Dorchester County, To wit: On the 17th day of April 1848, personally appeared before me the Subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in and for the County aforesaid, James Hammersly and James Higgins & made the following Oath, to wit: "We James Higgins & James Hammersly, subscribing Witnesses to the above Bond, do make Oath that John Tyler, John W. Hayward and Barzillai Slacum, Obligors mentioned in the said Bond, did severally, in our presence, sign, seal and deliver the said Bond, as their act and deed, for the purposes therein mentioned." Sworn before me on the day above mentioned.

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Charles Shinton & others
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Be it remembered that the following Bond was recorded on the 17th day of April 1848, to wit: Know all men by these presents that we Charles Shinton, Bananman Mills & Leonard Booze, of Dorchester County and state of Maryland, are held & firmly bound unto the state of Maryland, in the full and just sum of two thousand dollars, current money of the United States, to be paid to the said state or its attorney; to the which payment well and truly to be made & done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and Administrators, jointly & severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals & dated this 17th day of April 1848. The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above bounden Charles Shinton shall well and truly execute the Office of Constable in Election district number No. five, in Dorchester County, in all things appertaining thereto, and shall well and truly account for all monies placed in his hands for collection, and shall also well & truly pay all sums of money received by him, then the above Obligation to be void, otherwise of full force and virtue in law.

Signed, sealed & delivered in the presence of James Higgins, Barzillia Slacum

Charles Shinton (Ls)
Bananman Mills (Ls)
Leonard his mark Booze (Ls)

Dorchester County, To wit: on the 17th day of April 1848, personally appeared before me the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the County aforesaid, James Higgins and Barzillia Slacum, and made the following Oath, to wit: "We James Higgins and Barzillai Slacum, subscribing Witnesses to the above Bond, do make Oath that Charles Shinton, Bananman Mills and Leonard Booze, obligors mentioned in the said Bond, did severally, in our presence, sign, seal and deliver the said Bond as their act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned."
Sworn before me on the day above mentioned. Ja. Hammersly.