that he render unto her the full and just sum of Four hundred and ninety seven pounds and two pence Sterling Money of the Value of Eight hundred and twenty six pounds six shillings and eleven pence farthing Current Money which from her he unjustly detains and so forth, Hereof fail not at your peril, and have you there and there this writ; Witness the honourable Robert Goldsborough Esquire, Chief Judge of the said Court, the 15th day of July Anno Domini 1797.

Issued the 25th day of July 1797. (W. Cooke) Jno Green Clk.

And the aforesaid Rebecca Dulany Executrix as aforesaid by her Attorney aforesaid on the day of the issuing of the aforesaid Writ filed in Court here, the following declaration and Oyer of Bond, a Copy whereof was made and sent with the said Writ, to the Sheriff of the County aforesaid, to wit.

State of Maryland, Allegany County, to wit. Samuel Brooke Beall late of Allegany County Farmer otherwise called Samuel Brooke Beall of prince Georges County in the State of Maryland was summoned to answer unto Rebecca Dulany Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Daniel Dulany of a plea that he render unto her the full and just sum of Four hundred and ninety seven pounds and two pence Sterling Money of the value of Eight hundred and twenty six pounds six shillings and eleven pence farthing Current Money which from her he unjustly detains and so forth. And whereupon the said Rebecca Dulany by William Cooke her Attorney saith that whereas the aforesaid Samuel Brooke Beall on the first day of June in the year seventeen hundred and eighty six at Allegany County aforesaid by his certain Writing obligatory acknowledged himself to be held and firmly bound unto the aforesaid Daniel Dulany in his life time in the aforesaid sum of Sterling Money to be paid unto him the said Daniel when afterwards he the said Samuel Brooke Beall should be thereunto requested, And the aforesaid Rebecca Dulany in fact saith that the aforesaid sum of Four hundred and ninety seven pounds and two pence Sterling Money at the time of making the Writing obligatory aforesaid was always since hath been and still is of the value of Eight hundred and twenty eight pounds six shillings and eleven pence farthing Current Money to wit at Allegany County aforesaid. Nevertheless the aforesaid Samuel Brooke Beall the aforesaid sum of Sterling Money or the Value thereof to him the said Daniel in his life time or to her the said Rebecca Dulany since his death hath not rendered or paid (altho' so to do he was requested on the day and year last aforesaid and often afterwards at Allegany County aforesaid by the said Daniel in his life time and by the said Rebecca since his death) but the same or the Value thereof to him the said Daniel in his life time or to the said Rebecca Dulany since his death to pay or satisfy he hath altogether refused and still doth refuse wherefore the said Rebecca saith

(she is)

she is the worse and hath Damage to the Value of Sixteen hundred pounds Current Money and therefore she brings suit and so forth, And brings here into Court the Writing Obligatory aforesaid Sealed with the Seal of the aforesaid Samuel Brooke Beall whose date is the day and year first aforesaid which the Debt aforesaid in form aforesaid Witnesseth as also the Letter Testamentary to her the said Rebecca Dulany granted by which it appears she is Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of the said Daniel Dulany and thereupon hath administration

Wm. Cooke for Plaintiff pledges &c. John Doe & Richard Roe.

Oyer of the Writing Obligatory and the Condition thereof.

Know all men by these presents that We Sarah Beall of Montg. County, Samuel Brooke Beall of Prince Georges County and Thomas Brooke Beall of Montgomery County all in the State of Maryland are held and firmly bound unto Daniel Dulany Esqr. of Baltimore County and State aforesaid in the full and just sum of Four hundred and ninety seven pounds and two pence Sterling Money of Great Britain to be paid unto the said Daniel Dulany his certain Attorney Executors Administrators or Assigns to the which payment well and truly to be made and done, We bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents, Sealed with our Seals and dated this first day of June in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty six.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Sarah Beall, Samuel Brooke Beall and Thomas Brooke Beall do and shall well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Daniel Dulany Esqr. his certain Attorney, Executors Administrators or Assigns the full and just sum of Two hundred and forty eight pounds and two pence Sterling Money aforesaid on or before the day of with Legal Interest thereon, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force and Virtue in Law.

Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of Robt. B. Beall, John Carnes — Sarah Beall (seal), Saml. B. Beall (seal), Thos. B. Beall (seal)

At which mentioned second Tuesday of October being the tenth day of the same month, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety seven, and the day of the return of the aforegoing Writ, comes into the General Court here, the aforesaid Rebecca Dulany Executrix as aforesaid by William Cooke her Attorney aforesaid; And the Sheriff of Allegany County aforesaid, to wit. Robert Sinclaire Gentleman, to whom the said aforegoing Writ was in form aforesaid, directed, likewise comes and makes return thereof, to the Court here, thus endorsed, to wit.

N. C. Robert Sinclaire, Sheriff.

(And)