

Somerset sh. All about of the Right honorable Under absolute Lord and proprietary of the province of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore W. held for Somerset County at dividing great in the same County the 15th day of the same month of August 1701. Present One hundred and Seven hundred thirty two by his said Lordships Justices, the peace in the same County to keep, signed, of whom were present.

The Worshipful	Mr Robert King	Mr John Handy	His Lordships
	Mr William Gasil	Mr John Scott	
	Mr John Smith	Mr James Mathin	
	Mr Wm. Boughton	Mr Wm. Lane	
	Mr John Caldwell	Mr Thomas Williams	
	Mr John Myrter	Mr Henry Ballard	
Joshua Caldwell	Mr James Darwell	Mr David Wilson	Thomas Hayward &c

Thomas Frewitt } To the worshipful the Justices of the County of Somerset now in Court sitting
Beth ... } the humble petition of Thomas Frewitt humbly sheweth. —

That your petitioner has been in every miserable condition this long time by being afflicted having the hand fortune to be purblind this severale years and your petitioner being under a great hand ship to pay taxes therefore your petitioner humbly pray that your worship will be pleased to consider the deplorable Estate of your poor petitioner and to Grant an Order of Court that your petitioner may be tax free and in so doing your petitioner as in duty bound forever pray — Thomas Frewitt —

The petition aforesaid being read and heard and fully understood and mature deliberation there upon had where fore it is considered that the aforesaid Thomas Frewitt be tax free until such time as please God to restore him to his Eye right again &c —

Flora negro girl of John Gray Ind. is adjudged by the Court to the age of ten years this term

Thomas Stockwell } To the worshipful his Lordships Justices of Somerset County Court. now —
Beth } sitting — the humble petition of Thomas Stockwell having had above 13 months sickness and Lameness this summer last summer and losing the chief of my supportment that should assist me and have been in Coventry parish this is the 17 year and ever paid the County dues and am forced to make my Complaint to your worships for redress case me off paying any more taxes, which in so doing your humble petitioner shall be bound in duty forever pray — — — Thomas Stockwell. —

The petition aforesaid being read and heard and fully understood and mature deliberation had where fore it is considered that the aforesaid Thomas Stockwell be for the future tax free as by the petition aforesaid is praid kes.

Billies negro girl of John Smith is adjudged by the Court to the age of eight years
Amey negro girl of William Gold is adjudged by the Court to the age of ten years