

At County Court holden the 13<sup>th</sup> day of November in the eight year of the Dominion of the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Charles  
over his lands Annoq Dom<sup>o</sup> 1603 before his Hon<sup>ble</sup> Justice here unto assigned and assigned

Coll<sup>o</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> Colborne  
present { Capt<sup>o</sup> Henry Smith : m<sup>r</sup> Thomas Newbold } Comm<sup>o</sup>  
          { m<sup>r</sup> William Brewton : Major Ambrose London }

Whereas in September last past at County Court holden in a presumptuous manner 10<sup>th</sup> James  
Thomas Bunker : John Smock : Robert Cade : James Round John Emmett Thomas Selbe Roger Patrick  
Henry Bishop Jun<sup>r</sup> & Nathaniell Junib had Cause a certain writing in forme of Apetition to be  
presented to the Court in behalf of Rodial Joffell of this County. to the w<sup>ch</sup> the said persons  
named had sett to their hands & marks. The Court then finding the said writing to be done  
& subscribed in manner of Contempt did then order the persons before named to be summoned  
to make out the Charge therein contained: In obedience to the order the parties were summoned  
& this day to wit the 13<sup>th</sup> day of November A<sup>o</sup> 1603 The major part of the subscribers  
appeared and humbly desired the favour of this Court for themselves & others absent to  
be favourable not presuming that they did in any wise doe the same in Contempt but foolishly  
& simply through ignorance. The Court considering the premises doe order that the said 10<sup>th</sup> James  
Thomas Bunker : John Smock : Robert Cade : James Round : John Emmett : Thomas Selbe Roger Patrick  
Henry Bishop Jun<sup>r</sup> & Nathaniell Junib doe pay unto the Sheriff this present year each of them  
fifty pounds of tobacco for the use of the Poore of this County & Coll<sup>o</sup> /

The same day being the 13<sup>th</sup> November 1603

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present { Capt<sup>o</sup> Henry Smith : m<sup>r</sup> Thomas Newbold } Comm<sup>o</sup>  
          { m<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Brewton : Major Ambrose London }

Whereas by writ of Court attaint issued against the goods Chattels & debts of m<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Darvill  
for four thousand four hundred pounds of tobacco to answer unto John Bunker in an action  
of Account which writ of attaint was returned by the Sheriff the 14<sup>th</sup> day of Aug<sup>st</sup>  
last past & was attayed on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of June last past two Ships Anchors on y<sup>e</sup> plantation  
of Capt<sup>o</sup> John Bunker belonging to the said William Darvill And this day to wit the  
13<sup>th</sup> day of November Annoq Dom<sup>o</sup> 1603 At the request of y<sup>e</sup> p<sup>l</sup>ts this Court did that  
William Agate Sen<sup>r</sup> and Daniell Haff is appointed appraisers to appraise the said  
Anchors they being first sworn before some one Magistrate of this County then  
to weigh them and make true appraisement to the best of their skill & knowledge And  
give report thereof to the next County Court to be holden beyond Tuesday the  
January now next coming

The Information of James Knowles concerning John White & Miles Williams  
is that he saw and read John Whites Indentures which was arriving at the  
rest of the passengers in that ship which was for four years and he the  
said James likewise saw the said John White deliver his said Indentures into  
Richard Pearson Custody who was the Master of the said Ship to summe time  
untill the time he arrived within the Cape of Virginia and then he the  
said John to have the benefit of them and further said he not

James Knowles { Peter Canell saw the same Indentures delivered into Richard  
Pearson in manner aforesaid

Made oath in open Court the 13<sup>th</sup> day of November Annoq Dom<sup>o</sup> 1603 on the Holy  
Evangelist that the above said writings be true that done in presence  
of the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Coll<sup>o</sup> Stewarts President. Coll<sup>o</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> Colborne Capt<sup>o</sup> Henry  
Smith Capt<sup>o</sup> David Browne Capt<sup>o</sup> John Bunker & Major Ambrose  
London Comm<sup>o</sup> in Court sitting