

And whereupon the afd Robert Freeman by ~~John~~ Gale his attorney comes and defends the force and injury when wd. and says that he cannot gain say the action afd of the afd John Donaldson, neither can he say but that the writing Obligatory afd is his act and deed and that the debt therein mentioned is yet due and unsatisfied wherefore the afd prays Judgment for the his debt afd, ~~and for the same~~ ~~and his costs and damages~~ sustained by reason of the detaining of the same debt to him to be adjudged &c

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Therefore it is considered that the afd John Donaldson recover against the afd Robert Freeman as well thirty pounds Curr. Silver money of America his debt afd as also four hundred & two pounds of tobacco for his damages which he sustained as well by reason of the detaining of the same debt as for his costs and charges by him about his Suite in that Suit expended to the same John by the Court here <sup>of his part</sup> adjudged and the afd defend' in Mercy &c

Wm. Brise }  
J. Brise } Comment was given to the Sheriff of Somerset County that he should take John Blipp's late of Stepney parish in Southwett Co. School Master if he should be found in his Bail with him should safe keep so if he might have his Body before y<sup>e</sup> Justices of his Lordship's County Court of Southwett to be held at Winding Creek y<sup>e</sup> third Tuesday of March the next to answer unto J<sup>r</sup>. Brise of a plea of trespass upon y<sup>e</sup> Case &c y<sup>e</sup> thereof he should not fail &c and the afd J<sup>r</sup>. Brise by Geo. Dashiell his atty declared against y<sup>e</sup> afd J<sup>r</sup>. Blipp in y<sup>e</sup> plea afd as followeth viz<sup>t</sup>

Southwett Co. y<sup>e</sup> afd J<sup>r</sup>. Blipp's late of Stepney parish in Southwett County School master was attached to answer unto J<sup>r</sup>. Brise of a plea of trespass upon y<sup>e</sup> Case &c And whereupon y<sup>e</sup> same J<sup>r</sup>. Brise p<sup>r</sup>. Geo. Dashiell his atty complains y<sup>e</sup> J<sup>r</sup>. John Blipp on y<sup>e</sup> eighteenth day of June Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred & twenty six at Stepney Parish afd within y<sup>e</sup> Jur<sup>t</sup>. of this Court was indebted to y<sup>e</sup> said J<sup>r</sup>. Brise in y<sup>e</sup> sum of five hundred pence to be paid unto the afd J<sup>r</sup>. Brise by the last day of Decem<sup>r</sup>. as p<sup>r</sup>. a note under y<sup>e</sup> hand of y<sup>e</sup> said John Blipp may in Court appear & y<sup>e</sup> said J<sup>r</sup>. Blipp being indebted as afd for y<sup>e</sup> consideration afd at y<sup>e</sup> time & place afd did upon himself assume and promise y<sup>e</sup> y<sup>e</sup> sum of five hundred pence he would well & truly pay by y<sup>e</sup> last day of Decem<sup>r</sup>. one thousand seven hundred and twenty six as p<sup>r</sup>. said Note may appear Nevertheless the said J<sup>r</sup>. Blipp y<sup>e</sup> afd sum of five hundred pence according to y<sup>e</sup> tenor of his said Note he hath not paid nor y<sup>e</sup> same in any way contented (altho' often there to requested) but y<sup>e</sup> same to pay and content according to y<sup>e</sup> tenor of his said Note he hath denyed and refused and still doth deny to y<sup>e</sup> damage of y<sup>e</sup> said J<sup>r</sup>. Brise of one thousand pounds of Tob<sup>o</sup> & thereof he brings Suite &c Dashiell pro Quat<sup>r</sup> g<sup>r</sup>edges & J<sup>r</sup>. Doe Kullhoe

Copy of y<sup>e</sup> foregoing Declaration was made and sent to be served on the afd J<sup>r</sup>. Blipp with writ in y<sup>e</sup> plea afd &c