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Afterwards, to wit, on the 14th day of March, 1868, the said Nelson Baker, by virtue and in pursuance of the provisions of the act of Assembly in such case made and provided, applies to and directs the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Allegany County, to enter an appeal from the judgment aforesaid, so as aforesaid rendered to the Court of Appeals of Maryland: which is accordingly done,

Whereupon the said Nelson Baker, files in the office of the Clerk of said Court, a certain writtenig obligatory, commonly called an appeal bond, and an affidavit, which are in the words and of the tenor following towit,

Know all men by these presents that We Nelson Baker, James W. Wilson of Allegany County in the State of Maryland are held and bound unto John Swan William F. Frick, Ann Elizabeth Frick, Alexander C. Good and Jennie Good, Elizabeth Key, Mary Key, James S. Key, and Alice Key, and Willie Swan, (being the heirs of the plaintiff in No. 31 Trials to January Term 1868, of the Circuit Court for Allegany County aforesaid) in the just and full sum of One thousand Dollars, current money, to which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves and each, our and each of heirs, executors, and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents, Sealed with our seals, and dated this 7th day of February in the year 1868.

Whereas the said above named obligees by a judgment of the Circuit Court for Allegany County, in the cause standing as No. 31 on the trial docket of the said Court at the January Term, thereof for the year 1868, in which the said obligees were the heirs of the plaintiff, and the said Nelson Baker, was defendant, recovered a certain tract or parcel of land particularly described in the proceedings in said cause, and whereas the said Nelson Baker, is about to appeal to the Court of Appeals of Maryland,

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that, if the said Nelson Baker, shall not cause a transcript of the record and proceedings of said judgment to be transmitted to the said Court of Appeals within the time required by law and prosecute the said Appeal with effect, and also pay and satisfy, the said obligees, their executors, administrators and assigns, in case such judgment shall be affirmed as well the damages and costs adjudged by said Circuit Court, as all damages and costs that be awarded by the Court of Appeals and also all damages that may be sustained by the said obligees by reason of the delay of execution of said judgment, then this obligation to be void, else to remain in full force,

Witness } Nelson Baker (Seal)
Peter Devecmon } James W. Wilson (Seal)

Which said bond and the securities therein are by the said clerk approved of.—

State of Maryland

Allegany County, to wit;

I hereby certify that on this 14th day of February, in the year 1868 before me the subscriber, a justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland in and for Allegany County personally appeared Nelson Baker, and made Oath in due form