Liberty hereof to Imparle till the next Court to be held at Leonard Town in the County afs. on the first Tuesday of November then next, the Same Day is given to the Plaintiff now here also ——

At which said first Tuesday in November Come again the afs. Parties by their Attorneys afs. & the Defendant at his request hath still further Liberty hereof to Imparle till the next Court to be held at Leonard Town in the County afs. on the first Tuesday in March next the Same day is given to the Plaintiff now here also ——

At which said first Tuesday in March that is to Say now here at this Day to wit the Second day of the Same month anno Domini 1762 Comes again the Parties afs. by their Attorneys afs. and the afs. Joshua Bean by his Attorney afs. prays that the said William Harrison Junr. to his Declaration in the plea afs. may answer Whereupon the said William Harrison Junr. by his Attorney afs. further Defends the force and Injury when &c. and Saith he did not take the mulatto Girl afs. named Lucy in manner and form as the Plaintiff in his Declaration above against him hath alledged & this he prays may be Enquired of by the Country and the Plaintiff in like manner

Thereupon Command is given to the Sheriff of St. Mary's County that Immediately he Cause to Come here Twelve &c. by whom &c. who neither &c. to recognize &c. because &c. of which said Precept the Sheriff namely Norman Bruce makes return that he hath here ready Twelve &c. in Virtue thereof he was Commanded & now here at Now and to wit the day and year afs. Come again the said Parties by their Attorneys afs. and the Jurors of that Jury being Impannelled who being Called Severally Came namely Stanton Edwards foreman John Oneal, Matthew Wise, James Addams, William Hobbs, William Martain, John Mitchey, Jacob Duvall, John Thompson James McLeland, William Guther, and Joshua Greaves, who being Duly Elected tried and Sworn to Say the truth in the premisses on their Oath do Say that the said William Harrison Junior did take the said Mulatto Girl named Lucy in manner and form as the said Plaintiff against him hath alledged and do assess the Damages of the said Plaintiff to the Sum of Six pence Current money besides his Costs and Charges by him about his Suit in that part Said out and Expended Whereupon the said William

(Harrison)

Harrison Junr. by his Attorney afs. prays an appeal from the Judgment afs. to the Honourable the Justices of the Provincial Court which is Granted on the Same William Harrison Junr. his giving Security according to Law which the said William Harrison Junr. Complied with by Virtue of the following Bond —— Know all men by these presents that We William Harrison, Edward Abell & William Langley are held and firmly bound unto Joshua Bean in the full & Sum of Twenty pounds Current money of Maryland to be paid unto him the said Joshua Bean his heirs Executors adm.rs or assigns to which Payment well and truly to be made & done We Bind ourselves and each of us our & each of our heirs Execu.rs & adm.rs jointly & Severally firmly by these presents, Sealed with our Seals & dated the first day of June 1762 Whereas the Justices of the County Court of St. Mary's at a Court held for the said County in March 1762 in a Certain Action of replevin brought by Joshua Bean against the said William Harrison for the Recovery of a mulatto Slave named Lucy in the Declaration mentioned gave Judgment against the said William Harrison from which Judgment the said William Harrison hath prayed and Obtained an appeal to the next Provincial Court (The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the said William Harrison shall Deliver unto the said Joshua Bean his Ex.rs adm.rs or assigns in case the said Judgment shall be affirmed the said negro Lucy and pay Damages & Costs adjudged by the said Court of St. Mary's before whom the said Action was brought and tried as also Costs and damages that shall be awarded by the said Provincial Court to whom the said appeal is made then the said Obligation to be Void and of none Effect, Otherwise to Stand in full force power and Virtue in Law ——

Signed Sealed & Delivered
In presence of
Thom.s Hoy, Owen Allen,

William Harrison (Seal)
Edward Abell (Seal)
Wm. Langley (Seal)

On the Back of which said Bond was the Seal of St. Mary's County with this Endorsement to wit Duly paid Richd. Ward Hoy (Seal) ——

Thereupon the Court orders a Transcript of the Records & Proceedings to be made out and Sent to the Honourable the Justices of the Provincial Court ——

In Testimony that the foregoing is a True Transcript from the Original Records of St. Mary's County Court the publick Seal thereof is hereto Affixed this 5th day of August Anno Dom 1762 Richd Ward Hoy Clerk of St. Mary's County

(Ang.)