

Liber LL, 5 appointed for the distribution of the Effects of the said Thomas
 Acts Dent not less then twenty Days after the making of the said Sur-
 render and shall then and there in the Presence of two Justices as
 aforesaid and by their advice and directions make distribution of the
 Estate of the said Thomas Dent so as aforesaid to be Surrendred
 delivered up or transferred amongst such of his Creditor only as shall
 then by themselves or their Attorney or attorneys think fitt to be
 present at such distribution by an equall and Proportionable distri-
 bution thereof to every such Creditor with respect had and in Pro-
 portion to the largeness of his or her debt Save that Master John
 Courts William Hoskins and Ledstone Smallwood three of the
 Creditors of the said Thomas Dent at whose Suit the said Dent is now
 in Execution be first allowed and Paid out of the Effects so as afore-
 said Surrendred up the Sume of Fourty Pounds Sterling each of them
 in full of their Claim against the said Thomas Dents Estate and the
 Residue if any to be distributed as aforesaid the Proceedings of the
 said Justices and Sheriff in that behalf to be certified to the County
 Court aforesaid and there lodged for the Perusall of any of the
 Creditors of the debtor aforesaid that shall require the same and
 without any ffee to be Paid thereon or for such Lodging thereof
 saving the right of the right honourable the Lord Proprietor his
 heirs and Successors and of all Bodies Politick and Corporate and
 all others not mentioned in this Act. Provided nevertheless that in
 Case the said Thomas Dent or his said Wife shall at any time after
 the makeing such Oath as aforesaid be convict of willfull and corrupt
 Perjury thereupon or of a willfull Breach or non Compliance with
 the tenour of such Oath that then the said Thomas Dent or his
 p. 37 said wife shall upon such Conviction be adjudged to stand two hours
 in the Pillory and have his or her left Ear cutt off and shall be wholly
 deprived of all and Singular the Benefitts designed him by this Law,
 and shall be thenceforth lyable to be Prosecuted for any debts or
 damages whatsoever in the same manner as if this Act had never
 been made any thing herein Contained to the Contrary notwithstand-
 ing Provided also that Gerard Fowke and Bennett Hoskins Execu-
 tor of Oswald Hoskins Executor of Ann Hoskins Executrix of
 Collonell Phillip Hoskins deceased who are Sureties for the said
 Thomas Dent on the testamentary Bond of Collonell William Dent
 deceased be fully released from any future Claim against them or
 their heirs forever by any of the Children or Legatees of the said
 William Dent for any Sums of money or other goods or Chattles
 whatsoever due to them for their filial Portions before the said
 Thomas Dent shall have any benefitt of this Act. Provided also and
 it is hereby Declared that the said Thomas Dent shall have no Bene-
 fitt of this Act untill he shall pay or secure to be Paid unto Messieurs
 John Courts William Hoskins and Ledstone Smallwood the Severall
 Sums before mentioned.