The State of Maryland At a General Court held for the Eastern Shore of the State aforesaid in the County of Talbot at the Court house in the County aforesaid the Second Tuesday of September Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and seventy eight by the States Judges duly Commissioned and sworn to hold the same Court of whom were Present

The Honourable. { William Paca - - - - - - - - Nicholas Thomas - - - - Alexander Contee Hanson } Esquires

William Dawson Sheriff James Earle Clk.

James Black - - - a Mary Hynson - - - Administratrix of Charles - - } The State of Maryland Command was given to the Sheriff of Kent County that he should take Mary Hynson late of Kent County Widow Administratrix of all and singular the Goods and Chattels which were of Charles Hynson at the time of his Death otherwise called Charles Hynson of Kent County Maryland Farmer who died as it is said Intestate if she should be found in his Bailiwick and her safe keep so that he should have her Body before the Justices of the Provincial Court held at Annapolis the second Tuesday of September then next to answer unto James Black in a Plea that she render unto him the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds thirteen shillings and four Pence lawful Money of Maryland which from him she unjustly detains and so forth And that he should not thereof fail at his Peril and that he should have then and there this Writ Witness William Hayward Esquire chief Justice of said Provincial Court the 14th day of April in the 21st year of the Dominion and so forth Annoque Domini 1771. Teste the 21st day of April 1772. R. Ghiselin Clk.

At which aforesaid second Tuesday in September came the aforesaid James Black by Joseph Nicholson his Attorney And the Sheriff of Kent County aforesd. made return of the Writ aforesaid in these Words following to wit Cepi Corpus and Nar delivered 4th August. Thos. Smyth. Shff

Whereupon the aforesaid James Black declared by his Attorney aft against the aforesaid Mary Hynson in manner and form following to wit

Maryland Kent County ffs. Mary Hynson late of Kent County Widow Administratrix of all and singular the Goods and Chattels which were of Charles Hynson at the time of his Death otherwise called Charles Hynson of Kent County Maryland Farmer who Died as it is said Intestate was Summoned to Answer unto James Black in a Plea that she render unto him the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds thirteen shillings and four pence lawful Money of Maryland which from him she unjustly detains and so forth.

And whereupon the said James by Joseph Nicholson Junior his Attorney saith that whereas the aforesaid Charles in his Life time to wit on the twentieth Day of January in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred and sixty nine at Kent County aforesaid by his certain Writing obligatory acknowledged himself to be held and firmly bound unto the said James in the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds thirteen shillings and four pence Current Money to be paid to the said James when afterwards the said Charles in his Life time should be thereunto required Nevertheless neither the aforesaid Charles in his Life time nor the said Mary since the Decease of the aforesaid Charles (to which said Mary Administration of all and singular the Goods and Chattels Rights and Credits which were of the