about his suit in this behalf laid out and Expended. To be released on the payment of two hundred and sixty six pounds four Shillings and Eleven pence Current money with Interest thereon from the twenty fifth day of October seventeen hundred and Eighty Seven till paid and costs of suit aforesaid And the defendant in mercy &c. Thereupon the said William Wilcoxen by his said Attorney prays an appeal from the Judgment aforesaid so as aforesaid rendered to the States high Court of Appeals and the same is granted on giving security According to Act of Assembly — Whereupon the said William Wilcoxen files in Court here the following Appeal Bond, to wit

Maryland to wit. Know all men by these presents that we William Wilcoxen, Lewis Willcoxen and Peter Becraft of Montgomery County in the State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Thomas Hayes of Frederick County and State aforesaid in the full and just sum of nine hundred and seventy five pounds Eleven Shillings and four pence Current Money and nine teen hundred and fifty six pounds of Tobacco Costs of suit to be paid to the said Thomas Hayes his certain Attorney Executors, Administrators or Assigns to the payment of which we bind ourselves and each of us our and each of our heirs, Executors, and Administrators jointly and severally in and for the whole firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this day of 1787. Whereas the above bound William Willcoxen is about suing out a Writ of Error on a Judgment Obtained by the said Thomas Hayes against the above bound William Willcoxen in the General Court on the second Tuesday of October last for four hundred and eighty six pounds five Shillings and Eight pence Current money and nine hundred and seventy eight pounds of Tobacco costs of suit — Now the Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above bound William Willcoxen shall not pursue the directions of An Act of Assembly entitled an Act for the regulating writs of Error and granting Appeals from and to the Courts of common Law within this province and prosecute the same Writ of Error with Effect and also satisfy and pay to the said Thomas Hayes his Executors, Administrators or Assigns in case the said Judgment shall be affirmed as well all and singular the debt damages and costs Adjudged by the Court before whom such Action was brought as also all costs and damages that shall be awarded by the Court of Appeals before whom such writ of Error shall be heard tried and determined as aforesaid then the said bond to be and remain in full force and virtue otherwise of no effect —

Signed, Sealed and delivered in presence of
William Lawood
Barack Adel
Josiah Willcoxen

W. Wilcoxen ..... (seal)
Lewis Wilcoxen ..... (seal)
Peter Becraft ..... (seal)

It is therefore ordered that the record and proceedings in the premises aforesaid be transmitted to the States high Court of Appeals Accordingly. Test.

Thos. B. Hodgkin Clk.

In Testimony that the aforegoing is a true Copy from the record of proceedings of the General Court for the Western Shore of Maryland I have hereto set my hand and affixed the seal of office this 10th day of November Anno Domini 1787 —

Thos. B. Hodgkin Clk