

and his Associates the said Lord Proprietor his Justices of the  
 said Lord Proprietor County Court and did for the said Lord  
 Proprietor doth give the said Justices here to understand and  
 be informed that Charles Smith late of Upper South  
 Carolina hundred in Shrewsbury Parish in the County aforesaid  
 planter the nineteenth day of June anno Domini one thousand  
 seven hundred thirty and eight was possessed of a house in  
 the said hundred and County and within the Jurisdiction  
 of this Court being and then and there was the Chief Justice  
 and Master of the family in the said house then residing  
 and that William Smeother Constable of the said hundred  
 duly authorized and qualified the same unto the day  
 of June in the year aforesaid did repair in person to the said  
 house and did then and there require of the said Charles  
 a True list from under his hand distinctly naming all  
 the Taxable persons which he then had within his said  
 family. And altho the said Charles Smith then and there  
 did give unto the said William a list and Account of  
 sundry Taxable persons in his said family then residing  
 yet he the said the said Charles Smith the Justice  
 of this Province little weighing or regarding Thomas  
 Clitt a Taxable person in his said family then residing  
 in the said County did not write down or mention or  
 cause to be written down or mentioned but the said  
 Thomas Clitt to be a Taxable person from the  
 knowledge of the said Constable then and there did commit  
 contrary to the form of the Act of Assembly Intituled an  
 Act for the Appointment of Constables and what  
 relates to their Office and Ascertaining what persons  
 are Taxable and against the Peace of the said