up in Writing under their Hands & Seals ready to be delivered to the said Parties on or before the first Day of June next ensuing the Date before mentioned then this Obligation to be void or else to remain in full Force and Virtue.

Signed, Sealed, and delivered in the Presence of — Basil Burgess — Chs. Ridgly son of Wm

Ephraim Howard (Seal)

Recorded the 11th Day of August 1772

Ed. 5 pds

To all, to whom these Presents shall come, We Robert Davis, Richard Shipley, Adam Shipley John Hood, John Dorsey and Charles Ridgely (son of Wm) of Anne-Arundel County, Send, Greeting — Whereas there are divers Controversies and Disputes have lately arisen between Ephraim Howard of Anne-Arundel County in the Province of Maryland of the one Part and Charles Hammond of the said County & Province of the other Part — And Whereas for the putting an End to the said Differences and Disputes, they the said Ephraim Howard and Charles Hammond by their several Bonds or Obligations bearing Date the thirteenth Day of May one thousand seven hundred and Seventy two, are reciprocally bound each to the other in the penal Sum of three hundred Pounds Current Money, to stand to, abide, perform, and keep the Award, Order and final Determination of Samuel Snowden, John Dorsey, Richard Shipley, John Hood, Robert Davis, Adam Shipley, Basil Burgess, William Coale, and Charles Ridgely (son of Wm) or any five of them indifferently chosen between the said Parties to arbitrate, award, order judge and determine of and concerning the Lines of a Tract of Land called Talbots Resolution Manor between the said Parties, and to fix a Boundary, where it appears that the South East Line of the said Tract shall or may extend, so as the said Award be made in Writing under our Hands and Seals, and ready to be delivered to the said Parties in Difference on or before the first Day of

(June)