JT. NB. George Buchanan & William Hamilton
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DD. Cy. Shadrach Claywell

The Justices of his Lordship's County Court of Somerset County Transmit to the Justices of his Lordship's Provincial Court here the following Record of an Appeal made by the Said George Buchanan and William Hamilton from the said County Court the Tenor whereof follows in these words to wit —

In the Records and Proceedings of Somerset County Court amongst other things it is contained as follows Viz.t —

Somerset S.s At a Court of his Lordship the Right Honourable Frederick Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. Held at Princes Ann Town the third Tuesday of November being the Nineteenth day of the same Month Anno Dom. One thousand Seven hundred and fifty four by his said Lordships Justices the Peace in the same County to keep Assigned of whom were Present —

The Worshipful
Thomas Hayward, Isaac Handy, John Dennis, Joshua Caldwell, Sampson Wheatley
Henry Waggaman, John Handy, Joseph Gillis, Ephraim Wilson, Samuel Adams
Gentlemen His Lordships Justices —

Henry Ballard —

Thomas Hayward Jr. Cl.

LD. Shadrach Claywell
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JN. Geo: Buchanan & Wm. Hamilton

Memorandum. The Plaintiff sued out his Lordship's Writ of Attachment against the Goods Chattels and Credits of the aforesaid Defendants the Tenor whereof is as followeth —

Somerset S.s Frederick Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c. To the Sheriff of Baltimore County Greeting — We Command you that you Attach any the Goods Chattels and Credits of George Buchanan late of Somerset County Merchant and William Hamilton late of Somerset County Merchant if they shall be found in your Bailiwick to the Value of Sixty Eight pounds Ten Shillings Sterling and Eight hundred 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 Princes Ann Town the third Tuesday of November next then and there to be Condemned according to Act of Assembly to and for the use of a certain Shadrach Claywell unless the said George Buchanan and William Hamilton by themselves or their Attorney shall Appear and Answer unto the said Shadrach Claywell in a plea of Trespass upon the Case &c. according to Law and that by good and Lawful 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 of Somerset to be held as aforesaid to Shew Cause if any he she or they have why the Same Goods Chattels and Credits so Attached in his her or their Hands Ought not to be condemned and Execution thereof had and made 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 Writ that you make known unto our said Justices at the Day and place aforesaid And have you then and there this Writ Witness Robert Hing Esq.r Chief Justice of our Said Court the 18th day of August Anno Dom. 1752.

Which aforesaid Writ of Attachment afterwards to wit the Nineteenth day of August Anno Dom. one (thousand)

thousand Seven hundred and fifty two to Nehemiah Hing Gent. then Sheriff of the County aforesaid was delivered and in due form of Law to be executed and afterwards and before the third Tuesday of November and Year aforesaid the said Hing from his Office as Sheriff of the County aforesaid was Removed and Henry Ballard Gent. was appointed and Qualified as Sheriff of the County of Somerset aforesaid — At which said third Tuesday of November aforesaid and Year aforesaid in the County Court aforesaid then held at Princes Ann Town Came the aforesaid Shadrach Claywell by Littleton Dennis his Attorney and the aforesaid Henry Ballard then Sheriff of the County afo.d Returned the aforesaid Precept by the aforesaid late Sheriff Executed and to the Same Henry then Sheriff of the aforesaid County of Somerset by the aforesaid late Sheriff in his going out of his Office delivered in form following Viz.t — I do hereby Certify that on the Nineteenth day of August in the Year of our Lord God One thousand Seven hundred and fifty two within my Bailiwick I Attached of the Goods Chattels and Credits of the within named George Buchanan and William Hamilton to the Value of twenty one Pounds Six Shillings and five pence Sterling as by the Schedule hereunto annexed may appear which Goods I have ready to be Condemned to and for the Use of the within named Shadrach Claywell and I further that on the day and Year aforesaid at the County aforesaid I Attached in the hand of George Gale and Alexander Adams Severally the Residue of the Sum in the said Attachment mentioned to wit the Sum of forty Seven Pounds three Shillings and eight Pence farthing Sterling and eight hundred pounds of Tobacco towards Satisfying the said Claywell his Debt aforesaid and Cost and I made known to the said George and Alexander by good and Lawful Men of my Bailiwick to wit Thomas Moore and John Doe to be and appear before the Justices within mentioned at the Place in the Same Contained to Shew Cause why the Same Should not be Condemned according to Act of Assembly in Such Case lately made and Provided —

To Answers Neh: Hing Sheriff —

And the aforesaid Alexander Adams Garnishee of the aforesaid George Buchanan and William Hamilton by Robert Jenkins Henry his Attorney cometh and prayeth Leave thereof to Imparle here untill next Court to be held at Princes Ann Town the third Tuesday of March then next following and he hath it and the same day is given to the aforesaid Shadrach here also &c. —

At which day here Came as well the aforesaid Shadrach Claywell as the aforesaid Alexander Adams Garnishee as aforesaid by their Attorneys aforesaid and hereupon the said Alexander prays further Leave thereof to Imparle hereuntill next Court to be held at Princes Ann Town the third Tuesday of June then next following and he hath it and the Same day is given to the aforesaid Shadrach here also &c. —

At which day here Came as well the aforesaid Shadrach Claywell as the aforesaid Alexander Adams Garnishee as aforesaid by their Attorneys aforesaid And hereupon the said Alexander prays further Leave thereof to Imparle here untill next next Court to be held at Princes Ann Town the third Tuesday of August then next following and he hath it and the Same day is given to the aforesaid Shadrach here also &c. —

At which day here Came as well the aforesaid Shadrach Claywell as the aforesaid Alexander Adams Garnishee as aforesaid by their Attorneys aforesaid and hereupon the said Alexander prays further Leave thereof to Imparle here untill next Court to be held at Princes Ann Town the third Tuesday of November then next following and he hath it and the Same day is given to the aforesaid Shadrach here also &c. —

At which day here came as well the aforesaid Shadrach Claywell as the aforesaid Alexander Adams Garnishee as aforesaid by their Attorneys aforesaid and the aforesaid Alexander Cometh and saith that the aforesaid Shadrach Condemnation of the aforesaid forty Seven Pounds three Shillings and Eight pence (farthing)