

IN THE EFATE ISLAND COURT
SITTING AT PORT VILA

Case No.103/94
Santo / Malo Island Court

Civil Jurisdiction

Sitting on 12th August 1994.

Clerk : J.Mesau

Bench of Justices : Frank Kalmaire
Makal Kalsong
Esron Manapanga

Between : Charley Betwel of Ambrym
PLAINTIFF

AND : Kai Patterson
DEFENDANT

Appearance : Charley Betwel (plaintiff) in person
And : Kai Patterson (Defendant) in person.

Claim :Plaintiff claims for VT 15.000 for 1 buluk taken by defendant plus costs.

This claim had been received and Registered at the Santo/Malo Island Court on or about 24th March 1994.

The plaintiff in his statement submitted to the Santo/Malo Island Court Clerk ;that in September 1991, during a general election compagne, Mr. Patterson and members of the Melanesian Progressive party asked if he (plaintiff) sell to them a buluk for the closing of their compagne. He (plaintiff) sold then 1 buluk with a value of VT 15.000. Up until 1994 this account has not been paid for.

The defendant in reply stated that this is not his personal account. It was made in the name of and for the Melanesian progressive party. But he went on to say this account will be paid by 30th September 1994.

The Court having heard the evidences of both parties finds the defendant guilty and

HEREBY ORDERS :

That the defendant pay to the plaintiff the sums of VT 15.000 debt owing and VT 3.000 legal costs- a total of VT 18.000 by 30th September 1994.

30 days to appeal.

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COURT CLERK.

