State and Desirous to promote the speedy Execution of the same for the Benefit of our Country. Do hereby promise to pay or cause to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the Western Shore, or any Person appointed by him or to the Visitors and Governors of the said College, when they shall be duly authorized to receive the same, the sums annexed by us to our Respective names, to be applied towards founding and Carrying on the said College which sums so subscribed we bind ourselves Severally our heirs executors and Administrators to pay in three Different Instalments or payments Viz.t one third part of the sum subscribed to be paid on the first day of June 1785. Anno the third Part on the first day of June 1786 and the Remainder on the first day of June 1787. Provided that no Essential Alteration be made in the Proposed Draught of the Law aforesaid Annapolis 16th December 1784

John Graham and John Weems Esq.r Walter Smith Thomas Mackall & Levin Mackall Samuel Chew and Edward Reynolds Esq.r are hereby Requested and Authorized as well personally as by such of their friends as they may think proper to solicit and Receive Subscriptions agreeable to the Terms of the aforegoing Articles for founding a College &c.a

Copy of the Annapolis subscription the first day Viz.t the 16th day of December 1784.

George Digges
Richard Sprigg
William Smith

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Charles Wallace	50	John Brice	50
George Plater	50	Thomas Jennings	35
Thomas Stone	100	James Williams	35
Chas. Carroll of Carrollton	200	John Muir	35
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Gavin H. Smith	15	Jno. Somervell	10.
Daniel Kent	15.		

And it was admitted by the Council for the Defendant that the Defendant Signed the same also shewed to the Court the following Terms filed in this cause Signed by Walter Dorsey Esquire Council for the plaintiffs and William Kilty Esquire Council for the Defendant which was also admitted by the Council for the Defendant (to wit, we agree that any Depositions taken on ten days notice given to John M Gantt or William Kilty if taken on the plaintiffs and William Marbury if taken on the part of the Defendant may be read in Evidence in the Tryal of this cause and that the cause shall be tryed next Court without a Legal Cause of Continuance be assigned provided a Copy of the amended Declaration is sent John M Gantt or William Kilty a fortnight before Court. and it is also agreed that the Declaration in this Cause shall be amended. Jno. M Gantt Wm. Kilty for the Defendant Walter Dorsey for the Plaintiffs

Also the following Notice to wit.

Dear Sir. take notice that I shall meet at the House of Archibald Golder in the City of Annapolis on the Eighteenth day of April next to take Depositions to be read in Evidence in the Suit brought in Calvert County Court by the Visitors and Governors of Saint Johns College in the State of Maryland against Joseph Sprigg March 24th 1794 Charles County To William Kilty Esquire Council for Joseph Sprigg

William Marbury agent for the visitors and Governors of Saint Johns College in the State of Maryland

A Copy of which notice the Defendants Council William Kilty Esquire admitted was Receive by him on the second day of April 1794 and Produces in Evidence the following Deposition taken under the said Terms filed and notice for taking Depositions aforesaid in support of the Issue Joined in this cause on the part of the Plaintiffs to wit, The Deposition of William Marbury of the City of Annapolis being of Lawful age and duly Sworn on the Holy Evangels of Almighty God Deposeth and saith that on or about the 14th day of April 1794 he applied to William Chew of Calvert County for the payment of the money due from

(him)