye Cass & pledges, One hundered & fiuety pc: sterling

3dly

William Sanford in behalfe of Our Souraigne Lord the King plaintife & christopher Allmey deft in an Action Upon the cass & pledges, Damadge fiue hundered pc: sterling

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Declarations

New Jersey/

Philip Carterett esquire, gone=
in the behalfe of Sr George
Carterett lord proprietor of this
province, by William Sanford
Attourney generall for our Sovergne
Lord the King, & complaines Agt
Christopher Allmey in an Action
Upon ye cass & pledges &c

Declareing that ye said Christopher
Allmey Contrary to law, seized
Upon taken away into his owne possession
& converted to his owne Uss, Severall
wrackes of Sea, vizt= whale fishes
wch being a Royaltie, belonging to ye
said Lord proprietor, the Complainant
Sayeth that, by the said illegall predgs
ye said lord proprietor, is dammified
One hundred pounds Sterling, for wch
hee brings his Action, & craveth judgmt
of this Courtt, with costs of Suite

William Sanford in the behalfe of our
Soveraigne lord the King complaineth
against Christopher Allmey in an
Action Upon the cass & pledges &c

Declareing that hee the said Christopher
Allmey did sumetime in August Ao=
1673, seize Upon, take into his ~~owne~~
Possession, and convert to his owne
Uss, a certaine wrack of Sea being
a Vessell loaden with logwood, & other
comodities, without giving notice

thareof to the Authoritie Of this prouince
84. Acting & proceeding in the same contrary
to the lawes of Or Soueraigne Lord the
King & defrauding his Mtie. from
iust royaltie wch is to the damadge
Of Or said Soueraigne fiue hundered
poundes Sterling for which hee
commenceth this Action & craueth
Judgment of this Court with costs
of Suite

New Jerssey

Phillip Carterett esquir gouer: & Collecter
in the behalfe of Or Soueraigne lord the King
by william Sanford atturney for Or said
Soueraigne Complaineth against Christopher
Allmey in an Action upon the Cass & pledges
Declareing against ye said Allmey that hee hath
made seuerall voyages to Sea & transported
to other Collonies in a certaine uessell seuerall
goodes & comodities Out of this prouince without
a legall entery & proceeding according to the
lawes in that cass prouided
And notwithstanding the said uessell was arested
in order to a triall & not acquited, nor
the seizure removed but remained till
a full & dew prosecution might bee
made, the said allmey hauing ingadged
himselfe to bring the said uessell to Eliz a
towne, in Order to a triall hee the said
allmie not regarding his owne promise Nor
his Mtis. lawes went sondry Voyadges with
the said uessell, without entery or pasport
Carying many Comodities, without paying
his Mtis. Customes, & bringing sondery
comodities, without knowledge given
According to Law
for all which the complainant saith that his Mtie.
is damnified in the abuss of his lawes, & loss of
43 his customes, One hundered & fiuetij poundes, for wch
as allso, a Condemnation of the said Sloope or
uessell according to law, the plaintife craueth
Judgment of this Court, with Cost of Suite

85 A Coppy of the warrants of arrest
On Christopher Allmeij.

Thess are in his m^tis name to will & require
you to arrest ye goodes, & for want thare of
the bodey of Christopher Allmeij formerley
of Shrewsbury - within this province &
to take sufficient securitie of him to answer
the complaint of Phillip Carteret Esquir
governer of this Province in ye behalfe
of o^r Soveraigne lord the king for his departing
with his sloope loaden with tobacco & other
200: goodes out of the port of Shrosbury aforesaid
to road Islands - hee not haveing first made
entery of the same according to Law, & to stand
his triall at the next countey court to bee
houlden for midltowne & Shrewsbury countey
within this province, the last tewesday in
March next in doeing whareof you may
not faile, given under o^r handes at Midltown
in the province of Newjersey this 18th day of
febuarij An^o domini 1677

by mee
John Bowne
Willm Pardon justice

To the marshall of Midltowne
& Shrewsbury countey above
named or his deputie

Thesse are in his M^tis name to will, & require y^w to arrest
the goodes, and for want thare of the body of Xpher
Allmey formerly of Shrosbury within this province
& to take sufficient security of him to answer ye
complaint of phillip Carteret esquir governer of
this province in ye behalfe of Sr George Carteret
lord proprieter of ye same, in an action of
trespass for his seizing & takeing away certaine wrakes
& whale fishes, lying upon the shoar, properly be
longing to ye said lord proprieter, & to stand his
triall for the same, at ye next countey court
to bee houlden for Midltowne, & Shrewsbury countey
within this province, the last tewesday in March
next in doeing whareof you may not faile, given under
o^r handes this 18th day of febuarij 1677 at Midltown in ye P. of N. J.
to ye marshall of M. & S. countey, or his deputy
John Bowne
William Pardon

Beniamin Deuall his action
& Declaration against John Whitlock
entered the 21th of March 1677 86.

Beniamin Deuall plaintife against
[illegible] deft in an action
of the Cass, & is for suspition of fellony
declareing, that upon ye 20th day of this
instant mounth, ye plaintife comeing
from his farme, goeing along the popler
feild by his owne fence, hee saw two
Oxen eating without ye plaintifes se
fence, & goeing to ye place, found that
ye ~~Oxen~~ Oxen was eating of wheat in
the straw, & then goeing to his stack of
wheat, found that thar had been wheat
puled out thareof, then goeing homeward fetched
John Stoutt, & Jacob truewax to see the Oxen
eating of wheat, as also to view & take notice
of the place at his stack whare it was puled
out, & to take notice whose Oxen they ware
wch prooued to bee a paire of Oxen in ye possession
of William & John Whittlock, as ye plaintife can
make appear, the said John cumeing & taking
them away privatley & unknowne to ye plaintiff
after they ware by him put up, & secured in
his owne ground for same time/
the Examinacon, & proofe hereof is humbley
referred to this Courtt, that law & iustice might
take place, in an action appearing soe illegall
& unjust

March ye 23th 1677

James Grover senior against ye
estate of John Horabin in an action
of ~~Debt~~ ye case for debt & damadge, of
thirtey pound/

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87 Isack cong att°: of Henery green pl
~~against action~~ Mary Barnes widow deft
in an Action of Detinue for detaing
of a Dow calfe for the space of ayeare
vpwards for wch ~~being~~ hee brings his action

A bill of Dost drawne vp in Court march
ye 28 day concerning whale fish Capt. wm
Sanford plaintf att°. for ye gow^r phillip Carteret
esq^r in ye behalfe of Sr George Cartrett &c
Christopher Allmy defendt

	£	s	d
To ye Court 4 memb^rs	0	10	0
to ye Clark	1	13	0
to ye Marshall	2	8	0
	4	11	0

Also a bill of Dost, for the marshall or his
Order to receive from John Champnis &
3 others of 24 shillings. this bill ~~dr~~ to Joseph parker
6 H: Green

Allso a bill of Dost from Isack cong at: of
Of 23 s & is for Court chardge vpon a nonsuit
Together with order from ye Court to ye
marshall Richard Sadler to demand & in cass
Of refusall to make distraine for the Sumes foll=
being for former Court chardges

	£	s	d
from Xpher Allmy March Court 1677	1	02	3
from Nich°: Davis estate in ye hand of Eliakim Wardell	3	05	6
from francis Comester	0	08	3
from thomas Applgate	5	14	6
from Edmund Lafetea	7	15	6
from Nich°: Browne	1	9	0
Sum =	13	15	0
	4	11	0
	18	06	0
2 Bills 2 = 7 - 0	2	07	0
	20	13	0

March the 28th 1678

a bill of Dost was exhibited to this Court by mr pardon in mr allmeyes bussiness of [illegible] 7 lb six shillings allowed thereon by [illegible] of Court — to mr pardon againe

Orders of this present Court entered

Ordered, that there bee aproceeding in Courtt in tee bussinese depending beetween phillip Carteret esquir governer in ye behalfe of ~~Soueraigne~~ Georg Carteret lord proprieter of this prouince plaintife, & christopher Amey defendt in accon concerning whalefishes, Notwithstanding ye defendts plea, the groundes & reassons on ye defts part not allowed/

upon hearing of ye bussinese depending beetween Isack cong attournie of Henry green, & mary Barns widdow deft — the plaintife not prooving his accon an nonsuite is ordered by ye Court, wth Dosts of suite/

march ye 27 = 1678

* francis Jefferies, an inhabitant of tees Countee of Newasink makes his declaracon to this Court as Nollowetz — that yee ye pff running from ye whale cast up, & having sume whale bone Isack Bennet, Thomas Herse John Chamness & samuell white, tooke sume whale bone from ye sd francy wearby ye sd plaintif pleades damadg by way of trespass to ye vallew of six pence

Ordered hereupon, that ye parties abonesaid, shall pay as a fine 24 6 to ye Court & clark & to ye Constable 3 shillings 9 d to fra: jefferies 5 shillings ~~[illegible]~~, Joseph parker ordered to receive itt

Ordered, that in ye cause depending beetween ye honrd governer, phillip Carteret esquir in ye behalfe of ye Soueraigne lord ye King, plaintif & christopher Amey defendt, upon that ye time ye the jury gave in teare verdict, ye plaintife by his attourney Capt Sanford craued an Appeal unto ye higer Court of ~~Assise~~ this prouince, vir tee Court of Assize ~~[illegible]~~ in October next for a rehearing & further determination relating to ye sloop or vessell being ye second Action named here

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Midtowne March 28th 1678

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The Juries Verdict - for ~~whale fish~~ logwood wreck

The Honble gouerner philip carteret esq plaintife, Christopher amey defent

Wee whose names are Underwritten hauing seriously discourst & considered ye matter in difference beetween ye plaintif & defendt find according to euidence & o^r^ best Understanding in ye law ye defent allmey not guilty

march ye 26 the juries verdict for Whale fish

Wee the jurors whose names are subscribed doe find ye deft. Allmey ~~not~~ guiltie only in matter of fact in takeing & keeping one boat loads of blubber but matter of law & cost of suite wee leaue to ye Court

James Ashton
Robert Hambleton
Henery Marsh
Willm Whitte
Joseph Grover
Joseph Huitt

Thomas Cobb
Richard Stout Senr
Georg Mountt
James Dorsett
John Stoutt
Charles Eccles

Courtes Judgmentt Upon ye verdict

The Juries Verdict is allowed, & ye deft. to pay Costes of Suit

At a Court Of Sessions held at Shrosbury September 3d 1678 90

Actions Entered against this Court viz:

Entered / August ye 29th — James Grover ye elder plaintife against John Horabin defendt in an Action of the Case /

James Grover plt: against Tho: Applgate defendt in an action Of debt for 11. s 7 - - - } withdrawn in Court

James Grover Senr plagt Danill applgate in an Action of debt 9. 6. 10 } withdrawn in Court

James Grover Senior against Randall Kirtt deft: in an action of debt, of 7 lb: 9 s 6 d } withdrawn out of Court

James Grover Senior plaintife Agt Samuell Willcot deft: in an action of debt for ye Sume of 6 lb - 16 shillings - - - - - } withdrawn out of Court

John Crawford of midltowne is Sumoned & presented, to this Court for disorders late past in his house, notwithstanding warning given him by ye Constable John Jobes for selling drinke ~~to ye Indians~~ wharby such disorders was begun Occaisioning ye breach of ye peace & evill example to others, &c &c /

Orders Of Court

It is Ordered that upon William Lawrance of ye towne of midltowne his refusall of being Invested into ye Ofice, & place of a Constable & to be ingadged according to law, after a legall choiss at a towne meeting of ye inhabitants of midltowne, that for such his refusall he is amerced by this Court to pay ye Sume of five pounds as a fine to be levied by ye Court Marshall & to be disposed of according to ye discretion of ye Co

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91. At a Court of Sessions held At Shrosbury at francis Bordins house 3d & 4th of September 1678

present Majestrals { Capt. John Bowne, Seiut. James Grouer, mr Joseph parker } assistance { mr Richard Gibbins, mr Jonathan Homes }

The Jury chossen Impanelled & called Over whose names are As Followeth

Peter Parker foreman
Thomas Cox
Richard Stoutt ye Eldr
James Grouer Junior
John Stout
James Dorsitt
Job throckmorton
George Hulett
Nicho Browne
Edmund Lafetra
John worthley
Thomas huit

The Jury going forth Upon the business Beetween James Grouer Sr plaintife & John Horabin deft the Verdict was vizo=

Wee Juros doe finde for ye plaintife, - - the goodes of John Horabin, wch ye marshall did attath in ye behalfe of James Grouer plt vizo= One Row One heifer & two Sowes, and ye mare & colt, & ye mare & Colt wee finde not to bee the estate of ye sd horabins septemr ye 4th 1678

Peter parker foreman in ye behalfe of ye rest

Ordered / that according to ye Juries Verdict ye plaintife James Grouer is to be possest Of what is ~~[illegible]~~ found to bee ye proper Estate Of John Horabin according to ye Juries Verditt, hee ye said plaintife paying first ye costes Of Suite, & puting in Security to Secured ye Court, in Case ye deft. Appeare in One yeare from ye date hereof to ye intent as to Reverse Judgment /

92 Samuell Leonard Sworne & Appointed County Marshall According to ye forme Of ye Oath prescribed In this book

Job Throckmorton Sworne & Appointed Constable Of midletowne

March ye 18th 1678

Samuell Hutton plaintife Against Samuell Dulluer deft in an action of trespass for driuing away his the said plaintifes Boar away from waycake or thareabouts & leting him run at liberty contrary to law to ye loss damadg & hinderence of ye plaintife --

19 march

Thomas Snassell ~~pltf~~ By Richard Hartshorne } ag Isack Benett deft --

In an Action of debt of 15 - 10 - 2 withdrawne

Thomas Snawsell. By ~~Dirick~~ Richard hartshorne his Attourney is plaintif, against Dirik Tennis defendt

In an action of ye cass for debt of 10 17 - 3 - - - - - -

Thomas Snawsell by Richard Hartshorn his Attº is plaintife against Isack Bennet deft. withdrawn

In an action of the Cass for debt of nine shillings - -

Walter wall plaintife against John Crawford deft

In an action of trespass on ye cass to ye damadge of five pounds -

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93. At a Court of Sessions held at midtowne at ye house of John Crawford ye 26: & 27th Of march 1679 - - - - - - - - - -

present, Capt. John Bowne } Maiestrates
mr. Joseph Parker } Justicer of ye peace

mr. Richard Dibbins } Assistants
mr. Jonathan homes }

The Jury impanelled & Names listed as foll

John Havens
John throckmorton
Richard Stout
Nicholas Browne
Edmund Lafetra
Peter Parker
March 26th

James Ashton foreman
Thomas Cox }
James Dositt } Jurymen
Joseph Grover }
John Smith }
John Worthley

The Jury called over, and answering to thare names went forth & brought in the following Verdict in ye bussiness Of Samuell huton plaintife & Samuell Cullver defendant

The Verdict thus

Wee find the plaintife to pay costes Of Court

The Judgment of ye Court, the Juries Verdict is allowed, the plaintife to pay costs of Court

The Jury again goeing forthupon thomas Snosell plaintif his action agt Dirrick tunissen defent giuem ye folloing Verdict, wee find ye defendent to bee indebted, & Unto ye plaintife the Sume Of 4lt 7s-3d & Cost Of Suite

Judgment Of Court Upon ye Aforesaid Verdict - viz.

The Juries verdict Allowed Of in ye Suit depending Beetween Thomas Snosell plaintife & dirick tunissen defendent, Judgment of Court is, that Upon ye Verdict the said defent shall pay unto ye plaintife 4lt-7s-3d with Costes of Court, & 12 pence damadge

The Jury aforesaid also goe forth upon triall Of the Action of Walter wall plaintife, & John Crawford defl, & Returning bring ye following Verdict

Wee Juriors find the defendt to pay
Unto ye plaintife three bushells of Indian
Corn & costs of Suite march ye 26 1679
James Ashton foreman in ye
behalfe of ye Rest

Upon giuing in this Verdict aforesaid to ye bench
the plaintife Walter Wall by his Attourny Richard
Hartshorn made thare Appeal to ye bench who
Upon consideration caused the insuing Order

Orderes, that upon a hearing of ye cass beetweene
Walter Wall plaintife, & John Crawford defendt
that whareas it hath been made appeare to this
Court, that apart of ye fence belonging to him ye
sd defendt Eats bin very defective, & apart tharof
lying Void and open, the Court doth tharfore Order
that hee ye said defendt, pay unto ye plaintife, ten
bushells of Indian Corne, for repairacon of ye
damadge done by hoggs, in his ye sd plaintife feild
of Indian Corne, ye one½ pt. on demand & ye other
at ye crop with Costs of Suite

Abraham Browne presented him selfe, by choiss
made of ye Inhabitants of Shrosbury & was ingadged
constable of Shrosbury / march 26th

Isack Bennet defendant did this day make his
Appearence in Court and did acknowledge a Judgment
for a debt of feiuteen poundes ten shillings two
pence unto Thomas Snottell by plaintife by his Attey
Richard Hartshorne thare present, with Costs of Suite

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Acco: of Court charges from the 6th of September 1676 to ye 28th of march 1679

		£ - s - d
Sept: 6:	Dew to the Court for triall of an action between Edmund Lafetra plaintife & fra: lemester defendt	0 - 7 - 6 -
1676	from Richard Sadler plaintife ye triall of one action agt: Henery Linord deft	0 - 7 - 6 -
	from Edmund Lafetra pl: his action againe Renewed agt: fra: lemester defendt is	0 - 7 - 6 -
March 27 to 28	from francis lemester plaintife agt: Edmund Lafetra defent the action withdrawne & ye plt to pay halfe costs	0 - 3 - 9
1677	from Richard Hartshorne attourny of Edmund Gibbon in ye hands of Eliakim wardell 1 Action triall	0 - 7 - 6
in Eliak: his hands	from Samuell Moor attourny of mr Shrimpton mrchr of Boston agt. ye Estate of Nicho: Davis	0 - 7 - 6
		2 - 1 - 3
Sept: 4 1677	from Thomas Applgate Senior plaintife agt the inhabitants of ye towne of Shrosbury defents triall of 2 actions	0 - 15 - 0
	from ditto triall of an action upon an attachmt of Major Fenwicks Cattell	0 - 07 - 6
Sept: 5th 1677	from Nicholas Browne	0 - 07 - 6
	from Isack Ong	0 - 10 - 0
		4 - 01 - 3
Sept: 3 1678	from James Grover Senior triall of 3 actions	
Sept: 5 1677	from Edmund Lafetra defendant an action tried agt fra: lemester deffnt	0 - 07 - 6
	from Christopher Allmey triall of 3 actions between him ye King Sr Georg Carteret In march Court in Midltown 1678	1 - 10 - 0
march 26	from Samuell hutton dew for ye triall of 1 action at midltown last march 1679	0 - 10 - 0
1679	from Thomas Snosell plaintife 1 action triall agt dirrick tunisen defent	0 - 10 - 0
	from John Crawford defendt an action in triall between him & walter Wall	0 - 10 - 0
	Suma =	7 - 08 - 9

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Acco^t of Court Charges As followeth
Dew to y^e Jury. viz:

	£ s d
from Christopher Allmey in a triall of three Actions in march 26: 27. & 28: 1678	01: 07-00
from Edmund Laffitra	00-09-00
from Nicholas Browne	00-09-00
from James Grover	00-18-00
from Sam: hutten	00-09-00
from Thomas Snosell	00-09-00
from John Crawford	00-09-00
	04: 10-00

Dew to Richard Sadler formerly County marshall as followeth -

from Christop^r amey for marshalls fees in an accoumpt produced & allowed of in Court amo^t to	02: 08-0
from Eliakim wardell	01: 03-0
from fra lemester	00: 09-9
from ~~Thomas~~ Thomas Applgate	00: 11-6
from Edmund lafetra	00-01-6
from Nicholas Browne	00-01-6
Sum:	04: 06: 3

Dew to the Clark, Richard Richardson

from Christop^r Allmey	03: 07-0
from ditto in 2 actions triall in march 1678. moor	04: 06-0
from Eliakim wardell	00: 18-6
from francis Lemester	00-03-9
from Tho: Applgate	04-00-6
from Edmund Lafetra	00-17-6
from Nicholas Browne	00-11-6
from James Grover senior	02-07-6
from Isack ong	00-14-6
from georg Axton	00-04-0
from Jacob cole	00-02-0
from Richard Sadler	00-09-0
from John champins & Comp^a	00-04-0
from Samuel willet	00-04-0
from John Slocum	00-07-0
49 from Ben Denall	00-02-0
from John Crawford	1-00-3
	19: 18-6

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Acco^t of Court charges, dew to Richard Richardson Clarke /

	£	s	d
Soe much transported from ye last folio	13	18	6
from Samuell hutton	0	9	6
from Thomas Snosell	0	15	0
from Isack Bennett on Sam: Lewis acco^t	0	05	6
from Lewis Morris Junior	0	02	0
Sum^ll	21	9	6

The Jury impanilled & attending at Severall Courts, as appears by Record, for expence & disbursements at each perticular time of Court is D^r

	£	s	d
To soe much, paid Eliakim wardell as by ye marshalls acco^t appears			
To soe much allowed, or paid to fra: Bordin for diet & drink at Court time			
To soe much to John Crawford for expence of ye Jury at Court for ye wch the marshall is allso to take acco^t of			

The members of Court consisting formerly of three Majestrates (& now of two Assistants) is D^r

	£	s	d
To soe much to Eliakim wardell for diet & drink at Court time for wch ye marshall is also to be accountable to them			
To soe much to francis Bordin			
To soe much to John Crawford			

Richard Richardson Clark D^r

	£	s	d
To soe much Received pr order of ye former Richard marshall Richard Sadler on acco^t of Court charges, pd by John Crawford to Thomas Snosell	4	10	0

Pr Contra Crediter

	£	s	d
Pr Soe much dew from ye Severall perssons exprest in ye last folio	4	10	0

Pr Contra Crediter

	£	s
Pr Soe much dew to the Court & every perticuler member as ye law provides - from every perticuler person exprest in ye last folio for ye triall of Severall actions tharein mentioned Amounting to ye Sume of - - -	7	8 - 9

Pr Contra Credr

	£	s
Pr Soe much dew to mee from Severall Persons as by Acco: Of Perticulars Appeares - -	21	9 - 6

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99.

Richard Sadler formerly County Marshall Of ye County Of Newcastle is Dr

	To Soe much deposited in his owne handes Of money dew from Christopr amey for Court charges by order of Court for Cattell sold on by execution, & disposed of by him for ye Sume of wch hee is to bee accoble to ye sd Court, & to bee added to this acco	8 8 8
the triall of ye first Action of christ amey		07-2-0
	To soe much Received Of Edmund Lafetre	01-15-0

Pr Contra Cr

ff: Soe much ~~pr~~ to ye Clark			
Richard Richardson	4	10	0

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Records off Sessians Cortts holden for Midle Towne & Shrosbury

Keeptt by James Bowne Clarke To the ffore said cort as doth apeere by his owne Inggrement

You doe sweare in the presents of Almighty God that you will Keep a trew Record of all actts and orders of coartte for Midle Towne & Shrosbury and Keepe Secrets and in all things to behaue your Selfe as a Clarke of Sessions ought to do To the best of your Understanding this 4 of Agust 1679 Subscribed by Mee

James Bowne

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James Bowne

Actions Entred against the Next Insuing Court to be held at shrosbyry the 2 of septenber 1679

Agust 25th 1679

1 Thomas & bartholamew apelgate plantifs In an action of the case against the Inhabitance of the Towne of shrosbury In New Gersey Defendants for None performance of a written ~~covenant~~ agreement made by the Towne clarke in ye behalfe of the ford said Inhabitance for which the plantifs craves the Judgment of this cort

this action is with drain

2 John henry of New york plantif upon an action of debt against John champnest of ye town of shrosbry in N: Gersey Defendant for non performance of paying of a bill of sin pound which should have bon payd at N: york the first of November 1677 and 56 Gilders more which the plantif doth produce a count of to ye plantifs Great Los and damage for ye which ye plantifs craves ye Judgment of this cort: agust 27th 1679

Upon the heaveing of ye action the Cortt doth Judgt not right stated ther fore ye plantive is non suted

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107 John henry of N. york plantif upon an action of Debt against John champnis of ye Towne of shrosbury in N. Gersey defendent for neaper formance of paying of a bill of six pounds which should have ben payd at new york ye first of November 1677 to ye Great Los and damg of ye plantif for which hee craves ye Judgment of this coartt

ye Jury verdit

Wee Juriars haveing taken things into serias consideration find for ye plantif the 4 day 7 month 1677 James Ashton fore man in ye behalfe of ye rest

The Judgment of ye Cort

Upon the verdit is that ye defendent John Champnes shall pay ye Debt of 6 pound acording to ye contents of his bill at or before ye 20 of November to ye said John henry.

Upon the Examination of the busines of sam willit

The Judgment of ye courtt is ye hee shall be Emersed three pound for ye contempt of atho-rity

whereas upon due Examynation mad of John higs we find him Jilty of ye charges Laid upon him therefor

The Judgment of ye Cowrt upon John higs is that hee shall for his Living in fornyration stand Tyed to the whiping post with a bush of Roods tyed to his back halfe one ower and his wife by him

And for his contempt of athoraty or breach of Law hee shall pay by way of fine ye sum of tenn pounds

Whereas Samuel Huton was Legally warned to this Corte and his contempt of athority in his not appearing Therefore ye Cort doth fine him twenty shillings 108.

169. At a cort of sesions held at Shrosbury at ye house of Nicolas brownes ye 2-3-4 of sept: 1679

present Capt John Bowne } Justisses of
Mr Joseph parker } ye peese

Mr Richard Gibbins } Asistance
Mr Jonathan Holmes }

The Jury Impaneled & Names lised as fol owethe

for Midle Cowne
James ashton fore man
John Throckmorton
John stout
Rich: sadler
Tho: Cox
Rich: stout son

for Shros bury
Jo: Slocom
Judah allin
George Hulit
John Hance
will: Shadock
Hanani Giford

The action of thomas and bartholamow apelgate plantifes against ye Inhabitance of shrosbuary was with drawne by ye Request of ye fore said plantifes before it was called in court

Upon ye hearing of ye action of John Henry plantif against John Chamnis defendant ye Court doth Judg it not Right stated therefore ye plantif is nonsuted

John Heny of N: york being nonsuted Enters his action againe

John Henry of N: york plantif upon an action of debt against John Champnes of the towne of Shrosbury in N: Gersay defendant for none performance of paying of a bill of six pound which should have ben paid at New york ye first of November 1677 to ye Great Los and Damage of ye plantif for which hee Craves ye Judgment of this court

The Jury taled over and answered to there names went forth and brought in ye folowing verdit

the Jurys verdit

wee Juriours haueing things in to serious consideration find for ye plantif the 4 day of ye 7 month 1679 James aston fore man in ye behalfe of ye west

The Judgment of ye court

upon ye verdit is that ye Defendant John Champnes shal pay the debt of six pound acording to ye contents of his bill at or before the 20 of November to ye sand John Henry

Upon the Examination of the busines of samuel wilit the Coarts Judment is that hee shall be Emersed three pounds for the contempt of Athoryty

Where as upon Due Examination made of John Higgs wee find him Gilty of the Charges Laid upon him

Therefore the Judgment of the court upon John Higgs is that hee shall for his Liueing in fornication stand tied to the whiping post with abush of roods tied to his back halfe owne houer and his wife by him

And for his contempt of athoryty or breach of Law hee shall pay by way of fine ye sum of Teen pounds

Where as samuell Hutton was Leagialy warned to this court and his contempt of Athoryti in his not apeareing there fore the Court Dooth fine him twenty shilings

It is agreed upon at this court that the bridg at the swemming Riuer shall bee Nue made upon the charge of the two Townes viz Midle towne and shrosbury and Tinton Maner the Charge beeing Equaly Deuided in to three parts each Towne to beare Equill part with tinton Manner the Ouerseers apounted are for Tinton Maner Mr Rich Garner for Midle Towne ~~Rich Stout of Elder~~ James Grauer Yonnr for shrosbury John slocom

The petion of sam: willit

To the Honred Court Now siting in shrosbury this 2 of septembor 1679

whereas I the sd sam: wilit am at this time Caled before yours worships to answere for my None aperence at the Last court holden at midle towne acording to my bond Given unto Justis parke those therefore are to Informe this Honared Court that the Resones was I could not com by reson of Distempers in my body at that time and the way soe fare distant that I could trauill one foot nor had I any beast fiting to ride upon and farder those few tatell which I haue were soe Extraordinary weeke that I could not Leaue them without helps and I Liueing soe far distant from Neighbours could not procuer any one to take care of them and as for my wife shee could not come one foot with her child it being soe fare distant soe hoping you will take it into consideration these my Resonable Excuses and be as fauorable as posible you may considering my pouerty and Inabilaty to pay such a sum asuring your worships that for the fuetor I shall Indeuer to behaue my selfe more sercumspect and void of Offence both to the Law and to this honored Court soe hoping that you will here the petistion of your humble suphant I rest your most humble seruant to my utmost pow

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Sam: wilitt

Actions Entred against the Next County Court to be holden at Midle Towne in the prouince of New Jersay one the fourth or Last Tuse Day in March in the yeare 1680

1 Benjamen Deuel plantife upon an action of the case against Thomas williames Defendant for not payment of three hundred and 20 pound of Tobaco Acting to bill the Debt and Damage amounts to fiue pound for the which ye plantif Craues ye Judgment of this Court with cost and Charge

benjamens Deuels with drawne

2 Derick Tonesson plantif against francis Lemaster Defendent in an action of the case for Debt of twenty four pounds at price currant at New york

The plantif declare against the defendent for that hee the plantif did in and about the 20th of in the yeare on thousand six hundred and seuenty 8 bulde an house for the Defendant in Length twenty foot in bredth sixtene foot about ten foot stud that is to say framed the fore said house clabords shingled mad Doores partitions and all which work being Long since Doen yet not with standing the Defendant Doth refuse and still Doth refuse
58 to pay the said plantif therefore Desires Judgment for twenty four pounds pice currant New york with Damage cost and charge Ect

Derick Tennison plantif against George Job
3 Defendent in an action of the case for debt
of thirteene pounds Equiuilant to boston mony

The plantif declare against the defendent for
that hee the said plantif did in and about the
of in the yeare one thousand six hundred
ed and seuenty buld an house for the defendt
in Length twenty four foot long and sixteene
foot broad about tenn foot stoot clabored the said
house fit to shingle yet not withstanding
contary to Law all good consiance doth refuse
and still doth refuse to pay the said plantife
for his building the said house therefore desires
Judgment of this Court for thirteene pounds
Equiuilent to boston mony with damage
cost and charge

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Edman Lefetta plantif against francis Lemaster
Defendant in an action of the case for debt
of fiue pounds

The plantif declares against the defendent
for that the defendent did by an oxe of the
plantif for fiue pounds in butter to be paid
in and about the 16 septem of septeene thousand six
hundred and seuenty 73 and hee the defendent
did promise to pay for the said ox yet not
with standing his promise the defendant doth
Refuse to pay and still doth refuse contary
to Law therefore the plantif prays Judgment
of this Court for six pounds with damage
cost and charge

5 William oshton plantiff Richaad Gardiner defendent

The plantif complaines against the defendent in an action of salt and battery

The plantif declares against the defendent for that hee the defendent did by force ~~abou~~ about the of febuary in the yeare one thousand six hundred and seventy Nine at Tinton manor in New Jersey made an asault and beat him the said plantif and Euill Intreated him soe that hee Dispaired of his Life and othere harmes to the plantife to his great damages and contary to our peare therefore Prays Judgment of this court with Damage cost and Charge

this with drawne

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William Ashton presenteth Richard Gardner of Tinton manor in the province of New Jersey for that the said Richard Gardner about the of febuary in the yeare one thousand six hundred and seventy Nine with out any Just cause with force did asalt and beat and Evel intreated and Other damage to him the said william ashton hath Don to the hinderance of the publick peare in contempt of the Laws and Libertyes of the Rings subiects all which actings are contarary to the peare of the Ring therefore prayes this Court will proceed a Gainst the said Richard Gardner as the Laws deracts in such cases Ect with drawne

7 John Chamnes plantif aganst John Henry defendt in an action of the Case for Debt of fourty Pounds

The plantif Declares against the Defendant for that hee the Defendent did promise and Ingage that hee would Never sue molest or Cause to b sued or Imprisoned the said plantif in no case whatsoever upon the fourfiture of fourty pound as by a writing under his hand bearing Date the 14 of may 1677 yet not with standing the Large promis and Ingagment and Great fourfiture hee the said Defendant did sue the plantif contarary to Law therefore the plantif Craves Judgment of this Court for the said fourty pounds with Cost and Charges Ect

8 Samuell Lenard plantif Against the Estate of Isack bennit Defendant in the hands of Richard Sadler in the hands of John Crefford and in the hands of Thomas Huitt and the rest of the whalle Company unto him bee Longing in an action of the case for Debt of fourteene pounds Nineteene shilings and four pence

The plantif declares against the Estate afor said for that the plantif did at Midle towne in New Jersay about 26th of march 1679 in open Court holden for the county of the Neusons at the instance and request of Isack benett did becom surety for the said bennet for the sum of fourteene pounds nineteene shilings four pence to be paid unto Richard Hartshorne aturney for Thomas Snozell at or before the tenth of November 1679 and the said Benet in consideration thereof did asume and promise to save him the said plantif harmeles and not with standing the promise by the said bennet hee the said plantif is forsed to pay all or the Greatest part of the said Debt to the oblige the said bennit makeing abscontion and Left the greates part of the Debt unpaid the plantif hath atached the Estate of the said bennets in the hands of Richards Sadler John Craford and in the hands of Thomas Huitt and the rest of that company belonging in the whale desire therefore the plantif bring this his action and prays this Court to Grant Judgment for the said Debt and that thesd Estate soe atached may be condemned for satisfaction of the same with Damage cost and Charge Ect

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At a court of sesians held at Midle towne in the prouince of New Jersay in the yeare one thousands six hundred Eighty

Present Mr John bowne
Mr James Grouer } Justises of the peese
Mr Joseph parker

Mr Jonathan Holmes, Asistant

The Juriors

for Midle towne

Mr Charles Ecles foreman
James Dorset
John stout
Thomas Cox
John Throcmorton
Job Throcmorton

for shrosbuary

Tho: Huit
John hauens
Abraham browne
steuen west
Edman Lofota
John wiliams

Upon the hearing the cause of Derick Toneson plantif and francis Lemaetors the Court doth Conclud the defendent non suted

Upon the hearing the action of Derick toneson plantif and Georg Job Defendent the Defendan doth owne that his howse was bulded by the Sd ~~Defendant~~ Plantif Derick toneson

steouen west bee ing wanting when the Jury was Caled and hee being one of the Jury and not heare to ansuere therefore the Court doth Emers him forty shilings

The Jury being sworne and im panniled thay
Goe fort upon the action depening betwene
Samel Lenard plantif and Isack benet defendant
the Jurys verdit is thay find for the plantif
and the Estat soe attached to be Isack benette

The Judgment of Court upon the verdit

+ condmid That the Estate of Isacks benete is to
pay the debt of forteene pound Nineteene
shilings and four pente unto the plantif
with cost of sutte

The Judgment of the Court upon the verditt
of the Jury which went out upon the action
depending betwene derick Teneson plantif
and George Job defendant the defendent is
to pay unto the sd plantif two pounds nine
shilings in wheet pork or other Country pay
at price courant to the plantife and that
the plantif shall pay five shilings to the
defendent in consideration of the werke
don by the defendent and the defendent
to pay the one halfe of the cost and Charg

Sr Edmund Andros Knt Lift and Gouernor Gent & vice Admirall Under his Royall highnes James Duke of York and Albany and of New York and Dependencies in amenia by vertue of his Mattis Letters pattents and the Comition and Athority Deriued Into mee Under his Royall highness Idee hereby in his Mattis name Constitute & Appoint you Capt John Bowne and Mr Thomas Snozell To bee Justices of the Peace for Midle Towne and shrosbury precincts Giuing you full power and athority to act as Justisces of the peace ought or may Doe acording to Law and Practis And all persons whome it may concerne are Strictly Charged and required to Giue you Due Respect and Obediance acordingly This Commition to bee of force for the space of one whole Yeare or till further order Giuen Under my hand and Sealed with the Seale of the prouince in New York this 3 day of May in the 32th yeare of his Mattis Raigne Anno Domini 1680

Andross

Past the office
Matthias nicolls secr

A trew Coppi of Gouernors andresses comition Giuen Unto capt John bowne and Mr Tho. Snozell for Justises of ye peace for Midle towne and shros bury

James Bowne Clerk

Middletone 11th Febry 1687/8

John Bronne his Marke is two slitts one the right Eare And one Crop one the left Eare which was formarly the marke of Joseph Hewet

p Robt Hamilton Clarke

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