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John Donelson is indebted unto him the Sum of Seventeen pounds nine shillings & three pence Curr. money of Maryland and Twenty one pound One shilling and four pence half penny Curr. money of Boston in New England and is Removed out of this County from the usual place of his residence their in a secret manner and hath removed part of his substance to deceive his Creditors or abscond and fly from Justice. You are therefore hereby required in his Lordships Name to Issue an attachment for the aforesaid Debt or Damages and the said Debt is due this 7th day of June Anno Dom 1736 Edw. R. R. R.

To Mr. Thomas Hayward Esq. Sheriff of Somerset County

Survant to act of assembly in such case made and

provided and in obedience to the above said Warrant was issued the attachment following vizt —
Somerset Co. Charles absolute Lord and proprietary of the provinces of Maryland and a colon Lord Baron, of Baltimore &c. To the sher. of Somerset County greeting well Command you that attach any the goods Chattles rights or Credits of John Donelson late of Somerset County Mariner if they shall be found in your bailiwick to the value of seventeen pounds nine shillings and three pence Currant money of Maryland and twenty one pound one shilling and four pence half penny Boston money and five hundred pounds of tobaccoes 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 our Justices of our County Court of Somerset to be held at dividing Creek 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 Samuel Hopkins Unless the said John Donelson by himself or his attorney shall appear and answer unto the said Samuel Hopkins 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 our Justices our County Court to be held as aforesaid to shew cause if any he she or they have why the same goods Chattles rights or Credits so attached in his her or their hand ought not to be condemned and Execution thereof had and made According to act of assembly (in such case made and provided) if to him her or them it shall seem meet and how you shall Execute this writt that you make known unto our said Justices at the day and place aforesaid and have you there and there this writt Witness John Smith Esq. one of our Justices of our said Court the twentieth day of March Anno Dom one thousand seven hundred and thirty five —
at which said third tuesday of June to witt the fifteenth day of the same month Anno Dom one thousand seven hundred and thirty six being the day of the returne of the said writt came the said Samuel Hopkins by George Douglas his attorney and the sher. of Somerset County to whom the foregoing writt was directed likewise cometh and maketh return thereto to the Court here Endorsed in these words following vizt. By virtue of the within writt