

sideration that the said John Braday at the speciall instance and request of him the said John Richardson would take to his wife the said Sarah & would marry her. Did then and there assume upon himself & to the said John Braday faithfully promise that he the said John Richardson would well and faithfully Content and pay to him the said John Braday the sume of One hundred Pounds of good and Lawfull money of England, **and** the said John Braday in ffact sayth that he the said John Braday trusting to the promise & Assumption of him the said John Richardson aforesaid, Afterwards to wit the sixth day of June in the yeare of Our Lord 1680 aforesaid at Great Choptanke aforesaid Did with the consent and good likeing of the said John Richardson take to wife Espouse and marry the said Sarah, Yett the aforesaid John Richardson little regarding his promise & Assumption aforesaid, but plotting and fraudulently intending the afores^d John Braday in that behalfe to deceive and Defraud, the aforesaid One hundred pounds or any parcell thereof according to his Promise and Assumption aforesaid hath not as yet paid nor in any manner for the same hitherto given Content Although he the said John Richardson by the said John Braday afterwards to wit the first day of Aprill in the yeare of our Lord 1681 at Greate Choptanke aforesaid hath bene thereunto required. By w^{ch} the said John Braday divers comodities proffits and advantages w^{ch} he with the aforesaid One hundred pounds by buying and selling might have had & gained if the aforesaid Jn^o Richardson his pmise and Assumption aforesaid in forme aforesaid had pformed hath totally Lost & is deprived off Whereupon the said John Braday sayth that he is Damnifyed & hath damage to the vallue of One hundred & fifty pounds sterling and thereupon he bringeth his suite

And the said John Richardson by Kenelm Cheseldyn his Attorney cometh and defendeth the force and injury when &c & Prayeth Liberty to Imparle hereunto untill next Provinciaill Court & it is granted unto him the same Day is given to the plt also :

Now here att this Day to wit the second day of March in the seaveanth yeare of the Dominion of the Right Hono^{ble} Charles Lord Baltemore &c Annoq̄ Doni. 1681 Came the said John Braday by his Attorney aforesaid & Offered himself against the said John Richardson in the plea aforesaid but the sayd John Richardson Came not but made default Whereupon the said John Braday Remaineth against the said John Richardson thereof wholly undefended Therefore Itt is considered by the Court here that the aforesaid John Braday Recover against the said John Richardson aswell the aforesaid sume of One hundred pounds of good and Lawfull money of England the debt aforesaid wth costs of Suite, as also his Damages by him sustained by Occasion of the Detaining the Debt aforesaid, but because it is not Knowne to the Court here what Damages the said John Braday hath sustained by occasion thereof,