wherefore he prays Judgment, if the said William Hodgson his action aforesaid against him to have or maintain ought and so forth.

And the aforesaid William Hodgson by his attornies aforesaid saith that he by any thing by the said Charles Beatty above in pleading alledged from having and maintaining his action aforesaid against him ought not to be precluded because he saith that the said Charles Beatty hath not paid unto him the afsd William Hodgson the aforesaid sum of money in the condition aforesaid mentioned with the Interest thereon in such manner and form as the said Charles Beatty above by pleading hath alledged, and this he prays may be enquired of by the Country, and the said Charles Beatty in like manner and so forth.

Therefore let a Jury thereon appear before the Court here on the second tuesday of May next, by whom and so forth, and who neither and so forth, to recognize and so forth because as well and so forth the same day is given to the said parties then and there and so forth.

And now at this day to wit the said second tuesday of May being the twelfth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and one come again into the General Court here as well the afsd William Hodgson by his attornies aforesaid, as the said Charles Beatty by his attornies aforesaid Nevertheless the said Charles Beatty by his attornies aforesaid, relinquishing the averment aforesaid above by him pretended says that he cannot deny the action aforesaid of the aforesaid William Hodgson so as aforesaid against him brought nor but that he owes to the aforesaid William Hodgson the aforesaid sum of two thousand seven hundred and ninety five Dollars and forty eight cents of the value of one thousand and forty eight pounds six shillings and one penny current money in manner and form aforesaid so as the aforesaid William Hodgson above against him hath declared.

Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the aforesaid William Hodgson recover against the said Charles Beatty as well the sum of two thousand seven hundred and ninety five Dollars and forty eight cents of the value of one thousand and forty eight pounds six shillings and one penny current money his debt aforesaid in form aforesaid confessed as the quantity of nine hundred and eleven pounds of tobacco by the court here unto the aforesaid William Hodgson on his afsmt adjudged for his damages which he hath sustained as well by reason of the detention of that debt as for his costs and charges by him about his suit in this behalf laid out and expended, and the said Charles Beatty in mercy and so forth.

Memorandum Judgment rendered in this cause on the thirteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and one, for the Penalty and costs of suit, and the plaintiff agrees to release the penalty upon the payment of Principal Interest and costs, and agrees to stay execution until the first of August next payments if any to be allowed. Test Jno Guinn clk

John Orme against Samuel H. Briscoe	Be it remembered that heretofore to wit on the fifth day day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine the said Samuel Hanson Briscoe by John Campbell his attorney sued out of the General Court

the writ of the State of Maryland of capias ad respondendum directed to the Sheriff of Montgomery county in the words and figures following to wit.

The State of Maryland Sc. To the Sheriff of Montgomery county Greeting You are hereby commanded to take John Orme late of Montgomery county yeoman if he shall be found in your bailiwick and him safe keep so that you have his body before the General Court to be held at the City of Annapolis on the second tuesday of May next to answer unto Samuel Hanson Briscoe in a plea that he render unto him the said Samuel the full and just sum of one hundred and six pounds current money which to the said Samuel Hanson he owes and from him unjustly detains and so forth. Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there this writ. Witness the Honourable Jeremiah Townley Chase Esquire chief Judge of the said Court the eighth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine

Issued the fifth day of December 1799. (S.C.) Jno Guinn clk

And the aforesaid Samuel Hanson Briscoe by his attorney aforesaid on the day of the issuing of the aforesaid writ filed in Court here the following Declaration and Oyer of Bill Obligatory, a copy whereof was made and sent with the said writ to the Sheriff of the County aforesaid to wit,

Western Shore State of Maryland Montgomery County Sc. John Orme late of Montgomery County yeoman was summoned to answer unto Samuel Hanson Briscoe in a plea that he render unto him the said Samuel the full and just sum of one hundred and six pounds current money which to the said Samuel Hanson he owes and from him unjustly detains &c.

And whereupon the said Samuel Hanson Briscoe by John Campbell his attorney saith that whereas the aforesaid John Orme on the twenty first day of August in the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety seven at Montgomery County aforesaid by his certain bill obligatory ~ promised to pay or cause to be paid to the Samuel Hanson Briscoe by the name of Samuel H. Briscoe his heirs or assigns the full and just sum of one hundred and six pounds current money on or before the first day of April one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight for value received, if not paid by the aforesaid time Interest to commence, to be paid to him the said Samuel Hanson Briscoe when afterwards he should be thereunto required. Nevertheless the aforesaid John Orme (although often thereunto required) the afsd sum of current money to him the said Samuel Hanson Briscoe hath not rendered or paid, but the same sum of current money to him the said Samuel Hanson Briscoe hitherto to render or pay he hath altogether refused and still doth refuse, wherefore the said Samuel Hanson Briscoe saith he is the worse and hath damage to the value of three hundred pounds current money, and therefore he brings suit and so forth, and brings here into Court the bill obligatory aforesaid sealed with the seal of the said John Orme which the debt aforesaid in form aforesaid witnesseth the date whereof is the day and year aforesaid &c. J. Campbell for the plaintiff pledges and so forth. { Jno Doe & Richd Roe

I promise to pay or cause to be paid unto Samuel H. Briscoe his heirs or assigns the full and just sum of one hundred and six pounds current ~ money on or before the first day of April one thousand seven hundred

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