Chapline in manner and form following to wit,
Washington County, to wit, Jeremiah Chapline late of Washington County yeoman was attached to answer unto James Chapline in a plea of Trespass on the case and soforth. And whereupon the said James Chapline by John J. Mason his attorney complains that whereas the aforesaid Jeremiah on the day of in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred and at the County aforesaid accounted together with him the said James of and concerning divers sums of money to him the said James by the aforesaid Jeremiah before that time due and unpaid and upon the accounting aforesaid the aforesaid Jeremiah was found in arrear to him the said James in the sum of one hundred and forty nine pounds twelve shillings and eleven pence current money and so being found in arrear the aforesaid Jeremiah in consideration thereof afterwards to wit, on the day of aforesaid at the County aforesaid upon himself assumed and to the said James then and there faithfully promised that he the aforesaid Jeremiah the aforesaid sum of money to him the said James when afterwards he should be thereunto required would well and truly content and pay. Nevertheless the aforesaid Jeremiah his promise and assumption aforesaid so as aforesaid made not regarding but minding and fraudulently intending him the said James in this behalf craftily and subtilly to deceive and defraud, the aforesaid sum of money or any part thereof to him the said James hath not contented or paid (altho' so to do the aforesaid Jeremiah was afterwards to wit, on the day and year aforesaid and often afterwards at the County aforesaid by the said James requested) but the same or any part thereof to content or pay he hath hitherto altogether refused and still doth refuse to the damage of him the said James in the sum Two hundred pounds current money aforesaid and therefore he brings suit and soforth.

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And the aforesaid Jeremiah Chapline by his Attorney aforesaid defends the force and injury when and soforth. and prays leave of the Court here to imparle until the fourth Tuesday in March next and he hath it the same day is given to the Plaintiff also.

At which day to wit, the fourth Tuesday of March in the year seventeen hundred and ninety comes here again as well the said James Chapline by his attorney aforesaid as the aforesaid Jeremiah Chapline by his attorney aforesaid Thereupon the parties aforesaid move the Justices here that

that the whole matters in the premises between them in variance may be referred (according to the approved custom of the Court here) to persons indifferently to be appointed by the same Justices to adjust the same Whereupon by consent of the attorneys and the Parties aforesaid it is ruled by the same Court that Benoni Swearingen and John Ritchie Gentlemen be appointed Referees between the parties aforesaid and on their disagreeing to chuse a third person and that they or any two of them (when the whole matter concerning the premises between the said James Chapline and the said Jeremiah Chapline in variance being fairly adjusted) have their award in writing under their hands and seals and return the same to the Court here, and Judgment of the same Court to be rendered according to such award and be final between the said parties, with power to examine evidences on oath, by consent of both parties Plaintiff and Defendant and their attorneys aforesaid Thereupon day is given as well to the said James Chapline as to the said Jeremiah Chapline by the Court here until the fourth Tuesday in August next -

At which day, to wit, the fourth Tuesday of August in the year last aforesaid, come here again the parties aforesaid by their attorneys aforesaid, and the arbitrators aforesaid have not returned their award nor have they done any thing therein. Thereupon further day is given as well to the said James Chapline as to the said Jeremiah Chapline until the fourth Tuesday of November next.

At which mentioned day, to wit, the fourth Tuesday of November in the year last aforesaid come here again the parties aforesaid by their attorneys aforesaid and the Arbitrators aforesaid have not returned their award nor have they done any thing therein Thereupon further day is given as well to the said James Chapline as to the said Jeremiah Chapline until the second Monday in april next.

At which mentioned day to wit, the second Monday of april in the year seventeen hundred and ninety one come here again the Parties aforesaid by their attornies aforesaid and the Arbitrators aforesaid have not returned their award, Thereupon further day is given as well to the said James Chapline as to the said Jeremiah Chapline until the first Monday of December next.

At which day to wit, the first Monday of December in the year last aforesaid come here again the parties aforesaid by their attorneys aforesaid Thereupon the arbitrators aforesaid pursuant to the order aforesaid return to the Court here the following award Viz.-

"In Obedience to an order of the Worshipful Court of Washington