hundred and fifteen pounds twelve shillings and eleven pence Gold or silver currency or the value thereof with legal interest thereon to him the said Isaac hath not rendered or paid, but the same or any part to him the said Isaac to render or pay he hath hitherto altogether refused and still doth refuse to the damage of him the said Isaac in the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds current money of Maryland and therefore he brings suit and soforth, and he brings here into Court the bill obligatory aforesaid sealed with the seal of the said Zadock the date whereof is the day and year aforesaid which the debt aforesaid in form aforesaid Witnesseth.

John Doe
and
Richard Roe

Wm. M. Gantt for Plaintiff. Pledges &c.

Oyer of the Bill.

June 29th 1791. I hereby promise and oblige myself my heirs executors administrators and assigns to pay or cause to be paid unto Isaac Lansdale of John his heirs executors, administrators or assigns the full and just sum of one hundred and fifteen Pounds twelve shillings and eleven pence Gold or silver currency with legal interest on the same from the date hereof.

Zadk Magruder (Seal)

Testis. William Duke.

This note is given in lieu of a former note of mine to Thomas S. Wootton assind to Isaac Lansdale by his executors.

I hereby assign unto Ann Lansdale of Montgomery County all my right and title to the within note. June the 30. 1791.

Isaac Lansdale

Copies of which said declaration and oyer were made and sent to the Sheriff of the County aforesaid with the said writ thereon endorsed "to be served on the defendant, with the writ, or left at his place of abode, twenty days at least before the return of the said writ for plea or Judgment the first Court."

At which mentioned second Tuesday of May being the eighth day of the said month, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety two, and the day of the return of the foregoing writ, comes into the General Court here the said Isaac Lansdale by John M. Gantt his attorney aforesaid, and the Sheriff of Montgomery County aforesaid, to wit. Solomon Holland Gentleman, to whom the said foregoing writ was in form aforesaid directed, makes return thereof to the Court here, thus endorsed, to wit, Exec Copy left 31st January. Sol. Holland Shff. And the said Zadock Magruder by Gabriel Duvall his attorney, appears in Court here: and thereupon, on motion of the said

said Isaac Lansdale by his attorney aforesaid, it is ruled by the Court here that the said Zadock Magruder give special bail in the plea aforesaid. whereupon the said Zadock Magruder by his attorney aforesaid, files in Court here a certain bail piece, and which being approved of by the Court here, is in form following, to wit. You Ninian Magruder and Robert Magruder do Jointly and severally acknowledge yourselves special bail for the said Zadock Magruder at the suit of the said Isaac Lansdale of John in an action of debt brought by the said Isaac Lansdale of John for the use of Thomas Lansdale against the said Zadock Magruder in the General Court they acknowledge themselves to be content therewith this 16th day of May 1792. before.

Jerh Crabb
Joseph Ball

To the honourable the Judges of the General Court.

To Gabriel Duvall Esqr attorney for Defendant.

And thereupon, on motion of the said Isaac Lansdale by his attorney aforesaid, it is ruled by the Court here, that the said Zadock Magruder answer to the declaration aforesaid of the said Isaac Lansdale in the plea aforesaid, or Judgment by the Court here will be entered against him in default thereof: and the said Zadock Magruder by his attorney, aforesaid defends the force and injury, when, and soforth, and prays leave of the Court here to imparle untill the second Tuesday of October next, and then to answer to the declaration aforesaid of the said Isaac Lansdale in the plea aforesaid. and to him it is granted. the same day is given to the said Isaac Lansdale also.

At which said second Tuesday of October being the ninth day of the said month, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety two, to which said day the said Zadock Magruder had leave to imparle and then to answer to the declaration aforesaid of the said Isaac Lansdale in the plea aforesaid, comes again into the General Court here, as well the said Isaac Lansdale by his attorney aforesaid, as the said Zadock Magruder by his attorney aforesaid: and the said Zadock Magruder by his attorney aforesaid, as before, defends the force and injury when and soforth; and prays on hearing of the bill aforesaid, and the same is read: which being read and heard, the said Zadock saith that the aforesaid Isaac his action aforesaid thereof against him to have or maintain ought not, because he saith that he the said Zadock paid to him the said Isaac the sum of money in the bill aforesaid above specified with the legal interest thereon due before the impetration of