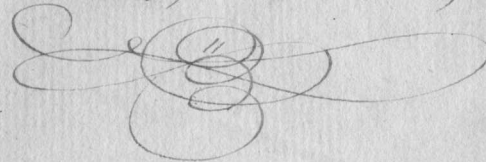
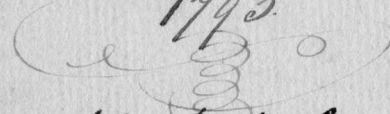


Habeas Corpus in favour of
Charles H. Paulson, ^{in error}


By Act of General Assembly
1793


1812 June 17th The within named Charles H. Paulson was brought before me Henry Johns Chief Justice and the accused returns were made - also L. M'Lean appeared for the complainant and George Reed, the counsel for the complainant prayed for his discharge on the ground of Infancy and moved for further time at the instance and with the consent of both parties postponed to the 29th June (Instant) -
June 29th after hearing the proofs and arguments of counsel It appeared to me the said Henry Johns C.J. that the said Charles H. Paulson was born on the eightth day of June in the year seventeen hundred and ninety two and at the time of the enlistment mentioned in the return now is under the age of twenty one years - That his Parents George Paulson and Rachel Paulson are now alive and that no written or other consent was obtained for the enlistment of the said Charles before Edward Roche at the time of the said enlistment that he represented to the recruiting Officer as being aged twenty two years. It is therefore considered and adjudged by me that the said Charles H. Paulson be taken from the custody of the keeper of the Gaol of Newcastle County and from the custody and detention of the said other person pretending to hold the said Charles H. Paulson by reason of the said enlistment - Upon condition that the said Charles H. Paulson or some person on his behalf shall repay to the said Henry Johns or the keeper of the Gaol, eight dollars to be received by the said Charles in part of County Money and also shall pay the costs and Gaol fees.

Henry Johns

