Edward Dorsey of Calb
vs
William Whitecroft

Be it remembered that heretofore to wit on the sixth day of August in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred and eighty nine the said Edward Dorsey of Calb by Richard Ridgely his attorney prosecuted and sued forth out of the General Court here of and upon a Judgment in the said court rendered the writ of the State of Maryland of capias ad satisfaciendum to the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County directed in the words and of the tenor following to wit

The State of Maryland sc. To the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County greeting We command you that you take William Whitecroft late of Ann Arundel County if he shall be found in your bailiwick and him safe keep so that you have his body before the Judges of our General Court to be held at the City of Annapolis on the second tuesday of October next to satisfy unto Edward Dorsey of Calb the quantity of six hundred and eighty six pounds and four fifths of a pound of tobacco which was adjudged unto the said Edward Dorsey of Calb before the Judges of our General Court on the second tuesday of May last for his costs and charges which he hath sustained in a certain plea of trespass on the case commenced in the same court by the said William Whitecroft against the said Edward Dorsey of Calb according to the form of the statute in that case made and provided against partys plaintiffs who do not prosecute their writs in such pleas and proceed on the same whereof the said William Whitecroft is convict and so forth. Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there this writ. Witness the Honourable Robert Hanson Harrison Esquire chief Judge of our said Court the 26th day of June anno Domini 1789.

Issued the 6th day of August 1789. R.R. Jno. Gwinn clk.

And now here at this day to wit the second tuesday of October being the thirteenth day of the same month and the return day of the aforegoing writ comes into the General Court here the said Edward Dorsey of Calb by his attorney aforesaid and the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County aforesaid to whom the said writ was in form aforesaid directed makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed to wit. Cepi. Benjamin Howard Shff

To which aforegoing writ and return was annexed the following superseduas to wit.

You William Whitecroft, Henry Whitecroft and John Knapp do confess Judgment to Edward Dorsey of Calb for six hundred and eighty five 8 4/5 (pounds

pounds of tobacco costs of suit which was recovered by the said Edward Dorsey May Term 1789. in the General court the said costs to be levied of your body goods or chattels land or tenements for the use of the said Edward Dorsey in case the said William Whitecroft shall not pay and satisfy the said Edward Dorsey the said cost so as aforesaid recovered against him with the additional costs thereon on the tenth day of February next. Taken before and certified by the subscriber one of the Judges of the General court this 6th day of November 1789. Jer.h T. Chase.

Test. Jno. Gwinn clk.

Elam Baily use
Richard Ridgely
vs
William Whitecroft

Be it remembered that heretofore to wit on the sixth day of August in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred & eighty nine the said Elam Baily By Richard Ridgely his attorney prosecuted and sued forth out of the General Court here of and upon a Judgment in the said court rendered the writ of the State of Maryland of capias ad satisfaciendum to the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County directed in the words and of the tenor following to wit.

The State of Maryland sc. To the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County greeting: We command you that you take William Whitecroft late of Ann Arundel County if he shall be found in your bailiwick and him safe keep so that you have his body before the Judges of our General court to be held at the City of Annapolis on the second tuesday of October next to satisfy unto Elam Baily the quantity of six hundred and thirty three pounds and one fifth of a pound of tobacco which was adjudged unto the said Elam Baily before the Judges of our General Court on the second tuesday of May last for his costs and charges which he hath sustained in a certain plea of Trespass on the case commenced in the same court by the aforesaid William Whitecroft against the said Elam Baily according to the form of the Statute in that case made and provided against partys plaintiffs who do not prosecute their writs in such pleas and proceed on the same whereof the said William Whitecroft is convict and so forth. Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there this writ. Witness the Honourable Robert Hanson Harrison Esquire chief Judge of our said court the 26th day of June anno Domini 1789.

Issued the 6th day of August 1789. R.R. Jno. Gwinn clk.

And now here at this day to wit the second tuesday of October being the thirteenth day of the same month and the return day of the aforegoing writ comes into the General court here the said Elam Baily by his attorney aforesaid & the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County aforesaid to whom the said writ was in form aforesaid directed.