

August Court Anno Domini 1719

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**Means** or Remedy for the Recovery thereof maliciously thereof to deprive after the Publication of a certain Act of Assembly of this Province Prohibiting all Masters of Ships or Vessels or any other persons from Transporting or Conveying away any person or persons out of this Province without Passes to wit the first day of May in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and forty seven at Charles County aforesaid a Sum of money being due and Unpaid as aforesaid did Transport and Convey away out of this Province the said Daniel Brown over Potomack River to the Colony of Virginia the said Daniel Brown not having any pass from the Governour Keeper of the Great Seal, or Secretary of this Province nor any Certificate from Under the hands of two Justices of the Peace of the County where the said Daniel Brown Inhabited and the County Seal Officially Certifying his Freedom as the said Act of Assembly directs, & the said William in Fact saith that the said Daniel Brown the said Sum of Thirteen Pounds Seven Shillings and Six pence or any part thereof to him the said William hath not Satisfied or paid, and that by Reason of the said Henry Thompsons Transporting and Conveying away the said Daniel out of this Province into the Colony of Virginia as aforesaid by virtue of the Act of Assembly aforesaid the said Henry became and is liable to pay and Chargeable with the Payment of the said Thirteen Pounds Seven Shillings and Six pence or any part thereof hath not paid altho' so do the said Henry was by the said William thereto Requested the first day of November in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and forty six and often before and since at Charles County aforesaid. But the same Sum of money aforesaid or any part thereof to satisfy or pay the said Henry hath neither to altogether Refused and still doth Refuse to the damage of the said William McPherson Junior Twenty Six Pounds fifteen Shillings Currency and therefore he brings suit and so forth

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| 1715                 | Daniel Brown                         | 9    |  |        |
| Aug 13 <sup>th</sup> | In paper Currency paid James Russell | 5    | By Ordinary Expenses as by ac <sup>t</sup> | 3 10 6 |
|                      |                                      |      | Balance due                                | 12 7 6 |
|                      | Errors Excepted                      | 4 me |  | 17 5 - |
|                      |                                      |      | Wm McPherson Jun <sup>r</sup>              |        |

Charles County sh. July the 5<sup>th</sup> 1716. Then came the above mentioned William McPherson Jun<sup>r</sup> before me one of his Lordships Justices of the Peace for the County aforesaid and made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that the above Account is just and True as it stands stated and that he hath not Received any Part or parcel thereof or any Satisfaction or other Security for the same more than is set down. Sworn before me **Thompson**

And the said Henry Thompson by Thomas Lee his Attorney comes and defends the force and Injury when &c. and Prays Licence to Imparole here until the Next Court to be holden at Charles Town on the second Tuesday in August Next and he hath it and the same day is given to the same William McPherson Jun<sup>r</sup> At which day to wit the second Tuesday in August aforesaid comes here as well the said William by his Attorney aforesaid as the said Henry by his Attorney aforesaid and the said Henry by his said Attorney prays further Licence thereof to Imparole here until the Next Court to be holden at Charles Town on the second Tuesday in November Next and he hath it and the same day is given to the same Henry Thompson here &c. At which day to wit the second Tuesday in November aforesaid comes here as well the said William by his Attorney aforesaid as the said Henry by his Attorney aforesaid and the said Henry by his said Attorney prays further Licence thereof to Imparole here until the Next Court to be holden at Charles Town on the second Tuesday in March Next and he hath it and the same day is given to the same Henry &c. At which day to wit the second Tuesday in March aforesaid comes here as well the said William by his Attorney aforesaid as the said Henry by his Attorney aforesaid and the said Henry by his said Attorney prays further Licence thereof to Imparole here until the Next Court to be holden at Charles Town on the second Tuesday