and John Gibson lately in our General Court on the second Tuesday of May in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred and ninety two and by judgment of the same Court recovered against Raphael Neale late of Saint Marys County planter otherwise called Raphael Neale of Saint Marys County in the state of Maryland the sum of four hundred and sixty two pounds thirteen shillings and fourpence current money debt, and also six thousand and forty five pounds of Tobacco, their damages, which they sustained as well by reason of the detention of that debt as for their costs and charges by them about their suit in that behalf expended, whereof the said Raphael Neale is convicted, as it appears to us of record; and now on the behalf of the said Alexander Henderson, Robert Ferguson & John Gibson we have in our said Court before us understood, that although the judgment thereof is given, yet execution for the debt and damages aforesaid still remains to be made for them wherefore the same Alexander Henderson, Robert Ferguson & John Gibson implored us to grant them a proper remedy in this behalf; and we being willing that what is just in this behalf should be done, command you that by good and lawful men of your bailiwick, you give notice to the said Raphael Neale that he be before the judges of our general Court to be held at the City of Annapolis on the second Tuesday of May next, to shew if he hath or can say any thing for himself why the said Alexander Henderson Robert Ferguson & John Gibson ought not to have their execution against him for the debt and damages aforesaid according to the form and effect of the recovery aforesaid, if he shall think fit; and further to do and receive what our said Court shall then and there consider concerning him in this behalf, and have there then the names of those by whom you shall give him notice, and this writ. Witness the honourable Samuel Chase Esquire chief judge of our said Court the 10th day of February anno Domini 1795.

Issued the 23d day of March 1795.

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At which said second tuesday of May being the twelfth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety five and the day of the return of the aforegoing writ, come into the general Court here the said Alexander Henderson Robert Ferguson and John Gibson by their attorney aforesaid, and the sheriff of Saint Marys County to whom the said writ was in form aforesaid directed makes return thereof to the court here thereon endorsed to wit.

Made known in presence of Benoni Abell & Jeremiah Abell

Saml. Abell Shff

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And the said Raphael Neale by Walter Dorsey his attorney appears in court here, and thereupon on motion of the said plaintiffs by their attorney aforesaid it is ruled by the court here that the said Raphael Neale answer to the scire facias aforesaid of the said plaintiffs in the plea aforesaid, a judgment by the court here will be rendered against him in default hereof, and the said Raphael Neale by his attorney aforesaid defends the force and injury when and so forth, and prays leave of the court here to imparle until the second Tuesday of October next and then to answer to the scire facias aforesaid and to him it is granted the same day is given to the plaintiffs also.

At which said second Tuesday of October being the thirteenth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety five to which said day the said Raphael Neale had leave to imparle, and then to answer to the scire facias aforesaid, come again into the general Court here as well the plaintiffs as the Defendant by their attorneys, and the said Raphael Neale by his attorney aforesaid defends the force and injury when and so forth and says that the said Alexander Henderson, Robert Ferguson and John Gibson ought not to have their said execution against him the said Raphael Neale for the Debt Damages costs and charges aforesaid in the writ of scire facias aforesaid because he says that there is no such record of the said judgment and recovery by the said plaintiffs against him now remaining in the General Court here as the said plaintiffs by the said writ of scire facias above suppose and this he is ready to verify. wherefore he prays judgment whether the said Plaintiffs ought to have their execution aforesaid him for the Debt, Damages costs and charges aforesaid in the writ of scire facias above mentioned &c. and the said Raphael Neale further saith that the said plaintiffs ought not to have their execution against him for the Debt Damages costs and charges aforesaid in the writ of scire facias aforesaid mentioned; because he says that after the recovery of the judgment aforesaid in the writ of scire facias aforesaid mentioned and before the suing of the said writ of scire facias to wit on the twenty second day of March 1795 he the said Raphael Neale paid to the said plaintiffs the said sum of four hundred and sixty two pounds thirteen shillings and four pence current money and in full satisfaction and discharge of the judgment aforesaid in the said writ of scire facias above mentioned to wit at Saint Marys County aforesaid which said sum the said plaintiffs received in full satisfaction and discharge of the judgment aforesaid: and this he is ready to verify, wherefore he prays judgment whether the said plaintiffs ought to have his execution against him for the Debt Damages costs and charges aforesaid and so forth.

and the said Alexander Henderson Robert Ferguson and John Gibson by their attorney aforesaid say that they by any thing by the said

(Raphael)