December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety two.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Edward Norwood of Baltimore County aforesaid do and shall well and truly pay or Cause to be paid unto the said Martha Howard Executrix aforesaid or her certain attorney executors, Administrators or Assigns the full and just sum of one hundred and fifty pounds like money as aforesaid on or before the first day of August next 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 Edward Hall.

Edwd. Norwood (seal)
Richd. Hall of Edwd (seal)

Endorsements

Oct. 4. 1793. Recd. thirty five pounds in part of the within Bond and Int.
Hy: Hall Agt. for Martha Howard Ext.

May 12. 1796. Then received on Acct. of Int. and Principal the sum of fifty pounds 16/3. of the within Bond. Hy: Hall Agt.

Principal — — — — — —	£150. 0. 0.
Int from 18 Decr. 1792 to the 4th Oct. 1793 —	7. 3. 0.
	157. 3. 0
Then paid	35. 0. 0
	122. 3. 0
Interest thereon from 4th October 1793. to the 12th May, 1796. — — —	19. 1. 10
	141. 4. 10
Then paid — — —	50. 16. 3
	£90. 8. 7
Int: thereon from the 12th May 1796. till paid — — — —	

At which mentioned second Tuesday of October being the ninth 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, comes into the General Court here the aforesaid Martha Howard by Arthur Shaaff her attorney aforesaid and the sheriff of Anne Arundel County aforesaid to wit, John Welch 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.

Cepi Copy left the 29th September John Welch Shff.

And the said Richard Hall of Edward by Richard Ridgely his attorney comes and defends the force and injury, when and so forth, and prays leave of the Court here to imparle until the second Tuesday of May next and to him it is granted the same day is given to the aforesaid Martha Howard also.

At

At which said second Tuesday of May being the fourteenth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine to which said day the said Richard Hall of Edwd. had leave to imparle comes again into the General Court here as well the aforesaid Martha Howard by her attorney aforesaid as the said Richard Hall of Edwd. by his attorney aforesaid. And thereupon on motion of the aforesaid Martha Howard by her attorney aforesaid, It is ruled by the Court here that the said Richard Hall of Edward answer to the declaration aforesaid of the aforesaid Martha Howard in the plea aforesaid, or Judgment by the Court here will be entered against him in default thereof and the said Richard Hall of Edward by his attorney aforesaid as before defends the force and injury when and so forth and prays further leave of the Court here to Imparle until the second Tuesday of October next and then to answer to the declaration aforesaid of the aforesaid Martha Howard in the plea aforesaid and to him it is granted the same day is given to the aforesaid Martha Howard also.

At which said second Tuesday of October being the eighth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine, to which said day the said Richard Hall of Edward had further leave to Imparle and then to answer to the declaration aforesaid of the aforesaid Martha Howard in the plea aforesaid comes again into the General Court here, as well the aforesaid Martha Howard by her attorney aforesaid as the said Richard Hall of Edward by his attorney aforesaid and the said Richard Hall of Edward by his attorney aforesaid as before defends the force and injury when and so forth and saith that the aforesaid Martha Howard her action aforesaid against him to have or maintain ought not &c. because he saith that he the said Richard Hall of Edward did pay unto the aforesaid Martha Howard the said sum of money in the Condition of the said writing obligatory mentioned with legal interest thereon, according to the form and effect of the Condition of the said writing obligatory and this he is ready to verify, wherefore he prays Judgment if the aforesaid Martha Howard her action aforesaid against him to have or maintain ought and so forth.

And the aforesaid Martha Howard by her attorney aforesaid saith that he by any thing by the said Richard Hall of Edward above in pleading alledged from having or maintaining her action aforesaid against him ought not to be precluded because she saith that the said Richard Hall of Edward hath not paid unto her the aforesaid Martha Howard the aforesaid sum of money in the Condition aforesaid mentioned with the Interest thereon in such manner and form as the said Richard Hall of Edward above