answerable for the same on failure of payment by the within bound Thomas Ringgold as Witness my hand and Seal — Nicholas Thomas Moale — Abraham Usher .. (Seal)

And the said Thomas Ringgold by his Attorney aforesaid defends the wrong & injury when &c. & sorrow, and says, that he cannot deny the action of the said James Usher Executor of Abraham so as aforesaid against him brought, nor but that the said James Usher Exor as aforesaid hath sustained Damage by occasion of the non performance of the promise & Assumption in manner & form aforesaid to the sum of one thousand pounds Current money of Maryland as the said James against him hath complained — Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said James Usher Executor as aforesaid recover against the said Thomas Ringgold as well the sum of one thousand pounds Current money for his Debt aforesaid in form aforesaid by him demanded as also the Quantity of five hundred and forty nine pounds of Tobacco for his Costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended, late the said James Usher by the Court here with his Assent adjudged and so forth — and the said Thomas Ringgold in mercy &c. — James Earle Junr. Clerk —

Judgment was rendered in this Action on the 20th day of April 1796 for £1000 Debt & Costs — To be released on payment of £605. 2s. 4d. with Interest thereon from the 2nd day of May 1795. till paid and Costs — Stay of Execution till September Term 1797. —

Afterwards, that is to say, on the twenty ninth day of October in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred and ninety eight the said Thomas Ringgold produced the Writ of the State of Maryland for the correcting of Errors of & upon the premises, commanding, that the Judgment aforesaid, so as aforesaid rendered, with all things thereunto relating, be transmitted to the High Court of Appeals of the said State, the tenor of which said Writ is as follows, towit —

Maryland ss. The State of Maryland, To the Honorable the Judges of the General Court Greeting, Because in the Record and Process and also the rendering of Judgment on a certain Action brought by James Usher Executor of Abraham, for use of John Travis, against Thomas Ringgold for the sum of six hundred and eighty five pounds, two shillings and one penny Current money, with Interest from the second day of May seventeen hundred & ninety five till paid & costs, at a General Court held before you our said Judges at Easton at April Term seventeen hundred and ninety six, Manifest Error as it is said hath happened, to the great Damage of the said Thomas Ringgold, as of his complaint we have received, and we being willing that the Errors, if any there be, should be duly corrected, and full and speedy Justice done to the said Thomas Ringgold in this behalf, Command you that if Judgment be thereof rendered that then the Record and Process aforesaid with all things thereunto relating under your Seals, distinctly and openly you send under this Writ, so that the same may be had before the Judges of our High Court of Appeals, at Annapolis the second Tuesday of November next that the Record & Process aforesaid, being inspected into, we may further do therein for correcting that Error which of right & according to the Laws and Customs of this State may be done — Witness the Honorable Alexander Contee Hanson Chancellor, this twenty second day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight.

Samd Harvey, Howard Reg: Cur. Cancr.

In pursuance whereof, and according to the Act of Assembly in such case made

and provided, a Record of the Judgment aforesaid, together with all things thereunto relating together with said Writ of Error annexed is hereby transmitted to the High Court of Appeals accordingly — Test James Earle Junr. Clk —

John Corrie against Timothy Lane Price

Be it remembered that on the eighteenth day of February in the year seventeen hundred and ninety six, Command was given to the Sheriff of Caroline County, that he should take Timothy Lane Price late of Caroline County Farmer, if he should be found within his Bailiwick, and him safe keep, so that he should have his body before the Judges of our General Court, to be held at Easton, in Talbot County, the second Tuesday of April then next following, to answer unto John Corrie, of a plea, that he render unto him the sum of five hundred and forty two pounds, one shilling and eight pence half penny of Maryland, which to him he owes & unjustly detains &c. — And that the Sheriff have then and there that Writ. — At which said second Tuesday of April seventeen hundred and ninety six being the day for the return of the aforegoing Writ, comes into Court here the said John Corrie by Nicholas Hammond his Attorney, and the Sheriff of the County aforesaid to whom the said Writ was directed likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed, towit — Cepi Dabar Thompson Shff. And the said Timothy Lane Price being called, appeared in Court here by in his own proper person. Thereupon the said John Corrie by his Attorney aforesaid, Declared against the said Timothy Lane Price in the plea aforesaid, in manner & form following, towit. — The Eastern Shore of Maryland, Caroline County, towit. — Timothy Lane Price late of Caroline County Farmer was summoned to answer unto John Corrie of a plea that he render unto him the sum of five hundred & forty two pounds one shilling and eight pence half penny of Maryland which to him he owes & unjustly detains &c. — Thereupon the same John Corrie by Nicholas Hammond his Attorney saith that whereas the said Timothy Lane Price on the seventeenth day of January in the year seventeen hundred and ninety five, at the County aforesaid by his certain writing Obligatory, which, sealed with the seal of the said Timothy Lane Price the said John Corrie here into Court brings the date whereof is the same day & year aforesaid acknowledged himself to be held & firmly bound unto the said John Corrie in the aforesaid sum of five hundred and forty two pounds one shilling and eight pence half penny Current money, to be paid to the said John Corrie or his Assigns, when he the said Timothy Lane Price should be thereto afterwards required. To the payment whereof the said Timothy Lane Price did bind himself firmly by the said writing — Nevertheless the said Timothy Lane Price although often thereto required, the sum of money aforesaid, or any part thereof to the said John Corrie yet hath not paid, but the same to him to pay hath hitherto altogether refused, and still doth refuse, to the Damage of him the said John Corrie in the sum of six hundred pounds Current money: And thereupon he brings this suit &c. — N. Hammond Attyf — Upon Oath Richard Rees } Pledges &c. —

The writing Obligatory mentioned in the Declaration aforesaid, follows, towit. — Know all men by these presents that we Timothy Lane Price and Thomas Taylor both of Caroline County Maryland, farmers, held & firmly bound unto John Corrie of Talbot County, Maryland, Merchant, in the full & just sum of five hundred and forty two pounds one shilling & eight pence half penny