Alexander Henderson, Robert Fergusson and John Gibson
against
Richard Jordan and Charles Llewellin Spba. of Richard Llewellin.

Be it remembered that heretofore to wit. On the twenty fifth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six the said Henderson, Ferguson, and Gibson by Philip Barton Key their attorney sued forth out of the General Court here the writ of the State of Maryland of feire-facias to the sheriff of Saint Marys County directed in the words and of the tenor following to wit.

The State of Maryland ss. To the sheriff of Saint Marys County Greeting. Whereas at a General Court begun and held at the City of Annapolis on the second Tuesday of May Anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety four a certain Alexander Henderson, Robert Ferguson and John Gibson by the Judgment of the same court recovered against Richard Llewellin late of Saint Marys County planter, otherwise called Richard Llewellin of Saint Marys County as well the sum of four hundred and twenty one pounds three shillings and two pence Current money a certain debt as also the quantity of Eight hundred and five pounds of tobacco which was then and there adjudged unto them the said Alexander Henderson, Robert Ferguson and John Gibson as well for their damages Which they had sustained 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 same Richard Llewellin is convicted as it appeareth of record. And although Judgment thereof is given Execution. Nevertheless for the debt and damages aforesaid yet remains to be made and whereas Richard Jordan and Charles Llewellin of Saint Marys County Gentlemen on the second Tuesday of May Anno domini seventeen hundred and ninety three before the Judges of the General Court at the City of Annapolis personally came and became pledge and bail and each of them for himself became pledge and bail for the said Richard Llewellin that if it should happen that the said Richard Llewellin should be convicted at the suit of the said Alexander Henderson, Robert Ferguson and John Gibson in the plea aforesaid, then the same bail granted and each of them for himself did grant that as well the debt aforesaid as all such damages Costs and Charges as should be adjudged

adjudged to the said Alexander Henderson Robert Ferguson and John Gibson in that behalf should be made of their bodies lands and chattels and levied to the use of them the said Alexander Henderson Robert Ferguson and John Gibson if it should happen that the said Richard Llewellin should not pay the debt and those damages costs and charges to the said Alexander Henderson Robert Ferguson and John Gibson or should not surrender himself to our prison to the custody of the sheriff of Saint Marys County on that account; Nevertheless the said Richard Llewellin the debt and damages Costs and Charges aforesaid to the said Alexander Henderson Robert Ferguson and John Gibson hath not yet paid nor hath the said Richard Llewellin surrendered himself to our prison to the Custody of the Sheriff of Saint Marys County aforesaid according to the form and effect of the recognizance aforesaid as by the suggestion of the said Alexander Henderson Robert Ferguson and John Gibson we have in our Court before us understood: Wherefore the said Alexander Henderson Robert Ferguson and John Gibson have besought us to grant them their proper remedy in this behalf and we being willing that what is just in this behalf should be done Do therefore Command you that by good and lawfull men of your bailiwick you give notice to the said Richard Jordan and Charles Llewellin that they be and appear before the Judges of our General Court to be held at the City of Annapolis the second Tuesday of October next to shew if they have or can say any thing for themselves why the said Alexander Henderson Robert Ferguson and John Gibson ought not to have their execution against them for the debt damages and Costs and charges aforesaid, according to the force form and effect of the recognizance aforesaid if they shall think fit and further to do and receive all and singular those things which the Judges aforesaid shall then and there consider concerning them in this behalf and have you then and there the names of those by whom you shall make the same known unto them and this writ.

Witness the honourable Robert Goldsborough Esquire chief Judge of our said Court the twenty fifth day of June anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety six

Issued the 25th. day of August 1796. John Gwinn Clk.

P. B. Key).

On the back of which aforegoing writ, was thus endorsed.

Debt £421. 3. 2 Curr.y Cost 805 lb. Tob.o adl.o 60 lb. Tob.o To be released on payment