And the said Defendant by his said Attorney prays further leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and he hath it the same Day is given to the Plaintiffs also
At which said next Court to wit the 13th Day of April Anno Domini 1762 Came again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attorneys aforesaid And the said Defendant by his said Attorney prays further leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and he hath it the same Day is given to the Plaintiffs also
At which said next Court to wit the 14th Day of September Anno Domini 1762 Came again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attorneys aforesaid Thereupon as well the said Plaintiffs as the said Defendant by their respective Attorneys aforesaid Suggest to the Court here that a Material Witness in this Cause is beyond Sea and therefore pray a further Day may be given them for the Tryal thereof Whereupon with Consent of parties aforesaid Day is given to the same parties here for the Tryal of this Cause until next Court
At which said next Court to wit the 12th Day of April Anno Domini 1763 Came again the said parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attorneys aforesaid Thereupon as well the said Plaintiffs as the said Defendant by their respective Attorneys aforesaid Suggest to the Court here that a Material Witness in this Cause is beyond Sea and therefore pray a further Day may be given them for the Tryal thereof Whereupon with Consent of parties aforesaid Day is given to the same parties here for the Tryal of this Cause until next Court
At which said next Court to wit the 13th Day of September Anno Domini 1763 Came again the said Parties Plaintiffs and Defendant by their Attorneys aforesaid Thereupon as well the said Plaintiffs as the said Defendant by their respective Attorneys aforesaid Suggest to the Court here that a Material Witness in this Cause is beyond Sea and therefore pray a further Day may be given them for the Tryal thereof Whereupon with Consent of parties aforesaid Day is given to the same parties here for the Tryal of this Cause until next Court
At which said next Court to wit the 10th Day of April Anno Domini 1764 Come again as well the said Lewis Davis and Hannah his Wife by their Attorney aforesaid as the said Hanse Rudolph by his Attorney aforesaid and the said Hanse Rudolph by his said Attorney (as before) defends the Force and Injury when and so forth and saith that the aforesaid Lewis and Hannah their Action aforesaid thereof against him to have or maintain ought not because he saith there is not any such Record of the Recovery of Debt and Damages Costs

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and Charges aforesaid in the aforesaid Court of Common Pleas of the aforesaid Lord the King at New Castle aforesaid remaining as the said Lewis and Hannah above have alledged and this he is ready to verify whereupon he prays Judgment if the said Lewis and Hannah their Action aforesaid thereof against him to have or maintain ought and so forth
And the aforesaid Hans with the Leave of the Court according to the form of the Statute by his Attorney aforesaid further defends the Force and injury when and so forth and saith that he doth not detain from the aforesaid Lewis and Hannah the aforesaid sum of three hundred Twenty three pounds seventeen Shillings and six pence Current Money of Maryland nor any parcel thereof in manner and form as the said Lewis and Hannah above have declared and of that he puts himself upon the Country and so forth And the Plaintiffs in like manner
And the aforesaid Hans with the Leave of the Court according to the form of the Statute by his Attorney aforesaid further defends the Force and injury when and so forth and saith that the aforesaid Lewis and Hannah their Action aforesaid thereof against him to have or maintain ought not because he saith that after the Recovery of the Debt Damages Costs and Charges aforesaid against him the said Hans in form aforesaid had to wit the twenty first Day of November in the twenty first Year of the Reign of our late Sovereign Lord George the Second King of Great Britain &c and in the Year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and forty seven the aforesaid Richard Loyd in his Life Time for the Obtention of the Debt Damages Costs and Charges aforesaid prosecuted out of the Court aforesaid of the said Lord the King at New Castle aforesaid a certain Writ of the same Lord the King to the then Sheriff of the County of New Castle aforesaid directed by which said Writ the said Lord the King Commanded the said then Sheriff of the said County of New Castle that of the Goods and Chattles of the aforesaid Hans in his Bailiwick he should cause to be made the Debt Damages Costs and Charges aforesaid and that Money should have before the Justices of the said Lord the King of the Court of Common Pleas of the same Lord the King at New Castle aforesaid the third Tuesday in February then next to render unto the aforesaid Richard Loyd for his Debt Damages Costs and Charges aforesaid and that he should have there that Writ Which same Writ afterwards and before the Day of the Return thereof the aforesaid Richard Loyd to the then Sheriff of the said County of New Castle delivered in due form of Law to be executed By Virtue of which same Writ the said then Sheriff of the County of New Castle aforesaid afterwards and before the aforesaid Day of the Return thereof to wit on the last Day of December in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty seven at New Castle County aforesaid to wit at Cecil County aforesaid did cause to be made the Debt Damages Costs and Charges aforesaid of the Goods

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