aforesaid according to the directions of an act of Assembly of the province (now State) of Maryland, entitled An act for the advancement of Justice, as by the Record thereof in our said Court now remaining manifestly appears; By virtue of which said assignment and the act of Assembly aforesaid, the aforesaid Adam Breager as assignee of the said George Schnertzell is entitled to have his Execution for the debt Damages Costs and Charges aforesaid which still remains to be done to the said Adam Breager assignee as aforesaid as we have understood: And also whereas the said Joseph Wood at the time of the Confession of the Judgment last aforesaid was seized of divers lands and tenements in his demesne as of Fee; and we being willing that those things which in our said Court are rightly done and transacted, should be brought to due execution Do therefore Command you that by good and lawful men in your bailiwick you make known unto the Terretenants of all of the lands and tenements in your bailiwick whereof the said Joseph Wood on the said seventh day of October seventeen hundred and ninety or ever afterwards was seized that they be and appear before the Judges of our General Court to be held at the City of Annapolis on the second tuesday of May next, to shew cause if any they have why the Debt, Damages Costs and Charges aforesaid ought not to be levied on those lands and tenements and paid to the said Adam Breager assignee as aforesaid according to the Force form and effect of the Judgment and of the Assignment aforesaid, if they shall think fit; and further to do and receive all and singular those things which in our same Court before the Judges aforesaid shall then and there be considered in this behalf concerning them; And have you then and there the names of those by whom you shall make the same known unto them and this writ. Witness the honorable Robert Goldsborough Esquire Chief Judge of our said Court the Twenty ninth day of January anno domini seventeen hundred and ninety eight. — Issued the 7th day of March 1798. — P.B.K. A.S. — John Gwinn Clerk.

At which said second tuesday of May in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ninety eight, being the day of the return of the aforegoing writ, comes into the General Court here, the said Adam Breager assignee as aforesaid by his attornies aforesaid, and the Sheriff of Frederick County to whom the said aforegoing writ was in form aforesaid directed, makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed towit. — State of Maryland, Frederick County towit, I hereby certify to the honorable the Judges within mentioned, that by virtue of the within writ to me directed on the sixteenth day of April in the year seventeen hundred and ninety eight by Abraham Albaugh, and Henry Sleich good and lawfull men of my Bailiwick I gave notice to Joseph Wood Junior tenant of two Lots of ground in the Town of Woodsberry towit, Lots number One and number Two;

to James Harlan tenant of one other Lot of ground in the Town of Woodsberry towit Lot number Twenty; To Samuel Baker tenant of one other Lot of ground in the Town of Woodsberry towit, Lot number Twenty one; To John Williams tenant of two other Lots of ground in the Town of Woodsberry towit Lots number Twenty four and number Twenty five; To Mary Hedges tenant of one other Lot of ground in the Town of Woodsberry towit Lot number Twenty six; To William Grimes Jun. tenant of one other lot of ground in the Town of Woodsberry towit, Lot number Thirty; To William Gilmore Jun. tenant of one other Lot of ground in the Town of Woodsberry towit Lot number Thirty three; To James Harlan and Bernard Gilbert tenant of one other Lot of ground in the Town of Woodsberry towit Lot number Thirty five; To Luke Barnett tenant of one other Lot of ground in the Town of Woodsberry towit, Lot number Thirty nine; To James Harlan tenant of three other Lots of ground in the Town of Woodsberry towit Lots number Forty nine, number Fifty two and number Fifty four; To John Campbell tenant of one other Lot of ground in the Town of Woodsberry towit, Lot number Fifty five; To Malachia Flanigan tenant of part of a tract of land called Woods Town Land, containing Five acres more or less: and to Henry Nelson tenant of part of one other tract of land called Better than none, containing thirty acres more or less, with their several appurtenances, which were the lands and tenements of Joseph Wood within named at the time of the rendition of the Judgment within mentioned, towit on the seventh day of October in the year seventeen hundred and ninety, of which the said Joseph Wood, then and after was seized in his demesne as of Fee, to be before the said Judges at the day and place within contained to shew if they or either of them have or can say any thing for themselves why the within named Adam Breager assignee of George Schnertzell ought not to have his Execution against them, or either of them for the debt and several Costs within written to be levied on the lands and tenements of which said Joseph Wood was seized according to the force form and effect of the recovery within mentioned, and further to do and receive as the writ within mentioned Commands and requires. And I further certify that there are not nor is any other tenants or tenant of any other lands or tenements in my County of which the said Joseph Wood was seized at the said time of the rendition of the Judgment aforesaid or ever after in my Bailiwick to whom I could give notice as by the writ aforesaid I was Commanded. — — — Abner Ritchie Sheriff of Frederick County. —

Whereupon the said Joseph Wood Junior terretenant of the said two Lots of ground, of which the said Joseph Wood was seized, and so forth, being so forewarned, comes into the General Court here by Roger Nelson his attorney, and defends the force and injury when and so forth, and prays leave of the Court here to imparle until the second tuesday of October next, and to hear it is granted, the same day is given to the said Adam Breager assignee as aforesaid also. — At which said second tuesday of October, in the year