action hath accrued unto him the said Clement Hill to demand and have of him the said Charles Courts Jones the aforesaid sum of Current money. Nevertheless the aforesaid Charles Courts Jones although often thereunto required the aforesaid sum of current money to him the said Clement Hill hath not rendered or paid, but the same to him the said Clement Hill to render or pay he hath altogether refused and still doth refuse wherefore the said Clement Hill saith he is the worse and hath damage to the value of twelve hundred pounds Current money and therefore he brings suit and so forth and brings into Court the writing obligatory aforesaid sealed with the seal of the said Charles Courts Jones and the several assignments sealed with the seals of the said Uriah Forrest and Benjamin Stoddert and of the said James Alexander Magruder the dates whereof are the several days and years herein aforesaid expressed which the debt aforesaid and the assinments aforesaid witness and so forth.

Wm Hilty for Plff. } John Doe and
Pledges &c. } Richard Roe.

(Over of the writing obligatory and assignments aforesaid)

Stamp Know all men by these presents that I Charles Courts Jones of Montgomery County am held and firmly bound unto Uriah Forrest and Benjamin Stoddert in the full and just sum of twelve hundred pounds Current money to be paid to the said Uriah Forrest and Benjn Stoddert their certain attorney Executors administrators and assigns; To the which payment well and truly to be made and done I bind myself my heirs executors and administrators firmly by these presents sealed with my seal and dated this first day of October one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight. The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Charles Courts Jones do and shall well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Uriah Forrest and Benjamin Stoddert their certain attorney, executors administrators or Assigns the full sum of six hundred pounds Current money on or before the first day of September next, with legal interest thereon from the first day of September last 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 James Tootell } Charles C. Jones (seal)
George

George Town Montgomery County, 3d October 1798.

Came Uriah Forrest before me a justice of the peace for the County aforesaid, and made oath on the holy Evangelest of Almighty God that neither himself Benjn Stoddert nor any other person for them, or either of them hath received any part or satisfaction as payment for or in behalf of the within Bond to the best of his knowledge.

Thos Corcoran

George Town Montgomery County October 3d 1798.

We hereby assign transfer and make over unto James A. Magruder all our right title property claim and interest in and to the within bond for value recd. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals.

Witness Uriah Forrest (seal)
Danl Carroll of Dudl. Benjn Stoddert By
Uriah Forrest (seal)

Prince Georges County 11th October 1798.

Came James A. Magruder before me one of the justices of the peace for the County aforesaid and made oath on the holy Evangels of Almighty God that he had not received any part of the within Bond principal or interest and that no person for him had received any part of said bond to the best of his knowledge. Sworn before

John Smith Brooches

Prince Georges County 11 Octr. 1798.

I hereby assign transfer and make over unto Clement Hill all my right title claim and interest in and to the within bond, principal and interest for value received Witness my hand and seal the date above written.

Witness James A. Magruder (seal)
John Smith Brooches

Augt 23rd 1799. Recd of Mr Charles Coats Jounes Thirty six pounds for interest due on his bond given to Uriah Forrest and by him past to James A Magruder and by the said Magruder to Clement Hill.

Clement Hill

Copies of which said declaration oyer and assignments were made and sent with the said writ which issued in the plea aforesaid