

**State of North Carolina, Surry County.**

Know all Men by these Presents, THAT WE, *John E. Stultz*  
& *H. H. Bray*

are held and firmly bound unto the State of North-Carolina, in the full sum of one thousand dollars, current money, to be paid to the said State of North Carolina; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our selves our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the *12* day of *Feb* A. D., 1862.

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH,

that the above bounden *John E. Stultz* hath made application for a LICENSE for MARRIAGE, to be celebrated between him and *Francis J. Whitaker* of the county aforesaid; now in case it shall not hereafter appear that there is any lawful cause or impediment to obstruct said MARRIAGE, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

*John E. Stultz*  
*H. H. Bray*

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