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August 26. 1698

Then Recd of Cap Thomas Cumus the full of all Accounts Debts due Bills Bonds and Obligations on  
the Account of Cap Thomas Laurence Barrett from the Beginning of the word to this day as witness  
my hand this day and year above said

Christophorus

Recorded Aug 26  
1698

[Signature]

Gouverneur Nicholson and  
Whome it may concerne

London 4<sup>th</sup> December 1697

Respected Friends

This will be brought by Cap Joseph Gollman Master of the Ship Dovor March for Loading Whereof  
we request you take his bills on the for Mary Land Dutys and port Charges of what so ever he may take  
on Board without obliging him to other Security We hereby Engadge to pay his bills for the said duty  
and port Charges also what Honour you please show him as our Supra Cargo Almos Garrett The Same shall  
be allways and Duly Acknowledged when we may

Your Obliged & Ready Friends

James Brain  
Benjamin Brain  
Richard Haynes

Maryland

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas Smithson of Talboth County Gent<sup>l</sup> and Nicholas Low of  
St. Marys County Gent<sup>l</sup> are held and firmly bound unto our Sovereign Lord King William the third by the  
Grav of God of England Scotland France and Ireland King &c in the just Summe of one thousand  
pounds of Lawfull money of England to be paid unto our said Sovereign Lord his heirs and Successors  
to which payment well and truly to be made we bind our selves and either of us, our and either of our  
heires Ex<sup>rs</sup> and Adm<sup>rs</sup> jointly and severally firmly by these presents Sealed with our Seales and Dated  
the fourteenth Day of May Anno Dom<sup>i</sup> 1698

The Condition of this Obligation is Such that whereas the above bounden Thomas Smithson is appointed publick  
Treasurer by the Gen<sup>l</sup> Assembly of this Province within the precincts of the Eastern Shor and whereas by virtue of  
such Appointment he is empowered to take into his hands and possession all such Sums and Sums of money as are due &  
payable by virtue of sundry Acts of Assembly within this Province now these presents witnesseth that in Case the said  
Thomas Smithson doo and shall well and truly from time to time and at all times hereafter render a true and just account  
of such money to beacco or goods which shall come to his hands and possession to the Assembly for the time being then this  
Obligation to be void or else to remain in full force the virtue

Sealed and Delivered in the presence of his  
Ex<sup>rs</sup> and the whole Assembly

H<sup>on</sup>: Denton C<sup>l</sup> Council

Thomas Smithson Sealed  
Nicholas Low Sealed

Maryland

Know all men by these presents that We Robert Mason of St. Maryes County Gent<sup>l</sup> and W<sup>m</sup> Denton  
of Charles County Gent<sup>l</sup> are held and firmly bound unto our Sovereign Lord William the third by the  
Grav of God of England Scotland France and Ireland King Defender of the faith &c in the just Summe  
one thousand pounds of Lawfull money of England to be paid unto our said Sovereign Lord King William the third  
his heirs and Successors to the which payment well and truly to be made we bind our selves and  
either of us our and either of our heirs and Adm<sup>rs</sup> jointly and severally, for the whole and in the  
whole firmly by these presents, Sealed with our Seales and Dated the fourteenth Day of May Anno Dom<sup>i</sup> 1698

The Condition of this Obligation is Such that whereas the above bounden Robert Mason is appointed publick Treasurer  
by the Gen<sup>l</sup> Assembly of this Province within the precincts of the Western Shor and whereas by virtue of such Appointment  
is empowered to take into his hands and possession all such Sums and Sums of money as are due & payable by virtue of sundry  
Acts of Assembly within this Province now these presents witnesseth that in Case the said Robert Mason doo and shall well and truly  
from time to time and at all times hereafter render a true and just account of such money to beacco or goods which shall come to his hands and possession  
according to the Acts aforesaid to the Assembly of this Province for the time being then this Obligation to be void or else to remain in full  
force and virtue Sealed and Delivered in presence of his Ex<sup>rs</sup> the Govern<sup>r</sup> and the whole Assembly

H<sup>on</sup>: Denton C<sup>l</sup> Council

Robert Mason  
W<sup>m</sup> Denton