

Henry Armsby & others Petitioners vs

George Walls -

In addition to the formal matters and things stated in the above Bill of exceptions the petitioners proved by the above named Giffins and Denmy the declarations of Captain Sweat as to the freedom of the above named Negro Suck and the Defendants proved that Captain Sweat had sold her to John Gibsons deceased. They then proposed to prove by the declarations of the said John Gibsons that the said Suck was a slave. but the Petitioners by their Counsel objected to the <sup>my</sup> testimony and the Court would not permit it to be given to which opinion of the Court the Defendant accepted and prayed the Court to sign and seal this bill of Exception, which is accordingly done this 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1816.

R. J. Carle Seal

Levi Purnell Seal

Thos. Worrell Seal

And thereupon the said George Walls by his Attorneys aforesaid prays an appeal from the Judgment aforesaid so as aforesaid removed to the Court of Appeals to be holden for the Eastern Shore of this State, and it is granted him

It is therefore ordered by the said Court here that the record and proceedings aforesaid in the plea aforesaid with all things thereunto relating be transmitted to the said Court of Appeals to be holden for the Eastern Shore of the