was so intruded in manner and for the term aforesaid which is not yet expired and ejected the said John Doe from his said farm; and other wrongs to the said John Doe then and there did, to the great damage of the said John Doe; and against the peace government and dignity of the State of Maryland, whereupon the said John Doe saith that he is injured and hath sustained damage to the value of one thousand dollars and therefore he brings his suit &c.

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Thereupon on motion of the said George W. Nutwell by his Attorneys aforesaid leave is given by the Court here to the said George W. Nutwell to ascertain his defence and answer the declaration aforesaid of the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid in the plea aforesaid until the fourth Monday of October next, the same day is given to the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid and so forth.

At which said fourth Monday of October being the twenty second day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five till which said day the said George W. Nutwell had leave to ascertain his defence and answer the declaration aforesaid of the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid in the plea aforesaid Comes again into the Circuit Court here the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid by his Attorneys aforesaid, as the said George W. Nutwell by his Attorney aforesaid, And thereupon on motion of the said George W. Nutwell by his Attorneys aforesaid further leave is given by the Court here to the said George W. Nutwell to ascertain his defence and answer the declaration aforesaid of the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid in the plea aforesaid until the third Monday of April next, the same day is given to the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid and so forth.

At which said third Monday of April being the twenty first day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty six till which said day the said George W. Nutwell had leave to ascertain his defence and answer to the declaration aforesaid of the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid in the plea aforesaid Comes again into the Circuit Court here the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid by his Attorneys aforesaid as the said George W. Nutwell by his Attorneys aforesaid, and thereupon on motion of the said George W. Nutwell by his Attorneys aforesaid, further leave is given by the Court here to the said George W. Nutwell to answer the declaration aforesaid of the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid in the plea aforesaid until the fourth Monday of October next; the same day is given to the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid and so forth.

At which said fourth Monday of October being the twenty seventh day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty six till which said day the said George W. Nutwell had further leave to ascertain his defence and answer to the declaration aforesaid of the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid in the plea aforesaid Comes again into the Circuit Court here the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid by his Attorneys aforesaid as the said George W. Nutwell by his Attorneys aforesaid and thereupon on motion of the said George W. Nutwell by his Attorneys aforesaid, further leave is given by the Court here to the said George W. Nutwell to answer the declaration aforesaid of the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid in the plea aforesaid until the third Monday of April next:

the same day is given to the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid and so forth.

And now here at this day to wit the third Monday of April being the twentieth day of the same month in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty seven until which said day the said George W. Nutwell had further leave to ascertain his defence and answer to the declaration aforesaid of the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid in the plea aforesaid, comes again into the Circuit Court here as well the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid by his Attorneys aforesaid as the said George W. Nutwell by his Attorneys aforesaid, and the said George W. Nutwell by his Attorneys aforesaid defends the force and injury when and so forth and says that he is not guilty of the trespass and ejectment aforesaid in the declaration aforesaid mentioned in manner and form as the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid above Complains against him and of this he puts himself upon the Country; and the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid in like manner. Whereupon for trying the issues aforesaid above joined between the parties aforesaid it is ordered by the Court here with the Consent of the parties aforesaid, by their Attorneys aforesaid that twelve persons from the panel of petit jurors returned to the Court here by the Sheriff of the County aforesaid be drawn by ballot according to the act of Assembly in such case made and provided And thereupon the twelve persons being so drawn by ballot and sworn, Come that is to say. Stephen L. Lee, John H. Davis, Philip Clayton, Charles S. Waters, William Glover, N. G. Tuck, Asa Merritt, Jacob Winchester, George W. Hammond, Nicholas Riemar, Henry McCeich and John Miller who being empannelled and sworn to say the truth in the premises upon their Oath do say that the said George W. Nutwell is not guilty of the trespass and ejectment aforesaid, as the aforesaid George W. Nutwell above by pleading hath alleged. Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid take nothing by his declaration aforesaid but for his false Complaint against the said George W. Nutwell be in mercy and so forth, and that the said George W. Nutwell go thereof without day and so forth, and that it is further considered by the Court here that the said George W. Nutwell recover against the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid the sum of Fourteen dollars and Eighty three cents for his costs and charges by him said out and expended in and about his defence in this behalf sustained to the said George W. Nutwell by the said Court now here adjudged and so forth, and that the said George W. Nutwell may have execution therefor and so forth.

Memorandum. Before the jurors aforesaid withdrew from the bar of the Court here the said John Doe Lessee as aforesaid by his Attorneys aforesaid files in Court here the following Bill of exception to wit

Ann Tongues Lessee
vs
George W. Nutwell

At the trial of this action the plaintiff to sustain the issue on his part joined proved that Benjamin Harrison late of Anne Arundel County deceased was in his lifetime seized and possessed of the Land and premises in the declaration in this action described and for