

June Court ... 1733

By Joshua Caldwell

Somerset

Alexander Draper late of Somerset County Merchant was
Attached to Answer unto Joshua Caldwell of a plea of Troppass upon
the case &c.

AND Whereupon the same Joshua by Lewis Gale his Attorney complains
that whereas the aforesaid Alexander the Tenth day of May in the
hundred and thirty one at Somerset County within the Jurisdiction of this Court was
Indebted unto the same Joshua in the sum of three pounds Seven Shillings
Money of Maryland for the like sum at his Especiall Justice and Request
before that time paid and so thereof being indebted the said Alexander in
Consideration thereof upon himself the day and Year aforesaid at the County
aforesaid and within the aforesaid Jurisdiction assumed and to the said Joshua then and
there faithfully did promise that he the said Alexander when afterwards he
should be thereto Requested the aforesaid sum of three pounds Seven Shillings
Court Money to the same Joshua would well and faithfully Content and pay there:
Notwithstanding the said Alexander his promise and Assumption aforesaid in form aforesaid
Little regarding but plotting and fraudulently Intending him the said Joshua
in that part Craftily and Subtily to Defraud and Deceive the aforesaid sum
of three pounds Seven Shillings unto the said Joshua hath not Contented or paid
or him for it in anywise Contented altho the same Alexander the same to do
afterwards to witt the said Day and Year aforesaid at the County aforesaid and
within the aforesaid Jurisdiction was requested but the said Alexander the same to
do hath hitherto Refused and still doth Refuse whereby the same Joshua
says he is worse and hath Damage to the Value of Seven pounds Court
Money and thereof he brings this suite &c. *Plodged* *Richard Pross*

And the aforesaid Alexander Draper by Francis Allen his Attorney
comes and Defends the force and Injury whereof and prays Leave
thereof to Jure here until next Court and he hath it and the same
day is Given to the said Joshua here also &c.

At which said Next Court to witt
the fifteenth Day of August Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and
thirty two came again as well the aforesaid Joshua Caldwell as the aforesaid
Alexander Draper by their Attorneys aforesaid and thereupon the said
Alexander prays further Leave thereof to Jure here until the next
and he hath it and the same Day is Given to the aforesaid Joshua
here also &c.

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