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Day and year Last afo. at the County afo. at the special Request of the said Edmund had
Delivered to the said Edmund his the said Duncan proven account against the said Godfrey for the
sum of thirty six pounds eighteen shillings and nine pence afo. together with receipt thereon
Signed by the said Duncan acknowledging the satisfaction thereof that the said Edmund might
have an allowance thereof made to him by the Comptroller afo. in his accounting afo. he the said
Edmund upon himself did assume and to the said Duncan then and there faithfully promised
to pay to the said Duncan the said ^{sum} last named being ballance due to him on the said account
when he should be thereto Required by the said Duncan Nevertheless the said Edmund his promise
afo. in form afo. made not Regarding but minding and fraudulently intending the said
Duncan in that part craftily and Subtly to deceive and defraud the said Ballance and
sum last named to the said Duncan hath not paid or him for the same in any sort hitherto
Contented but that to doe altogether hath refused and still doth refuse altho thereto oftentimes
(to wit) the day and year Last afo. at the County afo. and often since that time by the said
Duncan Required Whereupon he says he is damaged thirty pounds Curr. money of Maryland
and thereof he brings suit &c. Bledges: Geo. J. Doe 6 Q. Nos

And the afo. Edmund Crapper Jr. afo. as afo. by his attorney afo. James and defends
the force and Injury when &c. and prays Leave thereof to Imparle here untill next Court to be
held at dividing Creek in and for the County afo. the third Tuesday of June then next following and he
hath it and the same day is given to the afo. Duncan here also &c.

At which day here came againe as well the afo. Duncan Murray as the afo. Edmund
Crapper Junr. afo. as afo. by their attorneys afo. and Whereupon the same Edmund Crapper Jr.
afo. as afo. as before defends the force and Injury when &c. and by protestation saith that the
Declaration of the same Duncan and the matter therein Contained are not sufficient neither by
the Law Land is he the said Edmund thereto in any sort held to answer Nevertheless for plea
the same Edmund saith that he did not assume in manner and form as the said Plaintiff above
against him hath Complained and of this he puts himself upon the Country &c.

And hereupon the said Duncan Murray prays Leave thereof to Imparle here untill
next Court to be held at dividing Creek in and for the County afo. the third Tuesday of August then
next following and he hath it and the same day is given to the afo. Edmund Crapper Jr. afo. as afo.
afo.