

C. P. oath declare that the said debt or any part thereof Saving what the said Creditor gives Credit for is not Satisfyed or that there are not any other Accounts between the said Creditor and Debtor for which the said Creditor may be likewise Indebted to the said Debtor to the Value of the said Debt or any part thereof for any Matter or thing Accrued Since the date of the said bond bill or Instrument or whether the said Creditor hath not given the said Debtor any release for the same to be sent together with the proofs from under the hands and Seals of the said publick Notary or other publick Officer thereunto appointed which if the Creditor shall refuse or Neglect to performe or doe then the said Matter or thing by the said publick Notary or other officer so by them Certifyed as af^d shall not be received as Evidence to prove the said Debt and if the said Creditor be dead and his Ex^r or Administrator sue such bond bill Account or otherwise sue any Debtor for the same the Executor or Administrator in like manner before such Notary publick or other Officer for that purpose Appointed shall sett forth and declare upon their Oath whether or no they have not heard the Creditor in his Life time Acknowledge that debt or any or what part thereof to be Satisfyed or whether or not upon Sight of the Creditors books writing or Accounts they have not seen Credit given to the Debtor Since the day of the making the said bills bonds or beginnings of the Accounts soe Sued for all which in like manner is to be Certifyed by the publick notary or other officer thereunto appointed Under his hand and Seale to be sent along to this County together with the Testimony of the Witnesses that have Testifyed to the said bonds bills Accounts or otherwise all which if the said Executor or Administrator refuse or neglect to doe then the said Matter and thing by the publick Notary or other officer appointed as af^d Certifyed shall not be received in Evidence for Valid against the Debtor.

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p. 192 Be itt Enacted by the Authority af^d that all and Every the Attorney and Attorneys who shall be Employed in the prosecution of such Suits shall put in Security to pay the Defendant all such Costs and Charges as shall be by the Defend^t in that Case Expended in Case the plaintiffe be Cost in Suit and to the end that no honest Debtor that hath not fled from the place or Country where he Contracted his Debt nor willfully Absconded himselfe or fled from Justice shall be Surprized by Unnecessary and Vexatious Suits att Law—

Be itt Enacted by the Authority Advice and Consent af^d that no person whatsoever residing or Trading in or to this province their Executors Administrators agents factors or