

Maryland ss

Dinah Know all men by these presents that We Dinah
 Nutheads Nuthead of Ann Arrundell County Widow Robert
 Bond for Carville and William Taylard of S^t Maries County
 Printing Gent^a are held and firmly bound unto his Ex^{ncy} Francis Nichol-
 son Esq^r Cap^t Gen^l and Governo^r in Chief &c^a in the Sume of
 one hundred pounds of lawfull money of England to the w^{ch}
 paym^t well and truly to be made & done We bind our Selves
 each and every of Us our and either of our heirs Ex^{rs} &
 Adm^{rs} joyntly & Severally for the whole and in the whole firm-
 ly by these p^sents Sealed with our Seals and Dated the four-
 teenth day of May Anno Domini 1696.

Whereas the above bound Dina Nuthead having p^r her
 Peticon humbly supplicated his Ex^{ncy} the Governo^r for Leave
 & Lycence to set up her printing press for printing blank bills
 bonds Writs warrants of Attorney Letters of Administration
 and other Necessary blanks usefull for the publick Offices of
 this province which being Referred to the House of Assembly
 and there Assented to, and by his s^d Ex^{ncy} and Councill accord-
 ingly Ordered She giving bond &c^a.

Now the Condition of this Obligation is such that if the s^d
 Dinah Nuthead shall exercise and Employ her printing press and
 Letters to noe other use than for the printing of blank bills
 bonds writts warrants of Attorney Letters of Adm^{rc}on and other
 like blanks as aboves^d nor Suffer any other person to make use
 thereof any otherwise than afores^d Unless by a particular p. 363
 Lycence from his Ex^{ncy} the Governo^r first had and obtained
 And further shall save harmless and indempnifye his s^d Ex^{ncy}
 the Governo^r from any Damage that may hereafter Ensue by
 the said Dinah Nuthead misapplying or Suffering to be mis-
 applied the afores^d Printing press or letters otherwise than to
 the true intent & meaning before expressed, Then this Obliga-
 tion to be Voyd or else to Remain in full force and Virtue.

Sealed and Delivered in	Dinah ^{her} Nuthead (Seale)
the p ^r sence off.	^{mark} Rob ^t Carville (Seale)
H: Wriothesley	W. Taylard (Seale)
Hen: Denton	
John Newsam.	

Decemb^r the 10th 1694.

May it please Yo^r Ex^{ncy}

Coll Roboth- In pursuance of an Ord^r of Council from your
 ams Return Ex^{ncy} and Councill I have made enquiry what Ord^{rs}
 ab^t Mr M^r Leech and M^r Clayland have for preaching and
 Clayland M^r Leech and M^r performing a ministeriall ffunction in Talbot County
 and M^r and Concerning M^r Leeach his marrying one John
 Leech.

Stephens.