North Caxolina, Executive Department, Office of the Attorney General, Raleigh.

June 20th, 1893.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed you will find a letter from Mr. J. H. Blount, Selicitor of the First District, which I recommend to your perusal. I think his suggestion a good one, and would be glad if you would adopt it. Everything in it can be easily accomplished by a simple suggestion to the executive officer serving the writ for you to allow the defendant an opportunity to sue out a writ of habeas corpus if he should demand the right so to do. I do not think that the delay for such a purpose would be inconvenient as it might be very important to the person arrested. It is hardly necessary for me to enlarge on this subject any further to your Excellency as I am satisfied that you will agree with the Solicitor of the First District upon a mere statement of his reasons for making his suggestions. I did not speak of this matter when I saw you because I was not aware of the fact at that time that such a letter had been written to me.

Very respectfully,

F. I. Osborne,

Attorney General.

to his Excellency,

The Governor.