

and the practice of this Honble Court and for that the Said Replication is not Signed by Council or other practitioner in the Honble Court the benefitt Advantage and all rights of Extion¹ thereto always reserved to this Def^t he further Saith in all and Every matter and thing as in his answer he hath before Said wth out that that any other Matter or thing in the Said Replication contained Material or effectual in the Law to be rejoyned unto by this Defendant and not herein and hereby well and Sufficently rejoyned unto by this Def^t and not herein and hereby well and Sufficently rejoyned unto traversed or denyed is true all w^{ch} Matters and things this Def^t is ready to aver as this Honble Court Shall award and therefore prayeth as he before in his Answer hath prayed.

Tho: Bordley

MARYLAND SS Charles absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltemore etc. To Daniel Mariarte Caleb Dorsey Samuel Young and John Beale Gent Greeting Know ye that we have appointed you or any two or three of you to be our Commissioners to examine evidences in a certain causes [sic] Depending in our Court of Chancery Between John Gresham Gent Complt and Tho^s Bordley Defendant Wee therefore require you or any two or three of you that at Such time and place as to you or any two or three of you Shall Seem Convenient you cause to come before you or any two or three of you all Such evidences as shall be to you or any two or three of you named by either the Complainant or Defendant and that you examine them and every of them on their Corporall oaths to be [399] by you Administred on the Holy Evangelist in presence of the Said Complainant and Defendant (if they having Timely Notice thereof think fitt to be present) touching their knowledge of any thing that may relate to the cause aforesaid And that reducing in Writing their Several Depositions you Send the Same together with this our Commission under your or any two or three of your hands and Seales with all Convenient Speed to us in our high Court of Chancery Wittness our Trusty and well beloved Jn^o Hart Esq^r Cap^t Generall and Gov^r in Chief of our Province of Maryland etc. att the City of Annapolis the 25th day of Jan^y in the 3^d year of our Dominion etc. Anno Dom 1717 [Locus Sigilli]

John Beard Reg^r

The Execution of the within Comⁿ appears by the Seald Depositions hereunto Annext, the Severall Evidences therein mentioned being Sowrne [sic] to the Truth of their S^a Depositions In Testimony whereof we have hereunto Set our hands and Seales this 24th day of Feb^y 1717

Sam ^l Young	[X]
Caleb Dorsey	[X]
Joh Beale	[X]

¹ A contraction of "Exception."