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 7th day of March Anno Domini 1789.

HM. James Earle Clk.

Whereupon the Record and Proceedings with all things thereunto relating are ordered to be transmitted accordingly - Test B Williams Clk.

In Testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed the seal of my Office for the County aforesaid this first day of April 1789.

Cecil County Court Seal

B Williams Clk.

At which said second Tuesday of April seventeen hundred and eighty nine, came again the parties aforesaid by their Attorneys aforesaid, and the said Thomas by his Attorney aforesaid, prayed that a rule of Court be made for the said John to file his plea and answer to the Declaration aforesaid of him the said Thomas at the next September Term 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 September then next following - At which said second Tuesday of September seventeen hundred and eighty nine, came again the parties aforesaid by their Attorneys aforesaid, and it was said to the said John that he should answer to the Declaration of the said Thomas by the second Tuesday of April then next following; and it was said to the said John that if he should not answer to the Declaration aforesaid, by the day aforesaid, that Judgment should be rendered against by default; the same

day was given the said Thomas there and so forth - 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 so forth, and saith that he cannot gainsay the Action aforesaid of the said Thomas, 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 Thomas, the said sum of eighty pounds current money in manner and form as the said Thomas above against him hath complained; Therefore it is considered by the Court here, that the said Thomas do recover against the said John his Debt aforesaid in form aforesaid acknowledged; as also the Quantity of eight hundred and fourteen and three fifths 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 said Thomas by the Court here with his Assent adjudged pt. And the said John in Mercy pt. James Earle Clk.

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

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Thomas Jones
vs
Isaac Money

Memorandum, the Defendant in this cause by Hugh Matthews his Attorney, sued out the State of Maryland's Writ of Habeas Corpus, the tenor whereof ensues in the following words and figures, to wit,

The State of Maryland, ss. To the Justices and Sheriff of Cecil County Greeting. Whereas a certain Isaac Money is detained in the prison of said County, under the Custody of you our said Sheriff, at the suit of a certain Thomas Jones of a plea of Debt and so forth, in 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 Isaac Money 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