To the honourable the Judges of the General Court.

And thereupon on motion of the aforesaid John Dent by his Attorney aforesaid, It is ruled by the Court here, that the said Edward Neale answer to the Declaration aforesaid of the aforesaid John Dent in the plea aforesaid, or Judgment by the Court here will be entered against him in default thereof; And the said Edward Neale by his Attornies aforesaid defends the force and injury when and soforth; and prays leave of the Court here to imparle until the second Tuesday of October next, and then to answer to the Declaration aforesaid of the aforesaid John Dent in the plea aforesaid, and to him it is granted, the same day is given to the aforesaid John Dent also.

At which said second Tuesday of October being the ninth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight; to which said day the said Edward Neale have leave to Imparle and then to answer to the Declaration aforesaid of the aforesaid John Dent in the plea aforesaid, came again into the General Court here as well the aforesaid John Dent by his Attorney aforesaid, as the said Edward Neale by his Attornies aforesaid; and the said Edward Neale by his Attornies aforesaid as before defends the force and injury when and soforth, and saith that the aforesaid John Dent his action aforesaid against him to have or maintain ought not &c. because he saith that he the said Edward Neale did pay unto the aforesaid John Dent the said sum of Money in the Condition of the said writing Obligatory mentioned with legal Interest thereon according to the form and effect of the Condition of the said writing Obligatory, and this he is ready to verify, wherefore he prays Judgment if the aforesaid John Dent his action aforesaid against him to have or maintain ought and soforth.

And the aforesaid John Dent by his Attorney aforesaid saith that he by any thing by the said Edward Neale, above in pleading alleged from having or maintaining his action aforesaid against him ought not to be precluded because he saith that the said Edward Neale hath not paid unto him the aforesaid John Dent the aforesaid sum of money in the Condition aforesaid mentioned with the Interest thereon in such manner and form as the said Edward Neale above by pleading hath alleged, and of this he prays may be enquired of by the Country, and the said Edward Neale in like manney and soforth; Therefore let a Jury thereon appear before the Court here, on the second Tuesday of May next, by

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whom and soforth, and who neither and soforth, to recognize and soforth, because as well and soforth, the same day is given to the said parties then and there and soforth.

And now at this day to wit, the said second Tuesday of May being the fourteenth day of the same month, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine, come again into the General Court here as well the aforesaid John Dent by his Attorney aforesaid as the said Edward Neale by his Attornies aforesaid; And the said Edward Neale by his Attornies aforesaid, relinquishing the averment aforesaid, above by him pretended says, that he cannot deny the action aforesaid of the aforesaid John Dent, so as aforesaid against him brought, nor but that he owes to the aforesaid John Dent the aforesaid sum of Two hundred and fifty pounds Current Money in manner and form aforesaid so as the aforesaid John Dent above against him hath declared.

Therefore it is considered by the Court here, that the aforesaid John Dent recover against the said Edward Neale as well the sum of Two hundred and fifty pounds Current Money his Debt aforesaid in form aforesaid confessed, as also the quantity of eight hundred and five pounds of Tobacco, by the Court here unto the aforesaid John Dent on his assent adjudged as well for his damages sustained by reason of the detention of that Debt, as for his Costs and charges by him about his suit, in this behalf laid out and expended, and the said Edward Neale in Mercy and soforth.

Memorandum, Judgment rendered in this Cause, on the seventeenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine, for the penalty and costs of Suit, and the plaintiff agrees to release the penalty upon the payment of Principal, Interest and costs, and agrees to stay Execution until the first day of August next. payments if any to be allowed. Test. John Gwinn Clk

The State of Maryland, at the instance and for the use of Michael Pue and Caleb Dorsey of Thomas against Richard Harrison, adm^r of Samuel Lloyd Chew	Be it Remembered, that heretofore, to wit, on the twenty seventh day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety seven, the State of Maryland by William Cooke Attorney for the said State in this behalf sued out of the General Court the Writ of the said State of Capias

adrespondendum, directed to the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County, in the

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