

April Court. 1723

words - Maryland s<sup>r</sup> Charles absolute Lord and Proprietor of the Province of Maryland and  
 as also Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. To the Sheriff of Somerset County greeting Wee Command you  
 that you attach any the goods Chattels rights or credits of Simothy Bloodworth late of Stequoy Parish in  
 the County of Somers<sup>r</sup> worth ab. due Simothy Bloodworth if any State be found in your Balidit to the  
 value of Seventy two pounds twelve Shillings dobl and six pence and One thousand pounds of the Costs  
 of Suite and when you have the same attached or any part thereof the same in your Custody safe Keep  
 so that you have the same before the Justices of Our County Court to be hold at Duding Creek the third Tuesday  
 of March next then and there to be condemned according to act of assembly to and for the use of a certain  
 Patrick Simpson unless the said Simothy Bloodworth by himself or Lawfull attorney shall  
 appear and answer unto the said Patrick Simpson of a plea that he tender unto him One hundred thir-  
 ty four pounds thirteen Shillings Curr money which to him he owes and unjustly detains &c according  
 to Law and that by good and Lawfull men of your Balidit you make known unto the Corson or per-  
 son in whose hands you make the same attachment that he or they be and appear before the Justices  
 of Our said County Court to be hold as afo. to show Cause if any they have why the same good Chattels rights  
 and credits so attached in his her or their hands ought not to be condemned according to Law if to him her  
 or them it shall seem meet and how you shall Execute this writt that you make known to the Justices  
 of Our said Court at the day and place afo. and have you then and there this Writt Witness Charles Ballard  
 your Chief Justice of Our said Court this twenty third day of November in the Seventh Year of our  
 Dominion &c. Attest 1722 -- (Allen) Alexander Hall -

At which said third Tuesday of March to wit the thirteenth day of the said month and One thousand Seven  
 hundred and twenty two being the day of the return of the said Writt Comer the said Patrick Simpson by his  
 attorney afo. and the Sheriff of Somerset County to whom the foregoing writt was directed did return and  
 make return of thereof to Court here End out in these words to wit - By virtue of the within writt to  
 me directed to Justices within mentioned I certify that I have attached in the hands of the several per-  
 sons in a schedule to this Writt annexed, mentioned the severall goods and Sums of money to their  
 severall Names severally annexed as the goods and Chattels rights and credits of the within named  
 Simothy Bloodworth and I have also before John Doe and Richard Roe good and Lawfull men of  
 my Balidit made known unto the severall Corsons in the said Schedule named that they be and  
 appear before the Justices within mentioned, at the time and place within mentioned to show Cause if any  
 they have why the same goods and Sums of money to their severall Names annexed in their hands severally  
 attached should not be condemned for the use of the within named Patrick Simpson as by the within  
 writt is commanded so answer  
 For the Sheriff Sheriff -

An and of goods attached in the hands of Maj Charles Ballard. -

To 174 pounds of Brass at 3 Shillings p lb	26 <sup>02</sup> 00
To 43 pounds of Cowles at 20 <sup>00</sup> p pound	08 <sup>11</sup> 08
To 9 pair of Children Shoes	02 14 00
To 2 pair of Small Sheep Steers	02 02 00
Carried up	39 <sup>09</sup> 08