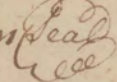
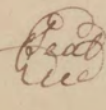
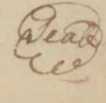



This Indenture made the ~~fifth~~ day of ~~January~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety five. Between Risdon Bishop Esquire High Sheriff of Kent County in the State of Delaware and David Rees, John Ham, John Voshall, George M'Call, and Joseph Oliver Inspectors legally chosen and Qualified to serve at the Election agreeably to the Constitution or System of Government agreed to and Resolved upon, by the Representatives of the Free men of said State in full Convention Assembled; Was Opened and commenced on the first Tuesday of October Last for the Electing of a person to be returned as Governor for the State of Delaware the ensuing three Years agreeably to the Constitution aforesaid, and Major Anderson, Joseph Harper, James Mahan and Thos Dayall — four of the Electors present at said Election Witnesseth that the free men and Inhabitants of the said County did meet for the purposes aforesaid agreeably to the direction of said Convention on the said first Tuesday of October, at the Court House in the Town of Dover in the County aforesaid. And that the said Risdon Bishop Sheriff as aforesaid did in the morning of said day of Election cause Proclamation to be made, that the said Election was open and immediately thereafter did proceed to administer to the said several Inspectors the Oath of Office directed by Law, and did also appoint and Qualify a sufficient number of persons to act as Clerks in said Election, and this Indenture further Witnesseth that the said Election was kept open until the Evening of the said first Tuesday of October, after which upon casting up the votes that was given in, it was found that ~~that~~ Gunning Bedford Senior Esquire had Seven Hundred and seventy nine votes as Governor of the State of Delaware. And that Archibald Alexander Esquire had seven hundred and thirty one votes as Governor of the State aforesaid; And further that the said Risdon Bishop Esquire Sheriff as aforesaid did on the ninth day of October aforesaid publicly pronounce to the people the name of the aforesaid Gunning Bedford, as duly Elected Governor of the State of Delaware, Witness our hands this day and year above written


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


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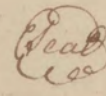
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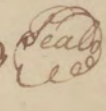
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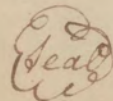
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*Governors Return.*