And the aforesaid Solomon Semans by Charles Gordon his attorney comes and Defends the force and Injury when and wherefore and prays leave to Imparle hereunto untill next Court and he hath it and the same day is given to the Plaintiff also

At which said next Court to wit the twelfth day of April Anno Domini 1763 Come again the said Parties Plaintiff and Defendant by their attorneys afore said and the said Defendant by his said attorney prays further leave to Imparle hereunto untill next Court and he hath it and the same day is given to the Plaintiff also

At which said next Court to wit the thirteenth day of September Anno Domini 1763 Come again the said Parties Plaintiff and Defendant by their attorneys afore said and the said Defendant by his said attorney prays further leave to Imparle hereunto untill next Court and he hath it and the same day is given to the Plaintiff also

At which said next Court to wit the fourteenth day of September Anno Domini 1764 Comes here again as well the said Sarah Rasin by her attorney afore said as the said Solomon Semans by his attorney afore said And the said Solomon by his attorney afore said (as before) Defends the force and Injury when and wherefore and saith that he with the Debt afore said by virtue of the writing Obligatory afore said to be bound ought not because he saith that the writing Obligatory afore said is not his Deed and of this he puts himself upon the Country and wherefore and the afore said Sarah in like manner and wherefore

And Thereupon as well the said Sarah Rasin as the said Solomon Semans by their attorneys afore said do Suggest to the Court now here that a material Witness in this Cause is beyond Seas and therefore pray a further day may be given them for the Trial thereof

Whereupon with Consent of the Parties afore said Day is given to the same Parties here for the Trial of this Cause untile next Court

At which said next Court to wit the ninth day of April Anno Domini 1765 Come here again as well the said Sarah Rasin by her attorney afore said as the said Solomon Semans by his attorney afore said, Nevertheless the afore said Solomon Semans by his attorney afore said Relinquishing the Avoirments above by him pretended saith that he cannot deny the Action afore said of her the said Sarah Rasin to as afore said above against him brought nor but that he detaines from her the said Sarah Rasin the sum of Three hundred and Seventy pounds Eighteen Shillings and four pence half penny Current money of Maryland in manner and form as the the said Sarah Rasin above against him hath declared

(Therefore)

Therefore it is considered by the Justices here that the said Sarah Rasin Executrix as afore said recover against the said Solomon Semans now the Sum of Three hundred and Seventy pounds Eighteen Shillings and four pence half Penny Current money of Maryland her Debt afore said in form afore said confessed as also the Sum of 738 pounds of Tobacco by the Court here unto her in her assent adjudged as now for her Damages sustained by Occasion of the Detention of that Debt as for her Costs and Charges by her about her Suit in this behalf laid out and expended and the said Defendant In Mercy &c

Memorandum, (the Plaintiff agrees to stay Execution untill next Court and to release the penalty on payment of Principal Interest and Costs of Suit

Test Beverly Griselith

GG William Rasin's Extr
against
Solomon Semans

Command was given to the Sheriff of Kent County that he should take Solomon Semans late of Kent County planter otherwise called Solomon Semmons of the County and Province aforesaid Planter if he should be found in his Bailiwick and him safe keep so that he might have his Body before the Justices of his Lordships Provincial Court to be held at Annapolis the Second Tuesday of September then next to answer unto Sarah Rasin Executrix of the Testament & last will of William Rasin deceased of a plea that he render unto her the full & Just Sum of Three hundred & Seventy pounds Eighteen Shillings & four pence half penny Current money of Maryland which from her he unjustly detains &c forth and that thereof he the said Sheriff was not to fail &c

And the said Sarah Rasin declared against the said Solomon Semans in the plea afore said as follows to wit

Kent County to wit, Solomon Semans late of Kent County planter otherwise called Solomon Semans of the County and Province aforesaid Planter was Summoned to answer unto Sarah Rasin Executrix of the Testament and last Will of William Rasin deceased of a plea that he render unto her the full & Just Sum of Three hundred & Seventy pounds Eighteen Shillings and four pence half Penny Current money of Maryland which from her he unjustly detains &c forth And whereupon the said Sarah Rasin by George Garnett her attorney saith that whereas the said Solomon Semans on the Twenty fourth day of March in the year of our Lord Seventeen hundred & Sixty at the County aforesaid by his Certain writing Obligatory had granted himself to be held and firmly bound unto the said William Rasin in his life time in the aforesaid Sum of Three hundred & Seventy pounds Eighteen Shillings & four pence half penny Current money of Maryland to be paid unto the said William Rasin his Heirs Admnrs or Assigns when thereunto afterwards he should be required Nevertheless the aforesaid Solomon altho often required the aforesaid Sum of Three hundred & Seventy pounds Eighteen

(Shillings)