

1808-004

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY
CHANCERY PAPERS

EVERITT'S CURATOR vs. WILLIAMSON & BRITT

11/1808

other SURNAMES:
Darden

Darden
" } Bill
Williamson & Co

Darden Curator
for Erith
" } Bill
Wmson & Erith

Nov 1808 ~~Erith~~
Alla Order in Chancery
Dumfries

~~Just~~ worshipful Court of Southampton County in
Chancery sitting - Humbly complaining sheweth unto your
worships your orator Jacob Darden curator for William
Everitt assign of Mills Everitt decd - that on the 18th day
of February 1808, a certain Richard Williamson of the County
of Northampton and state of North Carolina, executed to him
a certain sealed note or writing obligatory for the sum of
one hundred and fifty dollars, payable two months
after date, as will fully appear by the said sealed
note or writing obligatory, hereto annexed, and prayed
to be taken as a part of this bill. Your orator
further represents to your worships, that a certain
Willis Britt ~~son~~ of the County of Northampton
has in his possession, as your orator has been in-
formed and verily believes, a negro lad named
Pest and other personal property, belonging to the
said Richard Williamson, which property is sub-
ject to your orators demand, as he has been advised,
in pursuance of the act of the General Assembly of
this Commonwealth entitled "An act directing the
method of proceeding in Courts of Equity against absent
debtors or other absent defendants and for settling
the proceedings on attachments against absconding
debtors." In tender consideration whereof and to the end
that your worships ^{grant your orator a} may decree for the above mentioned sum

of one hundred and fifty Dollars, with interest, ~~and~~
~~and~~ and that the before mentioned property ~~of~~ in the
hands of the aforesaid Willis Britt, may be subjected
to the payment thereof, may it please the Court to make
the before named Richard Williamson and the said Willis
Britt defendants to this bill and compel them to answer
on their corporal oath it be by them taken on the holy Evan-
gelist of almighty God, all and singular the allegations
of the same fully, perfectly and unreservedly - and that
complete, ample and effectual Justice may be rendered
in the premises, may it please the Court, to appoint
some day or some succeeding term ~~of~~ for the said Richard
Williamson to enter his appearance according to the
usual act of the General assembly, and in the mean
time to restrain the said Willis Britt from paying,
conveying away or secreting the effects of the said
Williamson in his hands, until the further order of the
Court - May it please the Court to grant any other &
general relief which may be applicable & your orator
will ever pray as in duty bound.

With respect
Your orator