return thereof to the Court here thus Endorsed, to wit; "Cepi Corpus Tho. Lockerman Shff."

And the said Levin Kirkman by Robert Goldsborough his Attorney came into Court and thereupon the said Levin Kirkman at the prayer of the said John Salmon was ruled to give Special Bail in the Plea aforesaid whereupon John Hooper son of Henry came here into Court before the Judges aforesaid in his Proper Person and became Pledge and Manucaptor for the said Levin Kirkman that if it should happen that Judgment by the Court here for the said John Salmon in the Plea aforesaid against the said Levin Kirkman should be rendered then the said John Hooper granted that all such Damages Costs and Charges which unto the said John Salmon in this Part should by the Court be adjudged of his Lands and Chattels should be made and to the use of the said John Salmon levied if it should happen that the said Levin Kirkman the said Damages Costs and Charges unto the said John Salmon should not pay or his Body in Execution of such Judgment to the Public Prison of Dorchester County aforesaid by that Occasion should not render. Whereupon day was given as well to the said John Salmon as to the said Levin Kirkman by the Court here until the second Tuesday of September then next following.

At which day, to wit; the said second Tuesday in September came again as well the said John Salmon as the said Levin Kirkman by their Attorneys aforesaid and the said John Salmon by his Attorney aforesaid prayed that the said Levin Kirkman to his Declaration aforesaid might answer: Whereupon it was ruled by the Court here at the prayer of the said John Salmon that the said Levin Kirkman should answer to the Declaration aforesaid of the said John Salmon by the second Tuesday in April then next & it was said to the said Levin Kirkman that if he should not answer to the Declaration aforesaid by the time aforesaid Judgment should be rendered against him by default. The same day was given to the Plaintiff there &c.

And now here at this day, to wit: the said second Tuesday in April seventeen hundred and eighty eight here come again as well the said John Salmon as the said Levin Kirkman by their Attorneys aforesaid. Nevertheless the said Levin Kirkman by his Attorney aforesaid relinquishing the avrment above by him pretended saith that he cannot deny the action aforesaid of him the said John Salmon so as aforesaid against him brought nor but that the Writing Obligatory is the Deed of him the said Levin Kirkman nor but that he owes to him the said John Salmon the sum of nine hundred and fifty seven pounds six shillings and eight pence current money in manner and form as the said John Salmon above against him hath complained. Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said John Salmon do recover against the said Levin Kirkman the Debt aforesaid in form aforesaid acknowledged as also the Quantity of seven hundred and twenty five pounds as well for his Damages which he hath sustained by Occasion of the Detention of that Debt as for his Costs and Charges by him about his Suit in

this behalf laid out and expended with his Assent adjudged &c. And the said Levin Kirkman in mercy &c.

James Earle Clk.

Judgment was confessed in the above Action on the 15th of April Anno Domi 1788 to be released on payment of principal Interest and Costs. with a Stay of Execution till September Term then next payments if any to be allowed.

William Maynadier Admr. of Hannah Murray.
against
Charles Eccleston Junr.

Be it remembered that on the twenty eighth day of February Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and eighty seven Command was given to the Sheriff of Dorchester County that he should take Charles Eccleston Junr. late of Dorchester County Planter if he should be found in his Bailiwick and him safe keep so that he might have his Body before the Judges of the next General Court to be held for the Eastern Shore of this State at Talbot County Court House the second Tuesday of April then next to answer unto William Maynadier Administrator of all and singular the Goods and Chattels Rights and Credits which were of Hannah Murray Deceased at the time of her Death which the Testiment of the same Hannah annexed of a plea that he render unto him the sum of two hundred sixty Pounds current money of Maryland which from him he unjustly detains &c.

And that thereof he the said Sheriff should not fail at his Peril and that he should have then and there that writ &c.

And the said William Maynadier Administrator as aforesaid by Gustavus Scott his Attorney affiled his Declaration in the plea aforesaid against the said Charles Eccleston Junior in manner and form following, to wit.

Maryland, Dorchester County, to wit; Charles Eccleston, Junior, late of Dorchester County, Planter was summoned to answer unto William Maynadier Administrator of all & singular the Goods & Chattels Rights & Credits which were of Hannah Murray, Deceased at the time of her Death with the Testament of the same Hannah annexed, of a plea that he render unto him the sum of Two hundred and sixty pounds current money of Maryland which from him he unjustly detains &c.

And Whereupon the same William by Gustavus Scott his Attorney saith that the aforesaid Charles on the fourteenth day of October in the year seventeen hundred eighty & four at the County aforesaid by his Certain Writing Obligatory sealed with his Seal & here into Court now brought the date whereof is the same day & year aforesaid acknowledged himself to be held & firmly bound unto the same Hannah in her life time in the aforesaid sum of Two hundred & sixty pounds current money of Maryland; to be paid to the same Hannah whenever after he should be thereto required to the payment whereof well & truly to be made & done he bound himself, his Heirs Executors & Administrators firmly by the