now Tenant to his son the said William now Tenant being part of a Tract of Land called Abbington with the Appurtenances in Queen Anns County af. which he claimed to be his Right and Inheritance and into which the same William Pratt now Tenant had no Entry but after the Disseisin which Hugh Hunt thereof unjustly and without Judgment made to the aforesaid James Holyday within thirty Years then last past as he said and whereof he complained that the aforesaid William Pratt now Tenant did deforce him and unless the said William Pratt now Tenant do the same and if the aforesaid James Holyday should make you secure of prosecuting his Clamour then Summon by good Summoners the aforesaid William Pratt now Tenant that he be before the Justices of his Lordships provincial Court at the City of Annapolis on the second Tuesday of September then next And that thereof he the said Sheriff should not fail &c

At Which said Second Tuesday of September to wit the Tenth day of the same Month Anno Dominii 1765 being the day of the Return of the aforegoing writ Comes the said James Holyday in his proper person and the Sheriff of Queen Anns County to whom the same writ was Directed likewise comes and makes Return thereof to the Court here thus Endorsed to wit — John Doe

Pledges of Prosecution Richd Roe

Cam Key Atty Gen.d

Summoners — — Jno Doe & Rd Fen

So Answer Jas Cammondson Shff

Queen Anns County to wit James Holyday of Queen Anns County Gent. in his proper person demands against William Pratt of Queen Anns County planter all that South eastward Moiety of that two hundred and fifty acres of plantable Land which was devised by William Pratt Father of the said William now Tenant to his son the said William now Tenant being part of a Tract of Land called Abbington with the Appurtenances in Queen Anns County aforesaid as his Right and Inheritance and into which the aforesaid William Pratt hath no Entry but after the Disseisin which Hugh Hunt thereof unjustly and without Judgment made to the aforesaid James Holyday within thirty years and so forth and whereupon he saith that he himself was seised of the Tenements aforesaid above demanded with the Appurtenances in his Demesne as of fee and Right in time of peace in

in the time of the Lord the King that now is taking thereof the profits to the value and so forth and into which and so forth and therefore he bringeth suit and so forth And the aforesaid William Pratt now Tenant in his proper person cometh and defendeth his Right when and so forth and voucheth thereof to warranty William Rawlings who is here present in Court in his proper person and freely the Tenements aforesaid above demanded with the Appurtenances to him doth warrant and so forth and thereupon the aforesaid James Holyday demandeth against him the said William Rawlings Tenant by his own Warranty the Tenements aforesaid above demanded with the Appurtenances in form aforesaid and so forth And whereupon he saith that he himself was seised of the Tenements aforesaid above demanded with the Appurtenances in his Demesne as of fee and Right in time of peace in the time of the Lord the King that now is taking thereof the profits to the Value and so forth and into which and so forth and therefore he bringeth suit and so forth And the aforesaid William Rawlings Tenant by his own Warranty defendeth his Right when and so forth and saith that the aforesaid Hugh Hunt did not disseise the aforesaid James Holyday of the Tenements aforesaid above demanded with the Appurtenances as the same James Holyday by his writ and Declaration aforesaid above supposeth and of that he puts himself upon the Country and so forth And the aforesaid James Holyday prayeth Licence thereof to imparle and he hath it and so forth and afterwards the same James Holyday cometh again hereinto Court in this same term in his proper person and the aforesaid William Rawlings altho solemnly called cometh not again but in Contempt of the Court hath departed and made default

Therefore it is considered that the aforesaid James Holyday recover his Seisin against the aforesaid William Pratt of the Tenements aforesaid above demanded with the Appurtenances and that the same William Pratt have of the Lands of the aforesaid William Rawlings to the Value &c so forth and the aforesaid William Rawlings in Money and so forth

And thereupon the aforesaid James Holyday prayeth the Writ of the right honble the Lord Proprietary to the Sheriff of Queen Anns County aforesaid to be directed to cause him to have full Seisin of Tenements aforesaid above demanded with the Appurtenances and to him it is granted Returnable here on the Second Tuesday of April next and so forth

Test Reverdy Ghiselin Clk