part of the said tract of plantable land called Trent neck lying and
being in the bounty aforesaid containing two thousand three hundred
and fifty four acres with the appurtenances to have and to hold
the said premises with the appurtenances to him the said Montezuma
Emperor of Mexico and his Assigns from the twenty seventh day
of February then last past for and during and unto the full end
and term of ten years from thence next following and fully to
be complete and ended And also that the said Nathaniel Washington
and Margaret his wife on the said first day of March eighteen
hundred and two at the bounty aforesaid had demised unto the
said Montezuma Emperor of Mexico one other undivided fourth
part of the said tract of plantable land called Trent neck lying
and being in Saint Marys bounty aforesaid containing two
thousand three hundred and fifty four acres with the appurtenances
to have and to hold the said premises with the appurtenances
unto him the said Montezuma Emperor of Mexico and his
Assigns from the twenty seventh day of February then last
past for and during and unto the full end and term of ten
years thence next following and fully to be complete and ended
And also that the said Henderson Sim Butler and Susanna
Greenfield his wife on the said first day of March eighteen
hundred and two at Saint Marys bounty aforesaid had demised
unto the said Montezuma Emperor of Mexico one other undivided
fourth part of the said Tract of plantable Land called Trent
neck lying and being in the bounty aforesaid containing
two thousand three hundred and fifty four acres with the
appurtenances To have and to hold the said premises with
the appurtenances unto the said Montezuma and his assigns
from the Twenty seventh day of February then last past for
and during and until the full end and term of ten years thence
next ensuing and fully to be complete and ended by virtue of
which said several demises the said Montezuma Emperor of



Mexico entered into all and singular the premises aforesaid with
the appurtenances thereunto belonging and was thereof possessed
And the said Montezuma Emperor of Mexico being so thereof possessed
the said Samuel Burress Leonard Burress Allen Billingsly Jonathan
Woodburn and John Lyon afterwards to wit on the said first day of
March with force and arms to wit with six field pieces five
hundred small arms fifty horse and five hundred foot at the bounty
aforesaid entered into the said several premises with the appurtenances
which the said George Frazier Hawkins Nathaniel Washington
and Margaret his wife and Henderson Sim Butler and Susanna
Greenfield his wife demised to the said Montezuma Emperor of
Mexico in manner aforesaid for the terms aforesaid which are not
yet expired and him the said Montezuma Emperor of Mexico from
the premises aforesaid ejected and other outrages to him the said Montezuma
then and there did to the great damage of him the said Montezuma
Emperor of Mexico and against the peace Government and dignity
of the State of Maryland and so forth whereby the said Montezuma
Emperor of Mexico saith he is injured and hath damage to the value
of one thousand pounds current money of Maryland and therefore
he brings suit and so forth

John T Mason Plffs Attorney

Thereupon on motion of the said Samuel Burress Leonard Burress Allen
Billingsly Jonathan Woodburn and John Lyon by their attorney
aforesaid leave is given by the Court here to the said Samuel Burress
Leonard Burress Allen Billingsley Jonathan Woodburn and John Lyon
to ascertain their defence and answer to the declaration aforesaid of the
said Montezuma Emperor of Mexico Lefore as aforesaid in the plea
aforesaid until the second Tuesday of October next the same day given
to the said Montezuma Emperor of Mexico Lefore as aforesaid and so
forth At which said second Tuesday of October being the twelfth
day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight