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to Act Demand sue for and Recover of Mrs Mary Vanswearingen or  
 Mr William Deacon Collector both of St Marys County in Maryland or  
 either <sup>of them what so ever sum or sums of money shall</sup> be found due to me by Vertue of a power of a Letter of Att  
 Hornoy granted to y<sup>e</sup> Mary Vanswearingen by me y<sup>e</sup> Thom<sup>s</sup> Denton  
 about two years ago sent by Captain Edward Smith and Attested by him  
 w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> Letter of Att<sup>y</sup> of said Mary requested of me Tho<sup>s</sup> Tho<sup>s</sup> Denton  
 by her Letter directed to Mr James Addison of Penn<sup>th</sup> in order as she  
 said that she Keep in her hands what sum or sums of money her  
 former Husband Mr Jeremiah Addison he being my former Att<sup>y</sup>  
 had Received for my Use: and upon receipt of all or part thereof to give  
 receipts or receipts for y<sup>e</sup> same. Thereby Ratifying & Confirming what she  
 or either of my Att<sup>y</sup> shall act or doo for the recovery of the said pr  
 mises in full a manner as if I were personally present Wittness my  
 hand and Seal This nineteenth day of January Annoy Dom<sup>o</sup> -

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Signed Sealed & Delivered in y<sup>e</sup>

presence of us

Thom<sup>s</sup> Benson

Richard Morrison

Charles Courtly

Tho<sup>s</sup> Denton Seal

Then came before us Thomas Stone and Joseph Harrison Justs of his Lord  
 ship Justices of y<sup>e</sup> peace for y<sup>e</sup> said County Thomas Benson & R<sup>d</sup> Morrison  
 Wittness to y<sup>e</sup> w<sup>th</sup> in power of Att<sup>y</sup> and made oath upon y<sup>e</sup> Holy  
 Evangelist of Almighty God that they saw y<sup>e</sup> w<sup>th</sup> in Thomas Denton  
 signe Seale and Deliver y<sup>e</sup> w<sup>th</sup> in Power of Att<sup>y</sup> as his Act and doo  
 for y<sup>e</sup> use w<sup>th</sup> in mentioned Given ~~us~~ under our hand and Seale this  
 4<sup>th</sup> day of May 1725

Th<sup>s</sup> Stone Seal  
& Th<sup>s</sup> Harrison Seal