The Account mentioned in the Declaration aforesaid, is as follows to wit. — (here insert the Account.)

Copies of which said Declaration and Account were made and sent to the Sheriff of the County aforesaid, with the said Writ, thereon endorsed, "To be served on the Defendant with the Writ, or left "at his place of abode, twenty days at least before the return of the said "Writ for plea or Judgment the first Court."

At which mentioned second tuesday of May being the thirteenth day of the said month, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred, and the day of the return of the foregoing Writ, come into the General Court here, the aforesaid James A Magruder and Walter H Harwood by Walter Dorsey their Attorney aforesaid And the Sheriff of Prince Georges County aforesaid, to wit; Notley Maddox, Gentleman, to whom the said foregoing Writ was in form aforesaid directed, makes return thereof to the Court here, thus endorsed to wit. —

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And the said John Smith Brooches by Thomas Contee Bowie his Attorney, appears in Court here; And thereupon on Motion of the aforesaid James A Magruder and Walter H Harwood by their aforesaid, It is ruled by the Court here, that the said John Smith Brooches give special Bail in the plea aforesaid; Whereupon the said John Smith Brooches by his Attorney aforesaid, files in Court here a certain Bail piece, and which being approved of by the Court here, is in form following, to wit. —

James A Magruder and
Walter H Harwood Plaintiffs
against
John Smith Brooches Defendant.

You Thomas Harwood of Ben and Wm S. Bowie do jointly and severally acknowledge yourselves special bail for the said John Smith Brooches at the suit of the said James A Magruder and Walter H Harwood in an Action on the Case brought by the said James A Magruder and Walter H. Harwood against the said John Smith Brooches in the General Court They acknowledge themselves to be content therewith this 13th day of May Eighteen hundred

Before
David Crawford
Samd Hepburn

To Honorable the Judges of the General Court.

Thomas C Bowie Esq. is desired and impowered to appear for the Defendant.

(And)

And thereupon, on motion of the aforesaid James A Magruder and Walter H Harwood by their Attorney aforesaid, It is ruled by the Court here, that the said John Smith Brooches answer to the declaration aforesaid of the aforesaid James A Magruder and Walter H Harwood in the plea aforesaid, or Judgment by the Court here will be entered against him in default thereof; And the said John Smith Brooches by his Attorney aforesaid 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 then to answer to the declaration aforesaid of the aforesaid James A Magruder and Walter H Harwood in the plea aforesaid and to him it is granted, the same day is given to the aforesaid James A Magruder and Walter H Harwood also. —

At which said second Tuesday of October being the fourteenth day of the same month, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred, to which said day the said John Smith Brooches had leave to imparle, and then to answer to the declaration aforesaid of the aforesaid James A Magruder and Walter H Harwood in the plea aforesaid, come again into the General Court here, as well the aforesaid James A Magruder and Walter H Harwood by their Attorney aforesaid, as the said John Smith Brooches by his Attorney aforesaid; And the said John Smith Brooches by his Attorney aforesaid, as before defends the force and injury, when and so forth, and saith, that he did not assume upon himself, in manner and form as the aforesaid James A Magruder and Walter H Harwood above against him have complained, and of this he puts himself upon the Country, and the aforesaid James A Magruder and Walter H Harwood in like manner and so forth; Therefore let a Jury thereon appear before the Court here on the second Tuesday of May next, by whom and so forth; and who neither and so forth; to recognize and so forth, because as well and so forth; the same day is given to the parties aforesaid then and there, and so forth. —

At which said second Tuesday of May being the twelfth day of the said month, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and one, come again into the General Court here, as well the aforesaid James A Magruder and Walter H Harwood by their Attorney aforesaid as the said John Smith Brooches by Thomas Contee Bowie and Luther Martin his Attornies, Thereupon further process of and upon the premises aforesaid, between the parties aforesaid, by consent of the

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