And Whereupon the same George by James Calder his Att.y Complains that whereas the af. William Ellis the first Day of November in the Year of our Lord Seventeen hundred thirty & Seven at Kent County af. did demise unto the same George the af. Tract or Parcell of Land called Williams Venture with the Appurtenances thereunto belonging to have hold & Occupy the same demised premises unto the same George his Assigns from the last Day of Octob. then last past untill the end & Term of Seven Years from thence next following fully to be Compleated & ended by Virtue of which Demise the same George into the Tract of Land af. called Williams Venture with the Appurtenances did enter & was thereof Possessed & the same George being so thereof possessed the same Morris afterwards to wit the tenth Day of November in the Year of Our Lord Seventeen hundred thirty & Seven at Kent County af. with force & Arms &c into the Demised premises af. with the Appurtenances which the same William Ellis to the same George in form af. did Demise for the Term af. which is not yet past did enter & him the said George from his Farm af. did Eject & other harms to him Did to the great Damage of him the said George & against the Peace &c Wherefore the said George Saith he is the Worse & hath sustained damage to the Value of One hundred pounds Curr.t money of Maryland & therefore he brings this Suit &c

Pledges &c John Doe & Rich.d Roe

And the said Morris Cloak by Joshua George his Att.y Comes & defends the force & Injury when &c And takes defence according to his Protestations as they shall Require to be Laid down on return of a Warrant of Resurvey to be Issued in this Cause & enters into the Common Rule & prays leave to Imparle hereunto untill next Court Court & he hath it & the same Day is given to the Plff. also

At which said next Court to wit the 16th Day of October Anno Dom.i 1739 comes again as well the said George Goodright Lessee of William Ellis by James Calder his Att.y af. as the said Morris Cloak by Joshua George his Att.y af. & the said Morris Cloak by his said Att.y as before defends the force & Injury when &c And Saith that he is not Guilty of the Trespass and Ejectment af. in such manner & form as the Plff. within against him hath Complained & of this he puts himself upon the Country. And the Plff. also.

Whereupon for trying the Issue af. Command is given to the Sheriff of Kent County that he Cause to come before the Justices of the Prov. Court at Annapolis the third Tuesday of May next or before the Justices Appointed to take the Assizes in his County if they shall before that time to wit on Monday the 21st Day of April next. to the County Court House in the said County twelve Good & Lawfull Men of his Bailywick by whom &c who neither &c to recognize &c because as well &c

Afterwards the Process continued between the parties af. on the Plea af. by the Jury being put thereon in respite hereuntill the third Tuesday of May next. Unless the Justices of his Lordship the Lord &c to take the Assizes in the said County assigned on Monday the 21st Day of April next. to the County Court House in the said County should come

And now here at this Day to wit the said third Tuesday of May being

being the 20th Day of the same Month Anno Dom.i 1740 comes again into his Lordship's Prov. Court as well the said George Goodright Lessee of the said William Ellis by James Calder his Att.y af. as the said Morris Cloak by Joshua George his Att.y af. but the Sheriff that he not sent his Writ, Thereupon the Process af. between the parties af. is further Continued untill next Court.

At which said next Court to wit 21st Day of October anno Dom.i 1740 Come again the said parties Plff. & Def. by their Att.ys af. & thereupon the Process af. between the parties af. is further Continued untill next Court.

At which said next Court to wit the 14th Day of April Anno Dom.i 1741 Comes again as well the said George Goodright Lessee of the said William Ellis by his Att.y af. as the said Morris Cloak by his Att.y af. & thereupon for trying the Issue af. Command is given to the Sheriff of Kent &c That he Immediately causeth come here twelve Good and Lawfull Men of his Bailywick by whom &c who neither &c to Recognize &c because as well &c, of which said Precept he the said Sheriff to wit John Darnall Gent. Sheriff make return &c. Thereof that he has here ready Twelve &c as by his said Precept he was Commanded, to wit, Philip Lummerson, John Clark, Jas. Alexander, Thomas Hudson, Marmaduke Goodhand, David Polk, Samuel Southern, William Ireland, Joseph Dashiel, Isaac Coston, Thomas Gillings & Thomas Baldwin Who being duely Elected tryed & Sworn & from the Bar here retired to Consult of their Verdict thereupon to be given & on this account between themselves Consulted & agreed & to give that Verdict they returned to the Bar here upon which the af. George Goodright Lessee of the said William Ellis all the Solemnly called comes not but makes default nor does he further Prosecute his Writ in the Plea af. against the said Morris Cloak.

Therefore it is considered by the Justices here that the said George Goodright Lessee of the said Wm. Ellis take nothing by his Writ af. but that he & his Pledges of Prosecuting to wit John Doe & Richd. Roe be in Mercy &c & that the said Morris Cloak go thereof without Day. And it is also considered that the said Morris Cloak recover against the said Wm. Ellis the Lessor of the Plff. the Sum of Pounds of Tobacco by the Court here unto him on his Apeal Adjudged for his Costs & Charges by him about his Defence in this behalf laid out & expended & that he have therefor this Execution &c

Anthony Goodright Lessee of Thomas Reader ..... } Saint Mary's County ss.

vs. William Joseph ..... } Be it Remembered that heretofore to wit the 15th Day of May Anno Dom.i 1739 William Joseph late of Saint Mary's County Planter was Attached to answer unto Anthony Goodright of aforesaid wherefore with force & Arms into all that Tract or Parcell of Plantable Land called Boaques Increase lying in Saint Mary's County af. being Scituate on the North side of a Tract of Land called St. Johns & Adjoyning to a Parcell of Land now in possession of said Reader called Fawsehirk & a Parcell of Land in possession of Charles Hodgkin beginning at an Ancient bounded Chesnut Tree marked with nine notches standing on a Knowl it being one of the bounders of the Land called Saint Johns and running from the said Chesnut Tree South fifty Perches then East