Issued and return being made of the same by the Sheriff of Caroline County for the time being that he hath Summoned the aft. John Willson to appear and answer according to the Exigence of the same Summons.

And the aft. John Willson being present here in Court at the time of filing and reading the Petition aft. immediately appeared thereto in his own proper person And the said John Willson for ever renounces and disclaims all manner of Right and Title to each and both the aft. Petitioners And prays that the Court now here may grant their Petition and discharge them from the Service of him the said John Willson.

Therefore It is considered by the Court now here that the aft. Petitioners be no longer held and detained as Slaves by the said John Willson but that they the same Petitioners be and are set by the Court here free and at full liberty from the Service of the said John Willson to all intents and purposes whatsoever And it is further considered by the Court now here that the aft. Petitioners do recover against the said John Willson

Pounds of Tobacco for their Costs and Charges by them about their Petition in this part appeared and so forth.

James Earle Clk.

Rachel Nash, Rose Nash, Hawkins Nash, Jane Nash, George Nash, & Henry Nash,
against
John White.

The State of Maryland Be it remembered the Mulattoes Rachel Nash, Rose Nash, Hawkins Nash, Jane Nash, George Nash, and Henry Nash to the Court here Prefers the following Petition to wit.

To the Honourable the Judges of the General Court for the Eastern Shore of the State of Maryland. The Petition of Rachel Nash, Rose Nash, Hawkins Nash, Jane Nash, George Nash, and Henry Nash, of Caroline County humbly sheweth that your Petitioners are held and detained as Slaves by John White of Caroline County contrary to Law and Justice your Petitioners being justly and legally intitled to freedom Your Petitioners therefore Pray that Subpona may issue against the said John White to answer the complaint of your Petitioners and that your Honors will be pleased to grant them such relief in the Premises as to your Honors shall seem meet And your Petitioners will ever pray. R Goldsborough.

Which Petition being read and granted It is by the said Court ordered that Summons issue against the said John White for his immediate appearance to answer the complaint of the aft. Petitioners which said Summons being issued and return being made of the same by the Sheriff of Caroline County for the time being that he hath Summoned the aft. John White to appear and answer according to the Exigence of the same Summons.

And the aft. John White being present here in Court at the time of filing and reading the Petition aft. immediately appeared thereto ~~in his own proper~~ Person And the said John White for ever renounces and disclaims

all manner of Right and Title to each and every the aft. Petitioners And prays that the Court now here may Grant their Petition and discharge them from the Service of him the said John White.

Therefore It is considered by the Court here that the aft. Petitioners be no longer held and detained as Slaves by the said John White but that they the same Petitioners be and are set by the Court here free and at full liberty from the Service of the said John White to all intents and purposes whatsoever And it is further considered by the Court now here that the aft. Petitioners do recover against the said John White

Pounds of Tobacco for their Costs and Charges by them about their Petition in this part appeared and so forth.

James Earle Clk.

Martha Nash
against
John Fountain

The State of Maryland. Be it remembered that Mulattoe Martha Nash to the Court here prefers the following Petition to wit. To the Honourable the Judges of the General Court for the Eastern Shore of the State of Maryland. The Petition of Martha Nash of Caroline County humbly Sheweth that your Petitioner is held and detained a Slave by John Fountain of Caroline County contrary to Law and Justice Your Petitioner being justly and legally intitled to freedom Your Petitioner therefore prays that Subpona may issue aft. the said John Fountain to answer the complaint of your Petitioner And that your Honors will be pleased to grant her such Relief in the Premises as to your Honours shall seem meet And your Petitioner will ever pray.

Robert Goldsborough for Petitioner

Which Petition being read and Granted It is by the said Court ordered that Summons issue against the said John Fountain for his immediate appearance to answer the complaint of the aft. Petitioner which said Summons being issued and return being made of the same by the Sheriff of Caroline County for the time being that he hath summoned the aft. John Fountain to appear & answer according to the Exigence of the same Summons. And the aft. John Fountain being present here in Court at the time of filing and reading the Petition aft. immediately appeared thereto in his own proper person And the said John Fountain for ever renounces and disclaims all manner of Right and Title to the aft. Petitioner And prays that the Court now here may Grant her Petition and discharge her from the Service of him the said John Fountain.

Therefore It is considered by the Court here that the aft. Petitioner be no longer held and detained as a Slave by the said John Fountain but that she the same Petitioner be and is set by the Court here free and at full liberty from the Service of the said John Fountain to all intents and purposes whatsoever And it is further considered by the Court now here that the aft. Petitioner do recover against the said John Fountain

Pounds of Tobacco for her Costs and Charges ~~by her~~ about her Petition in this part appeared and so forth.

James Earle Clk.