

Know all men by these presents that I George Gummell of the County of Baltimore in the Province of Maryland Sheriff and Justice of the Peace and formerly bound unto Sam: & Philip & Thomas Gannon both of the County & Province aforesaid in the full sum and just quantity of one thousand and twenty thousand pounds of good sound merchantable Tobacco and like to be paid to them the said Sam: & Philip and Thomas Gannon or to their certain Attorneys Executors or Assigns to whom payment well and truly to be made; I bind my self my heirs Executors and Assigns firmly by these presents sealed with my seal Dated the thirteenth day of August in the fifth year of the

Dominion of Charles Lord Baron of Baltimore Esq: Anno Dom: 1680.

The condition of this obligation is such that whereas the above named Sam: & Philip and Thomas Gannon did at the special instance and request of the above bound George Gummell together with the said George Gummell as Surety for the said George Gummell enter into our bond or obligation to the Right Honourable Charles Lord Baltimore Esq: bearing date the second day of August one thousand six hundred and eighty in the penalty of sixty thousand pounds of Tobacco with condition therein made and written for the said George Gummell and the Surety of the said Estate of Edward Gummell as by the said obligation and condition may appear If the said George Gummell his heirs Executors or Assigns and every of them do at all times hereafter and from thence to thence shortly acquit and discharge or otherwise sufficiently save and keep harmless the said Sam: & Philip & Thomas Gannon their heirs Executors and Assigns every of them and all their goods and chattels and every part and parcel of them against all persons whatsoever of and for entering into the said bond and of every from all untoward suits debts demands Exactions and Damages whatsoever that shall or may arise or grow touching or concerning the premises or any of them in any matter or wise whatsoever that the said obligation to be void and of none effect or force to stand in full force and Virtue.

George Gummell (Seal)

Sealed & Delivered in the presence of us
Daniel Larnell
Signum
Angh Williams

September 29th 1681

Item Sam: Gannon Philip Calvert Esq: Stantles Daniel Larnell and made Oath that he did see the above bound George Gummell Seal and as he did and did deliver the above bound to the above mentioned
Philip Calvert

John Howlin of the City of St Marys gent: Do certify that the Certificate following might be Entered Upon Record viz
John Howlin of the City of St Marys in the Province of Maryland was Married to Mary his now wife the first and twenty day of October Anno Dom: 1680: And the third time was borne the third Day of September Anno Dom: 1681: all sign a Clock in the Evening

The mark of the hogge Earle be of John Sapou of St Marys County viz
Earle Earle Cropt and a slit in each Cropp right down the Ear and a Neck in the under part of the right Ear.
The mark of Mary Sapou the Daughter of the said John Sapou: Entered at the request of the said John Sapou viz
Earle Earle Cropt and a slit in each Cropp right down the Ear & a Neck in the under part of the left Ear.