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below written . . . The Condition of this Recognizance is such that if the above Bound John Records shall personally appear at the next Court of the County aforesaid to be held at Dividing Creek the third Tuesday of this Instant August and then and there give such Evidence as he shall know against Mary Cavanaugh Sarah Walker Senr, Sarah Walker Junr, Susannah Walker and Mary Walker of and concerning their feloniously Stealing certain Goods the goods of Merrick Ellis and John Banister and do not depart thence without Leave of the Court that then this Recognizance to be void. (Ch: Ballard, Wm: Sloughlon)

Now here at this day to witt the twentyalth day of August and the One thousand seven hundred and twenty three appeared here in Court the above Named John Records in his proper person and prays that his appearance may be Entered to save himself from the Recognizance of Bail aforesaid, thereupon the said John Records appearance is Entered to save his Recognizance aforesaid, and he accordingly discharged

Whereupon the said John Records is Ordered by the Court to give New Recognizance for his appearance at next Court to give such Evidence as he should know against Mary Cavanaugh Sarah Walker Senr Sarah Walker Junr, Susannah Walker, and Mary Walker &

thereupon the said John Records present here in Court acknowledged himself to owe and stand Justly Indebted unto his said Lordship the Lord Proprietarie his heirs and Successors in the Sum of twenty pounds Current money to be Levied on his Body goods and Chattels Lands and tenements for the Use of his said Lordship his heirs and Successors In Case he does not make his personall appearance at the County Court to be held at Dividing Creek in Somerset County aforesaid the third Tuesday of November next and then and there give such Evidence as he shall know on Behalf of the Lord Proprietarie against Mary Cavanaugh, Sarah Walker Senr Sarah Walker Junr, Susannah Walker and Mary Walker of and concerning their feloniously Stealing certain Goods from the aforesaid Merrick Ellis and John Banister and doe not depart the same Court without Licence there of then the above Recognizance to be void &

John Banister } Son of Jett sr. Memorandum that the thirteenth day of August One thousand seven hundred and twenty three Doctor John Banister of the County aforesaid came before us Charles Ballard and William Sloughlon Justices two of his Lordships the Lord Proprietaries Justices of the Peace in the County aforesaid to keep assigned and acknowledged himself to be Indebted to his said Lordship fifty pounds Stealing of his goods and Chattels Lands and tenements to be Levied for the Use of his said Lordship his heirs and Successors if default be made of the Condition below written The Condition of which

Recognizance is such that if the above Bound John Banister shall personally appear at a Court held for the County aforesaid at Dividing Creek the third Tuesday of this Instant August and doe then and there give such Evidence as he shall know against Mary Cavanaugh, Sarah Walker Senr, Sarah Walker Junr, Susannah Walker and Mary Walker concerning their feloniously Stealing certain Goods the goods of Merrick Ellis and John Banister and doe not depart thence without Leave of the Court that then this Recognizance to be void — Charles Ballard, William Sloughlon

Now here at this day to witt the twentieth day of August and the One thousand seven hundred and twenty three appears here in Court the said John Banister and prays that his appearance may be

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