the payment of principal, Interest and Costs, and agrees to stay Execution untill the first day of August: payments if any to be allowed.

Test. John Gwinn Clk.

Samuel Snowden for the use of Eleanor Jones
against
Abraham Boyd and John Wightt

Be it Remembered that heretofore to wit, on the second day of February Anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety two the plaintiff, by Gabriel Duvall his attorney sued out of our General Court the State of Marylands Writ of Capias ad respondendum directed to the Sheriff of Prince Georges County in the words and figures, to wit.

The State of Maryland, &c, To the Sheriff of Prince Georges County, Greeting, We command you that you take Abraham Boyd late of Prince Georges County planter Jonathan Wightt late of Prince Georges County planter and John Wightt late of Prince Georges County planter otherwise called Abraham Boyd, Jonathan Wightt and John Wightt of Prince Georges County if they shall be found in your Bailiwick and them safe keep so that you have their Bodies before the Judges of our General Court to be held at the City of Annapolis on the second tuesday of May next, to answer unto Samuel Snowden in a plea that they render unto him the Full and Just sum of Four hundred and ninety one pounds seven shillings current money which to him they owe and unjustly detain and Soforth Hereof fail not at your Peril and have you then and there this Writ; Witness the honourable Samuel Chase Esquire Chief Judge of our said Court, the 29th day of December Anno Domini 1791. Issued the 2d day of February 1792. (G. Duvall) John Gwinn Clk.

And the aforesaid Samuel Snowden by Gabriel Duvall his attorney aforesaid declared against the said Abraham Boyd, Jonathan Wightt and John Wightt in the plea aforesaid as follows, to wit.

Western Shore of Maryland, Sc Abraham Boyd late of Prince Georges County planter, Jonathan Wightt late of Prince Georges County planter and John Wightt late of Prince Georges County planter, otherwise called Abraham Boyd, Jonathan Wightt and John Wightt of Prince County were summoned to answer unto Samuel Snowden in a plea that they render unto him the full and just sum of Four hundred and ninety one pounds seven shillings current money which to him they owe and unjustly detain and Soforth. And Whereupon the said Samuel by Gabriel Duvall his attorney saith that whereas the aforesaid Abraham, Jonathan and John on the twelfth day of November in the year of our lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty seven at Prince Georges County aforesaid by their certain writing obligatory acknowledged themselves to be held and firmly bound unto him the said Samuel in the aforesaid sum of current money to be paid to the said Samuel when afterwards they should be thereunto required, Nevertheless the aforesaid

aforesaid, Abraham, Jonathan and John (altho often thereunto required) the aforesaid sum of money to him the said Samuel hath not rendered or paid, but the same to him hitherto to render or pay he hath altogether refused and still doth refuse, wherefore he saith he is the worse and hath damage to the value of six hundred pounds current money and therefore he brings suit and Soforth; And brings here into Court the writing obligatory aforesaid sealed with the seal of the aforesaid Abraham, Jonathan and John which the debt aforesaid in form aforesaid, Witnesseth; the date whereof is the day and year aforesaid and Soforth.

G. Duvall for Pltff. Pledges &c John Doe and Richard Roe

Oyer of the writing obligatory aforesaid here follows.

State of Maryland, Know all men by these presents that we Abraham Boyd, Jonathan Wightt, and John Wightt of Prince Georges County and held and firmly bound unto Samuel Snowden, of Prince Georges County in the full and just sum of Four hundred ninety one pounds seven shillings current money to be paid to the said Samuel Snowden, or to his certain attorney, Executors, administrators or assigns: To which payment well and truly to be made and done, We bind our heirs, executors and administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seal Dated the 12th day of November in the year of our lord, one thousand seven hundred and eighty seven.

The Condition of the above obligation is such, that if the above bounden Abraham Boyd, Jonathan Wightt and John Wightt their heirs, executors administrators, or any of them, shall and do well and truly pay, or cause to be paid, unto the above mentioned Samuel Snowden, or to his certain attorney Executors administrators or assigns the full and just sum of Two hundred & forty five pounds thirteen shillings and six pence current money on or before the ..... day of without any fraud or delay, then this obligation to be void and of none effect or else to remain in force and virtue in Law.

Sealed and delivered in the presence of
Beal Brashears
Jno. Steward

Abrm. Boyd (Ls.)
Jonn. Wightt (Ls.)
John Wightt (Ls.)

Copies of which aforegoing Declaration and Oyer were made and sent with the Writ which issued in the plea aforesaid.

At which mentioned second tuesday of May being the eighth day of the same month Anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety two and the day of the return of the aforegoing writ comes here into our General Court as well the aforesaid Samuel Snowden by Gabriel Duvall his attorney aforesaid, And the Sheriff of Prince Georges County to whom the said aforegoing writ was made and directed likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed to wit. Cepi Abraham Boyd, & John Wightt Copys left the 25th Mar 1792.
N. B. Jonathan Wightt. Wm. D. Beall Sheriff

And the aforesaid Abraham Boyd and John Wightt being called upon appear and at the prayer of the aforesaid Samuel Snowden by his attorney