had, for that it appears to the Court here that there is no error either in the record and proceedings aforesaid in the rendition of the Judgment aforesaid. Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the Judgment aforesaid, of the said County Court of Prince George's County be in all things affirmed and ratified and that the said Freeman Carter have execution as well for the debt damages costs and charges aforesaid as also the quantity of seven hundred and twenty four pounds of Tobacco for his costs & charges which he had sustained by occasion of the said Joshua Mayler appealing unto the General Court here and so forth.

Judgment affirmed the sixteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety two, for execution of one hundred and fifty pounds current money as also the quantity of three hundred and ninety five pounds of Tobacco costs in the County Court, and seven hundred and twenty four pounds of Tobacco costs on this Appeal stay execution till first day of January next.

Test. Jno. Gwinn Clk.

John Somerville
ag.
Henry Hunt

Be it remembered that heretofore to wit on the second Tuesday of October being the ninth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Ninety two, the Chief Justice and associate Justices of Calvert County in pursuance of the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided transmit to the General Court here the record and proceedings before them in the said County Court between John Somerville plaintiff and Henry Hunt defendant and wherein the said County Court give their Judgment for the said Henry Hunt as aforesaid against the said John Somerville prayed an Appeal unto the General Court here the tenor of which said record and proceedings is in form following to wit.

Maryland Sc.

At a County Court begun and held at Prince Frederick Town in and for Calvert County on the Monday before the third Tuesday of September being the Eighteenth day of the same month anno Dominis 1786.

Present.

Samuel Chew . . . . . Levin Mackall
Samuel Lane . . . . . John Brooke.

Gentlemen Justices by commission of the State of Maryland Lawfully authorized assigned and so forth.

William Allein Gent. Sheriff — James Morsell Jun. Clk.

Were the following proceedings.

ell. S. John Somerville
ag.
D. S. Henry Hunt

Calvert County Sct. Henry Hunt late of Calvert County High Sheriff of was attached to answer unto John Somerville of a plea of trespass upon the case and so forth. And whereupon the said John by ellis Michael Jenifer Stone his attorney complains that whereas he the said John on the first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty four at St. Marys County to wit, at Calvert County aforesaid was possessed of a certain Negro man slave called Tom of the value of five hundred pounds current money as of his own proper slave and whereas the aforesaid Negro slave being a runaway was taken up apprehended and carried as such before Levin Mackall Esquire one of the Justices of Calvert County aforesaid legally authorized and sworn to keep the peace and so forth in the County aforesaid and afterwards to wit, on the first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty nine aforesaid the said Levin Mackall having then and there examined into the premises and found Good Ground to commit the said Negro Tom as a runaway and the said Levin Mackall having authority as aforesaid, on the day and year last aforesaid, at the County aforesaid by his warrant signed by the said Levin Mackall and directed to the Sheriff of Calvert County aforesaid did authorize and command the aforesaid Sheriff to take the body of the aforesaid Negro Tom, sent to the aforesaid Sheriff with the warrant aforesaid, and him safely keep until the said Negro Tom was lawfully released and delivered to him the said Slaves lawful owner according to law by virtue of which said warrant the said Henry afterwards to wit, on the day and year last aforesaid at the County aforesaid received the said Negro slave Tom into his Custody and possession with the warrant aforesaid, directed to him as aforesaid to be kept as aforesaid and that the aforesaid John in fact saith that the said Henry at the time when the said Negro Tom was apprehended committed and into the Custody of the said Henry received as aforesaid the said Henry was the Sheriff of Calvert County so qualified sworn accepted and reputed. And whereas the said John afterwards to wit, on the first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty four at St. Marys County to wit at Calvert County aforesaid was possessed of one other Negro man slave