Whereupon the defendant by his solliciter aforesaid prayed an appeal from the decree aforesaid to the Court of appeals and filed in Court his bond in the words following to wit

Know all men by these presents that we Edward Norwood, Thomas Watkins & Geo Howard of Baltimore County are held and firmly bound unto Joshua Knight and Mary his wife and Joshua Trapnell and Elizabeth his wife, in the full and just sum of three hundred pounds Current Money to be paid to the said Joshua Knight and Mary his wife and Joshua Trapnell and Elizabeth his wife their certain attorney, executors, administrators or assigns To the which payment well and truly to be made and done We bind ourselves and each of our heirs, Executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this nineteenth day of July eighteen hundred and nine

Whereas the said Joshua Knight and Mary his wife and Joshua Trapnell and Elizabeth his wife at July Term eighteen hundred and nine in the High Court of Chancery obtained a decree against the said Edward Norwood for the sum of ninety eight pounds five shillings and eight pence current money with interest from the first day of September eighteen hundred and eight until the time of payment and the costs of the said suit from which said decree the said Edward Norwood is about to appeal

Now the Condition of this obligation is such that if the said Edward Norwood, shall prosecute the said appeal with effect or shall pay or cause to be paid to the said Joshua Knight and Mary his wife and Joshua Trapnell and Elizabeth his wife their executors, administrators or assigns as well all and singular the sum of money decreed as aforesaid with the interest thereon until paid, and the costs of the suit, as all costs & damages that

the said Joshua Knight and Mary his wife and Joshua Trapnell and Elizabeth his wife may sustain by the appeal aforesaid, in case the said decree shall be affirmed Then this bond to be void, else of full force

Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of	Edward Norwood	(seal)
	Thomas Watkins	(seal)
Jeremiah B Howard	George Howard	(seal)

Which bond was thus endorsed

Securities approved

W Kilty Chan^r
July 21st 1809

Which appeal was accordingly granted and the proceedings ordered to be transmitted to the Court of Appeals

Maryland sc.

In Testimony that the aforegoing is a true Copy from the Record of proceedings of the State of Maryland's High Court of Chancery. I have hereto affixed the Great seal of the said State this seventh day of July Eighteen hundred and nine

Richd Brewer Regist^r Cancr

And now Come in to the Court of Appeals here as the said Edward Norwood by Richard Ridgely and Arthur Shaaff his attornies as the said Knight and Trapnell and wives by Robert Goodloe Harper their attorney, and thereupon on motion of the said Knight and Trapnell and wifes by their attorney aforesaid it is ruled by the Court here that the said Edward Norwood assign the errors in the record of proceedings of the decree aforesaid brought before the Court here for correcting the errors supposed to be therein or Judgment by by the Court here will be entered against him in default thereof and the said Edward Norwood by his attorneys aforesaid saith that in the record of proceeding and also in the giving and passing of the decree aforesaid there is manifest error in this Court, that by the record aforesaid it appears that the decree aforesaid in form aforesaid given was given for the said Knight and Trapnell and wifes against the said Edward Norwood when by the law of the land and in Equity and good Conscience that decree ought to have been given for the said Edward Norwood against the said Knight & Trapnell and wives