

K NOW all Men by these Presents, That We *James*
Read the Younger of the Parish of Saint
Olave Southwark in the County of Surry
Gentleman

are holden and firmly bound to the Right Rev. Father in God,
John by Divine Permission, Bishop of Winton, in
the Sum of two hundred Pounds of lawful Money of Great
Britain, to be paid to the said Right Rev. Father, or his cer-
tain Attorney, Executors, Administrators, or Assigns: To
which Payment, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves,
and each of us by himself for the whole, our Heirs, Executors
and Administrators, firmly by these Presents. Sealed with our
Seals, Dated the *fourteenth* Day of *December* in the
Year of our Lord, One Thousand Seven Hundred *and*
seventy four

THE Condition of this Obligation is such, That if hereafter there shall
not appear any lawful Let or Impediment, by Reason of any Pre-
Contract, entered into before the Twenty-fifth Day of *March*, One Thou-
sand Seven Hundred and Fifty-Four, Consanguinity, Affinity, or any
other lawful Means whatsoever; but That *the above bounden*

James Read the Younger a Bachelor &
Sarah Bulcher a Spinster

may lawfully solemnize Marriage together, and in
thesame afterwards lawfully remain and continue for Man and Wife, accor-
ding to the Laws in that Behalf provided: And moreover, if there be not
at this present Time any Action, Suit, Plaint, Quarrel, or Demand, moved
or depending before any Judge Ecclesiastical or Temporal, for or concer-
ning any such lawful Impediment between the said Parties. Nor that either
of them be of any other Parish, or of better Estate or Degree, than to the
Judge at granting of the License is suggested, and by *him* sworn to

And lastly, if the same Marriage shall be openly solemnized in the
Church, or Chapel in the License specified, between the Hours appointed
in the Constitutions Ecclesiastical confirmed, and according to the Form
of the Book of Common Prayer, now by Law established; and if the above
bounden *James Read*
do save harmless and keep indemnified the above-mentioned Right Re-
verend Father, his COMMISSARY and Surrogates, and all other his
Officers and Ministers whatsoever, by Reason of the Premises; then
this Obligation to be void, or else to remain in full Force and Virtue.

Sealed and Delivered
in the Presence of

[Signature]

James Read Jun

