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John T. Wall vs George Forbes } Be it remembered, That now here on the second Monday in June being the thirteenth day of the said month, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty five the Chief Judge and Associate Judges of the first judicial district of Maryland, in pursuance of the directions of the Act of Assembly in such Case made and provided, transmit to the Court of Appeals here a transcript of the record of proceedings of a plea which was lately depending before them in the County Court of Prince Georges between George Forbes plaintiff, and John T Wall defendant, and where in the said County Court gave judgment for the said George Forbes against the said John T. Wall and from which said Judgment the said John T. Wall appealed to the Court of Appeals here, the tenor of which said transcript of the record of proceedings is in form following, to wit:

Maryland Prince George's County Sct.

At a County Court of the first Judicial District of the said State begun and held at Upper Marlborough Town in and for the County aforesaid on the first monday in April being the fourth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty five.

Present

The Honourable { John Stephen Chief Judge; Edmund Key and; John R. Plater } Associate Judges

Georges Semmes Esquire Sheriff — Aquila Beall Clk.

In the Record and proceedings of the same Court amongst others is the following to wit.

R.J. / I.T. / an. / Ch. George Forbes vs John T. Wall } Be it remembered that heretofore to wit on the seventh day of December eighteen hundred and eighteen George Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry by Reverdy Johnson Esquire their attorney prosecuted and sued forth out of the County Court here the writ of the State of Maryland of Capias ad respondendum to the Sheriff of said County directed in the words and figures following to wit: Prince Georges County Sct. The State of Maryland to the Sheriff of Prince Georges County Greeting: You are hereby commanded to take John T. Wall late of said County planter if he shall be found in your bailiwick and him safe keep so that you have his body before the County Court of the County aforesaid to be held at Upper Marlborough Town in said County on the first monday in April next to answer unto George Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry in a plea that he render unto them the sum of fifteen hundred dollars current money which he owes to and unjustly detains from them and so forth. Witness the Honourable John Johnson Chief (Seal) Judge of the first Judial District the 19th day of September 1818. Issued the 7th day of December 1818.

R.J. — Ed. Harwood Clk.

At which mentioned first monday in April being the fifth day of the same month in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and nineteen and the day of the return of the aforegoing writ comes into the

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County Court here the said George Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry by their Attorney aforesaid and the Sheriff of the County aforesaid to wit George H. Lanham gentleman to whom the said writ was in form aforesaid directed makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed to wit.

"Cepi" — Geo: H. Lanham Shff

And the said John T. Wall being called appears in Court here by Nicholas Stonestreet Esquire his Attorney. And thereupon on motion of the said Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry by their Attorney aforesaid it is ruled by the Court here that the said John T. Wall give special bail in the plea aforesaid Whereupon a certain Clement Holliday of the County aforesaid present here in Court in his own proper person and with the Consent of the said George Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry by their Attorney aforesaid becomes pledge and bail for the said John T. Wall that if it shall happen that the said John T. Wall shall be convicted at the suit of the said George Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry in the plea aforesaid then the said Clement Holliday Consents that as well the debt aforesaid as all such damages Costs and Charges as shall be adjudged unto the said George Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry in this behalf shall be made of his body lands and chattels and levied to the use of the said George Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry if it shall happen that the said John T. Wall shall not pay the said debt damages Costs and Charges or render himself to the prison and custody of the sheriff of the County aforesaid on that occasion And thereupon the said John T. Wall by his Attorney aforesaid prays that the said George Forbes and Horatio C McElderry may declare against him the said John T. Wall in the plea aforesaid Whereupon it is ruled by the Court here that the said George Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry declare against the said John T. Wall in the plea aforesaid and if the said George Forbes and Horatio C McElderry do not declare against the said John T. Wall in the plea aforesaid Judgment by the Court here will be rendered against them in default and the said George Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry by their Attorney aforesaid pray leave of the Court here to imparle until the first monday in September next to declare against the said John T. Wall in the plea aforesaid and they have it the same day is given to the said John T. Wall then &c. At which said first monday in September being the sixth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and nineteen and the day until which the said George Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry had leave to imparle to declare against the said John T. Wall in the plea aforesaid Come again into the County Court here as well the said George Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry by their Attorney aforesaid as the said John T. Wall by his Attorney aforesaid And the said George Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry by their Attorney aforesaid pray that the rule of Court laid on them the said George Forbes and Horatio C. McElderry to declare against the said John T. Wall in the plea aforesaid may be extended until the first monday in April next and they have it the same day is given to the said John T. Wall then &c. At which said first monday in April being the third day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty