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John Dennis Junr. Somerset County J. John Magan Late of Somerset County Schoolmaster
1013: John Magan was attached to answer unto John Dennis Junr. of a plea of
trespass upon the Case &c.

And thereupon the said John Magan the first day of October Anno Domini Seventeen hundred and thirty at Somerset County aforesaid within the Jurisdiction of this Court was indebted unto the said John Dennis Junr. in fifteen hundred and ninety Nine-pounds of Tobacco and thirteen pounds ten Shillings and Six pence Current-money of Maryland - as by Account hereto annexed may in Court appear and being so thereof indebted the said John Magan in Consideration thereof the day and year aforesaid at Somerset County aforesaid within the Jurisdiction aforesaid upon himself assumed and to the said John Dennis then and there did faithfully promise that the said John Magan the said fifteen hundred Sixty Nine pounds of Tobacco and thirteen pounds ten Shillings and Six pence to the said John Dennis when he should be thereunto requested he would well and faithfully pay and Content Nevertheless the said John Magan his Promise and Assumption aforesaid made nothing regarding but Flouting and fraudulently Intending the said John Dennis in that part Craftily and Subtly to Deceive and Defraud the aforesaid fifteen hundred Sixty Nine pounds of Tobacco and thirteen pounds ten Shillings and Six pence to the said John Dennis altho the same to do the said John Magan by the aforesaid John Dennis on the aforesaid first day of October on the year aforesaid and often afterwards at Somerset County aforesaid within the Jurisdiction aforesaid he was thereunto requested hath not paid or to him for the same in any sort Contented but the same to him hither to to pay or in any sort to Content hath refused and still doth refuse and Deny whereupon he saith he is worse and hath Damage to the Value of twenty pounds Current money and three thousand pounds of Tobacco and thereupon he brings Suit
William P. Little Esq. de J. & J. R. de J. R.

And the aforesaid John Magan by William Beukingham his attorney Cometh and defendeth the force and Injury whereof and prayed Leave thereof to Imparle here until the next Court to be hold at dividing Creek in Somerset County the third Tuesday of August next, and he had it and the same day is given to the aforesaid John Dennis there also &c.

All which said next Court to wit the Seventeenth day of August and doth One thousand seven hundred and thirty One came againe as well the aforesaid John Dennis as the aforesaid John Magan by their attorneys aforesaid, and whereupon the same John Magan prays further Leave thereof to Imparle here: until the next Court, and he hath it and the same day is given to the aforesaid John Dennis there also &c.

All which said next Court to wit the sixteenth day of November One thousand Seven hundred and thirty One came againe as well the aforesaid John Dennis as the aforesaid John Magan by their attorneys aforesaid and whereupon the said John Magan prays further Leave ^{Report} thereof to Imparle here until the next Court & he hath it and the same day is given to the aforesaid John Dennis there also &c.

All which said next Court to wit the twenty first day of March One thousand Seven hundred and thirty One came againe as well the aforesaid John Dennis as the aforesaid John Magan by their attorneys aforesaid