Scott as his Attorney, whereupon the said Quayle Charles Christian by his said Attorney with the consent of the said Thomas Eddy and George Eddy affiled in Court hin the following Bail Piece to wit.

"Thomas and George Eddy for the use of Brudenell & Maitland Plaintiffs

Quayle Chas. Christian, Defendant

Dr. £800 Specie —
Qu. William Skinner, William Meloy & Solomon Corner do jointly & severally acknowledge ourselves Special Bail for Quayle Charles Christian at the suit of the said Thomas & George Eddy for the use of Brudenell & Maitland, in an action of Debt brought by the said Thomas & George Eddy for the use of Brudenell & Maitland, in the General Court. They acknowledge themselves to be content therewith this 29th day of September 1788. Before us

To the Honourable the Judges of the General Court —

W. Dawson
Wm. Gibson"

At the Bottom of the said Bail Piece was thus written, to wit. —

"I hereby impower Gustavus Scott Esq. my Attorney to appear for me in the above Action

Q. Christian" —

And the said Thomas Eddy and George Eddy by their Attorney aforesaid affiled their Declaration in the Plea aforesaid against the said Quayle Charles Christian which ensues as follows to wit." Talbot County, So. Quayle Charles Christian late of Talbot County, Merchant was summoned to answer unto Thomas Eddy and George Eddy of a plea that he render unto them eight hundred pounds current money of Maryland which to them he owes and unjustly detains &c — And whereupon the said Thomas & George Eddy by William Tilghman their Attorney say that whereas the said Quayle Charles Christian on the twenty eighth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty seven at the County aforesaid by his certain Writing obligatory with his seal sealed and to the Court here shewn the date whereof is the day and year aforesaid acknowledged himself to be held & firmly bound unto the said Thomas & George Eddy in the aforesaid sum of eight hundred pounds current money aforesaid to be paid to the said Thomas & George when thereto afterwards he should be required. Yet the said Quayle Charles Christian (altho often required) the aforesaid sum of money to the said Thomas & George or to either of them hath not paid but the same to them or to either of them to pay hath hitherto altogether refused & still doth refuse to the Damage of the said Thomas & George eight hundred pounds current money aforesaid & thereupon they bring suit &c —

Wm. Tilghman. Pledges &c John Doe Rich. Roe" —

The Writing Obligatory whereof mention is made in the Declaration aft. ensues, to wit. "Know all men by these presents that I Quayle Charles Christian of Talbot County State buyer am held and firmly bound unto Messrs. Thomas & George Eddy of the City of Philadelphia Merchants in the sum of eight hundred pounds specie to be paid to the said Thomas & George Eddy their certain Attorney Executors Administrators or Assigns To which payment well and truly to be made I do hereby bind my Heirs Executors and Administrators jointly firmly by these presents sealed with my seal dated the twenty eight day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty seven. The Condition of this obligation is such that if the above bounden Quayle Charles Christian his Heirs, Executors, Administrators or any of them shall and do well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the above named Thomas & George Eddy their certain Attorney Executors Administrators or Assigns the just sum of four hundred pounds Specie lawfull money of Maryland on or before the first day of October next ensuing without any fraud or further delay, then the above obligation to be void or else to be and remain in full force and virtue

Sealed & delivered in the presence of John Blake" —

Q. Christian (Seal)"

On the back of the aforegoing Bond was thus written to wit —

We do hereby assign transfer and set over all our right title and interest of and in the within obligation to George Bridges Brudenell and John Maitland of the City London Merchants, and to Partners and James Masterman of the same City Merchants, their Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever witness our hands and Seals the fifth day of October 1787.

Sealed and delivered in the presence of us
Sam. Crais Inl. Thed. Rouvine

Thomas Eddy (Seal)
George Eddy (Seal)

Whereupon at the prayer of the said Thomas and George Eddy by their Attorney aft. it was rule by the Court here that the said Quayle Charles Christian should file his Plea and answer to the Declaration of the said Thomas Eddy and George Eddy by the second Tuesday of April then next following, or that Judgment should be rendered against the said Quayle Chas. Christian by default, the same day was also given to the said Thomas Eddy and George Eddy then and so forth. —

And now here at this day, to wit, the said second Tuesday of April in the year One thousand seven hundred and eighty nine, come again the Parties aforesaid