Verdict may be set aside, and that the issue aforesaid be tried anew by other Jurors to be afresh impannelled and files in Court here, the following reasons, that is to say.

James Hood
against
John Dorsey admor de
bonis non of Caleb Dorsey Senior

May Term 1801.
Action of Debt in the General Court
On motion for a new trial
Reasons assigned by the Defendant in Support of his motion for a new trial

Because the Verdict was given contrary to the Evidence and Contrary to the opinion and direction given by the Court to the Jury.
Richd Ridgely, Wm Dorsey, L Martin for Defendant.

And afterwards the said John Dorsey administrator as aforesaid by his attornies aforesaid, withdrawing his reasons in arrest of Judgment of and upon the Verdict aforesaid, by the Jurors aforesaid given in form aforesaid, and relinquishing his motion for a new trial of and upon the premises, and on the prayer of the aforesaid James Hood by his attornies aforesaid, for Judgment against the said John Dorsey administrator as aforesaid of and upon the Verdict aforesaid by the Jurors aforesaid given in form aforesaid. Therefore it is considered by the court here that the aforesaid James Hood recover against the said John Dorsey administrator as aforesaid as well the sum of eleven hundred and thirty pounds six shillings and two pence current money of Maryland his debt aforesaid (to be released on payment of principal Interest and costs by the Jurors aforesaid in form aforesaid so found) according to the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided, as also the sum of twenty five Dollars fifty cents and quantity of thirteen hundred and seventy five pounds of tobacco by the Court now here unto the aforesaid James Hood on his afore adjudged for his damages which he hath sustained; as well by reason of the detention of the said Debt, as for his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf laid out and expended, to be levied of the goods and chattels which were of the said Caleb Dorsey at the time of his death in the hands of the said John Dorsey administrator as aforesaid remaining to be administered, if so much thereof he hath &c and if so much thereof in his hands to be administered he hath not then the damages costs and charges aforesaid, to be levied of the proper goods and chattels of the said John Dorsey administrator as aforesaid, and that the aforesaid James Hood have thereof his execution &c

Memorandum Before the Jurors aforesaid withdrew from the Bar of (the

the Court here the aforesaid James Hood by his attornies aforesaid files in Court here the following Bill of exceptions to wit

James Hood
against
John Dorsey adm. D. B. Non
of Caleb Dorsey, deceased

On the trial of this cause the Defendant offered to examine one Levin Lawrence as a witness to support the issue on his part the plaintiff by his Counsel objected to the said Lawrence as being interested, & produced and read to the Court the will of Caleb Dorsey Senior the obligor in the bond

State of Maryland; In the name of God Amen, I Caleb Dorsey of Ann Arundel County being weak in body, but of sound and perfect mind and memory (blessed be God) do this eighth day of February seventeen hundred and ninety, make and publish this my last will and testament in manner following viz.t

First I give to my Sons George Dorsey, John Dorsey, William Dorsey Larkin Dorsey, and Richard Dorsey all my lands and tenements, situate and lying on Elk Ridge in Ann Arundel County aforesaid to be equally divided between my said Sons, George, John, William, Larkin and Richard after my decase, by my brothers John Dorsey, Richard & William Hammond, and the said lands and premises so to be divided to be the property and estate in fee of my said Sons George, John, William, Larkin and Richard to them and their heirs lawfully begotten for ever, also I give to my Son Caleb Dorsey my plantation with all the appurtenances lands Tenements and Hereditaments thereunto belonging, situate lying and being on Israels Creek now Monocacy in Frederick County, to him and his heirs lawfully begotten for ever, Also I will and direct that all my lands in the upper part of the aforesaid County of Ann Arundel lying near Poplar Spring and Ephraim Warfields be sold on a credit of two years, likewise I further direct that all my Land lying in the Minors settlement be sold on the most advantageous Terms, also I give to my Daughter Achsa Gwinn one negro named Peter (Son of Sue) in full of her part of my negroes, Also I give to my Grandson Caleb Lawrence one negroe Boy named Peter (Son of Phebe) and be it known that my Daughter Sarah Lawrence hath already received her full share of my negroes) also I give to my Grandson Caleb Gwinn one negroe boy named Harry (Son of Cate) Also I give to my Grandaughter Rebecca Dorsey one negro Girl named Fanny daughter of Easter) Also I give to my daughter Elizabeth Dorsey, one negroe man named Charles one negro woman named Hagar and one negro Lad named Bob (Son of Hagar) It is also my will and desire that one negro Lad named Dick aged about forty five years, and one other Negro man named Peter about the same Age shall well and truly serve my wife Rebecca Dorsey for the time, and term of three years after my decase and then to be fully sett at Liberty, also I give to my wife Rebecca (Dorsey