of the said Robert Morris I have attached, seized and taken, and Caused to be appraised as by the annexed writ of Attachment I am commanded to and for the use of the said Notley Young in the said writ of Attachment named, to the amount and value of the sum of money and quantity of Tobacco mentioned in the annexed writ:- one undivided Moiety of the whole the said Squares belonging to a certain John Nicholson holding the same together with the said Robert Morris. I do hereby further certify that at or since the time of my attaching, seizing and taking the aforesaid Lands and tenements by virtue of the within and annexed writ, there were no person or persons in possession of the said Lands and tenements or any part thereof, to whom I could make known according to the Command of the said writ, to be and appear before the Judges mentioned in the said writ to shew cause why the said Lands and tenements so attached, seized and taken should not be condemned and execution thereof had and made, as by the said writ I am commanded.

Jos. Boone Sheriff of Prince Georges County.

And the said sheriff of Prince Georges county, to whom the writ of Capias ad respondendum was in form aforesaid directed, and to whom the said Copy of the said Short Note was in manner aforesaid sent, makes return of the writ aforesaid to the Court here, thereon endorsed; that is to say:

N.E. Copy short note set up at the Court house door 4th May,

Jos. Boone Sheriff.

And the said Robert Morris being solemnly called to shew cause why the said Notley Young should not have condemnation of the lands and tenements of him the said Robert Morris so returned to be attached &c. now comes here by Philip Barton Key and Luther Martin his attornies, and as to the whole of the said Lands and tenements he the said Robert Morris saith that the said Notley Young condemnation thereof or of any part thereof ought not to have because he saith that he the said Robert Morris is and at the time when and so forth was a subject and Citizen of the State of Pennsylvania one of the United States of America and that he the said Notley Young is a subject and citizen of the State of Maryland and that according to the constitution of the United States and the laws of the United States the said lands and tenements of the said Robert Morris, ought not to have been attached as aforesaid

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nor ought he the said Robert Morris to be compelled to appear to the suit by the said Notley Young in this court instituted; And the said Robert Morris saith that the lands and tenements aforesaid so returned to be attached situate in the Territory of Columbia aforesaid the same ought not to be condemned &c because he saith the said Act of Assembly under which the said Attachment hath been issued doth not extend to or operate on any property of him the said Robert Morris in the said Territory situate as he the said Robert Morris doth reside in the State of Pennsylvania; All which the said Robert Morris is ready to aver and prove &c. wherefore he prays that the said writ of attachment may be dismissed, as having issued improvidently; and that the said Notley Young may not have Condemnation of the said lands and Tenements, or of any part thereof &c^a. And the said parties by their Attornies aforesaid file in Court here the following agreement to wit.

Notley Young against Robert Morris	Attachment	Notley Young against John Nicholson	Attachment

It is agreed that these causes shall stand and be considered as of May Term 1797, and that any Judgment of the court in the said ~~said~~ causes or any of them shall be entered and taken as of May Term aforesaid and have the same validity, as if entered at that Term.

Oct. 10th 1797.

Arthur Shaaff for Pltf.
Luther Martin for Deft.

Whereupon all and singular the premises, and the return of the Attachment aforesaid by the sheriff of the County aforesaid in form aforesaid made being by the Court here seen and more fully understood and mature deliberation thereon had, for that it appears to the Court here that the aforesaid Notley Young ought to have his Judgment of Condemnation for the undivided moiety of Square number five hundred and forty one, Square number five hundred and forty two, Square number Two hundred and thirty one, Square number Two hundred and ninety six, Square number Four hundred and eleven, Square number Four hundred and ninety nine, and Square number five hundred and thirty nine in the Territory aforesaid parcel of the Lands and Tenements of the said Robert Morris in the return of the sheriff of the County aforesaid so as aforesaid attached;

and