

Warren, for the use of the said William, Middleston, according to the
Directions of the Act of Assembly in such Cases made and provided here
will not given under my hand and seal this day and year above said

John
Commander Justice
of Charles County

Arthur Lee

Whereupon the said Commanded the King that of the Good Chateaufort
Credits of the said Thomas Warren in his Bailiwick being restituted all such
amount the sum of Six hundred Hundred and Seventy nine pounds of 166.
Damages as for the said Counts of Tobacco for Counts that had accrued and so
that further should accrue in prosecution of the same is and when the same be
had attached or any part thereof that he should have it before the Justice of the Lord
Proprietary of his Neel County Court to be held at Charles Town on the second
Tuesday in November Next then & there to be condemned according to Law to
for the use of the said William, unless the said Thomas should come then & there by
himself or a lawful attorney and answer unto the said William a plea
of Trover upon the Case and that by good & lawful men of his Bailiwick, should
make known to the person or persons in whose hands he should make the same
Attachment that he or they be and appear before the Justice of the said Lord
Proprietary at the place and time aforesaid to show Cause why he or they have
any thing in their or any of their hands attached should not be condemned
according to Law and the said William have the Execution of 166. and how
he should execute that writ that he should make known to the Justice
at the Time and place aforesaid and that he should have then and there that writ and the
Name of them before whom he should make the same known &c.

And now be it at
this day to wit the second Tuesday in November aforesaid the said William,
by Saml. Chase his attorney and of the same of a plea against the said Thomas
In the plea aforesaid and the writ aforesaid returns to the Court here the writ aforesaid
Charles County for the Writ of the Justice within the County of the said
County that by virtue of the within writ to me directed that on the 24th day of October
1747 I attached in the hands of Joseph King the sum of eight hundred & fifty
pounds of Tobacco and on the same day, in the hands in the hands of Peter Smith
four hundred pounds of Tobacco as the effects of the within, named Thomas Warren
and for the use of the within mentioned William Middleston, and have made known
to the above mentioned of an issue that they be and appear at the Time & Place
within prescribed to show Cause why they have any the said Effects so attached
in their hands should not be condemned for the use of said William Middleston
according to Law Attached before Jane Benn & John Howard God of
(Lawful)