

March Court Anno Domini 1747

In the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty seven and of ten before Justice at the County of... the sum of... but the same to the said Daniel Stephenson to pay had Denied and still doth deny to the Damage of the said Daniel Stephenson Two Thousand One Hundred and sixty pounds of like Tobacco and therefore it is brought under for the... 16. John Doe

Whereupon into Court herein his proper person comes John Harris of Charles County Clerk and business pledge and security for the said Timothy that if it should happen that the said Timothy in the plea afo. should be convicted that then the said John Harris should be bound that as well the Damages afo. as well costs which to the said Daniel in this part should be adjudged of his Lands and Chattels should be made and levied to and for the use of the said Daniel that if it should happen that the said Timothy the Damages and costs afo. to the said Daniel should not pay or his body into the custody of the Sheriff by Reason thereof And the afo. Timothy in his proper person comes and defends the plea and for judgment... and says that he cannot deny the action afo. of him the said Daniel nor that he did assume upon himself in manner and form as the said Daniel against him hath complained nor also but that the said Daniel hath sustained Damages by means of not performing the business of a sumptions afo. to One Thousand and eighty pounds of Tobacco as the said Daniel above in declaring supposes — Whereupon the said Daniel by counsel (these his attorney afo. and pray judgment) and those Damages so acknowledged together with his costs and Charges by him about this suit in this part laid out and Expended to him to be adjudged Therefore it is Considered by the Court here that the said Daniel doth recover against the said Timothy his Damages afo. to One Thousand and eighty pounds of Tobacco above acknowledged as also the sum of one Hundred Ninety eight and one quarter of a pound of Tobacco for costs and Charges by him about this suit in this part laid out and Expended in this behalf by the Defendant Court thus adjudged and the said Daniel in Receipt

Then Robert Gill Attachment on Warrant John Macdonald Dam. 1000 £ to 500 Condemnation.

But Remembered that Robert Gill Pursuant to the Directions of the Act of Assembly in those Cases late made and Provided lodged with the Clerk of the Court here the following Account and Menant for Attachment Viz

John Macdonald £ to Robert Gill — 1140
Christiean Lemais the Jam obliged to pay for him.

Received of Robert Gill the full and just sum of four hundred and forty pounds of Tobacco by his Note of hand this 3 day of January 1747 Charles County ff. Whereas it has been made appear to me that John Macdonald is indebted unto him in the sum of four hundred and forty pounds of Tobacco as also that the said John is absconded from the place of his late abode and is Run away These are therefore in his his Lordships Name to Command you to give Attachment against the Effects of this John Macdonald afo. to satisfy the said sum of four hundred and forty pounds of Tobacco as also the said and Charges that may accrue thereon pursuant to the Directions of an Act of Assembly in such Cases made and Provided for doing this shall be your Warrant Given