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against him hath declared his

Therefore it is considered by the Court that the afo^r Francis Allen recover against the afo^r William Groome eight thousand pounds of lobs. his Debt afo^r and Damages by Occasion of the Detaining of the same Debt to three hundred and forty ^{9d of lobs to the}

³⁴⁰ Same Francis of his afo^r Court here adjudged and the afo^r Debt in Mercy &c. whereupon the afo^r Francis by his attorney afo^r grants here in Court Remittit to the afo^r Wm. the afo^r Eight thousand pounds of lobs. Therefore it is considered that the afo^r William of the afo^r Eight thousand pounds of lobs. be acquitt ^W

Ex: Francis Allen Sonnwell s: John Bishop Jnd: Date of Sonnwell C^t by Blanter at Diet: Ju^r Gd: Ju^r Bishop Bishop Jnd: of Sonnwell C^t Blanter was summond to answer unto Francis Allen ther: of aplea that he tender unto him eight thousand pd: of lobs: which to him he owes and from him he unjustly detaines ^{he}

And whereupon the same Francis Allen by his wife his attly saith that whereas y^r d^r John Bishop Jnd: the second day of Decemb^r Anno Domini one thousand Seven hundred & twenty six at Sonnwell C^t within the Jur: of this Court by his certain Writing Obligatory granted himself to be held and firmly bound unto y^r same Francis in Sum of Eight Thousand pd: of good Merchandise lobs: to be paid the same Francis when afterwards y^r said Ju^r Bishop Jnd: of same hitherto to doe hath altogether denied and still doth deny & unjustly detain whereby the same Francis says he is worse & hath dam: to w^e value of Sixteen thousand pd: of lobs: & thereof he brings this suit ^d And the same Francis Allen brings here into Court the Writing Obligatory afo^r which the Debt afo^r in form of Writssett whose Date is the same Day and Year afo^r ^{Ex: Gd: of lobs: & P^r Bldgs & Jnd: of Next Court} And the afo^r Ju^r Bishop Jnd: by Geo: dasliele his attly comes and defends the force and injury where th^t ^{and g^r v^e leave to sue here unto untill y^r Next Court and he hath it y^r same day is given ^{untill the afo^r Bldg here also &c} At which said Next Court to w^t the fifteenth day of August Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and twenty seven came again as well w^t afo^r Francis Allen as w^t afo^r Ju^r Bishop Jnd: by their attly afo^r & whereupon the said Ju^r Bishop Jnd: by his said attly as before defends the force and injury afo^r and says y^r he can not gain say action ob y^r afo^r Francis nor but y^r Writing Obligatory afo^r is the act & deed of y^r same Ju^r Bishop Jnd: nor but that he owes the afo^r Francis the afo^r Eight thousand pd: of lobs: in Manner & forme as the afo^r Francis above against him hath declared ^{he}}

³⁵⁰ Therefore it is considered by Court w^t afo^r Francis Allen recover against the afo^r Ju^r Bishop Jnd: Eight thousand pd: of lobs: his Debt afo^r and his Damages by Occasion of the Detaining of the same Debt to three hundred and fifty ^{pd: of lobs:} to y^r same Francis of his afo^r Court here adjudged afo^r Debt in Mercy ^W ^{for to goe. Tunc}

Ex: Fran: Allen

Somerset^r

Gd: Ju^r Drewitt

Joseph Trewitt Date of Somerset County planter afo^r Dat Joseph Trewitt of Somerset County Planter was summond to answer