appurtenances in form aforesaid and so forth

And whereupon he saith that he was seized of the Land aforesaid with the appurtenances in his Demesne as of fee and right in the time of peace in the time of our Lord the King that now is taking thereof the profits to the value of and so forth, and into which and so forth, and therefore he brings suit and so forth.

And the said William Rawlings Tenant by his own warranty in his proper person comes and defends his right when and so forth, and saith that the aforesaid Hugh Hunt did not disseise the said Thomas Stone of the Land aforesaid with the appurtenances as the said Thomas Stone by his writ and Declaration aforesaid hath above supposed and of this he puts himself upon the Country and so forth.

And the said Thomas Stone prays leave thereof to imparle and he hath it. And afterwards the same Thomas Stone comes again into Court the same Term, and the said William Rawlings although solemnly called comes not but in Contempt of the Court hath departed and made Default.

Therefore it is considered that the aforesaid Thomas Stone do recover his seisin against the said Robert Towns heir Hoe of the Lands aforesaid with the appurtenances, and that the said Robert Towns heir Hoe, have of the Lands of the aforesaid William Rawlings to the value of and so forth, and that the said William Rawlings be in mercy and so forth.

And upon this the Said Thomas Stone prays the writ of the Lord proprietary that now is to be directed to the sheriff of Charles County aforesaid to cause to be delivered to the said Thomas Stone full seisin of the Land aforesaid with the appurtenances and it is granted unto him returnable the third Tuesday of October next

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Thomas Ringgold vs Jesse Doyne

Maryland to wit. Command was given to the Sheriff of Dorchester County, that he should Command Jesse Doyne that justly and without delay he render unto Thomas Ringgold, all that tract or parcell of plantable Land called Timnah Serah, lying and being in Dorchester County and containing one thousand acres, originally granted to a certain Joshua Doyne with the appurtenances which he claimed to be his right and inheritance and into which the said Jesse Doyne had no Entry, but after a disseisin which Hugh Hunt thereof unjustly and without Judgement made to the aforesaid Thomas Ringgold within thirty years and so forth. And whereof the said Thomas Ringgold complained that the said Jesse Doyne had deforced him, and unless the same Jesse Doyne should do the same, and the said Thomas Ringgold should make you secure in prosecuting his clamour, then summon by good summoners the said Jesse Doyne that he should be and appear before the Justices of our provincial Court at Annapolis the third Tuesday of May then next. and that the said sheriff should have then and there that writ, &c.

At which mentioned third Tuesday of May being the seventeenth day of the same

same month, Anno Domini seventeen hundred and sixty nine, and the day of the return of the aforegoing writ, comes the aforesaid Thomas Ringgold in his proper person and the sheriff of the County aforesaid, to whom the same writ was directed, likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here, thus endorsed to wit.

Pledges John Doe, and Richard Roe — Summoners John Denn, and Richard Fenn

Thos. Jenings, Atty. Genl. — Robt. Harrison Sheriff — answers

Dorchester County, to wit. Thomas Ringgold in his proper person demands against Jesse Doyne, all that tract or parcell of plantable Land called Timnah Serah, lying and being in Dorchester County, and containing one thousand acres, originally granted to a certain Joshua Doyne, with the appurtenances as his right and inheritance and into which the said Jesse Doyne hath no Entry, but after a disseisin which Hugh Hunt thereof unjustly and without Judgement made to him the said Thomas Ringgold within thirty years and so forth. And whereupon the said Thomas Ringgold saith that he was seised of the Land aforesaid above demanded with the appurtenances in his Demesne as of fee and right in the time of peace in the time of our Lord the King that now is taking the profits thereof to the value of and so forth, and therefore he brings suit and so forth.

And the aforesaid Jesse Doyne in his proper person, comes and defends his right when and so forth, and vouches thereof to warranty William Rawlings who is present here in Court in his proper person and freely the Land aforesaid above demanded, with the appurtenances to him the said Jesse Doyne doth warrant and so forth.

And hereupon the said Thomas Ringgold demands against the said William Rawlings Tenant by his warranty the Land aforesaid above demanded with the appurtenances in form aforesaid and so forth.

And whereupon he saith that he was seised of the Land aforesaid above demanded with the appurtenances in his demesne as of fee and right in the time of peace in the time of the Lord the King that now is taking the profits thereof to the value of and so forth, and into which and so forth, and therefore he brings suit and so forth.

And the aforesaid William Rawlings, Tenant by his warranty comes and defends his right when and so forth, and saith that the aforesaid Hugh Hunt did not disseise the aforesaid Thomas Ringgold of the Land aforesaid above demanded with the appurtenances, as the said Thomas Ringgold by his writ and Declaration aforesaid above doth suppose, and of this he puts himself upon the Country and so forth.

And the aforesaid Thomas Ringgold prays leave thereof to imparle and he hath it, and so forth, and afterwards the aforesaid Thomas Ringgold comes again here into Court in this same Term in his proper person, and the aforesaid William Rawlings although solemnly called comes not, but in contempt of the Court hath departed and makes Default. Therefore it is considered that the aforesaid Thomas Ringgold recover his seisin against the aforesaid Jesse Doyne of the Land aforesaid above demanded with the appurtenances, and that the aforesaid Jesse Doyne have of the lands of the aforesaid William Rawlings to the value and so forth, and that the aforesaid William

Rawlings