

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, *County of* COUNTY.

Know all Men by these Presents, That WE, *Charles*

Bryant & W. J. Chaffin

of the State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto the State of North Carolina, in the just and full sum of Five Hundred Pounds, current money of said State: To the which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, ex-
ecutors, and administrators. Sealed with our seals and dated this *2* day of

July Anno Domini 1840

The Condition of the above Obligation is such, That whereas the above bounden *Charles Bryant* hath made application for a License for a Marriage, to be celebrated between him and *Ann* *Allen* of the county aforesaid: Now, in case it shall appear hereafter that there is no lawful cause to obstruct the said Marriage, then the above Obligation to be void—otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed and delivered }
in the presence of,

Charles Bryant [SEAL]
W. J. Chaffin [SEAL]