and forty nine perches south fifty six degrees East twenty five perches South four degrees East eighteen perches South forty seven degrees west twenty eight perches North fifty six degrees west twenty perches South thirty eight degrees west one hundred and forty six perches South fifty six degrees East twenty perches South thirty two degrees West forty eight perches South eighty six degrees west sixty three perches North four degrees East eighteen perches, North sixty eight degrees west sixty perches North fifteen degrees East eighty four perches and thence by a straight line to the beginning which Abel Brown to him the said Thomas Loveland demised for a term of years which is not yet past he the said Roger Holdfast did enter and him the said T. Loveland from his farm aforesaid did eject and other harms to him the said T. Loveland then and there did to the great damage of the said Thomas and against the peace Government and dignity of the State of Maryland &c. And Whereupon the same T. Loveland by Robert Smith his attorney complains that whereas the aforesaid Abel Brown on the first day of January in the year seventeen hundred and ninety seven at Baltimore County aforesaid demised to him the said Thomas the aforesaid Tract of Land and premises with the appurtenances to have hold and occupy the same tract of Land and premises with the appurtenances to him the said T. Loveland and his assigns from the thirtieth day of January then last past unto the full end and term of ten years thence next following fully to be complete and ended By virtue of which demise the said T. Loveland into the aforesaid tract of Land and premises with the appurtenances did enter and was thereof possessed and the said Thomas so thereof being possessed the aforesaid Roger Holdfast afterwards, to wit, on the tenth day of February in the year aforesaid at the County aforesaid with force & arms and into the aforesaid Tract of Land and premises with the appurtenances aforesaid which the said Abel Brown to the said T. Loveland in form aforesaid had demised for the term aforesaid which is not yet expired entered and him the said Thomas Loveland from his farm aforesaid did eject and other harms to him the said Thomas Loveland then and there did to the great damage of him the said Thomas Loveland and against the peace, Government & dignity of the State of Maryland, Wherefore the said Thomas Loveland saith he is the worse and hath sustained damage to the value of Five hundred pounds Current money of Maryland and thereupon he brings Suit and so forth.

Robert Smith for Pltff. Pages &c. John Doe & Rich. Roe.

To Elizabeth Twist, Tenant in possession of the premises

I am informed that you are in possession of or claim title to the lands & premises in this declaration of Ejectment mentioned or to some part thereof and I being sued in this action as a Casual Ejector & having no claim or title to the same do advise you to appear to this declaration at the General Court for the Western Shore of Maryland on the second Tuesday of May next by some attorney of that Court and then and there by a rule of the same Court and cause yourself to be made Defendant in my stead and to confess the lease, Entry & Ouster & insist upon the title only at the trial, otherwise Judgment will be given against me by default & you will be turned out of possession

I am yours &c Roger Holdfast

March 5. 1797.

A copy of which said declaration and notice was made and sent to the Sheriff of Baltimore County aforesaid, thereon endorsed to be served on the defendant, tenant in possession or set up on the premises at least eight days before Court.

At which mentioned second Tuesday of May being the ninth day of the said month in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ninety seven and the return day of the Service of a copy of the aforegoing declaration comes into the General Court here the said Thomas Loveland Lessee of the said Abel Brown by his attorney aforesaid and the Sheriff of Baltimore County aforesaid to wit, Henry Stevenson Gentleman, to whom a copy of the said declaration in Ejectment and notice aforesaid was in form aforesaid made and sent certifies to the Court here the service thereof in form following, to wit,

Copy served 11th Apr. Henry Stevenson Shff

Whereupon the said Thomas Loveland Lessee of the said Abel Brown by his attorney aforesaid, prays that the defendant Roger Holdfast, the said Elizabeth Twist the tenant in possession of the said premises or those under whom he claims, to the declaration aforesaid may appear; and thereupon the said Elizabeth Twist by James Winchester her attorney, in pursuance of the notice aforesaid, comes into Court here, Whereupon it is ruled by the Court here with the consent of the said Thomas Loveland lessee as aforesaid by his attorney aforesaid and the said Elizabeth Twist who claims the title in question by her attorney aforesaid, that the said Elizabeth Twist be admitted defendant in the place of the now defendant Roger Holdfast the Casual Ejector, and that he immediately receive a declaration and plead thereto the general issue and at the trial thereon to be had the said Elizabeth Twist shall appear in her proper person or by her attorney or Counsel and confess the lease, entry and actual ouster and expulsion of so much of the Tenements in the declaration of the said Thomas Loveland lessee as aforesaid as is in the possession of the said Elizabeth Twist or her Tenants or of any other person claiming by or under her title, or in default thereof that Judgment be entered against the now Defendant Roger Holdfast the Casual Ejector, but that prosecution be staied against him until he makes default in any of the premises; and it is further ruled by the Court here, with consent of Counsel, that if, by reason of such default the said Thomas Loveland lessee as aforesaid shall become nonsuit at the trial the said Elizabeth Twist shall take no advantage thereof but shall pay to the said Thomas Loveland Lessee as aforesaid his costs and so forth. And it is further ruled by the Court here, that if upon the trial of the said issue a verdict shall be given for the said Elizabeth Twist or if the said Thomas Loveland Lessee as aforesaid, shall not prosecute his declaration upon any other cause than for the not confessing lease entry and ouster as aforesaid then the said Abel Brown Lessor of the aforesaid Thomas Loveland shall pay costs and so forth. And thereupon the aforesaid Thomas Loveland Lessee as aforesaid by his attorney aforesaid declares against the said Elizabeth Twist in the plea aforesaid, in manner and form following, to wit;

State of Maryland Baltimore County, ss. Elizabeth Twist late of Baltimore County planter was attached to answer unto Thomas Loveland of a plea wherefore with force and arms into all that Tract or parcell of plantable Land called addition to Thread aways Quarter lying in Baltimore County Beginning at three bounded Chesnut,