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Recd here from his Ex<sup>ty</sup> Francis Nicholson Esq<sup>r</sup>: Cap<sup>t</sup>: Gen<sup>l</sup>: and Chief  
 God<sup>d</sup>: of his matys Province of Maryland and his matys hono<sup>ble</sup> Council of the P<sup>ro</sup>-Province  
 Capaquet of <sup>the</sup> and other papers, wherein are Inclosed, Several Bills of Exch<sup>ange</sup> (The 1<sup>st</sup> Letter  
 being directed for y<sup>e</sup> honoured, Cap<sup>t</sup>: Seth Lagger, Merchant in London And, upon y<sup>e</sup> usual  
 1<sup>st</sup> Bills were viz<sup>t</sup> one Drawne by Cap<sup>t</sup>: In<sup>o</sup> Clarke Comander of the Ship In<sup>o</sup> and Margaret  
 for 49: 10: 00: By Cap<sup>t</sup>: Sam<sup>l</sup> Barry Comander of the Colchester Adventure for 29: 15: 00: By Edw<sup>d</sup>  
 Burford, Comand<sup>r</sup>: of the Ship James for 2: 02: 00: By Cap<sup>t</sup>: Humphrey Belley Com<sup>and</sup>  
 of the Ship Braggett for 26: 14: 00: By Cap<sup>t</sup>: Thomas Carting Comand<sup>r</sup>: of the Ship Itzrah  
 for 50: 14: 00: By Robert Mason or M<sup>r</sup>: Isaack Millner w<sup>th</sup> L<sup>ts</sup> of Advice for 30: 13: 00, The  
 whole same is 249: 15: 2: Together w<sup>th</sup> a L<sup>tr</sup> for M<sup>r</sup>: Isaack Millner which I promise to take  
 of and send to Cap<sup>t</sup>: Lagger and M<sup>r</sup>: Millner by Daniell Watts & Thomas Tasker

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Be it remembered that the day and yeare above mentioned came before us In<sup>o</sup> Hammond Rich<sup>d</sup>  
 Hill and Thomas Tasker Gent<sup>l</sup>: Justices of his matys Bro<sup>ad</sup> Court In<sup>o</sup> Blackmore and William  
 Letter Together w<sup>th</sup> Gabriell Barroth of Annapolis County Gent<sup>l</sup>: And the said Blackmore  
 w<sup>th</sup> Letter and Gabriell Barroth their Security and acknowledged themselves each and every  
 of them to stand and be Proscribed unto o<sup>ur</sup> Sovereign Lord William the third King of Eng<sup>land</sup>  
 Scotland France and Ireland in the Sum of five hundred pounds Ster<sup>ling</sup>: apiece that they  
 the said In<sup>o</sup> Blackmore and William Letter shall personally appear and be forth coming  
 when Ever his maj<sup>ties</sup> pleasure is knowne concerning them in the mean time to be of good behav<sup>our</sup>  
 as to any acts of pyraey In Default Whereof they are contented, the P<sup>ro</sup>: Separate Sums of  
 money that shall be levied upon their and every their Goods goods Chattels Lands Tenements &  
 Hereditaments

John Blackmore  
 William Letter  
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Cap<sup>t</sup>: S<sup>eth</sup> Lagger for not  
 D<sup>ist</sup>: Anno Sup<sup>er</sup>: Edm<sup>und</sup>  
 In<sup>o</sup> Hammond  
 Thomas Tasker

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St. Marges County

Know all men by these presents that we Gorrard Sly of St. Marges County Gent<sup>l</sup>: Joshua Gubert &  
 Thomas Hatton of the Same County Gent<sup>l</sup>: are held and firmly bound unto our Sovereign Lord King  
 William the third w<sup>th</sup> Gorrard Sly in the full Sum of one thousand pounds Ster<sup>ling</sup>: Money of  
 Eng<sup>land</sup> and Joshua Gubert, and Thomas Hatton in the full Sum of five hundred  
 Ster<sup>ling</sup>: Money of England Each, to be p<sup>aid</sup>: to his maj<sup>ties</sup> his heires and Successors, To the  
 paym<sup>ent</sup>: well and Truly to be made, We do bind our selves and every of us, our and every of  
 our heires Ex<sup>ors</sup> and Adm<sup>ors</sup> in the whole and for the whole Sog<sup>ally</sup> and S<sup>o</sup>berally firmly  
 by these presents Sealed w<sup>th</sup> our Seales dated the 13<sup>th</sup>: day of May 1698

The Condition of the above obligation is Such that if the above bound Gorrard Sly shall  
 in his proper person appear at the port of Annapolis in Annapolis County before the  
 Justices of the Bro<sup>ad</sup> Court to be holden the last Tuesday in August next 1698 that  
 there to Answer to such matters as shall be objected ag<sup>st</sup>: him on his maj<sup>ties</sup> behalfe, &  
 stand and abide by, the full Determination of the P<sup>ro</sup>: Court, as the Law Directs and to be of  
 good behav<sup>our</sup> in the mean time to the Govern<sup>ment</sup>: and all the Leige people of this Province  
 Then the above obligation to be void otherwise to stand and remain and be in full force  
 & Virtue Signed Sealed and Delivered in presence  
 of <sup>our</sup> <sup>Justices</sup> <sup>of</sup> <sup>the</sup> <sup>Bro</sup> <sup>ad</sup> <sup>Court</sup>  
 Gorrard Sly  
 Joshua Gubert  
 Thomas Hatton