you our said Justices undetermined as it is said and we being willing for divers causes that the plea aforesaid undetermined as aforesaid should be heard and determined before the Judges of our Generall Court, do therefore command you that you have the Bodies of the said Philip Madden and Richard Webster by whatsoever names they be called in the plea aforesaid together with the day and cause of their caption and detainer and all things thereunto relating before the Judges of our Generall Court to be held at the City of Annapolis on the second Tuesday in October next that our said Judges being rightly informed of the truth of the premises may further proceed therein, as to Justice appertains and so forth and have you then and there this Writ. Witness Robert Hanson Harrison Esquire Chief Judge of our said Court the 25th day of May Anno Dominie 1787.

Issued the 25th of August 1787 — (Rbnuth) Thos B Hodgkin Cl

In Testimony that the aforegoing is a true Copy from the Records and Proceedings of Harford County Court —

Seal of Harford County Court

I have hereunto set my hand and seal of Office this tenth day of October 1787.

John Lee Gibson Cl

And the aforesaid Elizabeth Jeffery assignee of William Wilson by Aquila Hall her Attorney aforesaid, files in Court here, her Declaration and Oyer of Bond, against Philip Madden and Richard Webster in this plea aforesaid in manner and form following, to wit —

State of Maryland, Western Shore, Harford County, to wit. Philip Madden and Richard Webster of Harford County Yeoman otherwise called Philip Madden and Richard Webster both of Harford County and State of Maryland were summoned to answer Elizabeth Jeffries of a plea that they render unto her the sum One hundred pounds Specie of the value of One hundred pounds Current Money of Maryland which from him they unjustly detain and so forth; And whereupon the said Elizabeth by Aquila Hall her Attorney complains that whereas the said Philip and Richard on the fourteenth day of September seventeen hundred and eighty four at Harford County aforesaid by their certain writing Obligatory sealed with the seals of the said Philip and Richard and to the Court now here shown whose date is the same day and year last aforesaid bound themselves to the said Elizabeth in the said sum of One hundred pounds Current Money which at the time was, and ever since hath been and now is of the value of One hundred pounds Current Money, to wit, at Harford County aforesaid of which they the said Philip and Richard then and there had notice; to be paid to the said Elizabeth

when they should be thereunto afterwards required: Nevertheless the said Philip and Richard nor either of them at the time required have not paid to the said Elizabeth the said sum of One hundred pounds specie or the value thereof or any part thereof but hitherto have and still do refuse to pay the same to the damage of the said Elizabeth Two hundred pounds Current Money and therefore she brings suit and so forth —

Aquila Hall pro Pl. John Doe Richard Roe

And the said Philip and Richard by Attorney come and defend the force and injury when and so forth and pray an hearing of the writing Obligatory aforesaid and the Condition thereof and it as follows, to wit —

Know all Men by these presents, that we Philip Madden and Richard Webster both of Harford County and State of Maryland are held and firmly bound unto Elizabeth Jeffrys (widow of Robert Jeffrys decd.) in the just and free sum of one hundred pounds Specie; To which payment well and truly to be made and done I bind myself my heirs, Executors, administrators firmly by these presents unto the said Elizabeth Jeffrys her certain attorney, Executors, administrators or assigns sealed with our seals and dated this fourteenth day of September One thousand seven hundred and eighty four — The condition of the above Obligation is such, that if the above bound Philip Madden and Richard Webster their heirs, Executors, administrators shall well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Elizabeth Jeffrys her heirs, Executors, administrators or assigns the just and free sum of fifty pounds Specie to be paid on the first day of January One thousand seven hundred and eighty six with legal Interest from Date till paid the the above Obligation to be void and of none effect otherwise to be and remain in full power and force in law —

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in presence of us
Samuel Webster Senr
Phebe Webster

Philip his mark Madden (Seal)
Richard Webster (Seal)

Nov.r 11th 1784. I do assign over my right and Interest of the within Bond to William Wilson son of John —

Test.
John Stevenson

Elizabeth her mark Jeffrays

February 24th 1785 — Rec.d Ten pounds eight shillings in part of the within Bond, on acc.t of Hugh Jeffery by me — William Wilson

And thereupon on Motion of the aforesaid Elizabeth Jeffery assignee as aforesaid by her attorney aforesaid, It is ordered by the Court here that the said Philip Madden and Richard Webster answer to the Declaration aforesaid of the aforesaid Elizabeth Jeffery assignee as aforesaid in the plea aforesaid, or Judgment by the Court here will be entered against them in default