At which said next court to wit the ninth day of October Anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety two comes again here into our General Court as well the aforesaid Hannah Devilbiss by her attorney aforesaid as the aforesaid George Creager and Adam Creager by their attorney aforesaid as before defends the force and injury when and so forth and say that the said Hannah Devilbiss her action aforesaid against them to have or maintain ought not and so forth because they say that they the said George Creager and Adam Creager did pay unto the said Hannah Devilbiss 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 they are ready to verify wherefore they pray judgment if the said Hannah Devilbiss her action aforesaid against them to have or maintain ought and so forth.

And the said Hannah Devilbiss saith that she by any thing by the said George Creager and Adam Creager above in pleading alledged from having or maintaining her action aforesaid against them ought not to be precluded because she saith that the aforesaid George Creager and Adam Creager did not pay unto her the said Hannah Devilbiss the aforesaid sum of money in the condition aforesaid mentioned with the interest thereon in such manner and form as the said George Creager and Adam Creager above by pleading have alledged and of this she prays may be enquired of by the county and the aforesaid George Creager and Adam Creager in like manner and so forth.

Therefore let a jury thereupon appear before the judges of our general Court here on the second Tuesday of May next by whom etc and who neither etc to recognize etc because as well etc the same day is given to the parties aforesaid there etc.

And now here at this day to wit the said second Tuesday of May being the fourteenth day of the same month Anno domini seventeen hundred and ninety three comes again here into our general Court as well the aforesaid Hannah Devilbiss by her attorney aforesaid as the aforesaid George Creager and Adam Creager by their attorney aforesaid.

Nevertheless the aforesaid George Creager and Adam Creager by their attorney aforesaid relinquishing the averment above by them pretended say that they cannot deny the action aforesaid of the aforesaid Hannah Devilbiss so as aforesaid against them brought nor but that they owe to the aforesaid

aforesaid Hannah Devilbiss the aforesaid sum of one hundred and eighty pounds current money in manner and form aforesaid so as aforesaid Hannah Devilbiss above against them hath declared.

Therefore it is considered by the judges here that the aforesaid Hannah Devilbiss recover against the said George Creager and Adam Creager as well the sum of one hundred and eighty pounds current money her debt aforesaid in form aforesaid confessed as also the quantity of one thousand and forty pounds of tobacco by the court here unto the said Hannah Devilbiss on her agent adjudged as well for her damages sustained by reason of the detention of that debt as for her costs and charges by her about her suit in this behalf laid out and expended and the said Defendants in mercy etc.

Memorandum, Judgment was rendered in this cause on the fifteenth day of May Anno domini seventeen hundred and ninety three for 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 first day of August next payments if any to be allowed.

Jn° Gwinn Clerk

Hannah Devilbiss
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George Creager &
Adam Creager

Be it remembered that heretofore to wit on the twenty fourth day of March Anno domini seventeen hundred and ninety two the Defendant by Joshua Dorsey their attorney sued out of our General Court the state of Marylands writ of Habeas Corpus directed to the Justices and sheriff of Frederick County in the words and figures following to wit.

The State of Maryland ss To the justices and sheriff of Frederick County Greeting Whereas a certain George Creager and Adam Creager are detained in the prison of our said County under the custody of you our said Sheriff at the suit of a certain Hannah Devilbiss of a plea of debt 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 therefore we command you that you have the bodies of the said George and Adam Creager by whatsoever name or names they may be called in the plea aforesaid together with the cause of their caption and detention and all things thereunto relating before the judges of our general court to be held at the 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