the afs. Aquila by his Attorney afsd and the afs. Josiah & Robert by their Attorneys afs. Thereupon Jacob Freeman of Kent County Farmer in his Proper Person here into Court did come and became Pledge and Security for the said Isaac Cannell that if it should so happen to the said Isaac Cannell to be convicted in the plea afs. that then the same Security granted as well the debt & damages cost and charges which to the same Aquila Allix in the Plea the Plea afs. should be adjudged of the Goods and Chattles Lands and Tenements of the same Jacob Freeman to be made and for the use of the same Aquila to be levied if it should happen that the said Isaac the debt & damages cost and charges of the afs. Isaac in the plea afs. should not pay or himself into the Custody of the Sheriff of Kent County on that occasion render. And the afs. Isaac by Robert Wright his Attorney and the afs. Josiah and Robert by their Attorneys afs. defends the force and injury when and so forth and prayed Liberty of imparling thereof here to the Action afs. untill the Monday before the third Tuesday of October next, and he had it the same day was given the afs. Aquila Allix here and so forth At which said Monday before the third Tuesday of October Seventeen hundred and eighty seven came again the Parties afs. by their Attorneys afs. and the afs. Josiah, Isaac & Robert by their Attorneys afs. further defend the force and injury when and so forth. and pray liberty of imparling thereof here to the Action afs. untill the Monday before the third Tuesday of March next, and they had it, the same day was given the afs. Aquila here and so forth — At which said Monday before the third Tuesday of March Seventeen hundred and eighty eight, came the afs. Josiah, Isaac and Robert by by their Attorneys afs. and alledges to the Court here that the Action afs. so as afs. depending between the afs. Aquila Allix Plaintiff and them the said Josiah Johnson, Isaac Cannell and Robert Meeks defendants is by Habeas Corpus removed to the General Court to be held at Talbot County Court house for the Eastern Shore of this State on the second Tuesday of April next of all which the said Court for the County of Kent afs. hath legal notice by Habeas Corpus amongst the proceedings of the same Court filed and allowed. In Testimony that the above is a true Copy of the Proceedings in the Action afs. I have hereunto subscribed my name (Seal) and affixed the Public seal of Kent County afs. this twenty seventh day of March One thousand seven hundred and eighty eight. Ben Chambers Clk. K. C."

And the Sheriff of Kent County aforesaid came, and also made return that he had then and there the bodies of the said Josiah, Isaac and Robert, agreeable to the exigence of the aforesaid Writ, and thereupon came here into Court, as well the said Aquilla by Peregrine Letherbury his Attorney, as the said Defendants by their said Attorney,

And the said Josiah, Isaac and Robert by their Attorney, aforesaid defended the wrong & injury when and so forth, and prayed liberty of imparling, of imparling therein untill the second Tuesday of September then next, and it was granted unto them. The same day was given to the said Aquilla then and so forth —

At which said second Tuesday of September, in the year Seventeen hundred and eighty eight, here came again the Parties aforesaid by their Attorneys afs. and thereupon at the prayer of the said Aquilla it was ruled by the Court here that the said Josiah, Isaac & Robert should file their Plea and answer to the Declaration of the said Aquilla by the second Tuesday of April next, or that Judgment should be rendered against them by default. The same day was given to the said Aquilla Allix here and so forth —

And now here at this day, to wit. The said second Tuesday of April in the year Seventeen hundred and eighty nine, here come again the Parties afs by their Attorneys aforesaid, and the said Josiah, Isaac and Robert by their Attorney aforesaid, defend the force and injury when and so forth, and say that they cannot gainsay the action aforesaid of the said Aquilla Allix, nor can they deny but that the writing obligatory, aforesaid is the deed of them the said Josiah Isaac and Robert, nor but that they owe to the said Aquilla Allix the aforesaid sum of two hundred and twenty five pounds current money in manner and form as the said Aquilla Allix above against them hath complained: Therefore it is Considered by the Court here that the said Aquilla Allix do recover against the said Josiah Johnson, Isaac Cannell and Robert Meeks, the debt aforesaid in form aforesaid acknowledged; as also the quantity of Nine hundred and twenty pounds, and two fifths of a pound of Tobacco, as well for his damages sustained by occasion of the Detention of that debt; as for his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended. And the same Aquilla Allix by the Court here with his assent adjudged and so forth. And the said Josiah Johnson Isaac Cannell and Robert Meeks in mercy and so forth. James Earle Clk.

Judgment was rendered in this Action on the seventeenth day of April in the year One thousand seven hundred and eighty nine, for Penalty and Costs. To be released on payment of Principal, Interest and costs. Payments if any to be allowed. Stay of Execution till September Term next —