

STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA.

Granville COUNTY.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT WE, *William & John Gover Both* of *the S. county*, are held and firmly bound unto his Excellency *Rich. D. Spaight* Esquire, Governor, Captain-General and Commander in Chief of the State aforesaid, in the full and just sum of Five Hundred Pounds, current money of the State aforesaid, to be paid to his said Excellency the Governor, his successors or assigns: To the which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this *of the* day of *October* in the *th* year of the Independence of said State, Anno Domini one thousand, seven hundred and ninety-*five*

THE CONDITION of the above OBLIGATION is such, That whereas the above bound *William* hath made application for a licence for marriage to be celebrated between him and *Francis Scurry* of the county aforesaid: Now in case it shall not appear hereafter, that there is any lawful cause to obstruct the said marriage intended to be had and solemnized, then the above Obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered }  
in the presence of }

*S. Worthington*

*his*  
*William + Gover Seal*  
*mark*

*his*  
*John + Gover Seal*  
*mark*

Mr. Gaber  
L. F. M.B.  
Gov.

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Oct. 1995

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From Granville County Marriage Bonds  
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William Gober to  
Frances Gurrey  
7 October 1795

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