

under seal
STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA }
COUNTY, }

KNOW all men by these presents, That we *John Jackson*
Debra Puck

in the State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto the Governor of the State of North Carolina for the time being, in the just and full sum of Five Hundred pounds, current money of this State, to be paid to the said Governor, or his successors or assigns: To the which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators. Sealed with our seals, and dated this *25* day of

April Anno Domini 18 *40*

THE Condition of the above Obligation is such, That whereas the above bounden *John Jackson* hath made application for a license for a Marriage, to be celebrated between him and *Rebecca Dean* of the County aforesaid: Now in case it shall not appear hereafter, that there is any lawful cause to obstruct the said Marriage, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Sealed and delivered }
in presence of }

John Jackson
John Puck