

trators and every of them firmly by these Presents Sealed with my Seal and dated this 31st day of May Anno Domini 1739

L. H. J.
Lib. No. 45

The Condition of the Above Obligation is such that if the Above Bound A B. his Heirs Executors or Administrators do and shall well and truly pay or Cause to be paid to the Abovesaid Levin Gale his Executors Administrators or Assigns the full and Just Sum of Five hundred Pounds of Merchantable Leaf Tobacco at or upon the 26th Day of December next ensuing the date hereof then the Above Obligation to be void and of none Effect otherwise to be and remain in full Force Power and Virtue in Law but if default be made in the payment of the aforesaid Sum of Five Hundred Pounds of Tobacco qualified as aforesaid then I do hereby Impower any Attorney in any Court of Record in the Realms of Great Britain France or Ireland or within the Province of Maryland or other his Majestys Dominions to appear for me at the Suit of the Above mentioned Levin Gale his Executors Administrators or Assigns and to receive a Declaration on the Above Obligation and thereupon to Confess Judgment by Nil dicit cognovit Actionem non Sum Informatus or otherwise hereby releasing all the Errors that may happen upon the said Judgment suing out Execution thereupon or in any of the proceedings thereunto relating.

Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of C. D.

A. B. (Seal)

Your said committee have also Inspected the State and Condition of the Commissary Generals Office and do find so far as they could Examine that the Wills Inventories and Accounts are Entered to December 1738 and the Books and papers appear in good order.

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Your Committee demanding by what Authority the Fees of the said Office were Charged were answered by Virtue of a Regulation made by his Lordships Proclamation and Enquiring further whether they took any and what Security for fees in the said Office received for Answer that they took none for Fees arising on the Transitory and current Business of the Office except some times Promissory notes but more Generally only Orders in Writing to do the particular Business Required and that such Fees were only charged in Account but that upon Granting of Letters Testamentary or of Administration they took Testamentary or Administration Bonds in the Condition of which Bonds among other Things Security was Included for their Fees arising by means of the Administration or Executorship by the following Clause and also (that the said Executor or Administrator) shall pay all such Reasonable Charges and Fees as have arisen or shall arise or become due to his Lordship Officers from the said (Executor or Administrator) on account of the said Deceased or his Estate