And whereupon the said State by William Pinkney its Attorney complains that whereas on the first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Ninety at Prince Georges County aforesaid the said Overton by his writing Obligatory sealed with the Seal of the said Overton and to the Court here shewn the date whereof is the same day and year above mentioned acknowledged himself to be held and firmly bound unto the said State in the said full sum and just quantity of two hundred thousand pounds of good sound Merchantable Cask Tobacco and Cask to be paid to the said State whenever afterwards he the said Overton should be thereto required, Nevertheless the said Overton tho' often thereunto required, hath not paid to the said State the said full sum and just quantity of two hundred thousand pounds of good sound Merchantable Cask Tobacco and Cask or any part thereof, But hitherto hath altogether refused and still doth refuse to pay the same to the said State to the damage of the said State one thousand pounds current Money, and therefore the said State brings suit and so forth — Wm. Pinkney for the State, Pledges &c. John Doe and Rich.d Roe — Oyer of the writing Obligatory in the Declaration within mentioned and of the Condition thereof follow to wit — Maryland Sc. Know all Men by these presents that we Edward Lloyd Wailes, Levin Covington Wailes, James Collings, William Dent Beall, Overton Carr and Michael Lowe of Prince Georges County are holden and firmly bound unto the State of Maryland in the full sum and just quantity of two hundred thousand pounds of good sound Merchantable Cask Tobacco and Cask to be paid to the said State of Maryland or Assigns — To the which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves — and every of us our and every of our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally for the whole and in the whole firmly by these presents. Sealed with our Seals and dated this first day of January in the year seventeen hundred and Ninety — The Condition of the above Obligation is such, that if the above bound Edward Lloyd Wailes, do well and truly serve the State of Maryland in the Office of High Sheriff of the County of Prince Georges within the State aforesaid, and in all things well and faithfully execute the same in Office, and also shall render to the said State and the Officers thereof a true faithful and perfect account of all and singular the said State rights and dues and to the Officers a true and just Account of their fees, that he shall or may be entrusted with by the said State and the Officers thereof to receive and collect, and his Account to the said State for the fines and forfeitures and other dues belonging to the said State or Assigns as also his account of all fees dues and —

sums of Money or Tobacco due to any of the good people within this State for any sum or sums of Money or Tobacco wherewith the said Sheriff — shall be entrusted during the time of Shrivalty, or to such of them as shall require the same, shall pass and render and in all things as Sheriff of the County of Prince Georges shall behave himself well and honestly towards all persons according to the best of his power skill and knowledge then the above Obligation to be void and of no effect, else to stand and remain in full force strength and virtue in Law — .. —

Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence
Thos. Sadler
Thos. Davis
Rebecca Magruder
Henry Addison —

Edw.d Lloyd Wailes Sheriff of Prince Georges County — 3 Seals
Levin Covington Wailes — .. — 3 Seals
Jas. Collings — .. — .. — 3 Seals
Wm. D Beall — .. — .. — 3 Seals
Overton Carr — .. — .. — 3 Seals
Mich.l Lowe — .. — .. — 3 Seals

A Copy of which Declaration and Oyer was made and sent with the Writ which issued in the plea aforesaid. — .. — At which mentioned second Tuesday of October being the ninth day of the same Month Anno Domini seventeen hundred and Ninety two and the day of the return of the aforegoing Writ comes here into our General Court the aforesaid William Pinkney Attorney for the said State who for the said State in this behalf prosecuteth. And the Sheriff of Prince Georges County to whom the said aforegoing Writ was made and directed likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed to wit — .. —

"Copi Copy left July 10th 1796 Wm. D Beall Sheriff — .. —

And the said Overton Carr by William Kelty his Attorney comes and defends the force and injury when and so forth. And prays leave of the Court to imparle hereunto until next Court, and he hath it, and the same day is given to the aforesaid William Pinkney Attorney for the said State, who for the said State in this behalf prosecuteth also —

At which said next Court to wit, the second Tuesday of May being the fourteenth day of the same Month Anno Domini seventeen hundred and Ninety three comes again here into our General Court as well the aforesaid William Pinkney Attorney for the said State who for the said State in this behalf prosecuteth, as the aforesaid Overton Carr by his Attorney aforesaid. And the aforesaid Overton Carr by his Attorney aforesaid as before defends the force and injury when and so forth, and prays further leave of the Court to imparle hereunto until next Court and he hath it, and the same day is given to the aforesaid William Pinkney Attorney for the said State who for the said State in this