John Crawford, use of Charles Stewart and John Skinner against Nathan L. T. Wright.

Be it remembered, that on the twenty ninth day of April anno domini one thousand seven hundred and ninety one, The State of Maryland sent its Clare writ to the Sheriff of Queen Anne's County, in the following words, to wit, The State of Maryland. To the Sheriff of Queen Anne's County, Greeting: whereas at a General Court held at Easton, the second Tuesday of September anno Domini seventeen hundred and eighty seven, before the Honorable Robert Hanson Harrison Esquire, Chief Judge of the said Court, and others his associates, then Judges of the same Court, a certain John Crawford, did recover Judgment against a certain Nathan Samuel Turbutt Wright, late of Queen Anne's County, as well the sum of three hundred and fifty eight pounds, six shillings, and eight pence current money, a certain debt, and six hundred and sixty six pounds of Tobacco certain damages as also the Quantity of five hundred and sixty nine pounds of Tobacco, which by Curiam in the said Court was then and there adjudged unto the said John Crawford, for his damages sustained by Curiam of the detention of that debt, as for his Costs and Charges by him about his suit in that behalf laid out and expended, as by the record and process thereof in the said Court remaining likewise manifestly appears. And whereas the said Nathan Samuel Turbutt Wright hath not paid the condemnation of the Court, in the plea aforesaid, nor rendered his Body to the custody of the Sheriff of Queen Anne's County, in satisfaction thereof, as by the Summons of the said John Crawford we have received, and because we will that those things which in our said Court are rightfully done and transacted should be brought to due execution we command you that by good and lawful men of your Bailiwick you make known unto the said Nathan Samuel Turbutt Wright, that he be and appear before the Judges of our said General Court, to be held at Easton, the second Tuesday of September next, to shew cause if any he hath whereby the said John Crawford, Execution of the said debt damages and Costs aforesaid, against him the said Nathan Samuel Turbutt Wright according to the recovery aforesaid, to have, ought not it so to be done it shall seem meet, and have you there and there the names of those before whom you shall make the same known unto him and this writ, Witness the Honorable Thomas Johnson Esquire, chief Judge of our said Court the twelfth day of April anno Domini 1791. Issued the 29th day of April 1791. (Cd)

James Earle Clk.

And now here on this day to wit, the second Tuesday in September anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and ninety one, here came the said John Crawford, by Gustavus Scott his attorney and Jonathan Levy Sheriff of the County aforesaid, to the Court here made return, that by virtue of the writ aforesaid to him directed, he hath made known unto the said Nathan Samuel Turbutt Wright, by John Roe & Richard Roe, good and lawful men of his Bailiwick that he be and appear before the Judges aforesaid, at the time and place aforesaid to shew cause &c. and the said Nathan Samuel Turbutt Wright comes not, nor anything saith in Bar or prevention of the scire facias aforesaid, but therein doth make default. Wherefore it is considered and adjudged by your said Court, that the said John Crawford have his Execution against the said Nathan Samuel Turbutt Wright, as well for the sum of money and Quantity of Tobacco aforesaid, as also for the further Quantity of six hundred and six pounds of Tobacco which the said John Crawford was adjudged for his additional costs and charges by him about his suit, in this behalf after Execution of the Judgment aforesaid, laid out and expended, and the said Nathan Samuel Turbutt Wright, in mercy &c. Same Earle Clk.

Judgment was confessed in this action on the day of September anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety one, for £358. 6. 8 current money & 1235 pounds of Tobacco, costs. To be released on the payment of £179. 3. 4½ current money & interest thereon from the 24th day of March 1773 till paid & 1235 pounds of Tobacco, got on Original Judgment. Costs after, Interest during the war to be released.

Robert Buchanan against Robert Meeks.

Be it remembered that on the twenty ninth day of April anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety one, the State of Maryland sent its Clare writ, to the Sheriff of Kent County in the following words, to wit, The State of Maryland. To the Sheriff of Kent County, Greeting, whereas at a General Court held at Easton the second Tuesday of April anno Domini seventeen hundred and eighty seven, before the Honorable Robert Hanson Harrison Esquire, Chief Judge of the said Court and others his associates, then Judges of the same Court, a certain Robert Buchanan, did recover Judgment against a certain Robert Meeks, late of Kent County, as well the sum of thirty pounds current money a certain debt, as also the Quantity of five hundred and twelve pounds of Tobacco which by Curiam of the same Court was then and there adjudged unto the said Robert Buchanan, for his damages sustained, by Curiam of the detention of that debt, as for his Costs and Charges by him about his suit in that behalf laid out and expended, as by the Record and process thereof in the said Court remaining likewise manifestly appears: And whereas the said Robert Meeks, hath not paid the condemnation of the Court, in the plea aforesaid, nor rendered his body to the Custody of the Sheriff Kent County aforesaid, in satisfaction thereof, as by the Summons of the said Robert Buchanan we have received; and because we will that those things which in our said Court are rightly done and transacted should be brought to due execution we command you that by good and lawful men of your Bailiwick, you make known unto the said Robert Meeks that he be and appear before the Judges of our said General Court, to be held at Easton the second Tuesday of September next, to shew cause if any he hath whereby the said Robert Buchanan, Execution of the debt, damages costs and charges aforesaid against him the said Robert Meeks, according to the Recovery aforesaid, to have, ought not, if so to him it shall seem meet, and have you there and there the names of those before whom you shall make the same known unto him, and this writ, Witness the Honorable Thomas Johnson Esquire, Chief Judge, of our said Court the twelfth day of April anno Domini 1791. Issued the 29th day of April 1791. (WZ)

James Earle Clk.

And now here on this day to wit, the second Tuesday in September anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety one, here came the said Robert Buchanan, by William Tilghman, his attorney, and Isiah Johnson Sheriff of the County aforesaid, to the Court here made return, that by virtue of the writ aforesaid to him directed, he hath made known unto the said Robert Meeks, by John Roe and Richard Roe, good and lawful men of his Bailiwick, that he be and appear before the Judges aforesaid, at the time and place aforesaid to shew cause &c. and the said Robert Meeks comes not