Capt Dents Navall Office Maryland ss

Lib. H. D.

Bond of per-Know all men by these presents that Wee Capt p. 184 formance &ca Will^m Dent & Mr Cleborne Lomax Gentl. of Charles County in Maryland are holden & firmly bound Unto his Ex^{ncy} Francis Nicholson Esq^r their Mats Capt Gen^{ll} & Chief Govern of this Province in the full & Just sume of one thousand Pounds of Lawfull Money of England to be paid to the said Francis Nicholson Esq^r his Ex^{rs} Adm^{rs} or Assigns to the which paym well & truly to be made Wee bind ourselves & either of Us by himselfe our & either of our heirs Ex^{rs} and Adm^{rs} Joyntly & severally for the whole & in the Whole firmly by these presents, Witness our hands and Seales November 19th 1694

The Condition of the aboue Written Obligation is such that Whereas his Exncy Francis Nicholson Esqr hath Comissionated & appointed the said Capt Willm Dent to be Navall Officer for the Upper parts of Charles County that is to say begining at Porttobacco & so Vpwards to the head of the said County in the said Province, by his Comission bearing equal date with these presents, Now if the said Capt Willm Dent shall well & truly pform the said Office according to the severall Acts of Parliamt in that case made & Provided, & shall observe the Directions contained in the Acts of Assembly of this Province relating to the Duty of Navall Officers & from time to time Save Defend & keep harmless the said Francis Nicholson Esq^r from all Damage Loss & Charges that he the said Francis Nicholson Esqr shall Sustaine at any time by reason of the said Capt Willm Dents non pformance of his said Office (so long as he shall Enjoy the same) As in the said severall Lawes is enacted & Ordained, Then the aboue Obligation to be Voyd & of none effect, otherwise to be & remaine in full force &

Sealed & Delivered in the Presence of Vs

Will^m Dent [Seale] Cleborne Lomax [Seale]

Thomas Tench Fd: Randolph

Maryland ss