obligatory aforesaid, sealed with the seal of the aforesaid Archibald Buchanan, which the debt aforesaid in form aforesaid, witnesseth the date whereof is the day and year aforesaid and so forth.

Jeremiah Townley Chase for Plff. Pledges and so forth { John Doe, Richard Roe.

Oyer of the writing obligatory in the Declaration aforesaid mentioned, and the Condition thereof follow. —

Maryland, Baltimore county ss. Know all Men by these presents, that I Archibald Buchanan of the county aforesaid am held & firmly bound to Thomas Cockey Deye of said county in the full & just sum of two thousand eight hundred and sixty pounds seventeen shillings & ten pence current money of Maryland to be paid to the said Thomas Cockey Deye or his certain attorney, his executors, administrators or assigns: To which payment well and truly to be made I bind myself my heirs, executors and administrators firmly by these presents, sealed with my seal and dated this fourth day of April one thousand seven hundred and eighty five. — The Condition of this obligation is such, that if the above bound Archibald Buchanan, his heirs executors or administrators do and shall well and truly pay or cause, to be paid unto the above named Thomas Cockey Deye his heirs, executors administrators or assigns, the full sum of one thousand four hundred and thirty pounds, eight shillings & eleven pence current money of the State of Maryland, with legal interest for the same, then this obligation to be void, or otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue. —

Sealed & delivered in presence of. Archibald Buchanan. (Seal)
Joshua Frederick Cockey, John Riddle }

A Copy of which aforegoing Declaration and Bond was made and sent with the writ, which issued in the plea aforesaid.

At which said second tuesday of October to wit, the eleventh day of the same month Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and eighty five, being the day of the return of the aforegoing writ, comes here into our General Court the said Thomas Cockey Deye by his attorney aforesaid, and the Sheriff of Baltimore county to whom the same writ was made and directed, likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed to wit

Cepi, Copy left 19th September 1785. Wm. McLaughlin Shff

And the said Sarah Buchanan executrix as aforesaid by Richard Ridgely her 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 she hath it, and the same day is given to the said Thomas Cockey Deye also.

At which said next Court to wit, the second tuesday of May being the ninth day of the same month Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and eighty six, comes again here into our General Court, as well the said Thomas Cockey Deye by his attorney aforesaid, as the said Sarah Buchanan executrix as aforesaid by her attorney aforesaid, And the said Sarah Buchanan executrix as aforesaid by her 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 she hath it, and the

same day is given to the said Thomas Cockey Deye also. —

At which said next Court to wit, the second tuesday of October being the tenth day of the same month Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and eighty six, comes again here into our General Court, as well the said Thomas Cockey Deye by his attorney aforesaid, as the said Sarah Buchanan executrix as aforesaid by her attorney. And the said Sarah Buchanan executrix as aforesaid by her 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 she hath it, and the same day is given to the said Thomas Cockey Deye also.

At which said next Court to wit, the second tuesday of May being the eighth day of the same month Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and eighty seven, comes again here into our General Court, as well the said Thomas Cockey Deye by his attorney aforesaid, as the said Sarah Buchanan executrix as aforesaid by her attorney aforesaid and the said Sarah Buchanan executrix as aforesaid by her 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 it is granted her, and the same day is given to the said Thomas Cockey Deye also.

At which said next Court to wit, the second tuesday of October being the ninth day of the same month Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and eighty seven comes again here into our General Court as well the said Thomas Cockey Deye by his attorney aforesaid, as the said Sarah Buchanan executrix as aforesaid by her attorney aforesaid. And the said Sarah Buchanan executrix as aforesaid by her attorney aforesaid, as before defends the force and injury when and so forth, and saith, that the said Thomas Cockey Deye his action aforesaid thereof against her to have or maintain, ought not, because she saith, that a certain John Hammond, in the life time of the said Archibald, the Testator, in the County Court of the State of Maryland held for Baltimore county aforesaid, at Baltimore town in the said county to wit, on the Monday, before the first tuesday of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty five, before John Moale Esquire and his associates, the said States Justices of the same Court, to wit, at Baltimore town in the county aforesaid, by consideration of the same Court, recovered against the said Archibald the testator in his life time, by the name of Archibald Buchanan late of Baltimore county merchant as well a certain debt of

as of tobacco, which to the said John, in the same Court, were adjudged for his damages, which he had sustained, by occasion of the detention of that debt, whereof the said Archibald in his life time was convict as by the record and process thereof in the same County Court now remaining, it doth fully appear, which same Judgment, at the time of the death of the said Archibald the testator, was and still remains in its full force and effect, not reversed, annulled, discharged or satisfied: And the said Sarah, the executrix further saith, that the aforesaid Archibald the testator in his life time, to wit, on the day of seventeen hundred and at Baltimore county aforesaid, by his certain writing obligatory with the seal of the said Archibald

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