Robert Welch when afterwards they should be thereunto required; Nevertheless the aforesaid John Carr and Philip Pindell (altho' often thereunto required the aforesaid sum of two hundred and sixty pounds Current Money to them the said Benjamin Carr, and Robert Welch have not rendered or paid, but the same to them hitherto to render or pay, they have altogether refused and still do refuse, wherefore they say they are the worse and have Damage to the value of five hundred pounds current money and therefore they bring suit and so forth, and bring here into Court the writing Obligatory aforesaid, Sealed with the Seals of the aforesaid John Carr and Philip Pindle which the Debt aforesaid in form aforesaid Witnesseth the date whereof is the day and year aforesaid and so forth.

Rich^d. H. Harwood for Plaff pledges &c. John Doe and Richard Roe

(Oyer)

Know all Men by these presents that I John Carr of Washington County and Philip Pindell of A Arund. County are held and firmly bound unto Benjamin Carr, Robt Carr & Robt Welch Exor of Benj^a Carr late of Ann Arundel County Dec^d, in the full (just sum of two hundred and sixty pounds current money to be paid unto the said Benj^a Carr, Robert Carr (Robert Welch their certain attorney, Exors admrs or assigns To the which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs Exors and admrs and every of them firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals & dated this thirtieth day of December one thousand seven hundred and ninety six.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above bound John Carr and Philip Pindell do and shall well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Benjamin Carr, Robt Carr & Robert Welch their certain attorney Exors admrs or assigns the just and full sum of one hundred and thirty pounds Current money at or upon the thirtieth day of December next ensuing the date hereof with legal Interest for the same then the above Obligation to be void, else to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Signed Sealed and deliv^d in the presence of Robert Welch — John Carr — (seal) Philip Pindell — (seal)

At which said second Tuesday of May being the eighth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight and the day of the return of the aforegoing writ come into the General Court here the said Benjamin Carr Robert Carr and Robert Welch by their attorney aforesaid and the Sheriff of Washington County to whom the said writ was in form

(aforesaid)

aforesaid directed likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed to wit.

Copi Carr, N.C. Pindel Copy left on the 24th. Apl. John Wagoner Sheriff.

And the Sheriff of Anne Arundel County to whom a Duplicate of the aforesaid writ was in form aforesaid directed likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed to wit.

Copi Copy left the 19th. April John Welch Sheriff

And the said John Carr and Philip Pindell by John Thomson Mason their attorney in Court here. And thereupon on motion of the said Benjamin Carr, Robert Carr and Robert Welch by their attorney aforesaid, It is ruled by the Court here that the said John Carr and Philip Pindel give special bail in the plea aforesaid; whereupon the said John Carr and Philip Pindle by their attorney aforesaid file in Court here the following Bail piece to wit.

Benjamin Carr, Robert Carr & Robert Welch use of James Clerk (a) John Carr & Philip Pindel	You Richard Pindall & Frederick Dorsey do jointly and severally acknowledge yourselves special bail for John Carr at the suit of the said Benjamin Carr Robert Carr & Robert Welch use of James

Clerk in an action of Debt Brought by the said Benjamin Carr, Robert Carr & Robert Welch use of James Clerk against the said John Carr & Philip Pindel in The General Court. They acknowledge themselves to be content therewith this 24th. day of April 1798.

Before Cephas Beall, Jacob Schnebly

To the Honourable the Judges of the General Court

I do hereby authorize John T. Mason to appear for me in the above suit.

John Carr

And Thereupon on motion of the said Benjamin Carr Robert Carr and Robert Welch by their attorney aforesaid It is ruled by the Court here that the said John Carr and Philip Pindle answer to the Declaration aforesaid of the said Benjamin Carr Robert Carr and Robert Welch in the plea aforesaid; or Judgment by the Court here will be rendered against them in default hereof, and the said John Carr and Philip Pindel by their attorney aforesaid defend the force and injury when and so forth, and pray 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 Benjamin Carr Robert Carr and Robert Welch in the plea aforesaid; and to them it is granted the same day is given to the said Benjamin Carr Robert Carr and Robert Welch also.

At which said second Tuesday of October being the ninth day of the

(same)