and thereof he bringeth suit &c — Cha. Goldsborough Junr. Atty for Pltff. Pledges &c {Jno Doe / Rich. Roe}

And thereupon it was ruled by the Court at the prayer of the said Millson Hunt, Surviving Partner as aforesaid, by his Attorney aforesaid, that the said George Jackson and George Vansant Mann answer to the Declaration aforesaid of the said Millson Hunt in the plea aforesaid; and the said George Jackson and George Vansant Mann by their Attorney aforesaid, defend the force and injury when &c — and prayed leave of the Court to imparle until the next Term, and they had it; The same day was given to the said Millson Hunt, then, &c —

And now here, at this day, to wit, the second Tuesday of September in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight, comes again into Court the parties aforesaid by their Attorneys aforesaid; and the said George Jackson and George Vansant Mann by their Attorney aforesaid further defend the force and injury when &c, and say, that they cannot deny the action aforesaid of the said Millson Hunt, so as aforesaid against them brought, nor but that they the said George Jackson and George Vansant Mann did assume upon themselves in manner and form as the said Millson Hunt above thereof against them complains, nor likewise but that the said Millson Hunt hath sustained Damages by reason of the nonperformance of the promises and Assumptions aforesaid, to the sum of eight hundred pounds Current money, as he the said Millson Hunt above by declaring supposes — Whereupon the said Millson Hunt by his Attorney aforesaid, prays Judgment, of those Damages so acknowledged, together with his Costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf laid out and expended, to him to be adjudged &c — Therefore it is considered by the Court here, that the said Millson Hunt Surviving Partner as aforesaid recover against the said George Jackson, and George Vansant Mann, as well the said sum of eight hundred pounds Current money, above acknowledged, for his Damages, which he hath sustained by reason of the non performance of the promises and Assumptions aforesaid, as the Quantity of seven hundred and eight pounds of Tobacco, adjudged by the Court here unto the said Millson Hunt Surviving Partner as aforesaid, for his Costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf laid out and expended: And the said George Jackson and George Vansant Mann in mercy &c — Test, Saml Earle Junr. Clerk —

Memorandum. Judgment was confessed in this action on the 18th day of September 1798. for £800 Cy: and Costs. To be released on the payment of £454 0 0 Current money, with Interest thereon from the 1st day of April 1797. till paid & Costs. — with Stay of Execution until the next Term.

Robert Dunn, Assignee of James Bowers against Richard Ricaud

Be it remembered that on the thirty first day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety seven, Command was given to the Sheriff of Kent County to take Richard Ricaud late of Kent County, Maryland Farmer, if he should be found in his Bailiwick

and him safe keep, so that he might have his body before the Judges of our General Court, to be held at Easton in Talbot County, on the second Tuesday of September then next, to answer unto Robert Dunn, Assignee according to the act of Assembly in such case made and provided of James Bowers, of a plea that he the said Richard Ricaud render unto him the said Robert Dunn, the just and full sum of five hundred and seventy four pounds eleven shillings and one penny half penny Current money of Maryland which from him he unjustly detains and so forth. — And that thereof he the said Sheriff should not fail, at his peril and should have then and there this Writ &c — At which said second Tuesday of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety seven (being the day for the return of the aforegoing Writ) came into Court the said Robert Dunn by William Carroll Esquire his Attorney, and the Sheriff of Kent County, to whom the said Writ was, in form aforesaid directed, likewise came and made return thereof to our said Court thus endorsed, to wit. — "Cepi. C. Hall Shff." — And the said Richard Ricaud being called, appeared in Court by John Scott Esquire his Attorney; Thereupon, on motion of the said Robert Dunn by his Attorney aforesaid, it was ruled by the Court that the said Richard Ricaud should give Special bail in the plea aforesaid. — And the said Richard Ricaud by his Attorney aforesaid, offered in Court a certain Bail piece, and which being approved of by the Court is in form, following, to wit. —

Robert Dunn, Assignee according to the act of Assembly, in such case made & provided of James Bowers, Plaintiff against Richard Ricaud, Defendant. — } You Henry Page and Richard Hutchinson, do jointly and severally acknowledge yourselves Special bail for the said Richard Ricaud, at the suit of the said Robert Dunn, Assignee according to the act of Assembly in such case made and provided of James Bowers, in an action of Debt, brought by the said Robert Dunn Assignee according to the act of Assembly in such case made and provided, of James Bowers against the said Richard Ricaud in the General Court. — They acknowledge themselves to be content therewith this eighth day of September seventeen hundred and ninety seven, before Solo the Honorable, the Judges of the General Court. — Test Comegys, & James Parker Clks

And thereupon the said Richard Ricaud by his Attorney aforesaid defended the force and injury when &c, and prayed leave of the Court to imparle until the next Term, and he had it; The same day was given to the said Robert Dunn Assignee as aforesaid, then, &c — At which said next Term, to wit, the second Tuesday of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight, came again into Court the parties aforesaid by their Attorneys aforesaid, and the said Robert Dunn Assignee as aforesaid by his Attorney aforesaid Declared against the said Richard Ricaud in the plea aforesaid in manner and form following, to wit. —

Eastern Shore General Court. Kent County Set. Richard Ricaud late of Kent County, Maryland, Farmer, was summoned to answer unto Robert Dunn, Assignee, according to the form of the act of Assembly in such case made and provided of James Bowers, of a plea that he ~~render unto~~ the said Richard Ricaud render unto him the said Robert Dunn the just and full sum of five hundred & seventy