charges or render himself to the prison and custody of the sheriff of the County aforesaid on that occasion; And thereupon on motion of the said William Vincent and John Robertson by their Attorney aforesaid it is ruled by the Court here that the said Henry Cooksey answer to the Declaration of the said William Vincent and John Robertson in the plea aforesaid or Judgment by the Court here will be entered against him in default thereof: And the said Henry Cooksey by his Attorney aforesaid defends the force and injury when and so forth and prays leave of the Court here to imparle until the third Monday of August next; and then to answer to the Declaration aforesaid of the said William Vincent and John Robertson in the plea aforesaid and to him it is granted the same day is given to the said William Vincent and John Robertson also.

At which said third Monday of August being the 20th day of the said month in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and ten to which said day the said Henry Cooksey has leave to imparle and then to answer to the Declaration aforesaid of the said William Vincent and John Robertson in the plea aforesaid, comes again into the County Court here as well the said William Vincent and John Robertson by their attorney aforesaid as the said Henry Cooksey by his attorney aforesaid: And thereupon the said William Vincent and John Robertson by their Attorney aforesaid, pray that the said Henry Cooksey may answer to the Declaration of them the said William Vincent and John Robertson in the plea aforesaid: Whereupon it is further ruled by the Court here that the said Henry Cooksey answer to the Declaration of the said William Vincent and John Robertson in the plea aforesaid, and if the said Henry Cooksey doth not answer to the Declaration of the said William Vincent and John Robertson in the plea aforesaid Judgment will be rendered against him by default: And the said Henry Cooksey by his said Attorney as before defends the force and injury when &c and prays further leave of the Court here to imparle until the third Monday of March next to answer to the Declaration of the said William Vincent and John Robertson in the plea aforesaid and then hath it: the same day is given to the said William Vincent and John Robertson then &c.

And now here at this day to wit the third Monday of March being the 18th day of the said month in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eleven, comes again into the County Court here as well the said William Vincent and John Robertson by their Attorney aforesaid as the said Henry Cooksey by his Attorney aforesaid. And the said Henry Cooksey by his Attorney aforesaid says that he cannot deny the action aforesaid of the said William Vincent and John

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Robertson so as aforesaid against him brought, nor but that he owes to the said William Vincent and John Robertson the said sum of forty five pounds eleven shillings and three pence half penny Current Money in manner and form aforesaid as the said William Vincent and John Robertson above against him have declared; Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said William Vincent and John Robertson recover against the said Henry Cooksey as well the sum of forty five pounds eleven shillings and three pence half penny Current Money their Debt aforesaid in form aforesaid confessed as the sum of forty five pounds Current Money certain Damages & also the sum of six Dollars and fifty cents for their costs and charges by them about their suit in this behalf laid out and expended, and the said Henry Cooksey in Mercy &c.

Memorandum. Judgment was rendered in this cause on the 21st day of March for forty five pounds eleven shillings and three pence half penny Current Money Debt, and forty five pounds Current Money Damages and costs. and the plaintiffs agreed to release the aforesaid Damages on payment of Interest on the Debt aforesaid from the 1st day of December 1798 untill paid. The plaintiffs also agreed to stay Execution two months.

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Afterwards to wit on the 28th day of May in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and eleven, the said Henry Cooksey by his Attorney aforesaid produced the writ of the State of Maryland for the correcting of error of and upon the Judgment aforesaid directed to the Judges of Charles County Court in the words and of the tenor following to wit: Maryland ss. The state of Maryland To the Honourable the Judges of the first Judicial District Greeting. Because in the Record and process and also in the rendering of Judgment in a certain action brought by William Vincent and John Robertson against Henry Cooksey in Charles County Court for as well the sum of forty five pounds eleven shillings and three pence half penny Current Money a certain Debt and forty five pounds eleven shillings Current money Damages and also the sum of six Dollars and fifty cents costs. at a County Court held before you our said Judges at March term manifest error as it is said hath happened to the great Damage of the said Henry Cooksey as of his complaint we have received; and we being willing that the errors if any there be should be duly corrected and full and speedy Justice done to the said Henry Cooksey in this behalf command you that if Judgment be thereof rendered that then the Record and process aforesaid with all things thereunto relating under your Seals distinctly and openly you send and this writ. so that the same may be had before the Judges of our High Court of Appeals at Annapolis on the third Monday of July next, that the Record and process aforesaid being

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