Acres of Land with the Appurtenances thereto belonging lying in Ballimore County which Richard Colegate agent and factor for and on the behalf of Michael Gookly and Company of the City of London merchants to the said Joseph Jenkins yet to come and unlawfully entered and him from his farm aforesaid and other harms to him did to the great damage of the said Joseph and against the peace of our Soveraigne Lady the Queene that now is &c.

Whereupon the said Joseph by William his attorney comes being that whereas the said Richard Colegate in his Capacity as aforesaid for on the behalf of the said Michael Gookly and Company merchants aforesaid Letter into the said Joseph at Ballimore County aforesaid the day of July 1707 the three hundred Acres of Land aforesaid lying in the County aforesaid and late in the tenure or occupation of James Todd of the aforesaid County Planter Beginning at a bounded white Oake on a point being the first bounded tree of Cole Harbour by the Northwest Branch and running down the river or Branch that South 22 E for the one hundred and forty perches to a bounded post on a little point and then with a line drawn West North West one hundred and forty perches to a bounded white Oake standing in the said line then w: a line drawn west North west one hundred and forty perches to a bounded white Oake standing in the North North East line of the said land of Mountaniers then running with the said land South South west fifty six perches to a bounded white Oake then with a line drawn North west two degrees South for the length of two hundred and four perches to a Gum then standing near the said Branch then with a line drawn South South west forty seven perches to a white Oake standing in the corner of the first bounded tree and then with a line drawn South East and by South to the first bounded tree together with the edifices and appurtenances thereunto belonging to have the same together with the appurtenances unto the said Joseph and his assignes from the said 30th day of July 1707 until the full end and term of five years thence next ensuing and fully to

be completed and ended by virtue of which said demise the said Joseph in the Lands and tenements with the appurtenances aforesaid did enter and were thereof possessed and being so therein possessed the said Joseph afterwards that is to say the first day of August 1707 at Ballimore County aforesaid with force & arms into the Lands and premises aforesaid with the said Richard in his Capacity aforesaid and on his behalf as aforesaid to the said Joseph in form aforesaid demised the term aforesaid yet to come and unlawfully entered and him the said Joseph from his farm aforesaid did oust and other harms to him did to the great damage and against the peace of our Soveraigne Lady the Queene that now is &c. to his damage of one hundred pounds Sterling and therefore he brings his suit &c. Mason p. q. Dr. &c. Johnson &c.

And the said John Hurst by William Taylard his attorney comes & defends the force and injury when &c. and prays leave to imparle thereunto until next Court and he hath it the same day given to the plaintiff also.

At which said next Court held the twenty fourth day of April Anno Dominii Seventeen hundred and five comes again the said Joseph by his attorney aforesaid and also the said defendant by his said attorney whereas before came and defended the force and injury when &c. and saith that he is not guilty of the trespass and ejectment above said in manner and form as the plaintiff above against him hath complained and thereof for trial puts himself upon the Country &c. the plaintiff also &c. Therefore Commanded is given to the Sheriff of Anundell County that he immediately cause to come twelve lawful men &c. by whom &c. the truth of the matter &c. to recognize &c. because as well the said Sheriff of which said precept the said Sheriff makes return that he has there ready twelve &c. as by this precept was commanded.

And now here this day to wit the same day and year come as well the said plaintiff by his said attorney as the said defendant by his said attorney and the jurors of that jury impannelled being called thereupon came to wit Robert Dixon Edward Hall Samuel Wells Thomas Worrington Matthew Edward Henry Lewis Henry Watson Anthony Quiz