as aforesaid in the plea aforesaid and to them it is granted the same day is given to the said Richard Darnall Executor as aforesaid also.

At which said second Tuesday of October being the eighth day of the same Month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety three to which said day the said John Wilson and Elizabeth his Wife Heir as aforesaid had leave to imparle, and then to answer to the Declaration aforesaid of the aforesaid Richard Darnall Executor as aforesaid in the plea aforesaid, come again into the General Court here, as well the aforesaid Richard Darnall Executor as aforesaid by his Attorney aforesaid, as the said John Wilson and Elizabeth his Wife Heir as aforesaid by their Attorney aforesaid, and the said John Wilson and Elizabeth his Wife, Heir as aforesaid by their Attorney aforesaid come and defend the force and Injury when and so forth, and pray an hearing of the Writing Obligatory aforesaid, and the Condition thereof and they have them as follows, to wit Know all Men by these Presents that I Knighton Simmons of Anne Arundel County in the Province of Maryland Planter am held and firmly bound unto Henry Darnall of the County and Province aforesd March. in the full and just sum of three hundred and seventeen pounds fourteen Shillings Sterling money of Great Britain to be paid unto the said Henry Darnall, his certain Attorney, Executors, Administrators, or Assigns, To the which payment well and truly to be made and done I bind myself, my Heirs, Executors, and Administrators firmly by these Presents Sealed with my Seal, and dated this twenty second day of January Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and seventy three. The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above bound Knighton Simmons, his Heirs, Exrs. Admrs. do and shall well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Henry Darnall his certain Attorney, Executors, Administrators, or Assigns the just and full Sum of one hundred and fifty eight pounds seventeen Shillings Sterling money of Great Britain aforesd at or upon the tenth day of August next ensuing the day hereof with Legal Interest for the same, Then the above Obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue in Law. Signed Sealed and delivered in the Presence of Philip Darnall — Knighton Simmons (Seal)

Which being read and heard they say, that they with the debt aforesaid by reason of the said Elizabeth being Heir to the said Knighton, and by virtue of the Writing aforesaid to be barthened ought not because they say that She the said Elizabeth hath not any Lands or tenements by Descent as Heir of the said Knighton in Fee Simple nor had She on the day of the Impetration of the Writ Original of him the said Richard Executor of Henry Darnall, and this they are ready to verify Wherefore they pray Judgment by reason of the said Elizabeth being Heir as aforesaid and by virtue of the Writing obligatory aforesaid they ought to be charged Rea with the Debt aforesaid &c. — Philip Key for Deft.

And thereupon on motion of the aforesaid John Wilson and Elizabeth his Wife Heir

Heir as aforesaid by their Attorney aforesaid, It is ruled by the Court here that the said Richard Darnall Executor as aforesaid reply and answer to the plea aforesaid of the aforesaid John Wilson and Elizabeth his Wife Heir as aforesaid above by them set forth or Judgment by the Court here will be entered against him in default thereof. And the said Richard Darnall Executor as aforesaid by his Attorney aforesaid defends the force and Injury when and so forth, and prays leave of the Court here to imparle until the second Tuesday of May next and then to reply and answer to the plea aforesaid of the aforesaid John Wilson and Elizabeth his Wife Heir as aforesaid above by them set forth, and to him it is granted, the same day is given to the said John Wilson and Elizabeth his Wife also.

At which said second Tuesday of May being the thirteenth day of the same Month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety four to which said day the said Richard Darnall Executor as aforesaid had leave to imparle and then to reply and answer to the plea aforesaid of the aforesaid John Wilson and Elizabeth his Wife Heir as aforesaid come again into the General Court here as well the aforesaid Richard Darnall Executor as aforesaid as the said John Wilson and Elizabeth his Wife Heir as aforesaid by their Attorney aforesaid, and the said Richard Darnall Executor as aforesaid, defends the force and Injury when and so forth and saith that by any thing by the said John and Elizabeth the Defendants above in pleading alleged they the same John and Elizabeth ought to be charged with the Debt aforesaid by virtue of the Writing Obligatory aforesaid because he says that on the day of suing the writ aforesaid of the said Richard against them in this cause the said Elizabeth had divers Lands and Tenements by Hereditary descent from the said Knighton in fee simple wherewith he the said John and Elizabeth his Wife might have satisfied the said Debt, to wit, at Ann Arundel County aforesaid, and this the said Richard prays may be enquired of by the Country and the said John and Elizabeth in like manner and so forth. W. Cooke p. Deft. Therefore let a Jury thereon appear before the Court here on the second Tuesday of October next, by whom and so forth, and who neither and so forth, to recognize and and so forth, because as well and so forth, the same day is given to the said parties then and there and so forth.

And now at this day, to wit, the said second Tuesday of October being the fourteenth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety five come again into the General Court here as well the said Richard Darnall Executor as aforesaid by his Attorney aforesaid, as the said Elizabeth Wilson Heir as aforesaid by Philip Barton Key her Attorney aforesaid, and the said Elizabeth Wilson Heir as aforesaid by her Attorney aforesaid suggests to the Court here that the said John Wilson one of the Defendants party with her the said Elizabeth Wilson Heir as aforesaid in this Cause after the last continuance of the Action aforesaid, to wit, the second Tuesday of May last past and before this time