title, interest and claim of the State of Maryland, of, in and to the same; and upon the due execution and recording of the said deeds it is hereby adjudged, ordered and decreed, that all the estate, right, title, interest and claim of the State of Maryland acquired in the said lands under the various laws passed for the confiscation of British property (and no others) shall be and the same is hereby adjudged and decreed to be vested in the respective Appellants agreeably to the interests herein before mentioned; or in case of the death of either of the parties to whom the conveyances are herein directed to be made, the Chancellor shall convey to his, her or their legal representative

Memorandum. The decree of the Court of Appeals in this cause was rendered and assigned by the honourable John Buchanan, Joseph Hopper Nicholson and Richard Tilghman Earle Esquires, Judges, on the first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve, and at the argument and decision of this case in the Court of Appeals the honourable John Johnson Esquire Judge withdrew from the Bench

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Hanson Briscoe
vs
William Murdock.

Be it remembered that now here on the third monday in December being the nineteenth day of the said month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eight, the chief Judge and associate Judges of the fifth Judicial district of Maryland in pursuance of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided transmit to the Court of Appeals here the record of proceedings of a plea which was lately depending before them in the County Court of Allegany between William Murdock plaintiff and Hanson Briscoe defendant and wherein the said County Court gave judgment for the said William Murdock against the said Hanson Briscoe and from which said Judgment the said Hanson Briscoe appealed to the said County Court as a Court of equity and the said County Court as a Court of equity passed a decree in favor of the said William Murdock against the said Hanson

Briscoe and from which said decree the said Hanson Briscoe appealed unto the Court of Appeals here, the tenor of which said record of proceedings is in form following to wit

State of Maryland. Allegany County to wit

At a County Court of the fifth Judicial District of the State of Maryland begun and held at the Court house in the town of Cumberland in and for Allegany County on the second monday in October in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and eight.

Were present

The honorable Abraham Shriver Esq. Associate Judge William Bruce Esq. Sheriff and John Lynn Clk

In the record of proceedings of the same Court is the following viz.

R Perry
S. Hughes
J. H. T
} William Murdock
against
B S Pegman Hanson Briscoe

Be it remembered that heretofore to wit, on the thirty first day of March in the year eighteen hundred and six William Murdock by John Hanson Thomas his attorney presented and sued forth out of the County Court here the writ of the State of Maryland of capias ad respondendum against Hanson Briscoe, which is in form following to wit, Allegany County to wit, State of Maryland, to the Sheriff of Allegany County, Greeting, we command you, that you take Hanson Briscoe late of Allegany County gentleman, otherwise called Hanson Briscoe if he shall be found in your bailewick and him safe keep so that you have his body before the Judges of our next County Court, to be held at the Court house in the Town of Cumberland, in and for said County, on the third monday of April next, to answer unto William Murdock in a plea, that he render unto him the sum of Forty four pounds thirteen shillings and five pence current money which to him he owes and from him unjustly detains and so forth here of fail not, and have you then there this writ. Witness the honorable William Blagett Esq. chief justice of our said Court the 21st day of October 1805 Issued the 31st day of March 1806 J H T

John Lynn Clk

At which mentioned day to wit, the third monday of April being the twenty first day of the same month in the year eighteen hundred six, came here into Court the said William Murdock by his said attorney and the said Sheriff to whom the said writ was in form aforesaid directed returns the same to the Court here thereon endorsed

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