and answer unto the said William H. Washington in a plea of trespass on the case &c according to law - you are likewise commanded by good and lawful men of your bailiwick to make known to each person or persons in whose hands or possession the said goods chattels and credits so attached are if to him or them it shall seem meet to be and appear on the day and at the place aforesaid before the said County Court to shew cause why such goods chattels and credits so attached should not be condemned and execution thereof had and made as in other cases of recoveries and judgments given in Courts of record according to the directions of the act of Assembly aforesaid. And that you make appear unto the said Court at the place and on the day aforesaid in what manner you shall execute this writ - Witness the Honourable John Stephen, Esq. Chief Judge of the first Judicial District of Maryland the 28th day of April Anno Domini 1841. Issued the 22d day of June 1841.

John B. Brooke, Clk

And the said plaintiff by his attorney aforesaid did then and there impetrate and sue forth out of the County Court the writ of the state of Maryland of capias ad respondendum directed to the Sheriff of the County aforesaid in the words and of the tenor following to wit:

Prince George's County Set.: The State of Maryland to the Sheriff of Prince George's County greeting you are hereby commanded to take John T. Boteler late of said County yeoman if he shall be found in your bailiwick, and him safe keep so that you have his body before the County Court of Prince George's County to be held at Upper Marlboro' Town in the County aforesaid on the second Monday in October next to answer unto William H. Washington in a plea of trespass on the case &c. Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there this writ - Witness the Honourable John Stephen Chief Judge of the first Judicial District of Maryland the 28th day of April Anno Domini 1841. Issued the 22d day of June 1841 (Clk. M.) John B. Brooke, Clk.

On the day of impetrating and suing forth of which said writs of attachment and capias ad respondendum aforesaid the said plaintiff by his attorney aforesaid declared against the said defendant in the plea aforesaid in manner and form following to wit:

William H. Washington vs. John T. Boteler. — Attachment in Prince George's County Court. The plaintiff in this action and proceeding claims and sues to recover of the said John T. Boteler the defendant on his the said defendants promissory note to him the said plaintiff (dated Madisonville October the twenty first eighteen hundred and thirty seven one day after date for the sum of one thousand eight hundred and twenty one dollars and six cents for value received) the sum of two thousand two hundred and six dollars current money the amount due to him the said plaintiff on the said note on the second day of June eighteen hundred and forty one and he also claims in this proceeding any additional interest due him from the said defendant on his said promissory note which said sum of two thousand two hundred and six dollars current money to him the said plaintiff as above stated the said defendant still owes and unjustly detains from him, and he therefore brings suit &c. C. C. Magruder, Pltffs. Atty.

A copy of which short note was made and sent with the writs aforesaid

to the sheriff of the County aforesaid to be set up at the Court House door of the said County. - And now here at this day to wit, the second Monday of October being the eleventh day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty one being the return day of the aforegoing writs, comes into the County Court here the said plaintiff by his Attorney aforesaid and the sheriff of the County aforesaid to wit John R. Baden gentleman to whom the writ first aforesaid in form directed makes return of the said writ to the Court here thus endorsed to wit:

Prince Georges County Set. I hereby certify to the Honorable Prince Georges County Court that by virtue of the within writ to me directed, I did on the 24th day of June eighteen hundred and forty one, and in my bailiwick levy and lay said attachment on and upon all the right title claim and interest both at law and in equity of the said John T. Boteler of in and to the following tracts parts of tracts or parcels of land and real estate they being the lands and real estate of which the late Alexander H. Boteler died seized and possessed lying and being in Prince Georges County, and called and known by the name or names of part of Bacon Hall addition to Bacon Hall part of the Meadows, part of Kingsale Park part of Dear bought and part of Yarmouth, these several tracts or parts of tracts or parcels of land containing five hundred and thirty two acres and one half and part of Dear bought Enlarged Gowers Discovery and Muscle Shell, containing one hundred and nineteen acres and the whole of said tracts or parts of tracts or parcels of land containing six hundred and fifty six acres and a half which said tracts parts of tracts or parcels of land levied and attached as aforesaid were found in the possession of Thomas Hodgkin and I further certify that I gave notice to the aforesaid Thomas Hodgkin by good and lawful men of my bailiwick that he be and appear before the said Prince Georges County Court to be held in the Town of Upper Marlborough, on the second Monday of October next to shew cause if any he has why the said tracts parts of tracts, or parcels of land so as aforesaid levied on and attached that is all the right title claim and interest both at law and in equity of the said John T. Boteler of in and to the same, and found in his possession as aforesaid should not be condemned for the use of the said William H. Washington as the lands and tenements or property and interest right and title of in and to the same of him the said John T. Boteler and execution to him had of to him it shall seem expedient. And I further certify that I have attached of the lands and tenements and rights of the aforesaid John T. Boteler the sum of money within mentioned that is the within debt and costs as per Schedule hereto annexed may appear, and lastly that the said lands and tenements of the said John T. Boteler so levied on and attached are in my possession in virtue of the said writ and of the aforesaid execution of the same ready to be condemned for the use of the said William H. Washington as by the said writ I am commanded - John R. Baden, Sheriff.

Schedule referred to in the aforegoing return -

"A Schedule of the property of John T. Boteler levied on and taken under a writ of attachment issued out of Prince Georges County Court