

G D Francis Allen Esq
Rt John Horsey Esq of
Israel Holland Esq
of John Haristoy . . .

His Lordship the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary of the province
of Maryland Commanded the Sheriff of Somerset County by his writ in these
words following - Somerset s. Charles absolute Lord and Proprietary of
the provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c To the
sheriffs of Somerset County greeting we Command you that you attach any the

Chattles rights or Credits of John Haristoy late of Somerset County Surgeon deceased if they shall be
found in your bailiwick to the value of three thousand pounds of tobacco 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 March Next then and
there to be Condemned according to act of Assembly to and for the use of a certain Francis Allen Unless a certain
Israel Holland late of Somerset County Mariner and Esther his wife do not of the goods Chattles and Credits
which were of the of John Haristoy late of Somerset ^{County} Surgeon deceased by themselves or their Attorney shall
appear and answer unto the said Francis Allen 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 of 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 hands ought not to be Condemned and Execution thereof had and 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 then and there
this writt Witness John Scott Gent. one of our Justices of our said Court the twenty sixth day of November
Anno Dom one thousand seven hundred and forty one

Att which day here came the aforesaid Francis Allen by George Douglas his attorney and the Sher.
to witt John Handy Gent nowhere made Return of the foregoing writt to the Court here Endorsed
in these words following. Somerset s. I do hereby ^{humbly} certify to the Justices within Mentioned that
by virtue of the within writt to me directed on the first day of march in the year of Our Lord
One thousand Seven hundred and forty One within my bailiwick I have attached of the goods
and Chattles Rights and Credits of John Haristoy within named to the value of three thousand pounds
of tobacco in the hands of Nathaniel Horsey and John Horsey severally to be Condemned according
to act of Assembly in such Case made to and for the use of Francis Allen within named and I
do further certify that by Joshua Merrill and John Doe good and Lawfull men of my Bailiwick
I have made known unto the said Nathaniel Horsey and John Horsey severally to be and
appear