

August Court 1738

The Court do of the Hundred in the County of ...
assaulting and beating
of the said Parish and County Plauter and the said Just.
Whittington so then and there for the cause aforesaid being
arrested and under the custody and charge of the said
William M. Clean safely to be carried by him the said
William M. Clean before some One of the said Lord
Propy his Justices assigned to cover the peace in
the County aforesaid by the said Justice then and there to be
warranted of concerning the assault & Battery aforesaid
to do & receive further what in that part concerning the
said assault & Battery should be required being to the
said William M. Clean then and there did require and in
the name of the said Lord Propy Command Stephen
Bordley of the said Parish and County Gentleman, then
and there to aid & assist him the said William M. Clean
to bring Hovey him the said Joseph Whittington before
Charles Stinson Just. then one of the said Lord Propy
his Justices to keep the peace in the County aforesaid and
doore felonious Trespas and other Malesfeanances
in the said County perpetrated to hear and determine
assigned before the purpose aforesaid Nevertheless the said
Stephen Bordley to do the said then and there allege:
then did refuse and contumeliously deny to the
Manifest Contempt of the said Lord Propy to the said
and pernicious Example of all others in such case
offending and against the peace of the said Lord Propy
his good Rule & Government Wherefore the said Just.
of the said Lord Propy for the said Lord Propy prayeth
the Advice of the Court herein the promise and that
the process of Law herein this part against the said
Stephen Bordley may be made & answer unto the
Lord Propy of and upon the promise & promise