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Moses Speere To Jonathan Vaughan & company  
 1762 Sept. 4. To 1 Barrel Rum containing 9 Gallons & 1/2 Gallons C. 9. 2  
 1 Quart Rum 0. 1. 2  
 1 pair shoes 0. 7. 6  
 Oct 12. To 300 Indigo @ 1/2 0. 3. 6  
 1 Horse Whip 0. 4. 6  
 26. To 1 Quart Rum 0. 1. 2  
 3 1/2 gallons Molasses @ 1/2 0. 8. 6  
 Barrel 0. 4. 0  
 1/2 Sarters 0. 0. 9

May 17<sup>th</sup> 1763 Then came before me the subscriber one of his Lordships Justices of the peace for Worcester County Jonathan Vaughan and made oath on the Holy Evangelist of almighty God that the above acct against Moses Speere is just and true as it stands stated and that he hath not directly or indirectly received any part or parcel security or satisfaction for the same to the best of his knowledge & belief

Whereupon at the prayer of the as. Jonathan Vaughan & company the as. Moses Speere is adjudged to give special bail to the action as. Thereupon a certain James Quatermus of Somerset County planter present here in court in his proper person undertook for the said Moses Speere and assumed upon himself that if it should happen that judgement in the plea as. should be rendered for the said Jonathan Vaughan & comp<sup>t</sup> against the as. Moses Speere or that the said Moses should be therein convicted that then he the said Moses should pay and satisfy unto the as. Jonathan & comp<sup>t</sup> the judgement of the court thereupon or to have his body in execution of such judgement to the prison of the sheriff of the county as. or that he the said James Quatermus will do the same for him & stand hereon the said Moses Speere by William Allen his attorney comes & defends the force and injury when &c. and says that he cannot deny the action as. of the as. Jonathan Vaughan & company nor but that he did assume upon himself in manner & form as the as. Jonathan & comp<sup>t</sup> above against him have complained and as to the damage of the said Jonathan & comp<sup>t</sup> by them by occasion of the premises in that part sustained the same Moses Speere saith and acknowledgeth that the as. Jonathan & comp<sup>t</sup> have sustained damages by occasion of the premises beyond their costs and charges by them about their suit in that part & proved to thirteen pounds and three pence current money and not more and because the as. Jonathan Vaughan & comp<sup>t</sup> deny not this but the same allegation grant to be true pray judgement for those damages above acknowledged together with their costs and charges as. to them to be adjudged &c. Therefore by consent of the parties as. it is considered that the as. Jonathan Vaughan & comp<sup>t</sup> recover against the as. Moses Speere their damages as. to the as. thirteen pounds & three pence current money by the as. Moses in form as. a acknowledged as also pounds of Tobacco for their costs and charges as. to the same Jonathan & comp<sup>t</sup> at their request by the court now here of the as. of the parties as. adjudged which certain damages in the whole amount to thirteen pounds & three pence current money and pounds of Tobacco the as. Moses in Mercy &c.

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 Command was given to the sheriff of Somerset County that he should take Thomas Tadvins late of Somerset County planter otherwise called Mrs Thomas Tadvins if he should be found in his bailwick & him should safe keep so that he might have his body before the Justices of his Lordships county court of Somerset to be held at princ<sup>l</sup> Ann Town the third Tuesday of June Anno Dom<sup>o</sup> one thousand seven hundred and sixty three to answer unto George Dashiell Jun<sup>r</sup> of a plea that he render unto him the sum of three pounds and three shillings current money of Maryland which to him he owes and unjustly detains and so forth and the same day is given to the as. George here &c.

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