

of Maryland and also Lord Baron of Baltimore &c to Show of Somerset County hearing the Command you
 that you attach any the goods Chattels Rights or Credits of a certain William Martindale of all hollows Parish in
 the County of Somersett Mariner if they shall be found in your Bailiwick to the Value of thirty pounds money 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 said County Court to be had at dividing Creek in Somersett County of the third
 Tuesday of June next then and there to be condemned according to act of assembly to and for the Use of a certain Charles
 Ratliff Esq. of the last will and testament of of Nathaniel Ratliff dec'd unless the said William Martindale
 by himself or attorney shall appear and Answer unto the said Charles Ratliff Esq. as aforesaid in a plea of trespass upon
 the Case &c according to Law and that by good and Lawfull men of your Bailiwick you make known unto the
 Person or persons in whose hands you make the same attachment that he she or they be and appear before the
 Justices of our said Court to be hold as aforesaid to Show Cause if any he she or they have why the same goods Chattels
 Rights or Credits so attached in his her or their hands Ought not to be condemned and Execution thereof had &
 made according to the form of the act of assembly in that Case made and provided if to him her or them it shall
 seem meett and how you shall Execute this Writt that you make known unto our said Justices at the same
 day and place aforesaid and have you then and there this Writt Witness Charles Balleed Gent. Chief Justice of our
 said Court the 3. day of May in the Eighth Year of our Dominion &c. And Dated: 1723

(A. Allen) Thomas Hayward Esq.

At which said third Tuesday of June to wit the Eighteenth day of the same month and Towne Court House
 is and seven hundred and twenty three being the day of the return of the said Writt unto the said Charles Ratliff
 by his attorney aforesaid and the Show of Somersett County hearing to whom the foregoing Writt was directed Like-
 wise Comor and made return thereof to the Court here Endent in these words viz. By virtue of the within
 writ to me directed to ~~execute~~ I have attached in the hands of the several Persons in a Schedule to this writ
 annexed, I have also made known unto the said Persons that they be and appear before the Justices
 within named at day and place within mentioned to Show Cause if any they have why the said Money so
 attached in their hands as the goods and Chattels of the said William Martindale should not be condemned
 and Execution thereof had and made, before John Doe and Richd. Roe good and Lawfull men of my bailiwick
 as by the within Writt I am commanded so answer Jos. M^{rs} Costerther

Laid in the Hands of - Wm Wolton - So: Thomas Collins - So: Richd. Hudson So: Jos. M^{rs} Costerther

Whereupon the said William Wolton in his own proper person appears and declares he next
 Court - Like wise the said Thomas Collins ^{as aforesaid} appears in his own proper person and with Consent of the
 Justices attorney aforesaid voluntarily takes his Oath that he had none of the Effects of the Defts in his hands at the time
 of the laying the attachment nor at no time since thereupon the said Thomas Collins ^{as aforesaid} is discharged
 - Whereupon the said Richard Hudson ^{as aforesaid} appears in his own proper person and says that he
 cannot gainsay but that he has of the rights and Credits of the said William Martindale to the Value of
 five pounds and Nine pence now but that the same Ought to be condemned in his hands for the Use of
 said Charles Ratliff Esq. as aforesaid or of the rights and Credits of the said William Martindale which the said
 Justices does not gainsay &c - Whereupon the said Charles Ratliff Esq. as aforesaid by his attorney aforesaid