City of Annapolis the second Tuesday of May next that the Judges of our said General Court may further proceed therein as to Justice appertains and so forth; hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there this writ.

Witness the honourable Robert Hanson Harrison Esquire chief Judge of our said court this 18th day of November anno dominii 1788.

Issued the 31st day of March anno dominii 1789. Jno. Quinn Clk.

D. McMechen

At which said second Tuesday of May being the twelfth day of the same month Anno Domini seventeen hundred and Eighty nine and the day of the return of the aforegoing writ the Justices and Sheriff of Baltimore County to whom the said writ of Habeas Corpus was made and directed in pursuance thereof and according to the form of the act of Assembly in such Cases made and provided transmitted to the Judges of our General Court here the following record to wit.

Baltimore County to wit. At a County Court of the State of Maryland held at the court house in Baltimore Town in and for the County aforesaid on the first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty nine.

Present

John Moale	Sth. Vnb Bibber	Thomas Elliott	Edmund Stansbury
James Calhoun	Thos. Russell	Thomas Todd	Thomas Bailey
Geo: G. Presbury	Wm. Russell	Lyde Goodwin	Thorowgood Smith
Isaac Vnb Bibber	Edwd. Cockey	Richd. Owings	Isaac Griest.

Francis Snowden, Gentlemen Justices

Thos. Rutter Esqr. Sheriff William Gibson Clk.

Among other were the following proceedings viz.

William and Robert Molleson
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George Fitzhugh

Be it remembered that heretofore on the sixth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty eight the State of Maryland's writ of habeas adrespondendum issued to the Sheriff of Baltimore County in the words and figures following Vizt.

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State of Maryland To the sheriff of Baltimore County Greeting. We command you that you take George Fitzhugh late of Baltimore County Gentleman if he shall be found in your bailiwick and that him so taken you safe keep so that you have his body before the Justices of Baltimore County Court at the Courthouse In the same County the first day in April next to answer unto William Mollison and Robert Mollison of a plea of Trespass upon the Case and so forth. hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there this writ.

Witness George Gould. Presbury Gentleman presiding Justice of our said Court the 26th day of February in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred and Eighty eight.

Issued the 6th day of March 1788. William Gibson Clk.

H. B.

At which said first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty eight Cometh the said William Molleson and Robert Mollison by Henry Ridgely their attorney. And now here also Cometh the Sheriff of Baltimore County to whom the aforesaid writ was directed to wit. Philip Graybell Gentleman who maketh return thereof to the Court now here thus endorsed.

Cepi Philip Graybell

And the said George Fitzhugh now here also cometh by David McMechen his attorney and now here also cometh into Court in his proper person a certain James Winkoop and undertakes and becomes pledge and bail for the said George Fitzhugh that if it shall happen that the said George Fitzhugh at the suit of the said William Molleson and Robert Molleson in the plea aforesaid shall be convicted then the said James Winkoop doth grant that all such damages costs and charges which to the said William Mollison and Robert Molleson in this part shall be adjudged of his lands and chattels shall be made to and for the use of the said William Mollison and Robert Mollison to be levied if it shall happen that the said George Fitzhugh the damages costs and charges aforesaid to the said William Molleson and Robert Molleson shall not pay or his body