Issued the 12th day of February 1799 (M. Wallace) Upton Beall clk.
And the said Thomas Perry Wilson by his attorney aforesaid declares against the said Hezekiah Viers in the plea aforesaid as follows to wit, Montgomery county to wit. Hezekiah Viers late of Montgomery county yeoman was summoned to answer unto Thomas Perry Wilson in a plea that he render unto him the sum of fifty six pounds twelve shillings and two pence half penny current money of Maryland which to him he owes and unjustly detains and so forth. And whereupon the said Thomas Perry Wilson by William Wallace his attorney saith that — whereas the aforesaid Hezziah on the twenty fourth day of November in the year seventeen hundred and ninety eight at the county of Montgomery aforesaid, did by his certain bill obligatory promise to pay unto the said Thomas by the name of Thomas Perry Wilson or order the said sum of fifty six pounds twelve shillings and two pence half penny current money of Maryland with legal interest thereon in five days after the date of the said Bill. Nevertheless the aforesaid Hezekiah altho' often required hath not paid the said sum of money in five days after the date of the said bill but the same to him the said Thomas to render or pay he hath hitherto altogether refused and still doth refuse to pay the same wherefore the said Thomas says he is the worse and hath damage to the value of thirty pounds and therefore he brings suit and so forth; and brings here into court the bill obligatory aforesaid sealed with the seal of the aforesaid Hezekiah Viers which the debt — aforesaid in form aforesaid testifies the date whereof is the day and year aforesaid &c.
M. Wallace for the pltff pledges &c. { John Doe & Rich. Roe
The bill obligatory mentioned in the Declaration aforesaid ensues as follows to wit

(Stamp of five cents) Five days after date I promise to pay unto Thomas Perry Wilson or order the sum of fifty six pounds twelve shillings and two pence ½ current money of Maryland with legal Interest thereon from the date hereof being for the ballance due on a settlement to date witness my hand and seal this twenty fourth day of November 1798.
Witness Robert Wallace { Hezekiah Viers (seal)

At which said first Monday in March anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine being the day of the return of the aforegoing writ. comes the said Thomas Perry Wilson

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Wilson by his attorney aforesaid, and the Sheriff of the county aforesaid to whom the same writ was directed likewise comes and makes return thereof to the court here thus endorsed to wit.
Exp. P. M. Jones Shff
Whereupon the Sheriff of the county aforesaid being solemnly called upon to bring into court the body of the said Hezziah Viers according to the return aforesaid does not bring him in but therein doth make default. Therefore it is considered by the court here that the said Sheriff be amerced the sum of the plaintiffs debt and costs in this cause, unless he shall have the body of the said Hezekiah Viers before the Justices of the court here on the first monday of November next following, and the same day is given to the said Thomas Perry Wilson here &c.

At which said first Monday in November anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine comes here again into court as well the said Thomas Perry Wilson by his attorney aforesaid, and the Sheriff of the county aforesaid being again solemnly called upon to bring into court the body of the said Hezekiah Viers in compliance with the rule aforesaid of the court here and to save the amerciament aforesaid does not bring him in but again doth make default. Therefore it is ruled by the court here that the amerciament aforesaid be enlarged until the first monday in March next following. the same day is given to the said Thomas Perry Wilson here &c.

And now here at this day to wit the first Monday in March anno Domini one thousand eight hundred, comes here again into court the said Thomas Perry Wilson by his attorney aforesaid, and the Sheriff of the county aforesaid being again solemnly called upon to bring into court the body of the said Hezekiah Viers in compliance with the rule aforesaid of the court here and to save the amerciament accordingly brings him in. And the same Hezzah Viers puts in his place John M. Grantt as his attorney. Thereupon at the prayer of the said Thomas Perry Wilson by his attorney aforesaid, the aforesaid Hezekiah Viers is adjudged to give special bail to the action aforesaid. Whereupon a certain Ignatius Watkin of the county aforesaid present here in court undertakes for the said Hezekiah Viers in case the said Thomas Perry Wilson should recover Judgment against the said Hezekiah Viers in the plea aforesaid or that he the said Hezekiah Viers should be therein legally convict that then the said Hezekiah Viers shall pay the condemnation of the court

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