The said Richard and against the peace &c. Whereupon the said
Richard saith that it is damnified and hath left to the value of
Two hundred pounds that and thereupon he prays that he may be
judged &c. And the said Richard

To which replevying bond was annexed the following return viz:

Which the Sheriff or Bailiff in possession of the land and premises in
the within bond mentioned or to the value thereof do say
the within bond mentioned or to the value thereof comprehend the land
same. So at the next court held at Dorchester the land
holden in & for the said County of Dorchester the said appear
within bond and make their Bail according to Law and
admit of all matters of fact and right as the defendant or defendants
defend. in the said bond will further judgment to pass by default and
thereupon execution of the premises will be delivered to the plaintiff

To Mr. Henry Coker and Sheriff in Dorchester present

At a court held the third tuesday of October be with the 11th day of the
same month among the Court Henry Shallowford by his attorney
his attorney and defendant the said Henry appeared and
for a defence the said to the said and premises in question, and prays
for to defend the said to the said court and the said
leave to imparle thereunto until next court and the said
the same day is given to the plaintiff also

At which said next court to wit the 11th day of April anno Dom
1712 came again as well the said plaintiff by his attorney and at the
said defendant by his attorney and the said defendant by his attorney
prays further leave to imparle thereunto until next court and the
said and the same day is given to the plaintiff also

At which said next court to wit the 11th day of July anno
Dom 1712 came again the said plaintiff by his attorney
court by order of the said Henry Shallowford claimed the action
of, and made in further defence the said Shallowford thereunto
and thereupon the said plaintiff by his attorney of, that the
defend. in the said of mentioned, the land in possession of him or them
under whom the said to the said of may answer, but the said
in respect for the said Mary Coker nor any other person or persons
whatsoever claiming other or not appear to the action of
according to the nature of, the said defendant whereby the said plaintiff
damages without further defence in the premises aforesaid
Therefore it is considered by the court that the said and year of
mentioned that the said said said said of the said the said
recover against the said the said the said to come and maintain
other and with the said said said and premises with the appurtenances
of, and that he have thereof his possession against the said the said
and that the said defend. be taken &c.

Walter Campbell
Plaintiff
George Woodward
Defendant

Maryland ss

The said Walter Campbell obtained
his writ of replevin against the land of
which follows in these words viz:

WILL by the grace of God of great Britain France
and Ireland Queen Defender of the faith &c. To the Sheriff
of Dorchester County greeting whereas Francis on the third day
of June in the twelfth year of our reign &c. complaint was made
by a Christian George Woodward of our County of Dorchester planter
to our Lanthorman and one of our Justices of our peace within our
said County to keep & signified that a Christian Walter Campbell with force
and arms did the Lands Cattels & Goods at that time the property of a
Christian John Simmons with strong hand did take, and the same George
did detain, and whereas the said our Lanthorman intending to give
him remedy in that behalf did according to the Statute in that case
made and provided Command to come before him the next four men &c.
to inquire of and to enquire the premises which the said four men
have found upon oath on the fifth day of this June in the
year aforesaid in presence of the aforesaid our Lanthorman
under Contour of the Statute in that case & Justice of inquisition
of that land whereon the said was replevied to be Considered
made to the aforesaid George Woodward which damage and Damages of
the aforesaid our Lanthorman together with the record of the said
court then before him was by virtue of our writ of Certiorari to
the Justices of our Court on the twentieth day of April in the
and our said Justices of our said Court having Direct inspection into
the proceedings of the aforesaid our Lanthorman considering the
premises aforesaid have adjudged the same to greater and that and
void by reason of Default done in the same found and that the
possession given to the aforesaid Woodward as a Bailiffs was
illegal and also that the aforesaid Walter Campbell should return
the Cattle and other as of the proceedings aforesaid have been
yet made by the aforesaid our Lanthorman We therefore Command
you on behalf that possession of the land as aforesaid
before to the aforesaid Woodward, to the same Walter Campbell
without delay you cause to be restored and delivered and the
in quiet and peaceable possession thereof to be put and maintained,
then you shall receive this writ you shall return to our Justices
of our said Court to be held at Annapolis the second tuesday of
July next and have you there this writ witness Philip Lord Lord
Chief Justice of our said Court the 15th day of April
in the 9th year of our reign &c. Annoque Dom 1710 per Curiam &c.

Macnemara

On the back of the foregoing Writ for the Sheriff of Dorchester County
and to whome the same was Directed Mary Coker wife of Thomas in these
words viz: