as to his abilities and knowledge of the law and to make return thereof to the court.

Walter Roe use of Samuel Moale v. Robert Mickle — In the General court for the Western Shore of Maryland. Judgment for the damages in the nar and costs; This Judgment to be released on payment of a dividend of fifty per cent on the sum of five hundred and sixty one pounds six shillings and two pence with interest from the first day of June Eighteen hundred and one, and it is agreed that if the dividend or dividends which the plaintiff shall Receive from the trustees of the defendant shall not amount to fifty per cent on the above sum that execution may issue for such balance as will make up the said amount of fifty per cent, stay till the first day of January 1806. And it is further agreed that if the said dividend shall not be paid by the said trustees of the defendant to the Plaintiff on or before the first day of January 1806 then execution shall issue against the said defendant for the said fifty per centum on the said sum of five hundred and sixty one pounds six shillings and two pence and costs of suit.

John Purviance Atty for Plff. Robert Mickle.

William Stewart & alia Lessee v. William Mason — Ejectment. Bills of Exceptions filed.

1 John B Watkins
2 Daniel James
3 Richard Mills
4 Henry A Neale
5 John I Abell
6 Jacob B Hance
7 Marsham Parker
8 John Guyton
9 Thomas Williams
10 Joshua b Higgins
11 Thomas T Simmons
12 Joseph Harwood

Charles Williamson one of the Jurors withdrawn by consent and the rest of the Jurors discharged from giving any verdict of and upon the premises.

Leave to add and amend

Continued by consent.

Defendants Witnesses
Thos. Beall of Saml. (V. D)
George Dent
Thos. Beall of Saml.
Lewis Davidson
Ann Davidson

Charles Williamson, drawn by consent in the place and stead of John B Watkins who is sick and unable to attend and who is by consent withdrawn from the panel.

John Johnson and Thomas Buchanan Esquires who were appointed by the Court to examine Jonathan Meredith as to his abilities and knowledge of the law make the following Report.

We hereby certify that in pursuance of the above order, we have examined Mr. Jonathan Meredith and find him duly qualified to be admitted as an attorney of the General Court. Given under our hands this 8th day of October 1805.

To the Honorable the Judges of the General Court.

Jno. Johnson
Th Buchanan

Whereupon the said Jonathan Meredith is admitted an attorney of this Court and thereupon takes and signs the several oaths prescribed by law and repeals and signs a declaration of his belief in the Christian Religion,

Be it Remembered that on this tenth day of October in the year of our lord one thousand eight hundred and five Alexander Brown a native of Ireland and a subject of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland at present residing in the City of Baltimore appears in open court here and exhibits his petition praying to be admitted a citizen of the United States and it appears to the satisfaction of the court here that the said Alexander Brown was a Resident within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States previous to the fourteenth day of April One thousand eight hundred and two, to wit on the eighth day of October One thousand eight hundred that he has Resided in the said United States and within the State of Maryland ever since the said eighth day of October One thousand eight hundred and that during that time he has behaved as a man of good Moral character attached to the principles of the constitution of the United States and well disposed, to the good order and happiness of the same and the said Alexander Brown on his Solemn oath on the holy evangely of almighty god declares in court here that he will support the constitution of the United States and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or Sovereignty whatsoever and particularly to the king of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland to whom he was heretofore a subject; And the said Alexander Brown also declares in court here that he has never borne any hereditary title or been of any of the orders of nobility in any country whatever: The court here thereupon admits the said Alexander Brown to become a citizen of the said United States,

Thomas Beatty v. William Brewerith, Michael Troutman & William Head — Ha. for. Issued joined.

Walter B Beall one of the Jurors withdrawn by consent and the rest of the jurors discharged from giving any verdict of and upon the premises.

1 Thomas Gardiner
2 Daniel James
3 Jacob B Hance
4 John Love
5 Henry A Neale
6 Henry Stonestreet
7 Gerard Briscoe
8 John Guyton
9 James Satterson
10 John B Watkins
11 Robert Freeland
12 Walter B Beall

Plaintiffs Witness John Ritchie

Judgment confessed for penalty and costs: to be Released on payment of £509. 13.9 current money with Interest from the 28 of March 1791 and costs, It is agreed that any payments deductions or discounts made appear to Peter Mantz before the 1st day of January 1806 to be allowed, stay ex. 6 months.

Signed 11th October 1805.