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John Yem

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The Brigantine  
Juliana

libel

Mr Baune

File this and  
with leave of the  
Judge give an  
attainment as  
prayer -

B: Smith

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fil<sup>d</sup>. 10<sup>th</sup> ap<sup>r</sup>. 1790

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To the Honorable William Paca Esquire Judge of the  
District Court ~~of~~<sup>for</sup> the Maryland District

Humbly Complaining sheweth unto your Honor your  
Debellant John Gern of Baltimore County Mariner that he  
or ~~abator~~<sup>or abator</sup> on the thirday of September Seventeen hundred and Eighty  
nine on the high Seas and within the Jurisdiction of this  
Court to wit at the Port of Baltimore did Enter and Ship  
himself on board a certain Ship called the Juliana Commanded  
by John Kemp Captain and Master and now lying at  
Anchor in the Port of Baltimore to perform a Voyage  
in the Capacity of a Sailor at the Rate of three Pounds  
fifteen Shillings Current <sup>Money</sup> per Month which said Voyage  
was to Commence from the said port of Baltimore to Bremen  
thence to Baltimore again, as by the Shipping Articles of  
Agreement herewith produced Reference being there to had  
will more fully appear; and your Debellant further sheweth  
That he hath in the Capacity of a Sailor on board of the said  
Brigantine acted ~~and~~ and performed the Duties of his ~~Station~~  
Station for the Term of Seven Months and Seven days and  
that the Wages justly due and owing unto him therefor amount  
to the sum of Twenty Seven Pounds Eleven Shillings and nine  
Pence Current Money of Maryland —  
Your Debellant further sheweth, That the aforesaid Stipulated  
Voyage from Baltimore to Bremen 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 Seven Pounds Eleven Shillings  
and nine Pence Current Money —

Your Libellant further sheweth, That he has frequently  
Requested the afsaid John Kemp Master and also <sup>the</sup> owner  
of the said Brigantine for the afsaid 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 Libel-  
lant, and your Libellant hath Reason to believe he hath  
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 ~~that~~ by the Interposition of this Honorable  
Court — Your Libellant therefore May eth your  
Honor That an Attachment may be Issued against  
the said Brigantine Called the Juliana her Tackle  
Aparel and Furniture, and that the same may by  
the Decree of this Honorable Court, be sold for the  
payment of the Wages due as afsaid unto  
your Libellant and so forth —

Robert Smith for Libellant —

Baltimore County State of Maryland <sup>1790</sup> April 19<sup>th</sup> Personally appeared before me the Subscriber one of the Justices  
of the Peace for the County aforesaid John Yarnon, Seaman and Made oath on the Holy Evangelist of almighty God that  
the Within account is just and true as it stands stated and that he hath not directly or Indirectly to the best  
of his Knowledge Received any part, parcel, Satisfaction or Security for the Same more than is given  
Sworn before

Thomas G. Smith

For Brigantine Juliana To John Yum

For Contra

1789	To 8 days Work getting & Loading at 5/- per day	2	0	0	1789	By Cash at sundries times	£	3	15	-
	To Wages from Sept 3 at 3..15 per Month	27	15	-		By Cash at Bremon 20..39		5	16	9
	Wt. April 19 - 1790	29	15	0	Decr 20	By 7 yards of Linnen at 1/10 yd			13	7 1/2
						Bal. due In. yem		10	5	4 1/2

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