

PUBLIC RECORD OFFICE

CHANCERY PROCEEDINGS C 12/178/26

Further answer by Francis Newman the younger to the bill of Complaint of James Rogers and Catherine his wife the complainants

Dated 29th January 1791

He has some deed or deeds or instruments but which deeds or instruments were improperly obtained as this defendant believes and means hereafter to submit to this Honourable Court no adequate claim having been give for such deeds as aforesaid executed by him in or about [blank] 17[blank] mortgaged and encumbered the estate and premises called South Cadbury Manor and lands in the said bill and this defendant's former Answer mentioned to Simon Payne of Bridgewater for securing the sum of £1,000 or thereabouts

But the particulars or real sum of such deed or deeds this defendant cannot any how set forth not having the same or any copy or abstract thereof in his custody, and which he supposed are now in the possession of Mr. Payne

He has therefore set forth to the best of his knowledge how he has mortgaged charged or encumbered the estate and premises and by what deeds and instruments

He insists he is not bound to set forth how in what manner he has mortgage charged or encumbered his other estates

Sworn 28 January 1791 at the Public Office

Began Trinity 1789, bill with other answer