

MSA SC 5463-1-12

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Wm Hamilton

vs

The Brigantine Libel
Juliana

W. Barney

file this
and with the leave of the
Judge I give an Atta.
as prayed —

R. Smith

filed 10th Apr 1790

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To the Honorable William Paca Esquire, Judge of the
District Court for the Maryland District —

Humblly Complaining shewth unto your Honor your
Libellant, William Hamilton of Baltimore County Mariner,
that he on or about the third day of September five ten hun
dred and eighty ~~eight~~ ^{nine} On the High Seas and within the
Jurisdiction of this Court to wit, at the Port of Baltimore,
did Enter and shipp himself on Board, a certain Ship
called the Juliana, Commanded by John Kemp Captain
and Master and now riding at Anchor in the Port of Balti
more to perform a Voyage in the Capacity of a Sailor, at the
Rate of three pounds seven Shillings and six pence Current Mo
ney per Month which said Voyage was to commence
from the said Port of Baltimore to Berman thence to
Baltimore again as by the Shipping Articles of Agree
ment here with produced reference being there to had will
more fully appear, and your Libellant further shewth
that he hath in the Capacity of Sailor, on Board the said
Brigantine acted and performed the Duties of his Station
for the term of seven Months and that the wages justly
due and owing unto him therefor, amount to the sum of
twenty three pounds twelve, Shillings and six pence Current
Money of Maryland —

Your Libellant further shewth that the aforesaid stipu
lated Voyage from Baltimore to Berman and thence
Back to Baltimore hath been performed and that

Therefore in virtue of the said Articles of Agreement he is justly and truly Entitled to have and receive his wages amounting as aforesaid to the sum of twenty three pounds twelve shillings and six pence Current Money.

Your Libellant further sheweth that he has frequently requested the said John Kemp Master and also the Owner of the said Brigantine for the aforesaid wages due unto him who always refused paying the same.

Your Libellant further sheweth that the Owner of the said Brigantine cannot now be found by your Libellant and your Libellant hath reason to believe that he has absconded with a view to evade the payment of this and other claims against him. —

Your Libellant further sheweth that he cannot obtain Relief but by the Interposition of this Honorable Court.

Your Libellant therefore prayeth your Honor that an Attachment may be issued against the said Brigantine called the Juliana her Tackle, Appurtenances and Furniture and that the same may by the Decree of this Honorable Court be sold for the payment of the wages due as aforesaid unto your Libellant and so forth —

R. Smith for Libellant

Dr Brigantine Juliana To Mr Hambleton

Per Contra

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To 8 days Work at 5/ per Day - - - - - £ 2 0 0

To Wages from Sept 3 at 6/6 per Month
Till April 19. 1790 - - - - - £ 25 8 6

Credit brought forward
 £ 2. 2 3/4
 18. 6. 3/4

£ 27. 8. 6

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Decem 20
 Febua 2
 1790
 12
 March 2

By Cash at Baltimore £ 3 2 -

By Cash at Brunon 16. 11 2

By 3 1/2 of Lining at 4/0 per yard - - - - - 6 6 3/4

By 4 yards of Ditto - - - - - 7 0

By 6 yards of Ditto - - - - - 11 3

By 2 yards of Ditto - - - - - 3 9

9 2 2 3/4

Baltimore County State of Maryland, April 19th 1790 Personally appeared before me the Subscriber one
of the Justices of the Peace for the County of ~~the~~ ^{the} and made oath in the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God
that the Within account is just and true as it stands stated and that he hath not Doubtly or
Indoubtly to the best of his Knowledge Received any part parcel, Satisfaction or Security for the Same
More than last given. — — — Sworn before
Thomas Smith