The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Patk Waters John Ayres & Edward Scarborough do & shall well and truely pay, or cause to be paid unto the said Samuel & Meirs Fisher their certain attorney their Heirs Executors. Administrators or assigns the just Sum of Five hundred & ninety three pounds Seventeen Shillings Pennsylvania Currt. in gold & Silver at the present value then the above obligation to be void or else to remain in full force & Virtue

Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of — — Robert J.H. Handy Saml Handy.

Patrick Waters (Seal)
John Ayers (Seal)
Edward Scarborough (Seal)

It is requested is requested to bring suit on this Bond to next Court Samuel & Meirs Fisher. And thereupon on motion of the said Plaintiff by their Attorney (ass) it was ruled by the Court that the said Patrick Waters should answer to the declaration (ass) on or before the next Term, or Judgment would be rendered against him by Default the same day was given to the Plaintiff then &c. And now here to wit the second Tuesday of September, Seventeen hundred and ninety Nine, comes again into Court the parties (ass) by their Attornies aforesaid and the said Patrick Waters by his Attornies (ass) further defends the wrongs & injury when &c and says that he cannot deny the action (ass) nor that he owes unto the said Samuel & Meirs Fisher the aforesaid sum of Five hundred and Eighty seven pounds fourteen Shillings, current Money in manner and form as the said Samuel & Meirs Fisher above against him hath complain; Therefore it is Considered by the Court here that the said Samuel & Meirs Fisher recover against the said Patrick Waters, as well the said Sum of Five hundred and Eighty seven pounds fourteen Shillings, current money his debt (ass) in form aforesaid; confessed; as the quantity of Six hundred and fifteen pounds of Tobacco for his damages which he has sustained as well, the by reason of the detention of the said Debt as for his Costs and Charges by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the said Patrick Waters in Mercy &c.

James Earle Junr Clk

Judgment was confessed the 17th of September 1799 for penualty and Costs to be released on the payment of principal, interest and costs & payment of any tobo allowed stay of Execution till next Term —

Samuel & Meirs Fisher against John Ayres — } Be it remembered that the proceedings in this case are the same as the preceding one against Patrick Waters

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Samuel & Meirs Fisher against Edward Scarborough against Patrick Waters. } Be it remembered that the proceedings in this case are the same as the preceding one —

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Peter Chaille use of John Gunby against John Ayres } Be it remembered that on the fourteenth day of August Seventeen hundred and ninety eight, Command was given to the Sheriff of Worcester County to take John Ayres late of Worcester County planter, if he should be found in his Bailiwick and him safe keep, so that, he might have his body before the Judges of our General Court, to be held at Easton in Talbot County, the second Tuesday of September then next to answer unto Peter Chaille, of a plea that he render unto him the sum of one hundred & eighty eight pounds twelve Shillings & four pence current money of Maryland which to him he owes & unjustly detains &c And that he the said Sheriff should not fail thereof at his peril and should then & there have that writ: At which said Second Tuesday of September being the return day of the (ass) writ came into Court the said Peter Chaille by Josiah Baily his Attorney, and the Sheriff of the County (ass), to whom the same writ was directed, made return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed to wit, Cepi so answers Zadok Sturges Sheriff. And the said John Ayres being called appeared in Court here, by James B Robins his Attorney, and and thereupon on Motion of the said Peter Chaille by his Attorney (ass) the said John Ayres was ruled to give Special bail in the plea (ass) whereupon the said John Ayres by his Attorney (ass) filed in Court here a certain bail piece, the Tenor whereof is as follows, to wit: You Zadok Sturges & John J. Bratten do Jointly and Severally acknowledge yourselves Special Bail for the said John Ayres at the Suit of the said Peter Chaille use of John Gunby against the said John Ayres, in the General Court They acknowledge them to be content therewith this seventh Day of September 1798 Before