the Appurtenances to him the said Jack and his Assigns from the last Day of March then last past until the full End and Term of ten Years then next following fully to be compleat and ended And that whereas the afs.d Presley Thornton on the first Day of April in the Year seventeen hundred and seventy three at the County aforesaid did Demise unto him the said Jack one undivided fourth Part of the first afs.d Tract or Parcel of plantable Land with the Appurtenances thereunto belonging to have and occupy the same with the Appurtenances to him the said Jack and his Assigns from the last Day of March then last past until the full End and Term of ten Years then next following fully to be compleat and ended. And Whereas also the aforesaid John Taylor Peter Presley Thornton and Presley Thornton afterwards to wit on the aforesaid first Day of April in the Year seventeen hundred and seventy three at the County afs.d did Demise unto him the said Jack all that the Tract or parcel of plantable Land secondly above mentioned with the Appurtenances thereunto belonging to have and occupy the same with the Appurtenances unto him the said Jack and his Assigns from the last Day of March then last past until the full End and Term of ten years then next following fully to be compleat and ended By Virtue of which said several Demises the aforesaid Jack into the several Tracts or Parcels of plantable Land with the Appurtenances did enter and was thereof possest and the said Jack so being thereof possest the aforesaid Peter afterwards to wit on the same first Day of April in the Year seventeen hundred and seventy three aforesaid at Ann Arundel County aforesaid with Force and Arms aforesaid into the Premises with the Appurtenances afs.d which the said John Taylor Peter Presley Thornton and Presley Thornton to him the said Jack in Form aforesaid had demised for the Term aforesaid which is not yet expired entered and him the said Jack from his Farms aforesaid did eject and other Harms to him the said Jack then and there did to the great Damage of him the said Jack and against the Peace of the Right honourable the Lord Proprietary that now is and so forth whereby the said Jack saith that he is the Worse and hath Damage to the Value of five hundred Pounds current Money and therefore he brings Suit and so forth. Pledges and so forth John Doe and Rich.d Roe

And the said Benjamin Howard by Samuel Chase his Attorney comes and Defends the force and Injury when and so forth and takes Defence according to his Pretentions as they shall appear to be laid down on the Return of a Warrant of Resurvey to be issued in this Cause and enters into the common Rule and prays leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and he hath it and the same Day is given to the Plaintiffs also. At which

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said next Court to wit the Day of April Anno Domini 1774 come again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attornies afs.d and the said Defendant by his Attorney afs.d prays further leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and he hath it and the same Day is given to the Plaintiffs also. At which said next Court to wit the Day of September Anno Domini 1774 come again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attornies afs.d and the said Defendant by his Attorney afs.d prays further Leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and he hath it and the same Day is given to the Plaintiffs also. At which said next Court to wit the Day of April Anno Domini 1775 come again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attornies afs.d and the said Defendant by his Attorney afs.d prays further Leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and he hath it and the same Day is given to the Plaintiffs also. At which said next Court to wit the Day of September Anno Domini 1775 come again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attornies afs.d whereupon the same Cause is continued by Act of Assembly until next Court. At which said next Court to wit the Day of April Anno Domini 1776 come again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attornies afs.d whereupon the same Cause is further continued by Act of Assembly until next Court. At which said next Court to wit the Day of September Anno Domini 1776 come again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attornies afs.d whereupon the same Cause is further continued by Act of Assembly until next Court. At which said next Court to wit the Day of April Anno Domini 1777 come again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attornies afs.d whereupon the same Cause is further continued by Act of Assembly until next Court. At which said next Court to wit the Day of September 1777. come again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attornies afs.d whereupon the same Cause is further continued by Act of Assembly until next Court. At which said next Court to wit the 12th Day of May Anno Domini 1778 come again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attornies afs.d whereupon the same Cause is further continued by Act of Assembly until next Court. At which said next Court to wit the 13th Day of October Anno Domini 1778 come again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attornies afs.d whereupon the same Cause is further continued by Act of Assembly until next Court. At which said next Court to wit the 11th Day of May Anno Domini 1779 come again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attornies afs.d whereupon the same Cause is further continued by Act of Assembly until next Court. And

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