of April One Thousand Seven Hundred and forty four, may be Accepted proved Sentenced and decreed by this Honourable Court as and for the Testament and last Will of the aforesaid John Hanson deceased and that the said paper bearing Date on or about the fifth day of June One Thousand Seven Hundred and forty seven may be Sentenced and decreed to be Null and the Letters Testamentary aforesaid thereon Granted to the aforesaid John Hanson, the Son, may be Revoked and Letters Testamentary granted to the aforesaid William Hagan, if he will Accept the same and if he shall refuse to Accept the same that Letters of Admn may be Granted on the Estate of the said John Hanson deceased According to Law with his Testament thereto Annexed and that such further and other Relief may be given to Your Libellants as to Your Honour shall seem meet. May it please Your Honour to grant to Your Libellants his Lordships Writ of Citation to the aforesaid John Hanson the Son Leonard Wheeler and Elizabeth his Wife and William Hagan and Eleanor his Wife directed Commanding them to a certain day and Under a certain pain therein to be Inserted personally to be and Appear before Your Honour in this Honble Court to Answer to the Several Matters aforesaid and to Stand to and abide such Sentence and Decree as shall be made therein —

And Your Libellants will pray &c

Thos. Johnson Junr for Libellts.

Whereupon the said Rowald Clements, Bennett Hanson Clements William Mudd and Elizabeth his Wife, Henrietta Clements Edward Clements William Clements Junr Mary Clements and Mary Anne Clements hath his Lordships Writ of Citation to them Granted directed to the Sheriff of Prince George's County Commanding him to Cite and Summon Leonard Wheeler and Wife and to the Sheriff of Charles County Commanding him to Cite and Summon John Hanson Junr & William Hagan and Elizabeth his Wife that they be and Appear at our Prerogative Court to be holden the City of Annapolis the Second Tuesday of November next being the 10th day of the same Month, to Answer the premises aforesaid at which said Second Tuesday of November being the 10th day of the same Month, Anno Domini 1761 and the day of the Return of the process aforesaid comes again the said Rowald Clements Bennett Hanson Clements William Mudd and Elizabeth his Wife, Henrietta Clements and Edward Clements William Clements Junr Mary Clements and Mary Clements by William Clements their Next Friend by Thos. Johnson

Esqr their procurator aforesaid and the Sheriff of Prince George's County aforesaid to whom the Citation, to whom the Cita aforesaid against the aforesaid Leonard Wheeler and Wife was directed likewise comes and makes return thereof Indorsed — Summond P John Rowe Sheriff and Also the Sheriff of Charles County to whom the Summons aforesaid against the aforesaid John Hanson Junr and William Hagan and Elizabeth his Wife comes and makes return thereof Indorsed Summond P Allen Davis Dep Sheriff —

Whereupon the said John Hanson Junr William Hagan and Wife and Leonard Wheeler and Wife appear and are Ordered to file their Separate Answers to the Libel aforesaid by next Court and this Cause is Continued until next Court and the same day is given to the Libellants and Respondents also at which said next Court to Wit the Second Tuesday of January being the 12th day of the same Month, Anno Domini 1762 Came the said parties Libellants and Respondents by their Procurators aforesaid and this Cause is Continued until next Court To Wit the Second Tuesday of March being the 9th day of the same Mo. Anno Dom. 1762 Came again the said parties Libellants and Mr. John Hanson Junr One of the Respondents who files his Separate to the Libel aforesaid which said Answer is received and follows in these Words —

The Separate Answer of John Hanson Junr to the Libell or Complaint of Rowald Clements, Bennett Hanson Clements. William Mudd and Elizabeth his Wife Thomas Thompson and Cathildor his Wife Henrietta Clements. Edwards. William Clements Junr Mary Clements and Mary Ann Clements Libellants —

This Respondent now and at all times hereafter, saving and reserving to himself all and all manner of Benefit and Advantage of Exception to the Many Untruths incertainties Insufficiencies and Imperfections in the same Libell Contained for Answer thereunto or to so much thereof as he is Advised is Material or Necessary for him to Answer unto he Answereth, and saith, that the it as John Hanson of Charles County deceased was in his lifetime Seized and possessed of a Considerable Real and personal Estate had four Children as mentioned in the said Libell or Complaint, Also he admits and believes the said Rowald Clements. Bennett Hanson, Elizabeth, Cathildor, Henrietta Edward William Mary and Mary Anne the