Thomas Hall his attorney produced to the Court now here the State of Maryland's writ of Certiorari, which being allowed is contained in the words and figures following to wit. — The State of Maryland Sct. To the Chief Justice, Associate Justices and Clerk of Harford County Court Greeting. Whereas lately in Harford County Court Thomas Wheeler was summoned to answer unto Bennet Wheeler in a plea of Replevin which said plea is still depending before you in the said County Court as it is said undetermined, and the General Court being desirous for certain reasons that the Record and proceedings in the plea aforesaid, should by you be certified to them. You are therefore hereby commanded to send under your seal the record of the proceedings aforesaid in the plea aforesaid with all things touching the same, unto the said General Court to be held at the City of Annapolis, the second tuesday of May next plainly and distinctly and in as full and ample manner as it now remains before you, together with this writ, so that the said General Court may be able thereon to proceed, and to do what shall appear to them of right ought to be done. Witness the honorable Jeremiah Townley Chase Esquire Chief Judge of the said General Court the thirteenth day of February in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and one. Issued the 16th day of March 1801. S.C. Jno. Gwinn Clk. Whereupon the proceedings aforesaid are ordered to be transmitted accordingly. — In Testimony that the aforegoing is a true copy of the Records and proceedings of Harford County Court I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of my Office this ninth day of May in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and one. — — — Henry Dorsey Clk. Harfd. County. —

Whereupon, come into the General Court here, as well the said Bennet Wheeler by John Johnson his attorney, as the said Thomas Wheeler by Luther Martin and Samuel Chase Junior his attorneys. And hereupon the said Bennet Wheeler although solemnly demanded comes not, but makes default, nor does he further prosecute his writ aforesaid: Therefore it is considered, by the Court here, that the said Bennet Wheeler take nothing by his writ aforesaid, but that he be in mercy for his false claim thereof, and the said Thomas Wheeler do go thereof without day, and that the said Thomas Wheeler have a return of the goods and chattels aforesaid, to be detained to him irreplidgable for ever, and so forth, And it is also further considered by the Court here, that the said Thomas Wheeler recover against the

said Bennet Wheeler the quantity of Nine hundred and two pounds of tobacco and One Dollar and fifty cents current money, for his costs and charges by him about his defence in this behalf sustained, to the said Thomas Wheeler by the Court here adjudged, according to the form of the Statute in such case made and provided, and that the said Thomas Wheeler have thereof his Execution, and so forth. — Test — John Gwinn Clk —

Bennet Wheeler against Robert Boarman. } Be it remembered, that heretofore, to wit, on the Sixteenth day of March in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and one; Robert Boarman by Samuel Chase Junior his attorney, prosecuted and sued forth out of the General Court here the writ of the State of Maryland of Certiorari, directed to the Chief Justice, Associate Justices and Clerk of Harford County Court, in form following to wit. — The State of Maryland Sct. To the Chief Justice, Associate Justices and Clerk of Harford County Court, Greeting. Whereas lately in Harford County Court, Robert Boarman was summoned to answer unto Bennet Wheeler in a plea of Replevin, which said plea is still depending before you, in the said County Court, as it is said, undetermined; and the General Court being desirous, for certain reasons, that the Record and proceedings in the plea aforesaid should by you be certified to them; You are therefore hereby Commanded to send under your seal, the Record of the proceedings aforesaid in the plea aforesaid, with all things touching the same, unto the said General Court, to be held at the City of Annapolis the second tuesday of May next; plainly and distinctly, and in as full and ample manner, as it now remains before you, together with this writ, so that the said General Court may be able thereon to proceed, and to do what shall appear to them of right ought to be done. Witness the honorable Jeremiah Townley Chase Esquire chief Judge of the said General Court, the thirteenth day of February in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred & one. — Issued the 16th day of March 1801. — S.C. — Jno. Gwinn Clk.

And now at this day to wit, the said Second tuesday of May in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and one, being the day of the return of the aforegoing writ, The chief Justice, Associate Justices and Clerk of Harford County Court aforesaid, certify and transmit to the Court here, in obedience to the Command of the said writ, a Record of the proceedings in the plea aforesaid before them had, together with the said writ,