

United States of America  
District of Connecticut  
Special <sup>District</sup> Court holden at New Haven in said  
District on the 7<sup>th</sup> of Jan<sup>y</sup> 1840.

To the Honorable Andrew T. Judson Judge  
of the District Court of the United States in and for the  
District of Connecticut.

The several names of Singua, Bamah,  
Dammah, Fourni 1<sup>st</sup> otherwise called Foudusa Shuma, Conoma,  
otherwise called Adrahael Chorlay, Burnal 2<sup>d</sup> Baah, Pona,  
Kumbo, Paah, Banygale, Saah, Carle, Parli, Mornah, Kal  
quwi Quato, Sepu, Con otherwise called Keony, Fourni 2<sup>d</sup>, otherwise  
called Pouli wa in Kennah, Lamana, Faganah, Yabloy, Faganah,  
Berne, Fawna, Chockzman, Gabby, otherwise called Galabara,  
Carr, Temu, Nem & Mahju Africans, now in the custody  
of the Marshall of said District under color of process  
issued from this Honorable Court on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of August  
1839 against the Schooner Amistad and the articles of personal  
property on board of her then lying in the harbor of New Con-  
necticut in said District, on the libel of Lieutenant W. R. Gedney  
a Lieutenant in the United States Navy commanding the United  
States Brig Washington in the service of the United States in  
the coast survey, and on behalf of Richard M. Meade a Lieut-  
enant on board said Brig, and the Officers and crew thereof and  
all others interested or entitled, claiming salvage to be awarded  
to them by this Honorable Court as for a meritorious service, in ~~securing~~ <sup>securing</sup>  
and securing the Respondents severally and holding them as slaves  
to certain Spaniards belonging to the island of Cuba, named in