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that part sustained the same John Magan says and confesseth that the aforesaid John Alkison has sustained Damage by Quasion of the premises besides his Costs and Charges by him about his suite in that Part Expended to three pounds two shillings and ten pence Curr. money, and because the aforesaid John Alkison deny's not this, but the same allegation confesseth to be true, pray's Indemn' and those Damages above confessed together with his Costs and Charges aforesaid to him adjudged &c.

Therefore by consent of the parties aforesaid it is considered that the aforesaid John Alkison Recover against the aforesaid John Magan his Damages aforesaid, to the aforesaid three pounds two shillings and ten pence Curr. money by the aforesaid John Magan in form aforesaid Confessed as also two hundred and fifty three pounds of Tobacco for his Costs and Charges aforesaid to the same John Alkison at his request by the Court here of the aforesaid of the parties, adjudged which certain Damages in the whole do amount to three pounds two shillings and ten pence Curr. money and two hundred and fifty three pounds of Tobacco, with stay of Execution till the tenth^{day} of Novemb^r Next and the aforesaid doth in merr'y &c.

A John Murray } Command was given to the Sher^{of} Soudrett Co^{ty} who should take John
The same - } Magan late of Soudrett Co^{ty} Schoolmaster if he should be found in prison
Ballywick & him safe Keep so if he might have his body before the Justice
of his Lordships Co^{ty} of Soudrett to be held at Dividing Creek of this
tuesday of March Next to answer unto J^d Murray of a plea of trespass upon
Case &c. And that thereof he should not fail &c. And the aforesaid J^d Murray by Fran: Allen
his atty declared against J^d Magan in a plea of a Followeth viz^t

Soudrett Co^{ty} J^d John Magan late of Soudrett Co^{ty} Schoolmaster was attached to answer
unto J^d Murray of a plea of trespass upon the Case &c.
And whereupon J^d J^d Murray by Fran: Allen his atty complains & whereas J^d J^d Magan
Magau of the tenth day of June one thousand Seven Hundred & twenty eight at Soudrett Co^{ty}
within J^d of this Co^{ty} was indebted unto J^d J^d Murray in four p^{ts} Nineteen Shill^{rs}
Curr^t money of Maryland as by Int^r hereunto annexed & here in Co^{ty} produced may appear & being so
thereof indebted J^d J^d Magan in consideration thereof J^d day & year aforesaid at J^d Co^{ty} taken upon
himself did assume & to J^d J^d Murray then there did faithfully promise & say J^d J^d
Magau of said four p^{ts} Nineteen Shill^{rs} to J^d J^d Murray when he should be thereunto
requested he would well & faithfully pay & content & altho' J^d J^d Magan five Shill^{rs} & three
pence free of J^d aforesaid four p^{ts} Nineteen Shill^{rs} to J^d J^d Murray he hath paid & satisfied
yet as to four p^{ts} thirteen Shill^{rs} & nine pence residue thereof J^d J^d Magan his promise
of assumption aforesaid in form aforesaid made Nothing regarding but plotting & fraudulent Intending
J^d J^d Murray in part fraudulently & subtilly to deceive & defraud J^d J^d four p^{ts} thirteen
Shill^{rs} & nine pence to J^d J^d Murray hath not paid or to him for J^d same in any wise
Contented tho' often by J^d J^d John thereunto requested but J^d same to him to pay or in
any wise for J^d same to Content hath hitherto altogether refused and still doth refuse
and deny whereupon he saith he is worse and hath Damage to the Value of Nine
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