

1800-016

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY
CHANCERY PAPERS

BARNES

VS.

JEFFERS

8/1800

to the justices of Southampton
in Chancery setting
John Barnes complaining shew to
court that on the day of
in the year 179 he became
in a writing obligatory for about
sum of £ to one Edward
Jeffers of the town of Petersburg.
That same came after the above
date to wit on the day of
in the year 1798 he ^{was} summoned to
attend this court as garnishes
in an attachment ~~was~~ depending
in this court between a certain
Vick of this county &
the sd Edward Jeffers - that on the
trial of the sd attachment your
complaint, as by the records of this
court will appear, answered on
that he was indebted to the sd
Jeffers in the several sums of

Barnes.

in bill
Jeffers
Jeffers

Recd. to the
Barnes

Compt. & Justice
to the Justice

\$5.0.0 due by life & about
\$10.0.0 due by bond, which
was all that your Complaint then
needed the sd Jeffers. But so it

May it please the court, not-
withstanding the statement aforesd
the sd Jeffers ^{has since} commenced suit on
the bond above mentioned, obtained
judgment issued out execution.

~~Long since your Complaint~~ your
Complaint avers that he has never
been in any manner or form
indebted to the said Jeffers since
the judgment of this court in the
attachment aforesd - & the bond,
the amount which he paid agreeable
to the sd judgment, is the identical
bond on which the sd Jeffers
has obtained judgment as aforesd
In tender consideration whereof

your complaint prays that the
court will enjoin the judgment abla-
by the sd Jeffers on the bond
before mentioned ~~and that the~~
as stated, can be heard in equity &
then make the injunction perpetual.
that the sd Jeffers be made dep.
by proper process, that he answer
this bill on oath as if it was
again set forth in interrogatories.
your Complaint calls for the
Commencer altho writ or writs
of Subp: He will ever pray to

this day of Nov: 1800 John Barnes
made oath before me that the above
was true as far as ~~had come to~~
know of his own knowledge & that it was
true as far as had come to his knowledge
from the knowledge of others.

Barnes
to ^{for} Jeffers & bond

Aug 2/800

Know all men by these presents that we John Barner
L George Gurley
Edward Jeffers are hitherto and firmly bound unto
current money of Virginia to which payment well & truly to be made
to the s^d Jeffers in the sum of
to his heirs Exors & assigns We
bind our selves & each of us our & each of our heirs Exors & assigns jointly
and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated
this 18 day of August 1800 in the 25 year of the Commonwealth

The condition of this obligation is such that whereas the s^d
Edward Jeffers hath obtained a judgment at common law
against the said John Barner in the county court of
Ston for the sum of
and costs against the said John Barner hath obtained an
injunction to stay the proceeding on the s^d judgment untill the
matter in equity upon a bill for that purpose filed can be fairly
heard if therefore the s^d John Barner
shall satisfy & pay the s^d judgment at common law and all costs
& damage that shall be awarded to the said in case the injunction
shall be dissolved then the above obligation to be void otherwise to
remain in full force and virtue

Sealed & delivered
in presence of
the Court

John Barner
Geo Gurley

