this Declaration of Ejectment mentioned or to some part thereof and I being sued in this Action as a Casual Ejector and having no Claim or Title to the same do advise you to appear to this Declaration at the next Provincial Court to be held at Annapolis the third Tuesday of October next by some Attorney of that Court and then and there by rule of the same Court to cause yourself to be made Defendant in my stead and to confess the Lease Entry and Ouster & insist upon the Title only at the Trial otherwise judgment will be given against me & you will be turned out of Possession Sworn ye Thomas Notitle

To Mr. Thomas Wheatley Tenant in Possession. And now here at this Day to wit the third Tuesday of October Anno Dom: 1754 came into Court the Sheriff of Dorchester County to whom the aforegoing Declaration was directed and Certifies to the Court here that he delivered a Copy thereof to the Tenant in Possession of the Premisses Whereupon the said Plaintiff by his Attorney aft. prays that the said Defendant the Tenant in Possession or those under whom he claims to his Declaration aft. may appear and Answer But the said Thomas Notitle nor the said Thomas Wheatly nor any other Person or Persons whatsoever appear to this Declaration according to the Rule aft. but make Default

Therefore it is Considered by the Justices here That the said William Dobright Lessee of the said Benjamin Keene Ruever against the said Thomas Notitle his Term to come and unexpired of in and unto all that Tract or Parcell of Plantable Land called Hoonies Rest lying and being in Dorchester County aft. Containing and laid out for One Hundred and thirty six Acres of Land with the Appurtenances thereunto belonging And that he have thereof his Possession against the said Thomas Notitle and that the said Defendant be taken &c.

Test R Burdett Clk

The James Goodtitle Lessee of Notley Maddox & Wife & William Knight Joseph King Tenants

Maryland to wit William Knight late of Charles County Planter was attached to Answer unto James Goodtitle of a plea wherefore with force & Arms into all that Tract or Parcel of Plantable Land called Warren's Discovery Containing two Hundred and Eighty Acres with the Appurtenances situate lying and being in Charles County aft. which Notley Maddox and Mary Maddox his Wife Demised to the same James Goodtitle for a Term which is not yet past he the said William entered and from his Farm aft. Ejected him the said James and committed other outrages upon him to the great Damage of the said James and against the Peace of the Lord Proprietary that now is and so forth. And Whereupon the same James Goodtitle by Jeremiah Chase his Attorney Complains that whereas the said Notley Maddox and Mary Maddox his Wife on the tenth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One Thousand seven hundred & fifty four at Charles County aft. did Demise to the same James the said Tract or Parcell of Plantable Land aft. with the Appurtenances To have and to Occupy the said Land and Appurtenances to the said James and his Assigns from the twenty ninth Day of May then last past unto the end & Term of Seven Years from thence next ensuing and fully to be Compleat and Ended Proviso of which said Demise the said James into the Tract or Parcel of Plantable Land aft. with the Appurtenances entered & was thereof Possessed and he the said James being so thereof Possessed the same William Knight afterwards to wit on the said tenth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One Thousand seven hundred & fifty four aft. at Charles County aft. with force and Arms into the said Tract or Parcel of Plantable Land aft. with the Appurtenances which the said Notley Maddox and Mary Maddox his Wife to the same James Goodtitle in form aft. had demised for the Term aft. which is not yet past entered & him the said James from his Farm aft. Ejected and other Outrages to him the said James then & there did to the great Damage of him the said James and against the Peace and so forth Whereby he says that he is prejudiced and hath Damage to the Value of five hundred Pounds Currency and therefore he produces suit and so forth — Pledges &c. John Doe & Richd Roe. To which aforegoing Declaration was annexed the following Rule viz. Sir I am informed you are in Possession of or Claim Title to the Premisses mentioned in this Declaration of Ejectment or to some part thereof and I being

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Test R Burdett Clk

The John Quiet Lessee of William Courts a Thomas Notitle John Gray Tenant

Maryland to wit Thomas Notitle late of Calvert County Planter was attached to Answer unto John Quiet of a plea wherefore with force and Arms into all that Tract or Parcel of Plantable Land called the Chance lying and being in Calvert County aft. Containing One Hundred and Seven Acres of Land with the Appurtenances thereunto belonging which William Courts to him the said John Quiet did Demise for a Term which is not yet past he the said Thomas did enter and him the said John Quiet from his Farm aft. did Eject and other Harms to him the said John Quiet did to the great Damage of him the said John Quiet and against the Peace of the Right Honorable the Lord Proprietary that now is and so forth. And Whereupon the same John Quiet by Jeremiah Chase his Attorney Complains that whereas the aft. William Courts on the first Day of August in the year of our Lord One Thousand seven hundred and fifty four at Calvert County aft. Demised to the aft. John Quiet the said Tract of Plantable Land aft. with the Appurtenances To have and Occupy the same Premisses with the Appurtenances to him the said John Quiet & his Assigns from the twenty fifth of July then last past unto the full end and Term of Seven years from thence next ensuing and fully to be Compleat and Ended Proviso of which said Demise the said John Quiet into the said Tract of Plantable Land aft. with the Appurtenances entered and was thereof Possessed and he the said John Quiet being so thereof Possessed the same Thomas Notitle afterwards to wit on the said first Day of August in the year of our Lord One Thousand seven Hundred & fifty four aft. at Calvert County aft. with force and Arms into the said Tract of Plantable Land aft. with the Appurtenances which the said William Courts to the same John Quiet had Demised for the Term aft. which is not yet past entered & him the said John Quiet from his Farm aft. Ejected and other Outrages to him the said John Quiet then and there did to the great Damage of him the said John and against the Peace and so forth whereby he says that he is prejudiced and hath Damage to the Value of two hundred Pounds Current Money and therefore suit is brought &c. so forth

Pledges &c. John Doe & Richd Roe

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