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Lancaster
B 55 R 2554

James R Massey
vs.
Uriah Blackman

Decln.
in
Debt

Wright & McMullan
Plffs. Attos

Filed 16th March 1841
Ordered for Judgt same day
S. Beckham
Clk

I ascertain the debt
to be Nine hundred & Eighty
Seven dollars with interest
from 1 July 1840
S. Beckham
Clk

Fi Fa 13 April 1841

[DECLARATION ON SEALED NOTE.]

State of South-Carolina, } To wit.
Lancaster District. }

Uriah Blackman the Defendant was attached to answer to James R Massey the Plaintiff of a plea that Defendant render unto Plaintiff the sum of Three Hundred and Eighty Seven Dollars — — — — — — which to ~~him~~ said Plaintiff he owes and from him — unjustly detains and so forth.

And whereupon, the said James R By Wright & McMullan his Attorneys complain that whereas the said Uriah on the Twenty ninth ~~day~~ day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine at Lancaster Court-House, in the District and State aforesaid, and within the Jurisdiction of this Court, by his certain writing obligatory, commonly called a sealed note ~~certain Bill obligatory~~, with his seal sealed and to the Court here shewn, the date whereof is the day and year aforesaid, ~~acknowledged~~ ~~to be indebted to the said~~ promised to pay James R Massey or bearer ~~in the sum of~~ Three Hundred and Eighty Seven dollars (for value received) on ~~to be paid to the said~~ or before the first day of January 1840 ~~or~~

To which payment well and truly to be made, the said Uriah bound himself firmly by the ~~same Bill.~~ said sealed note

Yet the said Uriah although often required, the said sum of money in the said sealed note ~~Bill~~ contained, or any part thereof, to the said James R has not yet paid, but the same to to pay, hitherto has altogether refused and still doth refuse; to the damage of the said James R One thousand dollars and therefore he brings suit and so forth.

Wright & McMullan **Plaintiff's Attorney.**

$387 On or before the first day of January 1840 We or Either of us promise to pay James R Massey (Trustee of Mary Lanier Decd) or bearer Three Hundred and Eighty Seven Dollars value Recd; Witness our hands and seals this 29th day of Decr. 1839

" Elisha Blackman Seal "

" Uriah Blackman Seal "

Attest
H W Ellers

Entd 15 Oct 1840
L Surist SD

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Lancaster

James R Massey

vs.

Writ in Debt

Uriah Blackman

Copy left at defendants
Residence
17th Oct 1840
L Surist SD

Wright & McMullan

Cert	25
fee	1.00
10 miles	50
	1.75

Service proven before me
S Beckham
Clk

(Orig)

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[COPY WRIT.]

STATE OF SOUTH-CAROLINA.

TO ALL AND SINGULAR THE SHERIFFS OF THE SAID STATE—GREETING.

YOU, and each of you, are hereby commanded, without delay, to Attach the body of Uriah Blackman wheresoever, he may be found within your and each of your respective Districts, so that you compel him to be and appear before the Associate Judges of the said State, at the Court of Common Pleas, to be holden at Lancaster Court-House, in and for the District of Lancaster on the first Monday after the fourth Monday in October instant ~~next~~, to answer to James R Massey the Plaintiff of a plea that defendant render unto plaintiff the sum of Three hundred & Eighty seven dollars - which to said plaintiff he owes & from him unjustly detains &c To his damage One Thousand Dollars

And have you there this Writ, before the Clerk of the said Court, fifteen days next before the sitting of the said Court.

WITNESS, S. Beckham *Esquire, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the District of* Lancaster *at* Lancaster *Court-House, the* tenth *day of* October *in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and* forty *and in the* Sixty fifth *year of the Sovereignty and Independence of the United States of America.*

S Beckham
Clk

Wright & McMullan
Plaintiff's Attorney.

Satisfied

J. R. Maſey

vs } Judgt.

W. Blackman

Apl ——— # 387.

Dct. f. 1 Jany 1840.

Atty — 11
Clk — 5.12½
Sheff — 1.75 17.87

JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT IN CASE—REFERENCE TO CLERK.
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AND now at this day, *to wit*, the first Monday in April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty one to which day the said Uriah Blackman had leave to answer to the declaration aforesaid of the said James R Massey before the Justices of the **Court of Common Pleas,** at a Court to be held at Lancaster CH come the said plff by his Attorney aforesaid, and pray that the said defendant to the declaration aforesaid, may answer; and the said defendant though solemnly called, doth not come, nor say any thing in bar or preclusion of the action aforesaid, but hath made default; wherefore the said Plaintiff remain against him undefended; wherefore the said Plaintiff ought to recover against the said Defendant damages sustained by reason of the premises; and because the same is a liquidated demand, according to the Act of the General Assembly of the said State, in such case made and provided, it becomes unnecessary to execute a Writ of Inquiry, but only on motion to the Court, to refer the said demand to the Clerk thereof, to ascertain the amount due:—and the same being so referred, the said Clerk, namely, S Beckham finds the amount of the principal ~~and interes~~t to be three hundred & eighty seven Dollars with interest from the first day of January 1840

Therefore, it is considered, that the said plaintiff do recover against the said defendant as well the said sum of three hundred & Eighty seven Dollars & interest as found, as also Eighteen Dollars 12½ cents for his costs and charges, by him in and about prosecuting his suit in this behalf expended, and to him by the Court, with his assent adjudged, amounting in the whole to four hundred & five Dollars 12½ cents and be the said defendant in mercy, and so forth.

Judgt entd up & signed 12 April 1841
S Beckham Clk

FI. FA. IN DEBT.
Printed and sold by W. Riley, 92 Church-st.

The State of South-Carolina.

TO ALL AND SINGULAR THE SHERIFFS OF THE SAID STATE---GREETING.

YOU, and each of you, are hereby commanded, without delay, that of the goods, chattels, houses, and lands, and other hereditaments, and real estates, of Uriah Blackman you cause to be levied a certain debt of ~~Three hundred & Eighty seven Dollars with int~~ four hundred & five ~~which~~ Dollars 127 costs with interest on three hundred & Eighty seven Dollars from 1 Jany 1840 lately recovered in the Court of Common Pleas, before the Justices of the said Court, at Lancaster C.H. against the said defendant for his damages, which ~~**And Also,**~~ ~~he~~ sustained, as well by reason of the detention of the said debt, as for his costs and charges, by ~~him~~ expended in and about prosecuting his suit in that behalf, whereof the said defendant is convicted, as appears on record.

And that you have the money before the said Justices of the said Court of Common Pleas, to be holden at Lancaster C.H ~~on the~~ according to Law ~~in~~ ~~next~~, to render to the said plaintiff for his debt, damages, costs, and charges, aforesaid.

And have you this Writ, before the Clerk of the said Court, at Lancaster according to law.

Witness, J. Beckham Esquire, Clerk of the said Court, at Lancaster C.H. the 12th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty one and in the sixty fifth year of the Sovereignty and Independence of the United States of America.

Wright & McMullan. **Plaintiff's Attorney**

BILL OF COSTS.

Attorney—	Writ,	$4 00
	Special Bail,	1 00
	Declaration,	4 00
	Judgment and Execution,	3 00
	Subpœna	
	Demurrer, or Joinder,	3 00
	Argument on trial,	5 00
	Commission to examine witnesses,	8 00
	Jury,	1 00
	Bill of Exceptions,	5 00
Clerk—	Writ,	0 50
	Order for Bail,	0 50
	Declaration,	0 50
	Recording Proceedings,	1 00
	Signing Judgment,	0 50
	Signing Execution,	0 50
	Incidental and other charges where issue is not joined,	1 00
	Filing Plea, Demurrer, or Joinder,	0 50
	Attendance on Trial,	0 50
	Signing Subpœna	
	Signing a Commission,	0 50
Sheriff—	Writ,	1 00
	Bail Bond,	1 00
	Mileage, 5 cents per mile,	
	Subpœna	
	Execution to bind,	0 50

J. Beckham
Clk

Entd 14 Apl 1841
H Hancock
Atty

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Lancaster

L. R. Mapes
vs
W. Blackman

Fi. fa.

Debt

Wright & McMullan

Debt — $387.
Int. f. 1 Jany 1840
Attos. 11.
Clk — 5.12½
Shff — 1.25 17.87½
do — .50
¼ Costs —

Satisfied 13 Oct. 1841

This case & the one for same amt. against E. Blackman are for the same debt.

Fi. fa. 3 May 1841 [illegible] Collins from
J [illegible] H Hancock

NEW BILL OF COSTS.

Attorney—	
Writ, $4; ~~Sp. Bail, $1~~; Declaration, $4;	8
Judgment and Ex. $3; ~~Subpœna~~	3 — 11
Demurrer or Joinder, $3; Argument on Trial, $5;	
Commission, $8; Jury, $1; Bill of Exceptions, $5;	
Clerk—	
Writ, 50 cts.; Declaration, 37 1-2; Rule, 25;	1.12½
Order for Judgment, 12 1-2;	12½
~~Plea, Demurrer, or Replication, 25 cts~~;	62
Docket, 12 1-2 cts. each term; Trial, 50;	25
~~Verdict, 25 cts.~~; Assessment, 25; ~~Subpœna, 50 ea.~~	25
Order for final Judgment, 25 cts.; ~~Discount, 25~~; ..	75
~~Bail, 50 cts.~~; Judgment, 75;	50
~~Rule or Order for Arbitration, 25 cts.~~;	150
~~Continuance, 25 cts.~~; First Execution. 50;	5.12½
Recording Proceedings, $1,50;	
Commission, 75 cts.; Rule of Survey, 50;	
Bond, $1; Suggestion, 50 cts.;	
Sheriff—	
Writ and Entry, $1,25; ~~Bail Bond, $1~~;	1 25
~~Execution and Entry, 75~~; Arrest, $2;	
Subpœna and Entry, 75 cts. each;	50
~~Rule and Entry, $1,75~~; Mileage, 5 cts. per mile;	1.75
Two per ct. on the first $300, and one per ct on the balance; half per cent on all monies received by Plaintiff or Attorney, on Execution, lodged in Sheriff's office.	

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