

our lord the king, as himself, prosecutor
William Byrnum *vs* John Roberts *def* } In Debt

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came also a jury to wit William Guinnes Reuben Freby jr Elias Fort Benjamin Wood Phillips Bruntley Sathorn Vaper William Andrews Joseph Delk Arthur Branch Chaplain Williams John Arrington & Harris Taylor who being elected tried and sworn the truth to speak upon the issue joined upon their oath do say that the defendant doth owe the debt in the declaration mentioned in manner of form as the plaintiff agst him hath complained and they do assess the plaintiff damages by occasion thereof to one penny besides his costs Therefore It is considered by the court that ^{recovery of the said defendant} said plaintiff five hundred pounds of tobacco the debt in the declaration mentioned one moiety thereof to our our said lord the king to for the better support of this government & the contingent charge thereof the other moiety to the plaintiff to for his expenses & that the plaintiff recover agst the said ~~def~~ his damages ^{in form of} assessed & his costs him about his suit in this behalf expended and the said defendant in money &c.

On the motion of Samuel Thibodeau a writrup for William Byrnum agst John Roberts It is Ordered that the said William pay him one hundred pounds of real tobacco for four days attendance on this court

Neperson applying for administration on the estate of John Jordan (decd) It is Ordered that the sheriff of this county do take the estate of the said Jordan into his possession and make sale thereof at public auction for twelve months credit and account with the court for the same

William Byrnum quitam . . . pth }
Isaac Young def } In Debt
Thesarne pth }
vs Francis Loush def } In Debt
Thesarne pth }
James Brooks def } In Debt

The above causes is continued till the next at the defendants costs