day of May seventeen hundred and ninety six.

Acknowledged before. Geo. Salmon
Jas Calhoun

I Thomas Calwell imponer authorise and appoint William Pinkney Esquire to appear for me in the above action, Given under my hand and seal this 6th day of May seventeen hundred and ninety six.

Witness Rob: Gorsuch. Thomas Calwell (Seal)

To the Honorable the Judges of the General Court.

Which said bail piece is approved by the Court here Whereupon the said Thomas Calwell by Jonathan Roberts Wilmer his attorney aforesaid comes and defends the force and injury when and fforth And the aforesaid Richard Gernon and John Gernon by their Attorney aforesaid pray that the said Thomas Calwell may answer to their Declaration aforesaid in the plea aforesaid by the twentieth day of August next, and thereupon it is said to the said Thomas Calwell that if he doth not answer to the declaration aforesaid of the aforesaid Richard Gernon and John Gernon by the said twentieth day of August next; Judgment will be entered against him by default, And hereupon the said Thomas Calwell by his attorney aforesaid as before defends the force and injury when and foforth, And prays leave of the Court to Imparle hereunto until the second tuesday of October next; and he hath it, the same day is given to the aforesaid Richard Gernon and John Gernon also. At which said second tuesday of October being the eleventh day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six comes again here into our General Court as well the aforesaid Richard Gernon and John Gernon by their attorney aforesaid as the aforesaid Thomas Calwell by his attorney aforesaid, and the said Thomas Calwell by his attorney aforesaid as before defends the force and injury when and foforth, and saith that he did not asume upon himself in such manner and form as the aforesaid Richard Gernon and John Gernon above against him have declared, and of this he puts himself upon the Country and the aforesaid Richard Gernon and John Gernon in like manner and foforth. Therefore let a Jury thereupon appear before the Judges of our General Court here on the second tuesday of May next by whom &c and who neither &c to recognize &c because as well &c the same day is given to the,

the parties aforesaid then and there &c.

And now here at this day that is to say the said second tuesday of May being the ninth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety seven come again here into our general Court as well the aforesaid Richard Gernon and John Gernon by their Attorney aforesaid as the aforesaid Thomas Calwell by his attorney aforesaid. Nevertheless the aforesaid Thomas Calwell by his attorney aforesaid relinquishing the avrument aforesaid above by him pretended says that he cannot deny the action aforesaid of the said Richard Gernon and John Gernon so as aforesaid against him brought nor but that the said Richard Gernon and John Gernon have sustained damage to the sum of one thousand pounds Current money of Maryland by occasion of the promise and asumption aforesaid in such manner and form as the said Richard Gernon and John Gernon above against him hath declared. Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said Richard Gernon and John Gernon recover against the aforesaid Thomas Calwell as well the sum of one thousand pounds Current money of Maryland their damages aforesaid in form aforesaid confessed as also the quantity of seven hundred and eighty nine pounds of Tobacco by the Court unto them the said Richard Gernon and John Gernon on their assent adjudged for their Costs and Charges by them about their suit in this behalf laid out and expendid. And the aforesaid Thomas Calwell in mercy and foforth.

Memorandum Judgment was rendered in this Cause on the seventeenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety seven for the damages laid in the Declaration and Costs of suit, And the Plaintiffs agree to release the Judgment on payment two thousand dollars with Interest thereon from the fifteenth day of October one thousand seven hundred and ninety five and Costs; and agree to stay execution until the first day of August next.

Test. John Gwinn Clk.

William Lamar
against
William Lux.

Be it remembered, that heretofore to wit, on the twenty first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six William Lamar by James Winchester his attorney sued out of the General Court here, the State of Marylands writ, of Capias ad respondendum directed to the Sheriff of Baltimore County in form (following)