afterwards to wit on the same day and year last aforesaid at Baltimore County aforesaid in confideration that they the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan had before that time at their special instance and request sold to them the said James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer other goods wares and Merchandizes they the said James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer upon themselves assumed and to the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan then and there faithfully promised that they would pay to them the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan so much money for the same as the said goods wares and merchandizes last aforesaid at the time of the Sale and delivery thereof were reasonably worth and the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan aver that the said Goods wares and Merchandizes last aforesaid at the time of their Sale and delivery aforesaid were reasonably worth another sum of one thousand four hundred and ninety one pounds twelve shillings and four pence Sterling money aforesaid — to wit at Baltimore County aforesaid whereof the said James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer then and there had notice And whereas also the said James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer on the day and year last aforesaid at Baltimore County aforesaid were indebted unto them the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan in other sums of one thousand five hundred pounds Current money and one thousand pounds Sterling money for so much money — before that time there laid out expended and paid by them the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan for the said James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer — at the special instance and request of them the said James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer and being so thereof indebted the aforesaid James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer afterwards to wit on the day and year last aforesaid at the County aforesaid in consideration thereof upon themselves assumed and to the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan then and there faithfully promised that they the said James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer the aforesaid sums of one thousand five hundred pounds Current money and one thousand pounds Sterling money to them the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan when afterwards they should be — thereunto required would well and truly content and pay And whereas also the aforesaid James Russell — John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer afterwards to wit on the same day and year aforesaid at the County aforesaid had accounts with the aforesaid Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan of and concerning divers sums of money before that time due and owing to the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan from the aforesaid James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer and upon that Account the aforesaid James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer were then and there found in Arrear unto the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan in one other sum of one thousand four hundred and ninety one pounds twelve shillings and four pence —

Sterling money aforesaid and being so found in Arrear the aforesaid James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer in consideration thereof afterwards to wit on the day and year last aforesaid at Baltimore County aforesaid undertook and to the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan then and there faithfully promised that they the said James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer would well and truly satisfy the aforesaid sum of money to the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan when afterwards they should be thereunto required Nevertheless the aforesaid James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer their several promises and assumptions aforesaid so as aforesaid made not regarding but minding and fraudulently intending them the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan in this behalf craftily and subtilly to deceive and defraud the aforesaid sums of money or any part thereof or either of them to them the said — Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan have not contented or paid although so to do the aforesaid — James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer afterwards to wit on the day and year aforesaid at the County aforesaid by the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan were requested but the same or any part thereof to content or pay they have hitherto altogether refused and still do refuse to the damage of them the said Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan in the sums of three thousand pounds Sterling and four thousand pounds Current money aforesaid and therefore they bring suit and &c. forth —

Pledges and &c. forth — John Doe and Richard Roe

And the aforesaid James Russell John Buchanan Walter Ewer and John Ewer by Thomas Jennings their Attorney come and defend the force and injury when and &c. forth and pray leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and they have it and the same day is given to the plaintiffs also At which said next Court to wit the 3d day of May Anno Domini 1773 to which time April Term 1773 was adjourned by Act of Assembly come again the said parties plaintiffs and defendants by their Attorneys aforesaid and the said Defendants by their Attorney aforesaid pray further leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and they have it and the same day is given to the plaintiffs also At which said next Court to wit the 13th day of September Anno Domini 1773 come again the said parties plaintiffs and defendants by their Attornies aforesaid and the said — Defendants by their Attorney aforesaid pray further leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and they have it and the same day is given to the plaintiffs also At which said next Court to wit the day of April Anno Domini 1775 come again the said parties plaintiffs and defendants by their Attornies aforesaid and the said Defendants by their Attorney aforesaid — pray further leave to imparle hereunto until next Court and they have it and the same day is given to the plaintiffs also At which said next Court to wit the day of September Anno Domini 1775 come again the said parties plaintiffs and defendants by their Attornies aforesaid and the said Defendants by their Attorney aforesaid defend the force and injury when and &c. forth as before and say that they did not assume upon themselves in manner and form as the aforesaid Archibald Buchanan and Alexander Cowan