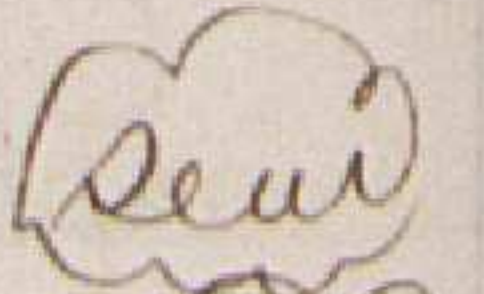
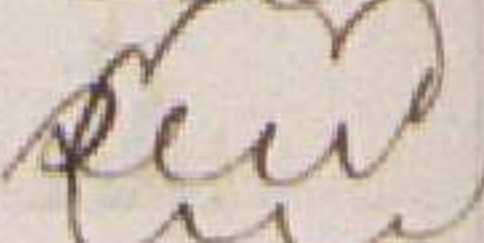


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Howard County, to wit:

On this sixteenth day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty nine before the subscribers, one of the State of Maryland's Justices of the Peace in and for said County appear Joseph W. Windiger and makes oath that he will faithfully and honestly serve in the office of Constable for the second Election District of Howard County, and will well and truly, according to his power, skill and judgment, perform and execute the duties belonging to the office of Constable so long as he shall continue in said office; and that he will, to the best of his ability, perform all the duties required of him by the act relating to negroes, and to repeal the acts of assembly therein mentioned and the several supplements thereto without favour, affection or partiality.

Given before

W. A. Voder J. P.

I William A. Voder a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland in and for the County of Howard do hereby certify that Crathum C. Brooks and John D. Mayfield, subscribing witnesses to the within bond do make oath according to law that the 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. Given under my hand and seal this sixteenth day of February in the year 1859

Wm. A. Voder J. P. in & for the
County aforesaid & of the State
of Maryland

William H. Harrison } Know all men by these presents, that
Bond. Constable } we William H. Harrison W. Allen all of
State of Maryland } Howard County and State of Maryland
are held and firmly bound unto the State
of Maryland, in the full and just sum of two thousand dollars
current money, to be paid to the State of Maryland; to the which
payments well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves,
our heirs executors administrators, jointly and severally firmly
by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated this first
day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and fifty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that if the above
bounden William H. Harrison appointed a constable in the
second Election District of Howard County shall well
and faithfully execute the same office in all things.