Sheriff of Dorchester County Greeting Whereas Richard Bennett lately to wit the first Day of July Anno Dom Seventeen hundred & thirty Seven before the Honble Robert Gordon Esqr one of our Justices of our Provincial Court recovered against Levin Hill of Annarundell County Planter otherwise Called Levin Hill of the same County Gentleman as well the Sum of Eleven hundred & twenty four pounds One Shilling & two Pence Sterling a Certain Debt as also the Sum of One thousand four & a half pounds of Tobacco which to the same Richard Bennett were adjudged unto him for his Costs & Damages Sustained by Occasion of the Detention of that Debt whereof he is Convict Afterwards the same Richard Bennett came & by the Statute thereupon Provided Chose to have delivered unto him all the Goods & Chattells of the aff^d Levin Hill besides the Oxen & Affrees of his Cart & in like Manner the Moyety of all his Lands & Tenements in your Bailywick to hold to him the Goods & Chattells aff^d as his own Proper Goods & Chattells & the Moiety aff^d as his freehold to him & his Assigns according to the form of the Statute aff^d untill the Debt Damages & Costs aff^d shall be thereupon levyed And therefore We Command you that all the Goods & Chattells of the aff^d Levin Hill besides his Oxen & Affrees of his Cart & in like Manner the Moyety of all his Lands & Tenements in your Bailywick of which the same Levin Hill on the aff^d first Day of July Anno Dom Seventeen hundred & thirty Seven or at any time after was Seized to the aff^d Richard Bennett you cause to be delivered by a reasonable Prise & Extent to hold to him the Goods and Chattells aff^d as his own Proper Goods & Chattells & the Moyety aff^d as his freehold to him & his Assigns according to the form of the Statute aff^d untill the Debt Damages & Costs aff^d be thereupon fully levyed & in what Manner you shall Execute this Writ you shall make appear before our Justices of our Provincial Court to be held at Annapolis the third Tuesday of October next & have you then there this Writ Witness Levin Gale Esqr Chief Justice of our said Court the Second Day of July in the 23^d Year of our Dom^n & Annoq; Dom 1737 —

Duplicate (Jennings) Wm Fisher Clk

And now here at this Day (to wit) the said third Tuesday of October being the 10th Day of the same Month Anno Dom 1737 and the Day of the return of the aforegoing Writ Comes the said Richard Bennett Esqr by Daniel Dulany his Attorney And the Sheriff of Dorchester County to whom the same Writ was directed likewise Comes & makes return thereof to the Court here thus Indorsed Viz^t

I Certify that there are not to my knowledge or were at the time of the Receipt of the within Writ in my Bailywick any Goods Chattles or Lands belonging to the within named Levin Hill Which I could make or extend towards satisfaction of the within Debt and Damages So answers J. Hindman Shff

Ff. William Black } Mond. The Pltf sued out his Lordships Writ of Attachment the Tenor — wherof follows in these Words (Viz^t)
Richard Hill . . } Maryland ss Charles Absolute Lord & Propry of the Provinces of Maryland & Avalon Lord Baron of Baltemore &c To the Sheriff of Baltemore County Greeting We Command you that you attach any the Goods Chattells Rights or Credits of Richard Hill of Ann Arundell County Chirurgeon otherwise Called Richard (Hill)

Hill of Ann Arundell County Surgeon if they shall be found in your Bailywick to the Value of four hundred & Sixty Seven Pounds Eighteen Shillings Sterling Money of Great Britain & Twenty thousand pounds of Tobacco & when you have the same so attached or any part thereof the same in your Custody safe keep so that you have the same before the Justices of our Provincial Court to be held at Annapolis the third Tuesday of October next to satisfye unto William Black of London Merchant as well the Sum of four hundred & Sixty Seven Pounds Eighteen Shillings Sterling Money of Great Britain a Certain Debt which the said Richard Hill Confessed Judgement for before the Honble Robert Gordon Esqr one of our Justices of our Provincial Court on the Second Day of July instant as also the Sum of Nine hundred & Seventy Seven Pounds of Tobacco Costs of Suit together with all such Costs as to the said William Black shall come upon this our Writ of Attachment and that by good & Lawfull Men of your Bailywick you make known unto the person or persons in whose hands you make the same Attachment that he she or they be & appear before the Justices of our said Court to be held as aff^d to show 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 & Execution thereof had & made according to the direction of the Act of Assembly in such Cases made & provided for towards satisfaction of the Debt & Costs above Specified & how you shall Execute this Writ that you make known unto our said Justices at the same Day & place here of fail not at your Peril & have you then there this Writ Witness Levin Gale Esqr Chief Justice of our said Court the thirteenth Day of July in the 23^d Year of our Dominion & Annoq; Dom 1737

Duplicate (Jennings) Wm Fisher Clk

And now here at this Day to wit the said third Tuesday of October being the 10th Day of the same Month Anno Dom 1737 and the Day of the return of the aforegoing Writ Comes the said William Black by Edmund Jennings his Attorney And the Sheriff of Baltemore County to whom the same Writ was directed likewise Comes & makes return thereof to the Court here thus Indorsed Viz^t Nulla bona Wm Hammond Shff

W. William Peale Admor Samuel Peale } Mond. The Pltf sued out his Lordships Writ of Fieri facias
Francis Holland - - - - - } his Tenour whereof follows in these Words (Viz^t)
Maryland ss Charles Absolute Lord & Propry of the Provinces of Maryland & Avalon Lord Baron of Baltemore &c To the Sheriff of Baltemore County Greeting We Command you that of the Goods & Chattles of Francis Holland of Baltemore County Gent als dict Francis Holland of Baltimore County Gentleman in your Bailywick you cause to be made as well the Sum of two hundred pounds Sterling a Certain Debt as the Sum of Seven hundred & Nine pounds of Tobacco Costs of Suit as also the Sum of Seven hundred & Ninety five pounds of Tobacco Costs of Suit which William Peale Administrator of Samuel Peale obtained his Condition of a Certain Judgement before the Justices of our Provincial Court on the twenty first Day of October Anno Domini Seventeen hundred & thirty five as also the Sum of Nine hundred thirty Nine & a half Pounds of Tobacco further Additional Costs & have those Sums before the Justices of our Provincial Court at Annapolis this third Tuesday of October next to render to the aff^d William Peale Admr as aff^d of the Debt & Damages and Costs of Suit aff^d whereof he is Convicted And have you then there this Writ Witness (Levin)