

William Kenney }  
Somersett County p.

By virtue of an act of Assembly enacted for the relief

of Creditors and to prevent frauds and receipts occasioned by Secret sales, mortgages and gifts of goods and Chattels &c.

Before me John Handy one of his Majesty's Justices of the peace for the County of Somersett came William Kenney and made oath on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God that -  
Lazarus Kenney of the County aforesaid is run away and that he is indebted to him two pounds sixteen shillings and two pence as per account proved also eighteen barrels of Corn as by receipt on hand of said Lazarus Kenney of the County aforesaid is required to issue attachment for the above mentioned debts according to an act of Assembly and this shall be your warrant given under my hand and seal this 26<sup>th</sup> day of March 1730

John Handy

By virtue of the above warrant and in pursuance of an act of Assembly in such case made and provided I did issue an attachment against the goods and Chattels Rights and Credits of the said Lazarus Kenney, which said attachment afterwards by the Sherrif of Somersett County was returned Nulla bona. In Pursuance of

Sub. Aaron Lynn

Somer. County p. James Johns late of Somersett County planter and Daniel Johns late of Somersett County planter ad. dit. James Johns and Daniel Johns of Somersett County were summoned to answer unto Aaron Lynn of a plea that they render unto him ten pounds Eighteen shillings and ten pence Current money of said province which to him they owe and unjustly detain &c.

And whereupon the said Aaron by Francis Allen his attorney saith that whereas the said James and Daniel the tenth day of March aforesaid. One thousand seven hundred and twenty nine at Somersett County aforesaid within the Jurisdiction of this Court by his written Obligatory which the said Aaron with the seal of the said James & Daniel signed and sent unto him bearing the date whereof is the same day and Year. did acknowledge their selves to be bound unto the said Aaron in the said ten pounds Eighteen shillings and ten pence Current money to be paid the said Aaron when he should be thereunto required yett the said James and Daniel Johns his after required the said Eighteen pounds Eighteen shillings and ten pence to the said Aaron have not rendered nor either of them have rendered but the same to him hitherto, to render have delayed and still doth delay and unjustly detain to the damage of the said Aaron of six pounds money aforesaid and thereupon he brings suite &c.

Followed of Quod. Eligos de do do &c.

And whereupon the said James and Daniel Johns by James Shiley their attorney come and defend themselves and injury whereof and say that they cannot deny the action aforesaid of the said Aaron, nor say they say but that the writing obligatory aforesaid is their act and deed, nor but that they owe the said Aaron the said ten pounds Eighteen shillings and ten pence Current money in manner and form as the said Aaron above against them hath declared, wherefore the said Aaron prays Judgment for his debt aforesaid and his damages sustained by reason of the detaining of the same debt to him to be adjudged &c.

Therefore it is considered that the said Aaron Lynn Recover against the said James Johns and Daniel Johns ten pounds Eighteen shillings and ten pence Current money his debt aforesaid and his damages sustained by reason of the detaining of the same Debt to Two hundred & seventy Two pounds of to be paid to the said Aaron of his aforesaid by the Court here adjudged, and is adj. deffer in money &c.