of one hundred and thirty six pounds current money, to the said State of Maryland have not rendered or paid, but the same to the said State hitherto to render or pay they have altogether refused, and still do refuse, whereof the said State saith it is the worse and hath damage to the value of fifty pounds like money aforesaid, and therefore the said State brings suit, and so forth: and brings here into Court the writing obligatory afo.d, sealed with the seal of the aforesaid Green and Cookshanks which the debt aforesaid, in form aforesaid, witnesseth, the date whereof is the day and year aforesaid, and so forth. —

L. Martin for the Pltff. Pledges and so forth. Jno Doe Richd Roe and the said State of Maryland by her attorney aforesaid prayeth that the said John Green and John Cookshanks to the Declaration of her the said State of Maryland may answer; whereupon it is ruled by the Court at the prayer of the said State of Maryland by her attorney aforesaid that the said John Green and John Cookshanks should answer to the Declaration aforesaid of the State of Maryland by Wednesday the twenty fifth of this present month and it is said to the said John Green and John Cookshanks that if they should not answer unto the Declaration aforesaid by the time aforesaid Judgment should be rendered against them by default: the same time was given to the said State of Maryland there and so forth: and now here at this time, to wit, the twenty fifth day of this present month; comith as well the said State of Maryland by her attorney aforesaid, and the aforesaid John Green and John Cookshanks by their attorney aforesaid, defends the force and injury when and so forth: and saith that they cannot deny the action aforesaid of the aforesaid State of Maryland so as aforesaid against them brought, nor but that they owe to the said State of Maryland the sum of one hundred and thirty six pounds current money in manner and form as the aforesaid State of Maryland above against them

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have declared: Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the State of Maryland do recover against the said John Green and John Cookshanks the debt aforesaid in form aforesaid acknowledged: as also the quantity of six hundred and eighty five pounds of Tobacco as well for her damages which she hath sustained by occasion of the detention of that debt, as for her cost and charges by them about their suit in this behalf expended unto the same State of Maryland by the Court here with their assent adjudged &c.: and the said John Green and John Cookshanks in mercy &c.

Test James Earle Clk:

The State of Maryland against George Hedrick and Edward Justice	The State of Maryland, by Luther Martin Attorney General of the said State sued out, on the fifth day of January Anno Domini, One thousand seven hundred and

eighty seven, its writ of Capias ad respondendum, the tenor whereof ensues in the following words, to wit: The State of Maryland, To the Sheriff of Cecil County greeting: We command you to take George Hedrick and Edward Justice, late of Cecil County otherwise called George Hedrick and Edward Justice, if they shall be found in your Bailiwick, and them safe keep, so that you have their bodies before the Judges of our next General Court to be held for the Eastern Shore of the said State at Talbot County Court house the second Tuesday of April next to answer unto the said State of Maryland of a plea that they render unto the said State the sum of two hundred and forty pounds current money which from the said State they unjustly detain and so forth: Hereof fail not at your Peril, and have you there this writ: Witness the honorable Robert Hanson Harrison Esquire, chief Judge of our said Court, the 6th day of October 1786 Issued the 5th day of January 1787. Test James Earle Clk:

And now here at this day, to wit, the said second Tuesday of April Anno Domini, One thousand seven hundred and eighty seven,