surveyed for James Bosley and James Gittings the plaintiff. beginning at the end of the first line of Bullens Lott thence n. 8. 7/10 perches thence n. 10 64 perches E. 40 3/4 W 71 perches S 88 W. 2 perches thence S 41. W 18 perches S 10 3/4 W 13 perches S 64 p. E 24 perches S W 100 perches n 21 W 107. thence to the beginning. —

6th. For illustration lay down Taskers camp resurveyed, beginning at the end of the 2nd. line of Truemans acquaintance thence n. E 262 perches thence E. 85 perches thence E 20 perches thence S. 104 pr. thence to the beginning allowing 2 degrees for variation for which purpose you must locate for illustration Trueman's acquaintance running the first line from boundary to boundary thence with the same variation of the first line as per certificate to the beginning. —

7th. For illustration locate Thompsons Choice so that the end of the n 220 perch line may end at the end of the E 20 perch of Taskers camp resurveyed as above located thence per certificate making its opposite lines parallel to each other. — 8th. For Illustration lay down Hills Forrest so as to correspond with the above location of Taskers camp resurveyed as above located making its opposite lines parallel. — 9th. For illustration lay down — Thompsons choice beginning at the hickory or pile of stones thence to the stone set up by L. Ridgely. Thomas Gittings James Greenfield thence per certificate with the same allowance for variation as you find on the first line. — 10th. For Illustration locate Hills Forest from the end of the n line of Thompsons Choice as last above located allowing the same variation as on the first line of Thompsons Choice as last above located. — 11th. For Illustration locate Hollands Park as granted to me the 13th. of may 1785. beginning where the S. W. 284 perch line of Bullens addition laid down course and distance intersects the E line of Hills Forrest as Hills Forrest is located in the 10th. location and thence E 140 perches with Hills Forrest thence N 48 perches thence W 81 perches then S 8 west 86 p.s. thence W. n. W 78 perches thence to the beginning 12th. For Illustration lay down two hundred acres of land on the west end of Hills Forrest being Mr. Slees part from each of the locations of Hills Forrest as laid down by the Defendant. and also locate the division line shewn by George Buchanan and also by Mr. Slee. — 13th. Lay down for illustration the land condemned for a mill seat S. W 35 perches S. E. 72 perches N 115 perches W. 25 perches thence to the beginning. —

14th. For Illustration lay down the several fences shewn by George Buchanan John Wells and by Presbery Sent. also the cherry tree the broad stone, the locust and bush and Walnut stump shewn by by Presberry. — 15th. For Illustration lay down the lane between Mr. Slee and myself to the west of Mr. Slees plantation, also the corn field of Mr. Slees shewn by Joseph Slee Sent. and the greate road leading by it from Mr. Slees to my Mill also Mr. Slees house and barn and Sawyard and Thomas Gittings house. — 16th. As the claim and pretensions of the defendant lay down that part of Bullens Addition with the outlines thereof until you came to the cherry tree thence to the broad stone thence to the locust tree, thence to the Walnutt stump and thence by the old fence as shewn by G. G Presberry Sent. as the agreement between W. Tolley and James Bosley. —

Aquila Hall Sept. 29th. 1798.

NB. As the Plaintiffs locations were not furnished you until after the survey was closed it was not in my power to determin what to locate or what surveys to make, I therefore have several other locations and surveys to make and depositions to take and shall locate some of the above lands differently from what I have done. — Aquila Hall 29th. Sept. 1798.

And offered to prove by the Surveyor that the location made and returned on the plat was made by misconception of said instructions and contrary to them, but the court were of opinion the Testimony so offered on the part of the Defendant was improper and could not be received and refused to admit the said evidence so offered by the Defendant go before the Jury. To which opinion of the Court the Defendant by his Counsel prayed leave to except and that the court would sign and seal this his bill of Exceptions which is accordingly done this 27th. March 1800.

Jeremiah Townley Chase (seal)
G. Duvall (seal)
John Done (seal)

Test John Irwin Clk

Afterwards to wit. on the thirtieth day of may in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred the said Aquila Hall by his Attornies aforesaid produced the writ of the State of Maryland of error, directed to the Judges of the General Court in the words and figures following, to wit: