Goodtitle by his Attorney aforesaid and the Sheriff of Talbot County aforesaid also came here into Court and returned that he had delivered a Copy of the aforegoing Declaration and Notice to William Hambleton Tenant in possession of the premises on the fourteenth day of March then last past, and the said William Hambleton by Luther Martin his Attorney came here into Court and defended the force and injury when and so forth and entered into the common rule, and prayed the liberty of Imparling thereof until the second Tuesday of September then next following, and it was granted unto him the same day was given to the said James Goodtitle there &c. — At which said second Tuesday of September in the year aforesaid came the Parties aforesaid by their Attorneys aforesaid, and the said William Hambleton by his Attorney aforesaid defended the force and injury when and so forth and took defence according to his Pretensions as they should appear on a Warrant to be issued in this Cause, and prayed the further liberty of Imparling thereof until the second Tuesday of April then next following, and it was granted unto him the same day was given to the said James Goodtitle there &c. — At which said second Tuesday of April Seventeen hundred and ninety five came again the Parties aforesaid by their Attornies aforesaid and the Cause standing for Trial the said William Hambleton by his Attorney aforesaid prayed the further liberty of Imparling thereof until the second Tuesday of September then next following, and it was granted unto him the same day was given to the said James Goodtitle there &c. At which said second Tuesday of September in the year last aforesaid came again the Parties aforesaid by their Attornies aforesaid and the aforesaid Cause standing ready for trial the said William by his Attorney aforesaid prayed the further liberty of Imparling thereof until the second Tuesday of April then next following, and it was granted unto him the same day was given to the said James Goodtitle there &c. — And now here at this day, to wit, the second Tuesday of April Seventeen hundred and ninety six, come again into Court the said William Hambleton by his Attorney aforesaid, but the said James Goodtitle Lessee as aforesaid although solemnly called cometh not, nor his Action aforesaid doth further prosecute. Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said James Goodtitle Lessee of the said James Porter, take nothing by his Declaration aforesaid but that he for his false Clamor be in mercy &c. and that the said William Hambleton go thereof without day. — And it is further considered by the same Court, that the said William Hambleton do recover against the said James Goodtitle Lessee aforesaid the quantity of Five hundred and forty four pounds of Tobacco, unto the said William Hambleton with his Assent adjudged &c. for his Costs and Charges by him about his defence in this behalf laid out and expended, and that he have thereof his Execution &c.

James Earle Sum: Clerk

Elizabeth Nicholson's Lessee against William Hemsley. } William Hemsley late of Talbot County Gentleman was attached to answer unto Thomas Trusty in a plea wherefore with force and arms &c. he into one undivided third part of all that Tract or parcel of plantable Land lying and being in the County aforesaid called "Hapton" otherwise called Hopton or Hoptown containing eight hundred and twenty Acres of Land with its Appurtenances which Elizabeth Nicholson to the same Thomas demised for a Term not yet past, entered, and him from his Farm aforesaid ejected, and committed other outrages on him to the great Damage of the said Thomas and against the Peace Dignity and Government of the State of Maryland &c. — And whereupon the said Thomas Trusty by Luther Martin his Attorney says, that whereas the aforesaid Elizabeth Nicholson on the first day of January in the year seventeen hundred and ninety at Talbot County aforesaid had demised to him the said Thomas the aforesaid undivided third part of the said first mentioned Tract or parcel of plantable Land with its Appurtenances — To Have and To Hold the same undivided third part of the aforementioned Tract or parcel of plantable Land to the said Thomas and his Assigns from the last day of December then last past until the full end and Term of seven years fully to be complete and ended, yeilding and paying therefor the yearly rent of five shillings if the same should be legally Demanded; By virtue of which said Demise the said Thomas did enter into the said Tenements with their Appurtenances, and was thereof possessed; and he the said Thomas being so thereof possessed, the said William afterwards, to wit, on the second day of January in the same year of seventeen hundred and ninety with force and arms and so forth, into the Tenements aforesaid with the Appurtenances which the aforesaid Elizabeth Nicholson to him the said Thomas in form aforesaid demised for the Term aforesaid which is not yet passed, entered and him the said Thomas from his Farm aforesaid did eject, and other Damages to him the said Thomas did to the great Damage of him the said Thomas and against the Peace Government and dignity of the State of Maryland; Whereby the said Thomas saith that he is injured and hath Damage to the value of fifteen hundred pounds current money of Maryland and therefore he brings Suit and so forth. — John Doe

Luther Martin Pro Quer. Pledges &c. Richd Roe

A Copy of the aforegoing Declaration was made and delivered to the Sheriff of Talbot County to be served on the Tenant in possession of the premises. — And at this day, to wit, the second Tuesday of April Seventeen hundred and ninety four, came into Court the aforesaid Thomas Trusty Lessee of the said Elizabeth Nicholson by Luther Martin his Attorney aforesaid, and the Sheriff of Talbot County also came here into Court and made return that he had delivered a Copy of the aforegoing Declaration in Ejectment to William Hemsley the Tenant