George V. Mann, use of Thomas Gilpin Exor.
against
Joseph Rasin,

Be it remembered, that on the fifteenth day of May anno domini one thousand seven hundred and ninety, Command was given to the Sheriff of Kent County, that he should take Joseph Rasin, late of Kent County Farmer, if he should be found in his bailiwick and him safe keep so that he might have his body 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 September next to answer unto George Vansant Mann, of a plea that he render unto him four hundred pounds current money of Maryland, which to him he owes and unjustly detains and so forth, and that thereof he the said Sheriff should not fail at his peril, and should have then and there have that writ &c. At which said second Tuesday in September term, in the year seventeen hundred and ninety, being the day for the return of the aforegoing writ, came the said George Vansant Mann, by William Tilghman his attorney, and Josiah Johnson Sheriff of the County aforesaid, to the Court here made return that he had taken the body of the said Joseph Rasin, and the same had ready according to the Exigence of the said writ, and the said Joseph Rasin by William Bordley, his attorney came here into Court, and offered the following Bail, viz. to wit, George Vansant Mann Plaintiff against Joseph Rasin Defendant, we William Maxwell Jun. and Gilbert Watts, do jointly and severally acknowledge ourselves special bail for the said Joseph Rasin at the suit of the said George Vansant Mann, in an action of Debt brought by the said George Vansant Mann, against the said Joseph Rasin, in the General Court. They acknowledge themselves to be Content therewith this 1st day of September 1790. before

John Woodland, Mr. Grimage,

To the Honorable the Judges of the General Court, I hereby appoint Mr. Turbutt Wright, my attorney to appear for me in the above action,

Joseph Rasin,

And the aforesaid Joseph Rasin by his attorney aforesaid defends the wrong and injury when and so forth, and saith that he cannot gainsay this the action of the said George Vansant Mann so as aforesaid against him brought, nor can he deny but that the writing Obligatory aforesaid is the Deed of him the said Joseph Rasin, nor but that he owes unto the aforesaid George Vansant Mann the aforesaid sum of four hundred pounds current money, in the writing Obligatory aforesaid mentioned in manner and form as the said George Vansant Mann, against him has complained. Therefore by the Court, now here it is considered, that the said George Vansant Mann do recover against the said Joseph Rasin, his debt aforesaid, in form aforesaid acknowledged and also the Quantity of five hundred and forty seven pounds of Tobacco which is adjudged for his Costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended, and the said Joseph Rasin in mercy &c.

James Earlette

Judgment was rendered in this action on the fifteenth day of September anno domini seventeen hundred and ninety one, for the sum of five hundred pounds current money: To be released on payment of the principal Interest and Costs, payments if any to be allowed. Stay of Execution till next Term. The form entered for this Judgment is agreeable to the method in folio 381. (Memorandum &c. no Bond filed in this Cause)

Isaac Perkins
against
Philip Drugan,

Be it remembered, that on the twenty fourth day of June anno Domini, one thousand seven hundred and ninety, Philip Drugan the defendant, in this Cause by Pengrine Leatherbury his attorney said did out of our Eastern Shore General Court, the State of Maryland writ of Habeas Corpus, which here ensues as follows to wit, The State of Maryland S. to the Justices and Sheriff of Kent County greeting: whereas Philip Drugan is detained in prison of your said County, under the Custody of you our said Sheriff at the suit of a certain Isaac Perkins, of a plea of debt as aforesaid, 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 Philip Drugan, 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 September next, that our said Judges of our said General Court may further proceed therein, according to justice and so forth, Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there this writ, witness the Honorable Robert Goldsborough Esquire one of the Judges of our said Court this twenty ninth day of April anno Domini 1790. Teste the 4th day of June anno Domini 1790. P.L.

James Earlette.

At which said second Tuesday in September term, in the year seventeen hundred and ninety being the day for the return of the aforegoing writ came the said Isaac Perkins by William Tilghman his attorney, and the Justices and Sheriff of the County aforesaid, in Obedience to the Command aforesaid made return of the same writ with the following Annexed thereto annexed, to wit, The Execution of the above writ appears by the following proceedings, The answer of John Scott, James Clapsaddle, Richard Graves, John Page, John Woodland, John Thomas, Jeremiah Nicols, William Grimage, and Richard Hynson Esquires Justices of the peace, for Kent County and Josiah Johnson high Sheriff of the same County, Mr. John Scott Jenner Clapsaddle Richard Graves, John Page, Richard Woodland John Thomas, Jeremiah Nicols, William Grimage & Richard Hynson 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 Summons was given to the Sheriff of Kent County, on the monday before the third Tuesday of March Seventeen hundred and eighty nine, that he should take Philip Drugan late of Kent County farmer if he should be found in his bailiwick and him safe keep so that he might have his Body before the Justices of our said County Court to be held at the Court house in the Town of Chester in said County on the monday before the third Tuesday of June next to answer unto Isaac Perkins in a plea that he render unto him the sum of one hundred and twenty pounds three shillings and tenpence current money of Maryland which to him he owes and unjustly detains and so forth, At which said Monday to wit the third Tuesday of June Seventeen hundred and eighty nine, came the aforesaid Isaac Perkins, by William Tilghman his Attorney, and the Sheriff of Kent County, also came and made return of the writ aforesaid, to the Court here thereon indorsed as follows to wit, Cepi Edward Morris Sheriff, thereupon John Hale of Kent County farmer in his proper person, here in Court did come and became pledge and mainpriser for the aforesaid Philip Drugan that if it should happen the aforesaid Philip Drugan to be convicted in the plea of that then the same security granted as well the debt aforesaid as all the damages Costs & Charges which the said Isaac Perkins in the plea aforesaid should be adjudged of the goods and Chattels Lands and Tenements