by his Attorney aforesaid (as before) defends the force and injury when and so forth, and saith that the aforesaid John McLure his Action aforesaid against him to have or maintain ought not &c. because he saith that he the said William Stayton did pay unto the aforesaid John McLure the said sum of Money in the Condition of the said writing Obligatory mentioned with Legal Interest thereon according to the form and effect of the Condition of the said writing Obligatory and this he is ready to verify, Wherefore he prays Judgment if the aforesaid John McLure his action aforesaid against him to have or maintain ought &c. &c. —

And the aforesaid John McLure by his Attorney aforesaid saith that he by any thing by the said William Stayton above in pleading alleged from having or maintaining his action aforesaid against him ought not to be precluded because he saith that the said William Stayton hath not paid unto him the aforesaid John McLure the aforesaid sum of Money in the Condition aforesaid mentioned with the Interest thereon in such manner and form as the said William Stayton above by pleading hath alleged, and this he prays may be enquired of by the country and the said William Stayton in like manner and &c. &c. — Therefore let a Jury thereon appear before the Court here, on the second Tuesday of October next, by whom and &c. &c. and who neither and &c. &c. — to recognize and &c. &c. because as well and &c. &c. the same day is given to the said parties then and there and &c. &c. —

And Now, at this day, to wit, the said second Tuesday of October, being the fourteenth day of the same Month, in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and eighty eight, come again into the General Court here, as well the aforesaid John McLure by his Attorney aforesaid, as the said William Stayton by his Attorney aforesaid, relinquishing the assumpsit aforesaid, above by him pretended says, that he cannot deny the Action aforesaid of the aforesaid John McLure so as aforesaid against him brought, nor but that he owes to the aforesaid John McLure the aforesaid sum of Two hundred pounds Current Money this day of Maryland in manner and form aforesaid, so as the aforesaid John McLure above against him hath declared —

Therefore it is considered by the Court here, that the aforesaid John McLure, recover against the said William Stayton as well the sum of Two hundred pounds Current Money this day of Maryland his Debt aforesaid in form aforesaid confessed, as the Quantity of Nine hundred and thirty seven pounds and three fifths of a pound of Tobacco by the Court here unto the aforesaid John McLure on his absent adjudged for his damages which he hath

sustained as well by reason of the detention of that Debt, as for his Costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf laid out and expended — and the said William Stayton in Mercy and &c. &c.

Memorandum, Judgment rendered in this cause on the twenty seventh day of October in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and eighty eight, for the Penalty and Costs of suit, and the Plaintiff agrees to release the Penalty upon the payment of Principal, Interest and Costs, and agrees to stay Execution until the tenth day of February next — Payments if any to be allowed &c. —

Test. John Gwinn Clerk &c. —

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Ludwick Wampler against Benjamin Laurence and Beale Owings	Be it remembered, that heretofore, to wit, on the fourteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and eighty seven, the said Benjamin Laurence and Beale Owings by Luther Martin his Attorney sued out of the General Court here, the State

of Maryland's writ of Habeas Corpus, directed to the Justices and Sheriff of Baltimore County, in the words and figures following, to wit —

The State of Maryland Set. To the Justices and Sheriff of Baltimore County, Greeting. Whereas Benjamin Laurence and Beale Owings are detained in the Prison of our said County under the Custody of you our said Sheriff, at the suit of a certain Ludwick Wampler in a plea of Debt and &c. &c. which said plea still remains before you our said Justices undetermined as it is said, we being willing for divers causes that the plea aforesaid undetermined as aforesaid should be heard and determined before the Judges of our said Court — Do therefore command you that you have the Bodies of the said Benjamin Laurence and Beale Owings by whatsoever names they be called in the plea aforesaid together with the day and cause of their Caption and detainer and all things thereunto relating before the Judges of our General Court to be held at