hundred and ninety four pounds of Tobacco by the Court here unto the said State of Maryland on assent of the aforesaid Zebulon Hollingsworth Attorney for the said State, who for the said State in this behalf prosecuteth adjudged as well for the said State of Maryland damages sustained by reason of the detention of that Debt as for its Costs and Charges by the said State of Maryland about its Suit in this behalf laid out and expended, And the aforesaid Rezin Hammond in Mercy &c.

Memorandum, Judgment was rendered in this Cause on the Eighteenth day of May Anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety five, for Penalty and Costs of Suit, To be released upon the payment of the sum of Three hundred and eighty one pounds, three shillings and six pence Current Money with Interest thereon from the thirteenth day of October seventeen hundred and eighty six and Costs, Stay Execution untill the first day of August next payments if any to be allowed.

Test. Jno. Gwinn Clk.

The State of Maryland at the instance & for the use of John & Elizabeth Hood Executors of John Hood
against
Gabriel Duvall

Be it remembered that on the second Tuesday of May being the fourteenth day of the same month Anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety three comes here into our General Court Zebulon Hollingsworth Attorney for the State of Maryland who for the said State in this behalf prosecuteth, and exhibits to the Judges of the Court here a certain Bill against Gabriel Duvall Gentleman one of the Attornies of the Court, present here in Court in his proper person, of a plea of Debt, which said Bill followeth in these words, to wit.

To the Honourable the Judges of the General Court for the Western Shore of the State of Maryland, Anne Arundel County, to wit.

The State of Maryland by Zebulon Hollingsworth its Attorney who in this behalf prosecuteth for the said State complains of Gabriel Duvall Gentleman one of the Attornies of this Court now here present in Court in his own proper person for that whereas the said Gabriel on the fourth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty seven at the County aforesaid by his certain obligation in writing Sealed with

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Seal of the said Gabriel and unto the Court here shewn whose date is on the day and year aforesaid acknowledged himself to be held and firmly bound unto the said State in the sum of Five thousand pounds Current Money of Maryland to be paid to the said State whenever he the said Gabriel should be thereunto afterwards requested. Nevertheless he the said Gabriel although oftentimes afterwards thereunto requested hath not paid the aforesaid sum of Money or any part thereof to the said State but he the said Gabriel hath hitherto altogether refused to pay the aforesaid sum of Money or any part thereof to the said State and he the said Gabriel doth still refuse to pay the same to the said State to the Damage of the said State Three thousand pounds Current Money of Maryland and thereupon the said State prayeth relief and so forth.

Z Hollingsworth for State Pledges Jno. Doe, Rich.d Roe.

And the said Gabriel Duvall in his proper person comes and defends the force and injury, when and so forth, and prayeth an hearing of the Writing obligatory aforesaid, and of the Condition thereof, and he hath it in the words and figures following to wit. Maryland sc, Know all Men by these presents that we Elijah Gaither of Washington County and Rezin Hammond and Gabriel Duvall of Anne Arundel County are held and firmly bound unto the State of Maryland in the full and just sum of Five thousand pounds Current Money to which payment well and truly to be made and done We bind ourselves and every of us, our and every of us our heirs Executors and Administrators in the whole and for the whole jointly and severally firmly by these presents, Sealed with our Seals, and Dated this fourth day of October Anno Domini 1787.

The Condition of this obligation is such, that if the within bounden Elijah Gaither Executor of the last Will and Testament of Edward Gaither Junr. late of Anne Arundel County deceased do make or cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all and Singular the Goods Chattels and Credits of the said deceased which have or shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of him the said Elijah Gaither or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited into the Registry of the Orphans Court for Ann Arundel County at or before the

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