Kirkcudbright Sheriff Court Register of Extracted Decrees

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Ext[ract] Decreet & P[recept] of Poinding

> Milligan v McCulloch

14 June 1845

At Kirkcudbright the sixth day of June eighteen hundred and forty five years.

Sitting in Judgment James Welsh Esquire Advocate Steward of the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright in an action of aliment before the Steward Court of said Stewartry at the instance of Poor Margaret Milligan residing at Fleet Cottage in the Parish of Girthon & Stewartry foresaid, Pursuer, against Alexander McCulloch farm servant to Andrew Williamson, farmer in Ingliston in the Parish of Twynholm, Defender; The Steward in absence decerned and ordained and hereby decerns and Ordains the said Alexander McCulloch, Defender, to make payment to the said Margaret Milligan, Pursuer, of the sum of One pound eleven shillings and sixpence Sterling as his share of the inlying expences attending the birth of an illegitimate female child of which the pursuer was delivered on or about the ninth day of February last and of which the said Defender is the father : Item of the lawful interest thereof since due till paid under deduction of the sum of six shillings paid to Account of said inlying expenses and Interest : Item of the sum of Four pounds Sterling yearly as his share of aliment for clothing educating, and upbringing of the said child to commence from the time the said child was born and to continue. until it shall arrive at the age of ten years complete, said aliment payable quarterly and in advance, beginning the first payment thereof, as on the said ninth day of February eighteen hundred & forty five, the next as on the ninth day of May last, the next on the ninth day of August following and the next on the ninth day of November thereafter, until the said child arrive at the said age of ten years : Item of the lawful interest on each quarter's payment, from the time the same has become or shall become due, till paid; Item of the sum of One pound ten shillings & sixpence of expences of process : Item of the sum of six shillings farther as the expence of extracting this Decreet & of recording the same.