Wherefore the said George saith he is the worse and hath damage to the value of five hundred pounds Current money and therefore he brings suit and soforth.

L Martin Atty for Plff. } Jno. Doe and
Pledges &c. —"— } Richd. Roe.

Thereupon on motion of the said Aquila Hall by his attornies aforesaid leave is given by the Court here to the said Aquila Hall to ascertain his defence and answer to the declaration aforesaid of the said George Goodright Lessee as aforesaid in the plea aforesaid untill the second Tuesday of October next; the same day is given to the said George Goodtitle Lessee as aforesaid then and so forth.

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 till which said day the said Aquila Hall had leave to ascertain his defence and answer to the declaration aforesaid of the said George Goodright Lessee as aforesaid in the plea aforesaid Comes again into the General Court here as well the said George Goodright Lessee as aforesaid by his attornies Luther Martin and John Thompson Mason aforesaid as the said Aquila Hall by his attornies aforesaid and the said Aquila Hall by his attornies aforesaid defends the force and injury when and so forth and takes defence according to his pretentions as they shall appear to be laid down on the return of a warrant of resurvey to be issued in this Cause and says that he is not guilty of the trespass and Ejectment aforesaid, in the declaration aforesaid mentioned in manner and from as the said George Goodright Lessee as aforesaid above complains against him and of this he puts himself upon the Country and the said George Goodright Lessee as aforesaid in like manner; and thereupon on motion of the said George Goodright Lessee as aforesaid by his attornies aforesaid it is ordered by the Court here that the writ of the State of Maryland of warrant of resurvey issue in this Cause; And the same accordingly issues directed to the sheriff and surveyor of Baltimore County in form following to wit.

The State of Maryland, to wit; To the sheriff and surveyor of Baltimore

Baltimore County, Greeting. Whereas at a General Court begun and held at the City of Annapolis on the second Tuesday of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight it was so far proceeded in a certain plea of trespass and ejectment in the said Court depending between a certain George Goodright Lessee of James Gittings Junr. plaintiff and a certain Aquila Hall defendant that it was considered absolutely necessary for the better information of the said Court and the Jury in the truth of the premises that all that tract or parcel of plantable Land commonly called and known by the name of Friendship Compleated lying and being in Baltimore County with the appurtenances thereto belonging containing thirty nine acres one quarter of an acre and twenty perches of land more or less Beginning for the same, at the end of the north, three hundred and ten perches line of a Tract of Land called Hills Forrest as run with six degrees allowance for variation and running thence with and bounding on said Land as run with the same allowance for variation, north eighty four degrees East one hundred and sixty eight perches, untill it intersects the given line of a Tract of Land called Cullings Addition as run with the same allowance for variation, Thence running with and bounding on said line with the same allowance for variation north fifty one degrees West one hundred and Eight perches, to the end of the third line of a tract of Land called Cullins Lot as run with the variation aforesaid and thence with a Straight line to the first place of beginning, be carefully resurveyed and laid out according to the ancient metes and Bounds thereof as in the original certificate of survey thereof is expressed, to the end that the said lands in Controversy, and the Claims and pretences of both parties may more plainly and indifferently appear to the Court and Jury, therefore you the said surveyor in the presence of you the said sheriff are hereby commanded carefully to resurvey and lay out as well the said lands in dispute as any other Land adjacent thereof which shall be thought necessary by the said Plaintiff or defendant to be laid out for the better illustration of the matter according to the Claims and pretentions of the Plaintiff in the presence of the defendant if he being summoned think fit to be present, and without