

Thomas Drummond and Mary  
his wife admt. of John Griffith  
Robt. Catts

Command was given to the Sher. of Somerset County that he should take  
Robert Catts of County Carish in the County of Cooper alias dictus Robert Catts  
of County of if he should be found to have taken in his

Ballistick and him should safe keep so that he might have his Body before the Justices  
of his Lordship's County Court of Somersett the third Tuesday of June then next to answer unto Thomas  
Drummond and Mary his wife admt. of the good and Chattles of John Griffith who died Intest late of age  
that he render unto them fifteen hundred pounds of tobacco which from them he lawfully detains & - and that  
he should not fail & -

And whereupon the said Thomas and Mary by George Dashiell  
their attorney saith that whereas the said Robert Catts the Eleventh day of March One thousand Seven hundred  
and Nineteen twenty at the Carish and within the Jurisdiction of this Court by his certain Bill sheweth the  
said Thomas and Mary with the Seal of the said Robert signed hereto Court Benige whose date is  
the day and year aforesaid bound himself to pay unto the said John Griffith in his Life time his & admt. &  
the said Sum of fifteen hundred pounds upon the first day of December next ensuing the date  
of the writing aforesaid Nevertheless the said Robert altho' often therunto requested the said Sum of fifteen  
hundred pounds of tobacco or any part thereof to the said John in his Life time or to the said Mary after  
the death of the said John by his Executors Between her and the said Thomas celebrated or to the said  
Thomas and Mary since Executions Between them celebrated hath not rendered but the said or any  
part thereof to them neither to render hath done and shall do the day to the damage of the said Thomas  
and Mary five hundred pounds of tobacco and the cost of the bringing this Suite & -

George Dashiell Esq. of the Middle Temple Barrister at Law

At which said third Tuesday of June to wit the Eighteenth day of June same month A.D. One  
thousand Seven hundred and twenty three Being the day of the return of the said Writ Cometh the said  
Thomas Drummond and Mary his wife by their attorney aforesaid and the Sher. of Somerset County to whom  
the foregoing writ was directed did severally severally and severally return thereof to the Court here evident in  
these words viz. -

Whereupon the said Thomas Drummond and Mary his wife admt. as aforesaid by

their attorney aforesaid sheweth that for as much as they have complied with the Law in Order to an attachment they may  
have Judgment against the said Robert Catts for their Debt aforesaid by way of attachment according to act of  
parliament &c. Whereupon for that it seems to the Court here that the said Thomas Drummond and Mary his  
wife admt. as aforesaid have complied with the Law's aforesaid; - Therefore it is considered by the Justices  
here the Eighteenth day of June A.D. One thousand Seven hundred and twenty three aforesaid that the said  
Thomas Drummond and Mary his wife admt. as aforesaid recover against the said Robert Catts as well the Sum  
of fifteen hundred pounds of tobacco their Debt aforesaid as all Costs and Damages by the said Catts and  
Expended about their Suite by way of attachment against the good Chattles and Credits of the said Robert  
Catts according to act of parliament in such case made and provided & -

