Thorowgood and William by William Tilghman their Attorney, say that whereas they the said Thorowgood and William, did heretofore, to wit, on the second Tuesday of April, in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred and ninety in the General Court for the Eastern Shore of Maryland, before , and his Associates, then Judges of the said Court, recover against a certain Lambert Hyland as well a certain Debt of current money of Maryland, as pounds of Tobacco, Damages for their Costs and Charges by them about their said suit in that behalf expended to them the said Thorowgood and William by their Assent by the said Court there adjudged, whereof he the said Lambert was convicted, as by the Record and Proceedings thereof remaining in the said Court doth more fully and plainly appear; And afterwards, to wit, on the day of , in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred and , the said Thorowgood and William prosecuted out of the said Court a certain Writ of Capias ad satisfaciendum to the aforesaid John then Sheriff of Somerset County aforesaid directed; by which said Writ the said John was commanded that he the should take the said Lambert if he should be found in his Bayliwick and him safe keep so that he should have his Body before the Judges of the next General Court to be held for the Eastern Shore of Maryland at Easton in Talbot County on the second Tuesday of April in the year seventeen hundred and ninety one, to satisfy the aforesaid Thorowgood and William of the Debt and Damages aforesaid, and that he should have then and there that Writ; Which said Writ, the said Thorowgood and William afterwards and before the return thereof, to wit, on the first day of January in the year seventeen hundred and ninety one at the County aforesaid to the said John then being Sheriff of the same County in due form of law to be executed did deliver; By virtue of which Writ the said John afterwards, and before the return of the said Writ, to wit, on the day and year last aforesaid, the said John then being Sheriff of the said County of Somerset, at the County aforesaid, the said Lambert took

and arrested and then had and imprisoned him in Execution of and for the Debt and Damages aforesaid; and afterwards to wit, on the said second Tuesday of April in the year seventeen hundred and ninety one, he the said Lambert was by the said John then Sheriff of the said County of Somerset brought in custody before , Esquire and his Associates, then Judges of the said General Court for the Eastern Shore of Maryland at a Court then holden at Easton in Talbot County aforesaid; and afterwards, to wit, on the same day and year last aforesaid at the County last aforesaid, the said Lambert was by the Judgement of the said Court, at the prayer of the said Thorowgood and William, committed to the Custody of the said John then being Sheriff of the said County of Somerset, charged in Execution for the Debt and Damages aforesaid, as by the Record of the said Writ and the return thereof, and the Commitment of him the said Lambert in Execution in the said General Court for the Eastern Shore of Maryland remaining of Record doth more fully and plainly appear; By virtue of which said Commitment, he the said John being then Sheriff of the said County of Somerset, did then and there receive and take the said Lambert in his Custody, and by virtue of the said Commitment held and detained the said Lambert in his Custody in Execution for the Debt and Damages aforesaid so recovered against him by the said Thorowgood and William as aforesaid; and the said Lambert being so in Custody of the said John in Execution for the Debt and Damages aforesaid, he the said John afterwards to wit, on the day of in the year last aforesaid, he the said John being then Sheriff of the said County of Somerset, did at the said County of Somerset permit and suffer him the said Lambert freely and voluntarily to escape and go at large, out of the Custody of him the said John without the leave and against the Will of the said Thorowgood and William, they the said Thorowgood and William not being then or yet any way paid or satisfied of the Debt and Damages aforesaid or any part thereof, whereby Action hath accrued to the said Thorowgood and William to demand and have of him the said John, the sum of