TB Amos Garrett
George Mansfell

Mem The Writ obtained this Lordships writ of Attachm
The Penner of which follows in these word Viz

Marylandss Charles Absolute Lord and Propriet[ar]ie of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord
Baron of Baltemore &c To the Sheriff of Ann Arundell County Greeting We Command you that you
Attach any the Goods Chattels Rights or Credits of George Mansfell late of Ann Arundell County Planter
who died Geo[rge] Mansfell of Ann Arundell County in the Province of Maryland if they shall be found
in your Baliwick to the Value of Five Hundred fifty two pounds Seventeen Shillings Currant money
and ten thousand pounds of Tobacco and when you have the same Attached or any parte
thereof the Same in your Custody safe keep So that you have the same before our Justices of
our Rov[all] Court to be held at Annapolis the Second Tuesday of September next then and
there to be Condemned According to Act of Assembly to and for the use of Certain Amos Garret
unless he the said George Mansfells by himself or his Attorney Shall appear and Answer
unto the said Amos Garret in plea of Debt for the Sume of two hundred fifty two pounds
Seventeen Shillings Currant Money According to Law and that by good and Lawfull men of
your Baliwick 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 the Justices of our said Court to be
held as aforesaid Shew Cause if any he She or they have why the same Goods Chattels Rights or Credits
so attached in his her or their hands ought not to be Condemned and Execution thereof had and
made According to the Forme of the Act of Assembly in that Case made and provided and to
have then there this Writ and how you Shall Execute this Writ that you make known
unto our said Justices at the Day and places above said and have you then there this Writ Witness
Wm Holland Esq[r] Chief Justice of our said Court the 10 Day of April in the Second year of
Our Dominion Ver Anno Dom 1717

Mordley John Beale Cl

All which said Second Tuesday of September to wit the 10th day of the same Month Anno Dom
1717 being the day of the return of the said Writt Comes the said Amos Garrett by Thomas Bordley
his Attorney and the Sheriff of Ann Arundell County to whom the aforegoing writ was directed
Likewise Comes and makes return thereof in the Court here under written in these words Viz[t]

By Vertue of the within precept to me directed I Certifie to the Justices within mentioned
that I have on the fourteenth day of May 1717 Attached of the Goods and Chattels rights and
Credits of the within named George Mansell Late of Ann Arundell County planter In the hands
of the within named Philemon Hemsley Merch[t] the Sums within Mentioned in money and
Tob[o] And have made known to him the said Hemsley that he be and appear before the Justices
within mentioned at the Day and place within Contained to Shew Cause if any he Had why the
Same Should not be Condemned In his hands And Execution thereof had and made for the use
of the within named Amos Garret Before George Valentine and John Harris two Good and
Lawfull men of Ann Bayliwick as by the within precept I am Commanded So Answers

Tho[s] Reynolds Sher[t]

Whereupon the said Philemon Hemsley Garnishee as aforesaid in his own proper person appears
and Says that he Cannot Gainsay but that he has of the Goods and Chattels Rights and Credits of
the said George Mansell in his hands to the Sume of Sixteen pounds four Shillings and a penny
Curr[t] money of Maryland as also the Sumes of two hundred and Sixty nine pounds of Tob[o] nor did that
there is not any Cause Condemnation for the same, which the said Garn[r] does not Gainsay

Whereupon the said Amos Garrett by his Attorney aforesaid prays that upon Giving Security
According to Act of Assembly that the said Sums aforesaid Viz[t] the Sume of Sixteen
pounds four Shillings and a penny Curr[t] money of Maryland as also the Sumes of two
hundred and Sixty nine pounds of Tob[o] So as aforesaid Confessed by the said Philemon Hemsley
Garnishee as aforesaid be Condemned in the hands of the said Philemon Hemsley as of the Goods and
Chattels Rights and Credits of the said George Mansell towards Satisfying unto the said

Amos Garrett Esq[r] as well his Damages Recovered in the plea aforesaid as his Costs and Charges accrued by
Occasion of the Premises aforesaid but

Whereupon Thomas Bordley of the City of Annapolis Esq[r] Resent here in Court undertakes
for the said Amos Garrett that in Case the said George Mansells Shall at any time within a year and
a day appear and make Defence or any part of the said Amos Garrett his Claim against him appear
to be Satisfied or otherwise to have been undue Cause the laying of this Attachment that
then the said Amos Garrett as aforesaid Shall make Restitution unto him the said George Mansells
as aforesaid all or such part thereof as Shall be so made appear to be undue Cause or that
he the said Thomas Bordley Esq[r] will do it for him

Therefore it is Considered by the Justices here this 10th day of September Anno Dom
1717 aforesaid that the said Sumes of Sixteen pounds four Shillings and a penny Curr[t] money of
Maryland as also the Sumes of two hundred Sixty nine pounds of Tob[o] So as aforesaid Confessed by
the said Philemon Hemsley Garnishee as aforesaid be Condemned in the hands of the said Philemon
Hemsley as of the Goods and Chattels Rights and Credits of the said George Mansell towards Satisfying
unto the said Amos Garrett as well the Sume of two hundred fifty two pounds Seventeen Shillings
Currant money his debt aforesaid as also the Sume of [illegible]
pounds of Tob[o] Costs of Suite As also all Costs and Charges by him the said P[lt]ff Laid out & expended
on the due prosecution of the writ of Attachment aforesaid and that the said Amos Garrett have
thereof his Execution against the said Philemon Hemsley Garnishee as aforesaid According to Act of
Assembly &c[a]

JB Amos Garrett Maryland ss.

Goovert Lookerman

Covert Lockerman late of Dorchester County
Ye Defendt also Covert Lockerman of Dorchester County in the
Province of Maryland Gent[t] was Summoned to Answer unto Amos Garrett of Ann Arundell
County in the province of Maryland Merchant of a plea that he render unto him Twenty five
thousand pounds of good Sound leaf of Tobacco with the like hhd to Contain the Same which
to him he Owes and unjustly detaineth &c[a]

And Whereupon the Same Amos by Thomas Bordley his Attorney Saith that Whereas
the Same Covert the thirtieth day of April Anno Dom Seventeen hundred & Sixteen at Dorchester
County by his Certain Writeing Obligatory granted himself to be bound unto the Same Amos Garrett
in the aforesaid twenty five thousand pounds of Tobacco to be paid unto the Same Amos when he
Should be thereunto required Never the less the Same Covert altho often required the aforesaid
twenty five thousand pounds of Tobacco to the Same Amos hath not yet rendred but the Same
to him hitherto to render Doth deny and still denyeth Whereupon he Saith he is the worse
and hath lost to the Value of Twenty five thousand pounds of Tobacco and thereof he brings
his Suit &c[a] And he brings here into Court the writeing Obligatory aforesaid which
testifyeth the debt aforesaid whose date is the day and year above said

Bordley Q[r] Over Ipsey &c[a] Settle &c[a]
Rich &c[a]

And the Same Covert by his Attorney Comes and defends
the force and Injury when &c[a] and prays a hearing of the writeing Obligatory aforesaid
And unto him it is read He also prays a hearing of the Condition of the Same writeing
Obligatory And it is read unto him in these words The Condition of this obligation is
(such)