Bailiwick and that him so taken you safe keep so that you have his body before the Justices of Baltimore County Court at the Court house in the same County the Tuesday before the Monday preceeding the first Tuesday in February next to answer unto the State of Maryland on a presentment and Indictment against him for stopping a road hereof fail not at your peril and have you then there this writ Witness Andrew Buchanan Gentleman presiding Justice of our said Court the sixth day of October in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred and seventy nine L.M. Issued the 21st day of October 1779 — W Gibson Clk.

At which said Tuesday before the Monday preceeding the first Tuesday in February Seventeen hundred and eighty cometh the Sheriff of Baltimore County to whom the aforesaid writ was directed to wit Henry Stevenson Gentleman and maketh return thereof to the Court now here thus endorsed — Ex. Henry Stevenson Sheriff — Whereupon Command is given to the Sheriff of Baltimore County that he take into his custody the body of the said Adam McGaw and him have here the Tuesday before the Monday preceeding the first Tuesday in June next then and there to answer the presentment and Indictment aforesaid — And now here at this day to wit the Tuesday before the Monday preceeding the first Tuesday in June seventeen hundred and eighty cometh the said Adam McGaw in his proper person in Custody of the Sheriff of Baltimore County to wit Joseph Baxter Gentleman — And the said Adam McGaw produces to the Court now here the State of Marylands writ of Habeas Corpus Closed in the words and figures following to wit The State of Maryland Ss. To the Justices and Sheriff of Baltimore County Greeting Whereas a certain Adam McGaw of Baltimore County is detained in the prison of our said County under the custody of you our said Sheriff at the suit of us upon an Indictment found in Baltimore County Criminal Court against him for stopping a public road and so forth which said plea as it is said still depends before you our said Justices undetermined And we being willing for divers causes that the plea aforesaid undetermined as aforesaid should be heard and determined before the Judges of our General Court Command you that you have the body of the said Adam McGaw by whatsoever name he be called in the plea aforesaid together with the day and cause of his caption and detainer and all things thereunto relating before the Judges of our General Court to be held at the City of Annapolis on the second Tuesday of October next that our said Judges may further proceed therein as to justice appertains and so forth Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then there this writ Witness Nicholas Thomas Esquire one of the Judges of our said Court the 22d day of May Anno Domini 1780. Issued 26th May 1780. (D. McMechen) Thos Brooke Hodgkin Clk.

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Whereupon Zacharias Stroble and William Slade now here in Court acknowledge themselves each to owe and stand justly indebted to the State of Maryland in the sum of one hundred pounds Current money of their goods and Chattles lands and Tenements to be made and levied to the use of the said State on condition that they do not make their personal appearance at the next general

Court to be held for the western Shore of the State of Maryland at the City of Annapolis the second Tuesday in October next then and there to testify on behalf of the said State against Adam McGaw and not to depart that Court without the leave thereof, And it is ordered now here that the proceedings aforesaid be transmitted according to the directions of the said writ of Habeas Corpus —

(County Seal) In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand & seal of my office this twentieth day of August Seventeen hundred & Eighty — William Gibson Clk B. Coty —

And now here at this day to wit the second Tuesday of October being the 10th day of the same month Anno Domini 1780 comes into Court here as well Luther Martin Esquire the States Attorney General who for the said State in this behalf prosecuteth as the said Adam McGaw by David McMechen his Attorney and thereupon day is given as well to the said Luther Martin Esquire who as well &c as to the said Adam McGaw untill the second Tuesday of May next here and so forth At which said second Tuesday of May being the eighth day of the same month Anno Domini 1781 comes again as well the said Luther Martin Esquire who as well &c as the said Adam McGaw by his Attorney aforesaid And thereupon day is given as well to the said Luther Martin Esquire who as well &c as to the said Adam McGaw untill the second Tuesday of October next here and so forth At which said second Tuesday of October being the 9th day of the same month Anno Domini 1781 comes again as well the said Luther Martin Esquire who as well &c as the said Adam McGaw by his Attorney aforesaid And thereupon day is given as well to the said Luther Martin Esquire who as well &c as to the said Adam McGaw untill the second Tuesday of May next here and so forth At which said second Tuesday of May being the 15th day of the same month Anno Domini 1782 comes again as well the said Luther Martin Esquire who as well &c as the said Adam McGaw by David McMechen his Attorney aforesaid And the said Adam McGaw by his attorney aforesaid submits himself to the grace of the Court here in and upon the premises This thereupon considered by the same Court that the said Adam McGaw of and from the Indictment aforesaid and premises be hence discharged and free and that he go thereof without day &c.

Test Thos B. Hodgkin Cl.

The State against Henry Howard } Memorandum the Defendant sued out the States writ of Certiorari the tenor thereof is as follows to wit

The State of Maryland Ss. To the Justices and Clerk of Baltimore County Greeting we being willing for certain causes to be certified of the record and proceedings of a certain presentment or Indictment found in Baltimore County Court against a certain Henry Howard for assaulting Benjamin Roberts and Asael Roberts Do command you that the record and proceedings on the said presentment or Indictment or on any other Criminal process by which the said Henry Howard stands charged