

Letter  
- R. McAlley  
14 Sep 1858

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Amherst 24<sup>th</sup> April 1856

My Dear Sir

I have to acknowledge the receipt of 2 Quires of printed forms of Summons similar to those sent by me which makes two sets all right so far. These supplying the place of those you sent me previously which I saw the new practice Act had become obsolete and worthless but I find you are now laboring under another misapprehension that is that you sent me 2 Quires of Magistrates Summons in the first instance which was not the case as I am now writing upon one of the forms you sent me which are old Hip Court forms as I said above now out of use. You sent me but a single Copy of Magistrates Summons and that was when you wrote me enclosing as a sample the last letter but one. If you want me to return you

S S. VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen Defender of the Faith, and of the United Church of England and Ireland  
on Earth the Supreme Head.

or his Deputy, Greeting:

To the Sheriff of our County of

**WE COMMAND** You that you Summon

Court at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ if \_\_\_\_\_ may be found within your Precinct, to be and appear before our Justices of our \_\_\_\_\_ next, then and there to answer to the Suit of \_\_\_\_\_ Tuesday of \_\_\_\_\_

To the Damage of the said \_\_\_\_\_ in the Sum of \_\_\_\_\_

Pounds, as is said, and have you then there this Writ.

WITNESS \_\_\_\_\_ Esquire, at \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ year of our reign, Annoque Domini, 18 \_\_\_\_\_

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*Handwritten notes in cursive script, including names like 'Superior' and 'James'.*