

Command was given to y^e Sheriff of Kent County y^e 28th day of Jan^y Anno Domⁱ 1696 to Attach any the 1st the goods (whether Debt or Credit of In^o: Bond Martinz if they should be found in his Bailiwick to satisfie unto James Smith a certain Debt and cost recovered at him y^e 28th day of October last &c: And that by good and Lawfull men he make Returne in whose hands he makes y^e said Attachm^t: &c: that he do or they do personally present before his Mas^{ty} Justice at the Next Court to be there-
range &c:

At which Court viz: the 23rd day of March Anno Domⁱ 1696 the day of Returne of the sd writ remd. Capt Edward Swatnam high Sheriff of sd County and made returne of sd writ in these words viz: I have Attached of the goods of In^o: Bond to the value of eight hundred EIGHTY and two pounds of Tobacco in the hands of m^r: In^o: Harker made knowne before two good and Lawfull men of my Bailiwick In^o: Harker & the Just^{ts} of m^r: Edw: Swatnam Just^{ts}

Command was given to the Sheriff of Kent County y^e 28th day of Jan^y Anno Domⁱ 1696 to take Jonathan Norton if he should be found in his Bailiwick and him safe keepe soe that he have his Body before his Mas^{ty} Justice att y^e Next Court to Answer unto James Ringgold of a plea that he owes unto him Eight hundred pounds of Tobacco

At which Court viz: y^e 23rd day of March Anno Domⁱ 1696 remd. Capt Edward Swatnam high Sheriff of sd County and made returne of sd writ in these words viz: Copy of Edw: Swatnam Just^{ts}

And now heard att this day the sd cause standing for Trial remd the sd James Ringgold by Griffith Jones his Attorney and atty^e y^e sd Jonathan Norton by W^m: Homfroy his Attorney

Ringgold pet - } Declarat^o viz:
Jon: Norton defend }

Jonathan Norton other wise called Jonathan Norton of Kent County Plaintiff
& his Indor was Attached to Answer unto James Ringgold of said County of a plea that he owes the full and just sum of Eight hundred pounds of
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