

ones, whose views are as peculiar as are Mr Chase's, on this subject, and who may think Mr Chase's opinion correct. But it is an opinion that meets with no favor, and we presume it never will with the Mass of our people, or the Bar.

A writ of Error lies from the Judgment of this Court, to the Supreme Court of our State, on Habeas corpus. We would suggest that the questions involved are sufficiently important, to justify the cost of taking the case to our Supreme Court, and if necessary, to the Supreme Court U. S. But there is no danger of our Supreme Court holding the act of '93 unconstitutional. For ourselves we consider Judge Hoadley clearly wrong on every point decided by him. There were points in the case, which were zealously and ably argued on the part of Childs, which were not altogether without difficulty. But those points were not noticed in the opinion of the Court.

The offence might have been more perfectly described in the affidavit. It did not in terms show that the goods were obtained although it showed a sale. It did not in terms, show that he fled or even that was now in Ohio, although it stated that he was a resident of Ohio. Neither the affidavit, nor the requisition, showed expressly, that the obtaining goods under false pretences, was a crime by the laws of Maryland. But we are decidedly of opinion that the arrest was lawful & that Childs should have been remanded and taken to Maryland for his trial.

We are respectfully,

Your Excellency's obedient servant
 Tapp & Mallon
 of Counsel for the State of Maryland in the
 Complaint against Wm Childs,
 Sonns of Ware.

State Department
 Annapolis, Maryland, Nov 11. th 1857.

From Messrs Tapp & Mallon }
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 to }
 Messrs Jones & Ware }
 Gentlemen,

The Governor has received your communication in regard to the case of Childs - He is in much astonishment by the decision of Judge Hoadley, and cannot reply to doubt that you are correct in supposing that your Supreme Court would reverse the decision, if the case was carried up on writ of error. The Governor would however prefer submitting the