peril and have you then and there this writ Witness Robert Hanson Harrison Esquire Chief Judge of our said Court the 26th day of June Anno Domini 1789.
Issued the 2d day of July 1789. Ino Gwinn Clk.
(A Robinson)

And the said John Brown Malthias Maris and William Wilson by Archibald Robinson their attorney aforesaid declared against the said Edward Stevenson in the plea aforesaid as follows to wit.

Western shore of Maryland Frederick County to wit Edward Stevenson late of Frederick County planter was summoned to answer unto John Brown, Mathias Maris and William Wilson of a plea that he the said Edward Stevenson render to them the sum of two hundred and ten pounds Current money of Maryland which to them he oweth and from them unjustly detaineth andsoforth.

And whereupon the aforesaid John Brown Malthias Maris and William Wilson by Archibald Robinson say that whereas the aforesaid Edward Stevenson on the first day of November in the year seventeen hundred and Eighty seven at Frederick County aforesaid by his bill obligatory sealed with the seal of the said Edward and to the Court now here shewn the date whereof is the same day and year did promise to pay or cause to be paid to the said John Brown, Malthias Maris and William Wilson by the Style and title of Brown and Maris or William Wilson or order the aforesaid sum of two hundred and ten pounds Current money of Maryland in manner following that is to say the sum of forty pounds on or before the first day of December next ensuing the date of the said bill obligatory and the remaining sum of one hundred and seventy pounds on or before the twenty fifth day of May next ensuing the date of the said bill with Interest on the same if not paid to the time it being for fourteen servants received from them to be paid to the said John Brown, Malthias Maris and William Wilson when he the said Edward Stevenson should

should be thereunto afterwards required according to the tenor and effect of the said bill obligatory of which said sum of two hundred and ten pounds in the said bill obligatory mentioned they the said John Brown Malthias Maris and William Wilson acknowledge themselves paid and satisfied the sum of fifty one pounds and ten shillings current money.

Nevertheless the said Edward Stevenson altho' often required hath not paid the sum of one hundred and fifty eight pounds and ten shillings Current money aforesaid the remainder and residue of the aforesaid sum of two hundred and ten pounds Current money in the said bill obligatory mentioned but the same to the said John Brown Malthias Maris and William Wilson or to either of them to pay altogether hitherto hath refused and still doth refuse to the damage of the said John Brown Malthias Maris and William Wilson three hundred pounds Current money of Maryland and thereof they bring suit andsoforth.

Pledges to prosecute } John Doe, and
Archd Robinson Atty for Pltfs } Richard Roe.

(Copy of the bill)

I Promise to pay or cause to be paid to Brown and Maris or William Wilson or order the sum of two hundred and ten pounds in manner following that is to say the sum of forty pounds on or before the first day of December next and the remaining sum of one hundred and seventy pounds on or before the twenty fifth day of May next ensuing the date hereof with Interest from the same if not paid to the time it being for fourteen servants recd from them. Witness my hand and seal this first day of Novd 1787.

Witness Present } Edward Stevenson (seal)
Thos Corcoran }

Indorsed

By one servant man returned	£ 14,, 0,, 0.
By Cash from M'Vivings for one Servant sold him by Mr Stevenson	22, 10,, 0.
Decr 15th By Cash from your son	15,, 0,, 0