ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals dated the twenty ninth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety five. The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Samuel Turner Dyson, Thomas Andrew Dyson and Walter Winter their heirs executors administrators or any of them shall and do well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the above mentioned William Barclay and Samuel McKean or to their certain attorney executors administrators or assigns the full and just sum of seven hundred and forty seven pounds ten shillings current money aforesaid with Interest from the date hereof on or before the tenth day of September 1798 without any fraud or delay, then this above obligation to be void and of none effect or else to remain in full force and virtue in Law

Sealed and delivered in the presence of
Ben. Douglass
Jm.a Anderson

Samuel T. Dyson (seal)
Thos. A. Dyson (seal)
W. Winter (seal)

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 William Barclay and Samuel McKean by William Cooke their attorney aforesaid, and the Coroner of charles of county to wit. William B. Smoot Gentleman to whom the said aforegoing writ was in form aforesaid directed, makes return thereof to the court here thus endorsed to wit. "Lepi Wm B. Smoot Coroner.

And the said Walter Winter by Philip B. Key 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 William Barclay and Samuel McKean also.

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 Walter Winter had leave to Imparle come again into the General Court here as well the aforesaid William Barclay and Samuel McKean by their attorney aforesaid as the said Walter Winter by his attorney aforesaid. And thereupon on motion of the aforesaid William Barclay and Samuel McKean by their attorney aforesaid. It is ruled by the court here that the said Walter Winter answer to the Declaration aforesaid of the aforesaid William Barclay and Samuel McKean in the plea aforesaid or Judgment by the court here will be entered against him in default thereof. And afterwards to wit in this same term the said William Barclay and Samuel McKean by their attorney aforesaid suggest to the Court here that the said Walter Winter the Defendant in this cause is dead and died after the last appearance in the plea aforesaid to wit on the day of last at the county aforesaid having before his said decease duly made his last will and testament in writing and by the same nominated

and appointed Jane Winter William Campbell and John S. Haw executors thereof: and this is not denied. Whereupon the said William Barclay and Samuel McKean by their attorney pray the court here to direct that a Subpana may issue to the Sheriff of Charles county aforesaid commanding him to Summon the said Jane Winter, William Campbell and John S Haw executors of the said Walter Winter that they be and appear here next court and become a party to this suit in the room of the aforesaid Walter Winter who is dead, which said summons issued accordingly in the words following to wit. The State of Maryland &c. To the Sheriff of Charles County Greeting. Whereas Walter Winter late of Charles County Gentleman was heretofore summoned to be in the General Court held at the City of Annapolis to answer unto William Barclay and Samuel McKean in a plea of debt and so forth, to which said plea the said Walter Winter appeared and Imparled. And whereas the said Walter Winter is since deceased as it hath been suggested in the said General Court. Therefore you are hereby commanded to Summon Jane Winter, William Campbell and John Stoddert Haw executors of the said Walter Winter that they be and appear before the said General Court to be held at the City of Annapolis on the second tuesday of October next to answer unto the said William Barclay and Samuel McKean in the plea aforesaid according to the directions of the Act of Assembly in such case lately made and provided if to it shall seem meet, Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there this writ. Witness the Honourable Jeremiah Townley Chase Esquire Chief Judge of the said general Court the thirteenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine

Issued the 23d day of Septr 1799. (M.C.) Jno. Gwinn Clk

The same day is given to the said William Barclay & Samuel McKean 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 and the day of the return of the aforegoing summons come again into the General Court here the aforesaid William Barclay and Samuel McKean by their attorney aforesaid: and the Sheriff of Charles County aforesaid to wit Thomas A Dyson Gentleman to whom the said aforegoing summons was in form aforesaid directed makes return thereof to the court here thus endorsed to wit "Summoned Jane Winter and John S. Haw. Non Est Campbell". Thos. A. Dyson Shff

And the said Jane Winter, William Campbell and John S. Haw executors of Walter Winter by John Campbell their attorney come and defend the force and injury when and so forth, and pray leave of the court here to Imparle until the second tuesday of May next and to them it is granted the same day is given to the aforesaid William Barclay & Samuel McKean also.

At which said second tuesday of May being the thirteenth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred to which said Day the said Jane Winter, William Campbell and John S Haw executors as aforesaid

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