Kent County ss. William Glasgow late of Kent County was summoned to answer unto Rubin Harding & Mary his wife Executrix of the Testament of the last will and Testament of William Price dec.d of a plea that he render unto them the sum of one hundred and twenty two pounds eighteen shillings of good and lawful money of Gold and Silver which from them he unjustly detains &c. And whereupon the said Rubin Harding and Mary his wife by William Barnett their attorney say that whereas the aforesaid William Glasgow on the tenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty six at the county aforesaid by his certain writing Obligatory with the seal of the aforesaid William Glasgow sealed acknowledge himself to be held and firmly bound unto them the said William Price in his lifetime in the aforesaid sum of one hundred and twenty two pounds eighteen shillings good and lawful money of Gold and Silver of the value of the like sum of current money of Maryland to be paid to him the said William Price when afterwards he should be thereunto required. Nevertheless the said William Glasgow the aforesaid sum of money or any part thereof to him the said William Price in his lifetime or to the said Rubin Harding and Mary his wife after the death of him the said William Price (altho often thereunto required) hath not rendered or paid but the same to him the said William Price in his lifetime or to the said Rubin Harding and Mary his wife after the death of the said William Price to render or pay hath refused and the same or any part thereof to them the said Rubin Harding and Mary his wife to render or pay still doth refuse and unjustly detain whereby Rubin Harding and Mary his wife say they are the worse and have damage to the value of ten hundred pounds current money aforesaid and therefore they bring suit and &c. and the said Rubin Harding & Mary his wife bring here into Court as well the writing Obligatory aforesaid whereof date is the day and year aforesaid, which the debt aforesaid in form aforesaid witnesseth as the Letters Testamentary of the aforesaid Rubin Harding and Mary his wife whereby it sufficiently appears to the Court here that the said Rubin Harding and Mary his wife are Executors of the Testament aforesaid and thereof have Administration &c.

W.m Barnett atty for pltff pledges &c. Probat Rid Me.

And the said Rubin Harding & wife Administratrix as &c. by their attorney &c. prays that the said William Glasgow might be ruled to file his plea ~~in manner & form~~ on or before the second Tuesday April then next, or that Judgment by default thereof against the said William Glasgow might be rendered; and it was granted unto them the same day was given to the said Rubin Harding & wife Executrix as aforesaid their &c.

And now here on this day to wit, the second Tuesday in April in the year fourteen hundred and ninety one. Come here again the parties aforesaid by their attorneys aforesaid, and the said William Glasgow by his attorney aforesaid defendeth the wrong and injury when &c. and saith that he cannot gainsay the action of the said Rubin Harding and wife Administratrix as aforesaid, so as aforesaid against him brought nor can he deny that the writing Obligatory aforesaid is the deed of him the said William Glasgow, nor that he oweth unto the said Rubin Harding and wife Executrix as aforesaid the aforesaid sum of one hundred and twenty two pounds eighteen shillings and two pence in the writing Obligatory aforesaid mentioned in manner and form as the said Rubin Harding and wife Executrix as aforesaid against him has complained. Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said Rubin Harding & wife Executrix

as aforesaid do recover against the said William Glasgow their debt aforesaid in form aforesaid acknowledged, and also the quantity of seven hundred and ninety nine and three fifths of a pound of Tobacco which was adjudged for costs and charges by them about their suit in this behalf expended, and the said William Glasgow in mercy &c.

James Earle Clk.

Judgment was rendered in this action on the fifteenth day of April anno Domini 1791. for penalty and Costs. To be released on the payment of the principal Interest and Costs payment of any tobacco allowed. Stay execution till next Term.

Daniel & James Groom use of John Wilson of George

against

Gustavus Hanson

Post remembered that on the eighth day of October anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and Eighty nine, Gustavus Hanson by Peregrine Letherbury his attorney sued out of our Eastern Shore General Court the State of Maryland's writ of Habeas Corpus which here ensues, The State of Maryland ss. To the Justices and Sheriff of Kent County, Greeting: whereas a certain Gustavus Hanson is detained in the prison of our said County under the Custody of you our said Sheriff, at the suit of a certain Daniel and James Groom of a plea of Debt and so forth, which said plea as it is said still depends before you, our said Justices, undetermined: and we being willing, for divers Causes, that the plea aforesaid, undetermined as aforesaid, should be heard and determined before the Judges of our General Court: therefore we Command you that you have the Body of the said Gustavus Hanson by whatsoever name or names he may be called in the plea aforesaid together with the Cause of his Caption and detention, and all things thereunto relating, before the Judges of our General Court, to be held for the Eastern Shore of this State, in Talbot County at the Court house in the same County, the second Tuesday of April next that our said Judges of our said General Court may further proceed therein, as to Justice appertains and so forth. Hereof fail not at your peril, and have you then and there this writ witness the Honorable Robert Hanson Harrison Esquire Chief Judge of our said Court the first day of October anno Domini 1789. Issued the 8th day of October anno Domini 1789. (P.L.)

James Earle Clk.

At which said second Tuesday in April term, in the year fourteen hundred and ninety, being the day for the return of the aforegoing writ of Habeas Corpus came the said Daniel and James Groom, by William Pitchmann their attorney and the Justices and Sheriff of Kent County aforesaid in Obedience to the Command aforesaid made return of the same writ with the following Record thereto annexed to wit, The Execution of the above writ appears by the following proceedings The answer of John Scott, James Claypoole, Richard Graves, Donaldson Yates, John Page, John Woodland, John Thomas, Jeremiah Nicols, Richard Hynson & William Grindage Esquires Justices of the peace for Kent County, and Josiah Johnson, High Sheriff of the County of We John Scott James Claypole Richard Graves Donaldson Yates, John Page John Woodland, John Thomas, Jeremiah Nicols Richard Hynson and William Grindage Justices as aforesaid and Josiah Johnson Sheriff. To the Honorable the Judges of the General Court for the Eastern Shore of the State of Maryland certify that Gustavus