that she died since the last continuance, to wit, at the County aforesaid; Thereupon Administration de bonis non of all and singular the Goods and Chattels, Rights and Credits was granted unto William Ireland; Thereupon the said William Ireland Admr de bonis non as aforesaid by Peter Lethbury his Attorney came here into Court and was made Plantiff in stead of the said Alitha North deceased, and prayed that the said John Lutton should answer to the Declaration aforesaid by the second Tuesday of April then next following, and it was granted unto him: Thereupon further process of and upon the premises aforesaid, between the parties aforesaid, by consent of the said Parties and their Attorneys aforesaid, and by order of the Court here, thereon was further continued until the second Tuesday of April then next following.

And now here at this day, to wit, the second Tuesday of April seventeen hundred and ninety come again the parties aforesaid by their Attorneys aforesaid, and the said John by his Attorney aforesaid defends the Force and injury when and &c. &c. and saith that he cannot gainsay the Action aforesaid of the said William, nor can he deny but that the writing obligatory aforesaid is the Deed of him the said John, nor but that he owes unto the said William the aforesaid sum of one hundred and fifty one pounds fourteen shillings and two pence Specie, in manner and form as the said William above against him hath complained; therefore it is considered by the Court here, that the said William do recover against the said John his Debt aforesaid in form aforesaid acknowledged; as also the Quantity of eight hundred and seventeen pounds of Tobacco, 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 expended unto the same William Ireland by the Court here with his Assent adjudged &c. And the said John Lutton in mercy &c.

James Earle Clk.

Judgment was confessed in this Action on the fifteenth day of April seventeen hundred and ninety with a Stay of Execution till September Term then next following. Penalty to be released on Payment of Principal, Interest and Costs.

James Jones use of John Voorhees
vs
Marmaduke Medford and Jacob Jones

Memorandum, the Defendants in this Cause by William Tilghman their Attorney, sued out the State of Maryland's Writ of Habeas Corpus, the Tenor

whereof ensues in the following words, to wit. The State of Maryland &c. To the Justices and Sheriff of Kent County, Greeting. Whereas a certain Marmaduke Medford and Jacob Jones are detained in the prison of our said County, under the custody of you, our said Sheriff, at the suit of a certain James Jones 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 bodies of the said Marmaduke Medford and Jacob Jones by whatsoever name or names they may be called, in the plea aforesaid, together with the Cause of their 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, this first day of October Anno Domini 1788.

Issued the 15th day of March Anno Domini 1789.

(Mr. Tilghman) James Earle Clk.

At which said day, to wit, the second Tuesday of April, being the day of the return of the aforegoing Writ, the Justices and Clerk of Kent County made return thereof to the Court here with the following Record annexed, to wit. The Execution of the above Writ appears by the following proceedings. The answer of John Scott, James Claypoole, Richard Graves, John Woodland, Donaldson Yeates, John Thomas, John Page, Jeremiah Nicols, William Grindage and Richard Hynson, Justices of the peace for Kent County and Edward Worrell High Sheriff of the same County. We John Scott, James Claypoole, Richard Graves, John Woodland, Donaldson Yeates, John Page, John Thomas, Jeremiah Nicols, William Grindage and Richard Hynson Justices as aforesaid and Edward Worrell High Sheriff of the same County, Certify that Command was given to the Sheriff of Kent County on the Monday before the third Tuesday of October seventeen hundred and eighty seven, that he should take Marmaduke Medford and Jacob Jones late of Kent County farmers otherwise