aforesaid of the said State; nor can he deny but that the writing obligatory aforesaid, is Deed of him the said Robert, nor but that he owes unto the said State, the said sum of four hundred and seventy eight pounds eight shillings and four pence current money in manner and form as the said State above against him hath declared; Therefore it is considered by the Court here, that the said State do recover against the said Robert, her Debt aforesaid, in form aforesaid, acknowledged; as also the Quantity of four hundred and seventy six pounds of Tobacco, as well for her Damages which she hath sustained by occasion of the detention of that Debt, as for her Costs and Charges by her about her suit in this behalf expended unto the same State by the Court here with the said State Attorney General's Assent adjudged, and the said Robert in mercy &c.

James Carleth.

Judgement was confessed in this Action on the twenty eighth day of September seventeen hundred and ninety, for Penalty and Costs: Penalty to be released on payment of Principal, Interest and Costs: Stay of Execution till April Term then next following –

State of Maryland vs Joshua Loney. — BE it remembered that on the second Tuesday of April, seventeen hundred and ninety, the State of Maryland by Luther Martin Esquire, Attorney General of the said State, came into Court here and exhibited to the said Court a certain Bill of Privilege against Joshua Loney Esquire, one of the Attorneys of the same Court, the tenor whereof ensueth in the words following, to wit: Queen Anns County, State of Maryland, sc.

The State of Maryland by Luther Martin its Attorney, complains of Joshua Loney late of Queen Anns County, Esquire, one of the Attorneys of this Court here in Court being present in his proper person, for that, to wit, that whereas the said Joshua on the first day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty seven at the County aforesaid was indebted unto the said State of Maryland in the sum of four hundred pounds pounds current money of Maryland for the like sum of money by him the said Joshua before that time received at his special Instance and request for the use of the said State of Maryland, and so being indebted in Consideration thereof, he the said Joshua afterwards, to wit, the day and year aforesaid, at the County aforesaid ad Jumed upon himself and to the said State of Maryland then and there faithfully promised that he the said Joshua the said sum of four hundred pounds current money of the said State of Maryland when he should be thereunto afterwards required, would well and faithfully

pay and content. NEVERTHELESS the said Joshua his promise and Assumption aforesaid little regarding but contriving and fraudulently intending the said State of Maryland in this behalf craftily and subtilly to deceive and defraud the said sum of money or any part thereof to the said State of Maryland hath not paid, altho he the said Joshua hath often since by the said State been requested; but the same to the said State of Maryland to pay, he hath altogether refused and yet doth refuse to the Damage of the said State of Maryland five hundred pounds, and therefore the said State of Maryland prays Relief &c.

Pledges of pros. John Doe, Richard Roe. — Luther Martin Atty. Genl.

And the said Joshua by Robert Wright his Attorney, came here in Court: Whereupon 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 prays further continued until the second Tuesday of September then next following –

And now here at this day, to wit, the second Tuesday of September seventeen hundred and ninety, come again the parties aforesaid by their Attorneys aforesaid; and the said Joshua 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 State, nor but that he owes unto the said State the sum of four hundred pounds current money in manner and form as the said State above against him hath complained; Therefore it is considered by the Court here, that the said State do recover against the said Joshua, her Debt aforesaid, in form aforesaid acknowledged; as also the Quantity of four hundred and fifty four and two fifths pounds of Tobacco, as well for her Damages which she hath sustained by occasion of the detention of that Debt, as for her Costs and Charges by her about her suit in this behalf expended, unto the said State, by this Court here, with the Assent of the said Attorney General adjudged pt. and the said Joshua in mercy &c.

James Carleth.

Judgment was confessed in this Action on the thirtieth day of September seventeen hundred and ninety for Penalty and Costs; to be released on payment of Principal and thirty seven pounds four shillings and five pence current money – Interest to be taxed from the first day of January seventeen hundred and eighty three – Stay of Execution till April Term then next following – Liberty to open the Judgment and try the cause if any Dispute –