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In the Court of KING's BENCH.

Termino Pasche anno quadragesimo quarto
ELIZABETHÆ Regine.

Baspole & Long.

THE Custom within a Copyhold Manor is, that upon a Surrender made to one and his Heirs, if three Proclamations pass, and he doth not come to be admitted, the Lord shall have it as forfeited: A Surrender is made to the Use of *A.* for Life, the Remainder to *B.* in Fee: *A.* suffers three Proclamations to pass, and doth not come to be admitted; yet this doth not forfeit the Estate in Remainder, neither shall the Lord have it upon this Default of the Tenant for Life, for here the Estate of *A.* and *B.* are divided Estates, and the Custom shall be intended of an intire Fee-simple given to one Person; and the Custom, being to bar an Estate, shall be taken strictly. *Adjud. Quære*, if such Surrender is made to *A.* and *B.* and their Heirs, and *A.* comes within the Time of the Proclamations, and *B.* doth not, if now *A.* shall have the whole, or that a Moiety shall be forfeited?

Cro. El. 875.
Noy 42.

Vide Lutw.

769.

3 Mod. 221.

1 Show. 31,

83.

Salk. 386.

Wilson *versus* Riche.

Baron and Feme join in a Lease by Indenture to *B.* yielding Rent; and it is for Years, and they make a Letter of Attorney to seal and deliver the Lease upon the Land, which is done accordingly: *B.* brings an Ejectment, and declares upon a Demise made by the Baron and Feme; and upon Evidence to the Jury, it was ruled by *Popham* Chief Justice, *Fenner* and *Telverton*, that the Lease did not maintain the Declaration; for a Feme Covert cannot make a Letter of Attorney to deliver a Lease of her Land, altho' a Rent is reserv'd upon it, but her Warrant of Attorney is merely void: So this Lease is only the Lease of the Husband, which is not maintain'd by the Declaration. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

1 Brownl.
134.

Cro. Car.

165. contra

per tot' Car.

Rippon *versus* Norton.

THE Son of *J. S.* assaults *J. D.* and his Son, *J. D.* goes to a Justice of the Peace to complain, as well on his own Behalf as on the Behalf of his Son: *J. S.* comes to *J. D.* and desires him to cease and forbear his Complaint, and he would undertake, that his Son should keep the Peace both against him and his Son. The Son of *J. S.* afterwards breaks the Peace upon the Son of *J. D.* and the Son of *J. D.* brings *Assumpsit* against *J. S.* and declares on the Matter aforesaid; and 'twas adjudg'd by *Gandy*, *Fenner* and *Telverton*, that the Action well lay, and the Consideration precedent was sufficient for the Plaintiff to

Cro. El. 881.

Cro. El. 849.
con. 881. acc.

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maintain his Action against *J. S.* for altho' the Plaintiff himself did not complain to the Justice of the Peace, but *J. D.* his Father, yet because *J. D.* had Cause to complain, both for himself and for his Son, and by Reason of the Complaint made in Behalf of the Son the Plaintiff, the Son of *J. S.* might be in Question before the Justice of the Peace, for that Reason the Consideration is good; for upon the Defendant's Promise, the Complaint, by which his Son might be brought in Question, was stayed.

Dighton *versus* Bartholomew.

Cro. El. 831. **D**ighton brought *Nativo hab.* against *Bartholomew* in the County, and it was remov'd by *Pone* into the Common Pleas, at the Day of the Return whereof *Dighton* did not appear, and Judgment was given that *Bartholomew*, &c. should be infranchised for ever. In a Writ of Error brought on this Judgment in *B. R.* it was adjudged that it should be revers'd; for the Judgment should be only that the Plaintiff should be in *Misericordia*, and not that the Defendant should be infranchised; for the Non-appearance of the Plaintiff in the *Nat. hab.* at the Day of the Return of the *Pone* is but a Nonsuit before Appearance; for the Action and the *Pone* may be brought by some Stranger, as well as by the Plaintiff; and although the *Pone* says (*ad Petitionem petent*) yet that is but Recital and Supposal, which doth not conclude the Plaintiff in this Writ of Right. Also the *Pone* issues out of the Chancery, which is another Court than that in which Judgment is given; and the *Pone* is not any Declaration, but at the Day of the Return of the *Pone*, if the Plaintiff and Defendant appear, the Plaintiff ought to count on the Writ of *Nat. hab.* alledging Seisin in Fee, Esplees, and producing some of the Defendant's Blood, who acknowledged himself to be Villein; as appears by * 19 H. 6. 13 E. 1. (a) *Vill. Vide* 12 E. 3. Vill. 44. (b) 12 E. 2. Vill. 19 E. 2. (c) *Ibid.* 6 E. 2. (d) *Ibid.* *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

* 19 H. 6. 32.
(a) Fitz. 38.
(b) Fitz. 28.
(c) Fitz. 32.
(d) Fitz. 26.

Croucher *versus* Fryar.

Mo. 618.
Cro. El. 704, 784. **A** Parson sued a Copyholder in the Spiritual Court for Tithes arising upon the Copyhold Land; he brought a Prohibition and suggested that the Bishop of *Winchester*, Lord of the Manor, whereof his Copyhold is Parcel, and his Predecessors, &c. from Time whereof, &c. for themselves their Tenants and Farmers have been discharg'd of Tithes arising upon the said Manor; and shewed that he had been a Copyholder of the said Manor from Time whereof, &c. and prescribed in his Lord, now Bishop of *Winchester*: And altho' here is a Prescription upon a Prescription, one in the Copyholder to make his Estate good, the other in the Bishop to make his Discharge good; yet adjudg'd by *Gawdy*, *Fenner* and *Telverton*, that the Prohibition lies. *Telverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff alledg'd the Matter *supra*, which was allow'd. *Nota* the Reason; for a Prescription in the Lord ought of Necessity in common Intendment to precede the Prescription in the Estate of the Copyholder, and the Discharge of the Tithes

Noy 132.

Tithes in the Lord (which may well be in this Case, because he is a Spiritual Person) shall trench to the Benefit of the Tenant, who is the Copyholder, for by this Means it is presumed that the Lord has the greater Fines and Rents. *Nota*, *Popham* was against this Judgment, because the Plaintiff, who is the Copyholder, will have *in suo genere* an Estate of Inheritance distinct from the Estate of the Lord, who is the Bishop.

The Lord Cromwell & Andrews.

IF an Assise between *A.* and *B.* is summon'd before Justices of Assise, and they are removed, and the Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, and another Justice are Justices of Assise in the same County, and the Assise is taken before them, and adjourn'd for Difficulty into the Common Pleas, where Judgment is given for the Plaintiff; and he against whom the Assise passes brings a Writ of Error in the King's Bench; which Writ is directed to the same Chief Justice of the Common Pleas before whom the Assise pass'd, and recites the Assise summon'd before the Justices of Assise by Name, as (*revera fuit*) before *Gawdy* and *Walmesley*, & *postmodum capta* before the Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, &c. and does not recite how the Assise came into the Common Pleas, *Sc.* by Adjournment, or for other Cause; this Writ of Error is not good; for as by the Removal of the former Justices of Assise, before whom the Assise was taken, the Writ of Error by a *Postmodum* ought to recite the Assise taken before other Justices of Assise, (and yet there is only a Change of the Justices, and not of the Court) *a fortiori* there ought to be in the Writ of Error another *postmodum* when it is adjourn'd into the Common Pleas; for now both the Judges and the Court are changed. And a Difference was taken between the Case of an Assise and of a *Quare Impedit*, for the Assise ought to be originally commenced before the Justices of Assise, and so by Presumption and Intendment Judgment also given before them, and not in the Common Pleas, unless upon Adjournment: And therefore, if Judgment is given in the Common Pleas, it ought to be specified certainly how the Record of Assise came into the Common Pleas. But in Error to remove the Record of a *Quare Impedit*, the Writ is not of such precise Form, because the Action originally commences before the Justices of the Common Pleas, and by Intendment Judgment given there, altho' by the Statute to avoid a Lapse Judgment may be given before the Justices of Assise. And *Fitz. N. B.* recites such Form of a Writ of Error, which recites the Adjournment, &c. Adjudg'd *per tot' Cur'*; yet all the Curfitors were of a contrary Opinion. And also in the Case *supra* it was adjudged, that if an Assise is brought against four, and Judgment is given against them, upon which they four bring a Writ of Error, and upon the *Scire fac.* by the Plaintiff (who recover'd in the Assise) *quare Executionem habere non debet*, one only appears, and the others make Default, and he who appears

Cro. El. 891.
Noy 44.

Vide 22 H. 6.
13. b. Darby.

affigns

assigns Errors *per se*, and the Defendant in the Writ of Error pleads *in nullo est Erratum*, this Assignment of Errors by the one only is ill; for all ought to assign the Errors together; and therefore the Writ of Error (as *Popham* said) is discontinued; for altho' a Writ of Error is but a Commission to examine the Errors, and may be lodged in Court seven Years without being discontinued, yet after the Parties have once proceeded upon it (as in this Case) it may be discontinued as well as any other Action. And in this Case, when one of the Plaintiffs in the Writ of Error appears, and the others make Default, he who appear'd ought to have pray'd Process *ad Sequend' Simul*, and thereupon Judgment of Severance ought to have ensued; for before Appearance there can be no Judgment of Severance without Process; but it is otherwise after Appearance; *per* 38 E. 3. 3. b.

Riches & Brigges.

Cro. El. 883,
884.

Postea 50.

Postea 128.

IN an Action on the Case the Plaintiff declared, that in Consideration he had deliver'd to the Defendant twenty Quarters of Wheat, the Defendant promised upon Request to deliver the same Wheat again to the Plaintiff. And adjudged a good Consideration; for by *Popham* & *tot' Cur'* the very Possession of the Wheat might be a Credit and good Countenance to the Defendant to be esteemed a rich Farmer in the Country, as in Case of the Delivery of 1000*l.* in Money to deliver again upon Request; for by having so much Money in his Possession he may happen to be prefer'd in Marriage. *Quare*, for it seems an hard Judgment; for the Defendant has not any Manner of Profit to receive but only a bare Possession. *Nota*, the Truth of the Case was (which doth not alter the Reason *supra*) that the Plaintiff had deliver'd to the Defendant the said twenty Quarters of Wheat to deliver over to *J. S.* to whom the Plaintiff was indebted in so many Quarters, and the Defendant promised to deliver the same Quarters of Wheat to *J. S.* And because they were not deliver'd, the Plaintiff brought his Action, *ut supra*; and adjudged *ut supra*. But *Nota*, the Judgment was revert in the Exchequer, *Mich.* 44 & 45 *Eliz.* as *Hitcham* told *Telverton*.

Trin. 44 ELIZ. B. R.

Dawson.

Cro. El. 888.

AN Action on the Case for these Words: *Thou art an arrant Knave, for thou hast bought stolen Swine, and a stolen Cow, knowing them to be stolen.* And adjudg'd against the Plaintiff, for the Receipt or Sale of Goods stolen is not Felony, nor makes any Accessory, unless it is joined with a Receipt or Abetment of the Felon himself. And in some Case it is lawful to receive stolen Goods, as if the Lord of a

Manor or his Bailiff, who has *bona vacuata*, meets with a suspicious Person who has stolen Goods, and stops the Goods, and the Party confesses them to be stolen, and flies, in that Case, it is a Receipt of Goods stolen, knowing them to be stolen; and yet it is not any Slander, if any one should say to him, *You have taken stolen Goods, knowing them to be stolen.* By Gawdy, Fenner and Telverton, *Popham absente.*

Crumpton *versus* Smith.

DEBT, the Plaintiff is of 6*l.* 14*s.* 2*d.* and declares that the Money became due by Reason of two several Contracts, *scil.* So much by the one, and so much by the other; and it appears by Computation of those two Sums, that they are more by 3*d.* than is contain'd in the Plaintiff. The Defendant pleads, as to 6*l.* 14*s.* 2*d.* *nil debet*, &c. and it is found for the Plaintiff, and Judgment in an inferior Court, that the Plaintiff should recover *prout narravit*; and thereupon Error is brought, and the Matter *Supra* assign'd for Error; for 3*d.* more is given by the Judgment to be recover'd, than was found by the Jury to be due; and altho' the Defendant pleads only to the Sum contain'd in the Plaintiff, yet the Sum specified in the Declaration is that whereof the Issue and Trial should be; and it seem'd clearly by Fenner and Telverton to be Error. And there seems to be a Difference, where the Plaintiff (for the Purpose) is of 10*l.* and he declares, *viz.* for 10*l.* for an Horse, and 5*l.* for another Contract, and the Defendant pleads *nil debet* to 10*l.* and nothing to the other, and it is so found; yet that is good; for the 5*l.* in the Declaration is but Surplusage, because the Plaintiff was answer'd *in toto* with the principal Contract laid in the Declaration, *scil.* the Horse; but in the principal Case the Money mention'd in the Declaration being upon several Contracts, and none of the Contracts *tantum*, & *per se* amounting to the Sum specified in the Plaintiff, every Part of the Declaration is made material; and so being found short by the Verdict, the Judgment thereupon seems to be erroneous: *Quod* Gawdy *non multum impugnavit.* Cro. Jac. 499.

Johnson *versus* Turner.

TRespass for breaking his House, and taking and carrying away his Goods. The Defendant justified the whole. The Plaintiff *quoad fractionem Domus* and taking of the Goods, *neque materia in ea contenta*, demurr'd upon the Defendant's Bar: The Defendant join'd in Demurrer *in hac forma*, *quia placitum prædictum quoad fractionem Domus*, and taking of the Goods, *sufficiens*, &c. demanded Judgment, &c. and thereupon Judgment given in the Common Pleas for the Plaintiff, and a Writ to inquire of Damages; upon which Damages were assess'd for the Breaking of the House, and for the Taking and also for the Carrying away of the Goods. And thereupon a Writ of Error was brought, and the Judgment reversed; because in the Offer of the Demurrer *ex parte Quærentis*, nothing

Vide
 1 Rol. Rep.
 135, 176,
 406.
 1 Sand. 28.
 2 Sand. 127.
 Lutw. 1492.
 1 Lev. 16.
 Postea 225.
 & Quere.

is said in Special, but *quoad* the Breaking of the House, and the Taking of the Goods: And although the Words subsequent, *scil. necnon materia in ea contenta*, go to the whole Matter in the Bar, *viz.* to the Carrying away also; yet when the Defendant joins in Demurrer with the Plaintiff, he joins but specially, *viz. quoad* the Breaking of the House, and Taking of the Goods, and says nothing of the Carrying away; so as to the Carrying away nothing is put to the Judgment of the Court, yet the Writ of Inquiry of Damages is for the whole, and the Judgment also; and the Carrying away being Part of the Matter, and for which greater Damages are adjudged, and that not being put to the Judgment of the Court by the Demurrer, for that Reason the Judgment is erroneous; (a) for as to the Carrying away (which is Part of the Matter) there is a Discontinuance. This Case concern'd Mr. *Darcy* of the Privy Chamber for his Patent of Cards. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Defendant in the Writ of Error.

Tocock *versus* Honyman.

IF a Man recovers in Debt on Bond, and has a *Fieri facias* to the Sheriff to levy the Debt, and the Defendant brings a Writ of Error upon the Judgment, and has a *Superfedeas* thereupon to the Sheriff; so much of the Defendant's Goods as the Sheriff has taken into his Hands, by Virtue of the *Fieri facias* before the *Superfedeas* came to him, shall remain to satisfy him who recover'd, and a *Venditioni exponas* shall issue thereupon; but after the *Superfedeas* comes to the Sheriff, he cannot proceed further upon the *Fieri facias*. *Per totam Curiam.*

The Lord Cromwell & Andrews.

IN a Writ of Error upon a Judgment given in Assise before the Justices of the Common Pleas, upon an Adjournment by the Justices of Assise, altho' the Writ of Error don't mention how the Record came into the Common Pleas, *viz.* for Difficulty or otherwise, whereby the Writ abates by Judgment, yet it was adjudged that the Record, removed out of the Common Pleas by Virtue of this ill Writ, remain'd in the King's Bench: And the Party shall have a new Writ of Error *coram nobis residu'*, for the Writ of Error recites the Record of Assise truly, both in the Names of the Parties, and of the Land; otherwise if there was any Mistake in the Matters aforesaid. And upon a *Scire facias* sued by the Defendant in the Writ of Error, *quare Executionem habere non debet*, this *Scire facias* is merely collateral to the Record remov'd, and yet by Matter *ex post facto* may become a Record; as if the Plaintiff, upon the *Scire facias* return'd, appears and pleads a Release, or other Matter, as he well may, then it is a Record annex to the first Record remov'd. But if upon the Return of the *Scire facias* the Plaintiff appears and assigns his

his Errors, or otherwise by Rule of Court has Day 'till another Term to assign his Errors, *viz.* by Rule enter'd with the Clerk of the Papers, and upon this Record assigns his Errors insufficiently, now all the other Proceedings are upon the Record which is removed, and now the first *Scire facias quare executionem habere non debet*, is but a Piece of Paper filed to the Record removed, and no Proceedings thereupon; wherefore upon Errors assigned insufficiently, he who recover'd in the Common Pleas shall have Execution without another *Scire facias Quare*, &c. although 'tis after the Year; for after the Writ of *Scire facias Quare*, &c. once sued out, the Party shall never have another. But if he, who sued the Writ of Error, doth either not appear upon the Return of it, or appears and assigns his Errors insufficiently, whereby a Default in him appears to the Court, he who first recovered shall have Execution without another *Scire facias*. *Adjud. Nota*, in this Case a Precedent *M. 4 H. 5. Rot* — was shewn, which agreed with this Judgment, both for the Abatement of the Writ of Error, and also that notwithstanding that, the Record is well removed.

Grendit & Baker.

THE Lord *Paulet* Tenant for Life of an Advowson, the Remainder in Fee to *A.* Tenant for Life presented *D.* who was admitted, instituted and inducted; but for Default of Reading the Articles according to the Statute of 13 *Eliz.* the Benefice was void, but *D.* continued in the Church, and was by Reputation Parson for his Life; the Lord *Paulet* died, the Queen after the Death of *D.* reciting her Title to be by Lapse, presented *C.* who was instituted and inducted; he in Remainder presented *S.* who was admitted, instituted and inducted, and brought an Action of Trespass against *C.* the Queen's Incumbent. And it was adjudged (upon a Special Verdict finding the Matter aforesaid, and also that *D.* continued in during his Life, and died, and that no Notice was given the Patron of the Voidance of the Church for not reading the Articles) for the Plaintiff, and that the Queen's Presentation was merely void, as if she had presented to a Church full; for as to the Patron it is full 'till he has surceased his Time after Notice given; and it is all one, as if the Patron had drawn a Presentation in Writing and put his Seal to it, and let it lie in his Study, and the Party, who should be presented, takes it without the Privy or Licence of the Patron, and carries it to the Bishop, and is thereupon instituted and inducted, it is merely void and no Presentation at all: And the Court held in this Case, that the Presentation by him in Remainder was good, altho' 'twas objected that it belong'd to the Executors of the Tenant for Life, because, as to the Tenant for Life himself, the Church was full 'till Notice.

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Mich. 44 & 45 ELIZ. in B. R.

Bustard *versus* Bolter.

4 Co. 121.
Cro. El. 902,
917.
Mo. 665.

1 Inf. 384. a.

1 Inf. 173. b.
174. a.

THE Case briefly is: *Bustard* exchanged the fourth Part of the Manor of *Barton* in the County of *Oxford* with *Savage* and *Dafton* for the Moiety of the Manor of *Ilbury* in Fee; both being in Possession and in Demesne; *Justice* (the Wife of one *Jasper Dormer*) evicted the Moiety of the Manor of *Ilbury* by Reason of her Jointure, for Life: Wherefore *Bustard* enter'd upon *Sheldon*, Lessee of *Savage* and *Dafton*, in the fourth Part of the Manor of *Barton*, which he gave in Exchange, and brought Trespass against *Bolter*, *Sheldon's* Servant, and adjudged maintainable: For the Exchange being of Land in Possession and in Demesne at the Time of the Exchange, this Eviction of the Estate for Life, which takes away the whole Recompence for the Time, defeats the Exchange for ever, as well as in the Case in 4 H. 7. where twenty Acres are exchanged, and one is recover'd by elder Title, the whole Exchange is defeated; for although the whole Estate exchanged is not defeated, but continues as to the Reversion, yet because the Exchange was Possession for Possession, Demesne for Demesne, and this Recompence of the Possession, which was the Motive of the Exchange, being evicted, the whole is evicted; as if an Estate Tail is evicted, it leaves the Reversion, but it leaves but a dry Recompence, and therefore (*per Telverton Justice*) defeats the Exchange in the whole. The same Law (*per Popham*) if *J. S.* makes a Lease for 1000 Years of Land to commence at a Day to come, and afterwards conceals this Lease, and exchanges the Land as in Possession, for other Land in Possession, and afterwards the Lessee enters, this defeats the whole Exchange; for in Exchange Warranties are implied, which warrant Possession for Possession; yet there's no Doubt but that a Reversion may be exchanged with a Possession, but that is apparent at the Time of the Exchange. And Note, *Telverton* vouch'd *Hugh Spensor's Case* 42 Aff. 22. where it seems that an Eviction of an Estate for Life after Partition, defeats the Partition: *Quod Cur' concess.* otherwise *Telverton* conceived, where Rent only is evicted out of Land exchanged, or Land divided by Parcels, as 10 E. 3. 6. is. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Sparke versus Sparke.

A Man made a Lease for Life, and afterwards demised to *A.* for Ninety-nine Years, if he should so long live, to commence after the Death of the Tenant for Life, and if *A.* died during the Term of Ninety-nine Years, or that the Term otherwise determin'd, and after the Death of the Lessee for Life, then the Lessor granted for himself and his Heirs, that the Land should remain to the Executors of *A.* for Twenty Years; the Lessee for Life died, *A.* demised for Twenty Years yielding Rent, and died intestate: *B.* took Administration, and brought Debt for the Rent; and adjudged that it did not lie; for *Gawdy* and *Telverton* conceived that this Contingent Lease of the Twenty Years never vested in *A.* but that if *A.* had made Executors, that they should take by Way of Purchase (Executors being a Name of Purchase, as (a) *Cranmer's Case* 14 *El. Dy.*) But if it had been limited to the Executors for Payment of the Debts of *A.* or the like, it seem'd then by the Intent apparent, it should be an Interest in *A.* and in the Executors to the Use of *A.* *Popham* and *Fenner* agreed for the Matter in Law as to the Action of Debt: But yet they conceived that the Executors of *A.* should never take; for the Estate ended before the Interest commenced or arose to the Executors. (But *Quere* that; for if *A.* made Executors, in the Instant of his Death the Remainder took Effect in the Executors (as 7 *H. 4.* is) so that it could not take Effect as a Remainder, for that ought to depend upon a former Estate; but by them two, if it took Effect at all, it ought to be by Virtue of the Lessor's Grant, and that cannot be, because the Executors are not Parties to the Deed; and therefore, if a Man leases for Life, and by the same Deed grants that after his Death, *J. S.* shall have for Twenty Years, it is of no Avail to *J. S.* because he is not a Party, as in the Books 19 *E. 2. Covenant* 25. 19 *E. 3. Covenant* 24. 22 *Aff.* 37. 49 *E. 3. 11 H. 4. 34 M. Dy.* 151. *Nota*; the chief Reason was, because the Term for Twenty Years is but a Possibility. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Cro. El. 84.
Mo. 666
Executor
Possibility.
Executor, a
Name of
Purchase,
Intent

(a) Dy. 399.
a. b.
1 And. 19.
3 Leon. 20.
Mo. 100.
2 Leon. 5.

Postea 85.
con.

Noy 14.

Salter versus Butler.

IN an Action on the Case on *Trover* of Cattle, the Defendant justified by Reason of a Rent granted to *A.* his Executors and Assigns for the Life of *B.* out of *Black Acre*, and shewed that *A.* was dead, and that he as Administrator of *A.* distrain'd for the Rent in *B. Acre* arrear after the Death of *A.* and averr'd the Life of *B.* and adjudged that the Justification was ill, both for the Matter and the Manner; for by the Death of *A.* the Rent is determin'd, and can't come to the Executor or Administrator; for 'twas not a Thing testamentary, but a Freehold; and so not like where 'tis granted to *A.* and his Heirs for another's Life; yet by *Popham*, and agreed *per Cur'*, if a Rent is granted to *A.* for the Life of another, the Remainder to *B.* altho' *A.* dies, whereby the Rent

Cro. El. 901.
Noy 46.
Mo. 664.
Trover.
Rent.
Executors.
Occupancy
general,
special.
Remainder.
Conversion.
Districks.

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determines in Interest as to the Perception of it, yet forasmuch as the Tertenant during that Time holds the Land discharged of it, that is sufficient to support the Remainder: Also it seem'd to the Court, if the Rent had continued, then the Taking of a lawful Distress for the Rent was no Conversion at all; otherwise if the Distress was not lawfully taken:

Brecheley *versus* Atkins.

4 Co. 18. b.
Mo. 666.
Action for
Words.

Yelv. 34.

Action on the Case, because the Defendant spoke of the Plaintiff these Words; *Thou art an old perjured Knave; that is to be proved by a Stake that parts the Land of J. S. and J. D. and (by Gawdy and Popham) the Action doth not lie; for although the first Words (perjured Knave) are of themselves sufficient to bear the Action, yet they are so qualified by the subsequent Words, which do not found in any apparent Slander; for it is as much as to say, Thou art a perjured Knave, but none in the World can prove it; which will not bear an Action: So 'tis in this Case, the Proof of the Perjury being referr'd to (a Stake) which is a Thing insensible, and impossible to produce any Proof, qualifies the precedent Words. Fenner and Yelverton contra; and that the former Words are sufficient to maintain the Action; and the subsequent Words are as void and idle; because there can be no Proof in a Stake; as if he had said, Thou art perjured, though I cannot prove it; or thou art perjured, and that I will prove by J. S. where there's no such J. S. in rerum Natura, or J. S. is dead; yet the Action lies on the former Words. Quere.*

Goring *versus* Goring.

Assumpsit.

Consideration to take
150 l. for
205 l.

H. Goring was indebted to Smith in 205 l. upon Simple Contract: Smith made J. Goring his Executor and died; J. Goring the Executor agreed, and was contented to take of H. Goring for the 205 l. 150 l. and also agreed to take the 150 l. by 20 l. per Annum, in Consideration whereof H. Goring undertook, and promised to pay the said J. Goring the said 150 l. by 20 l. per Annum, and for Nonperformance of the Promise J. Goring brought Assumpsit against H. Goring; and upon Non Assumpsit pleaded, 'twas found against H. Goring. And Hide moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Consideration to take 150 l. for 205 l. is not sufficient, because for any Thing that appears, H. Goring remains still charged with the 205 l. and subject to the Plaintiff's Action for the 205 l. and therefore he ought to have shewn that he had discharg'd the Defendant of the 205 l. But non allocat'; for the 205 l. being due to the Plaintiff as Executor of Smith, the Action

for it ought to be in the *Detinet*; but now, by this Agreement to take 150*l.* of the Defendant, and the Defendant's Promise to pay it, 'tis made the Plaintiff's proper Debt, and the Action for it maintainable in his own Name, without being named Executor, and altho' (by *Telverton* Justice) 150*l.* is not any Satisfaction of 205*l.* because they are both of one Nature, and its otherwise of Things collateral to the Debt, as an Horse, a Cup, &c. yet in Respect that the Nature of the Action is changed, it proves the Nature of the Debt to be changed; and therefore a good Consideration: For if the Executor is indebted to *J. S.* in 100*l.* and *J. S.* comes to demand the Money, in this Case, as the Debt now is, the Executor is chargeable only in Respect of the Assets, and not otherwise; but if he promises to pay it at a Day to come, 'tis now made his own Debt, and to be satisfied by his own Goods. And (*per Curiam*) the Consideration alledged is sufficient for another Reason; for although the Plaintiff has not shewn that he has discharged the Defendant of the 205*l.* yet if the Defendant should be afterwards charged with it, he might have *Assumpsit* against the Plaintiff; for the Plaintiff agreeing to take 150*l.* for 205*l.* is a Promise on his Part, and so one Promise against another.

Gurnons *versus* Hodges.

THE Plaintiff shewed, that whereas one *J. S.* was possessed of a Messuage by Virtue of a Decree in Chancery; in Consideration the Plaintiff *conaretur procurare J. S.* to permit the Defendant to have the Possession and Profit of the said Messuage, the Defendant promised to give the Plaintiff 20*l.* *Si ipse procurare potuisset & procuraret* the said *J. S.* to permit the Defendant *ut supra*. The Plaintiff layeth in fact, that he did procure the said *J. S.* *ut supra*, and that the Defendant did enjoy the Messuage, &c. The Defendant pleaded *Non Assumpsit*, and it was found for the Plaintiff, and it was alledged in Arrest of Judgment that there was no Place put where the Procurement was, and that was a Matter issuable *per se*: But *non allocatur*, because the Issue is taken upon the *Assumpsit*, which is another Matter; but if the Issue had been upon the Procurement, then it would be otherwise; and Judgment was given for the Plaintiff: Another Exception was taken, because it appear'd that the Consideration was only upon a *conaretur procurare*, which is no effectual Consideration; for an Endeavour to do such an Act, without doing it in Fact, is no Benefit to the Defendant; *sed non allocatur*; for (by *Popham*) his Labour and Pains may deserve the Money due upon the *Assumpsit*; and also in this Case it appears that a Procurement in Fact is annexed and knit to the Consideration, so may and ought both the Sentences, *viz.* of the Endeavour to procure, and of the Procurement in Fact, to be joined together. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

Cro. El. 906.
Assumpsit.
Place.
Issue.
Consideration.

Hob. 106.

Hinde *versus* Deane.

Noy 47.
Cro. El. 797.
Co. Entr.
234.
2 And. 170.
Error.
Stat. Stap.
Recogn.
Aud' Que-
rela.
Execution.

Fitz. Execu-
tion, 17, 250.

3 Co. 66. b.

Machin enter'd into a Recognizance of 2000*l.* to Hinde, and afterwards enter'd into a Statute of 1000*l.* to Deane, Deane extended his Statute upon the Manor of *D.* which was Machin's, he having also several other Lands; afterwards Hinde sued Execution of the Recognizance, and had the Moiety of the Manor of *D.* first deliver'd to Deane in Execution, but omitted several other Lands out of his Extent, which were Machin's at the Time of the Recognizance: Wherefore Deane brought *Audita Querela* against Hinde in the Common Pleas, and had Judgment, and upon Error brought by Hinde in the King's Bench, it was affirmed; for Deane being in by Judgment, and upon Title by the Extent on the Statute, ought to have his Land liable to the Extent upon the Recognizance but *pro rata*; and therefore Hinde ought to have included all the other Lands of Machin in his Extent, as well as the Land of Deane: But if Deane had not had his Land by Title, but by Disseisin, or by other tortious Means, then he ought not to be relieved upon *Audita Querela*. Vide 13 H. 7. 19 E. 2. Execution. 2 R. 3. & Nota in this Case by Telverton Justice strenuously, Hinde ought to have sued *Scire facias* against Deane before he remov'd his Possession, because he was in by Title; but *Quere* that, for the Books are contrary.

Crispe *versus* Viroll.

Cro. El. 910.
Appeal.

Cinque
Ports.

Brit. Jurisd.
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Camb. 463.

AN Appeal by Crispe against Viroll, late of Sandwich in the County of Kent, for the Murder of the Plaintiff's Brother committed in Sandwich by the Defendant, who gave the Plaintiff's Brother a mortal Wound there, of which he instantly died: And this Appeal is brought by Original in B. R. to the Sheriff of Kent, who upon *Capi Corpus* brings in the Defendant, who pleads that Sandwich, within which the Murder is supposed, is Parcel of the Cinque Ports, *ubi breve Domine Regine non currit, qui quidam Portus de Sandwich non est in Coni' Cantie*, and demands Judgment of the Writ, and pleads over to the Felony; and adjudged an ill Plea; for altho' the Cinque Ports have several great Liberties, yet the Reason of the Grant of those Liberties, was for the Ease and Benefit of the Inhabitants, and not for their Prejudice; and therefore in 50 E. 3 — by *Boeknap*, if a Stranger comes into the Cinque Ports, and commits a transitory Trespass, and afterwards goes out of their Jurisdiction, he to whom the Trespass is done may have an Action at the Common Law; for it is more for his Benefit to have the Suit at the Common Law, than within the Cinque Ports; for they have no Power to (a) summon any Man that is out of their Jurisdiction, *viz.* in the County of Kent, or elsewhere, into the Limits of their Jurisdiction. Another Reason here

was

was, because the Defendant having committed the Murder in the Cinque Ports, and flying out of the Cinque Ports, if the Pleading here should be good, it would be in Failure of Justice, for they of the Cinque Ports cannot try him, because he is not there: But by *Popham*, if the Defendant had shewn that at the Time of the Murder supposed, and ever since he had been, and was an Inhabitant, and lived within the Cinque Ports, whereby he had by his Plea given Jurisdiction to the Court there, and they as Judges might have seen that the Defendant, if he was guilty, might have receiv'd a satisfactory Judgment, *viz.* Death for Death, then the Plea had been good: But the Defendant has not shewn any such Thing, whereby it appears that that Court has such Jurisdiction. A third Reason was added by *Gaudy, Fenner* and *Telverton* Justices, because this Court of King's Bench is the highest Court of Justice, *and of Kings Bench. greatest Sovereignty*; and although the Kings have heretofore granted Conusance of Appeals to the Barons of the Cinque Ports, yet that does not give away the Queen's Interest concerning her self; and in this Appeal the Queen has an Interest by a Means, for if the Plaintiff is nonsuited after Declaration, or releases (as 29 H. 6. *Corone*— is) yet the Defendant shall be arraigned at the Suit of the Queen: Also *per totam Curiam* the Defendant's Plea is double and repugnant; *Double Plea.* one is that *Sandwich* is Parcel of the Cinque Ports *ubi breve Domine Regine non currit*, which is a Matter in Law put in Judgment of the Court; the other that it is not *in Com' Cantie*, which is a Matter in Fact triable by the Country: Also by the Appeal brought, *Sandwich* is expressly supposed to be within the County of *Kent*, which by the first Plea is not denied, *viz.* by Saying that it is Parcel of the Cinque Ports, &c. yet by the other Part it is utterly denied to be within the County; so repugnant; and also *revera* all the Cinque Ports are Parcel of the County, although they are by their Charter exempted *from being drawn in Plea*, within the County generally: And in the Case of * *Watts* and *Braynes* upon a Murder committed * *Cro. El.* by *Braynes* within the Cinque Ports, *Watts* enter'd his Appeal against *694, 778.* him by Bill being *in Custodia Marescalli*, and adjudg'd good, being within the Jurisdiction of this Court, and *Braynes* was hang'd upon it.

Wood *versus* Haukshead.

Action on the Case against *Haukshead* for taking of Toll for Passage Toll over the West End of the Bridge of *W.* and shews for Title the Stat. 28 H. 6, Letters Patent of H. 6. An. 20 to the College of *All-Souls* in *Oxford* for & 4 H. 7. them their Tenants and Farmers to be quit of Toll, and conveys to Cro. Car. 257. himself as Farmer to the College, yet had the Defendant such a Time Departure. taken Toll of him against the Form of the Patent, &c. The Defendant
E pleads

Departure.

1 Inst. 304. a
Plow. Com.
105. b.

1 Lev. 81.

Form.

Letters Pa-
tent.

pleads in Bar the Statute of 28 H. 6. of Resumption of all Liberties and Franchises *formerly granted by H. 6.* The Plaintiff by Way of Replication pleads the Statute 4 H. 7. whereby all Letters Patent granted by H. 6. to this College are made good, the Statute 28 H. 6. of Resumption notwithstanding; and thereupon the Defendant demurs: And the only Question is, whether this Replication is a Departure from the Matter contained in the Declaration; and adjudged that it is not; for there is no new Matter contained in the Replication otherwise than was in the Declaration; for the Plaintiff's Title still rests upon the Letters Patent, and he relies on them, and a Departure is always where the Matter touching the Point in Action is different in the Replication from what it was in the Declaration: As in Debt for Rent on a Lease for Years, or in an Avowry for a Rent-Charge granted by A. if after a Bar pleaded, the Plaintiff will reply and enforce his Action or his Avowry by a *Cestuy que use*, it is a Departure, because at first by the Declaration it is intended a Lease and a Rent by Course of the Common Law; and now by the Replication the Title appears to be only by an Authority given by the Statute of 1 R. 3. The same Law, if a Man intitles himself by the Feoffment of one A. and the other shews that A. was an Infant at the Time of the Feoffment, if the Plaintiff will now induce a Custom to make the Feoffment good, it is a Departure; for both the Use in the first Case, and the Custom in the Second are Matters of Title, and *in esse* before, and at the Time of the Plea pleaded, *quod vide* 4 H. 7.—& 37 H. 6.—But in this Case the Title shewn in the Declaration and Replication are all one, *viz.* the Letters Patent, as (by Popham) in the Case of *Sellenger*, 3 H. 7. if a Man intitles himself to Land by the Feoffment of J. S. and the Defendant pleads that before the Feoffment J. S. was attainted; now if the Plaintiff shews an Act of Parliament before the Feoffment, whereby the Attainder of J. S. is made void, it is no Departure; for the Matter of Title is not changed, but remains all as it was at first, *viz.* by the Feoffment. But *Gaudy* Justice *contra*; and he took a Difference between Actions in which the Plaintiffs are bound to a precise Form, and where not; as in Formedon, if the Demandant entitles himself by a Gift, and the Tenant pleads no Gift, the Demandant may enforce the Count, and maintain it by a Recovery in Value, and so a Gift, as 3 H. 7. 5. is, and that is no Departure, because the Plaintiff in Formedon is bound to a precise Manner and Form of Count: But in an Action on the Case, as here, it is otherwise; for as his Case is, so ought the Plaintiff to declare: And therefore (by him) the Plaintiff in this Case ought to have declar'd on the Letters Patent, and to have shewn the Statute of Resumption, and the Statute of 4 H. 7. of Revivor, and all this in his Declaration: For now he enforces the Matter of his Declaration by a

Statute

Statute, which is another and a new Thing, *Quod Curia negavit*. And in this Case also it was agreed *per Curiam*, although the Grant of *H. 6.* to be discharg'd of Toll, &c. *fuit tantum pro seipso*, and not 6 Co. 27. 2. for him, his Heirs and Successors, yet it is good against the Successor, as well as in Case of the Grant of the Interest, which in Sir *Thomas Wray's* Case in the Commentaries—is agreed to be good. *Yelverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

The Lord Cromwell's Case.

THE Lord Cromwell was indicted upon the Statute of 8 *H. 6.* of Forcible Entry into an House, and certain Land of one *Andrewes*, and expelling and disseising of *Andrewes*: But in the Conclusion of the Indictment it was *Si Domus prædicta non fuit in Possessione Domine Regine nec pro Domina Regina*, then the Jury found, *Billa vera*. *Et per totam Curiam*, this is no Indictment at all; for it is as a Condition precedent to the Verdict, and as if they had found, upon such Matter of Indictment, that if *J. S.* was at *Pauls* such a Day, then *Billa vera*; or (as *Popham* said) as if they had found, if the Freehold is in *Andrewes*, then *Billa vera*; which is the same Thing as if they had found nothing.

Indictment on 8 H. 6. Conditional Indictment.

Corne versus Pastow.

Pastow brought Trespafs against *Corne*, and before Issue tried, the Sheriff was challeng'd, and the *Venire facias* issued to the Coroners, &c. at the *Nisi Prius* for Want of Jurors, a *Tales* was pray'd for the Plaintiff, and as it appear'd by the *Postea* return'd, the *Tales* were return'd by the Sheriff, and that *per Mandat' Justic'* as the usual Form is; and Judgment was given in the King's Bench for the Plaintiff, the Verdict being for him. But upon Error brought, it was revert in the Exchequer upon the aforesaid Matter assign'd for Error; for when the Process is once awarded to the Coroners, they shall serve all the other mean Process, and they ought to have return'd the *Tales*, and not the Sheriff: And it is not aided by the Statute of Jeofails; for it is the Award of the Court to command the Sheriff to return the *Tales*: The same Law if the Sheriff of the County of *York* returns the Panel upon a Trial in *Middlesex*, it is Error, and not aided by the Statute of Jeofails; yet it is but a *Misconveying* of Process. And *Trin. 36 Eliz.* the same Case was between * *Ute* and *Morgan*; for the *Venire facias* was awarded to the Coroners, and the Jury was impanell'd by the Sheriff, and this Matter assign'd for Error, and revert. *Yelverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff in Error.

Cro. El. 894. Error. Venire fac' Coroner. Tales. Statute of Jeofails. Misconveying of Process.

Post. 214.

* Mo 356. Cro. El. 574. 1 Brownl. 134.

Arnold

Arnold *versus* George.

Copyholder.
Admittance.
Quære.
Particeps
Criminis.
What Thing
a Copyhold-
er may do
without Ad-
mittance.
Vide Cro.
El. 349.
Poph. 127.
Yelv. 145.

ON a Motion made to the Court, it was agreed by all the four Justices, that if a Copyholder surrenders to a Stranger, and the Steward will not admit him, and the Stranger enters and occupies the Land; if the Lord makes a Lease to a Stranger to try the Title, he to whom the Surrender is made (altho' he is not admitted) may well plead Not guilty: And it shall be found for him against the Lord. *Quære Rationem*; for if it is in Respect of the Possession, the Lord's Title seems to be elder, for the Lord's Title is good and lawful to the Freehold, and by Reason of the Freehold to the Profits of the Freehold, unless the Stranger can make Title to the Profits, which seems hard in this Case without Admittance. *Quære*, if the Reason is not because the Lord is *Particeps Criminis*, *quia* it shall be intended he would not suffer the Steward to admit the Stranger, who is Defendant. *Nota* also in this Case, the Surrender was but of the Copyhold to him & *tribus Assignatis suis*; so that by his Death the Estate in the Copyhold was determin'd; and he to whom the Surrender was intended had nothing in Interest, nor otherwise by Course of Law before Admittance. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

Coxe *versus* Jennings.

Assumpfit.
Oxford.
Custom.
Oxford, and
Privileges
in it.

* The Words
[Curia illa]
are omitted
in both Edit.
of the Ori-
ginal.

Cro. Jac. 11.
Cro. Eliz.
877.

THE Plaintiff in his Declaration shewed the Custom in the *University of Oxford* to have from Time whereof, &c. a Court which held Pleas in any personal Action, &c. (except Mayhem, Appeals and Suits of Freehold) and further declar'd, by Custom there, if any Scholar or privileg'd Person sued any *Extraneum*, that this *Extraneus* ought to put in Bail, which Bail ought to pay the Condemnation, *Si*, &c. he further shewed that the Defendant was sued there in the Court of *Oxford* in *Placito transgr' super Casum nuncupata* in * *Curia illa* [*Causa Injurie*] and that this Plaintiff was Bail there for him, and that the Defendant undertook and promised to save the Plaintiff harmless from the Bail; and further declar'd that the said Suit in *tantum persequeretur*, that the Defendant there was condemned, and the Plaintiff obliged to pay the Condemnation, and so upon Breach of the Promise, because he is not saved harmless, he brings this Action: And by *Popham* and *Telverton* the Action well lies; for he need not recite in his Declaration all the Proceedings of the Suit in the Court of *Oxford*; but it is sufficient to say, such Plaintiff was enter'd and prosecuted till, &c. for that is but a Conveyance to the Action, and merely collateral to the Point in Question which is the Promise: *Vide* such Matter as to the Recital of the Record 34 H. 6. 4. b. But by *Popham*, if it had appear'd by the Declaration that the Suit and Plaintiff in *Oxford* had been enter'd only in *Causa Injurie*,

Injurie, which is a Suit merely according to the Civil Law, whereof Civil Law. the Judges cannot take Conuſance without ſhewing of it, then it had not been good: But it is explain'd by the Declaration to be in Trefpaſs upon the Caſe *nuncupata in Curia illa* [*Cauſa Injurie*.] So it is ſuch Action whereof the Common Law takes Notice, and then it is ſufficient to ſhew that a Plaint was enter'd, & *in tanto proſecut'* till the Defendant was condemn'd: *Fenner contra*, and that the Plaintiff ought not only to ſhew that a Plaint was enter'd, but alſo that the Plaintiff there declar'd upon it, &c. *quod Popſham* utterly *negavit*: Sed becauſe *Gaudy* was abſent, and the Parties poor (*Ne diutius pendent*) it was put *in Arbitrium Magiſtri Kemp*.

Alſope *verſus* Sytwell.

THE Plaintiff declar'd that in Conſideration he would marry the Defendant's Niece, the Defendant undertook and promiſed to give the Plaintiff as much in Marriage with his ſaid Niece, as before *Agreeſſet dare in Maritagio* with the ſaid Niece to one *Jarvis Ayer*, and alledg'd *in faſto* that the Defendant had agreed to give *Jarvis Ayer* 1000*l.* *ſi ipſe maritare vellet* the ſaid Niece; and alledg'd *in faſto* that the Plaintiff, relying upon this Promiſe, had married the ſaid Niece, yet, &c. to his Damage 1000*l.* and upon *Non Affumpſit* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff to the Damage of 1000*l.* And it was moved in Arreſt of Judgment, that the Declaration was not good, but incertain; becauſe it was not alledg'd with whom the Defendant agreed to give 1000*l.* to *Jarvis Ayer*, if he had married the ſaid Niece. And (*per Fenner and Telverton*) it is a good Exception; becauſe for any Thing that appears in the Declaration, it is but the Defendant's Report to give *Ayer* 1000*l.* *Si, &c.* and no Agreement; for that ought to be perfect, and that Perfection reſts between two Perſons at leaſt, and there is no Perſon named with whom the Defendant agreed to give *Jarvis* 1000*l.* *Si, &c.* and that is material, and a Point traverſable: But *Gaudy* and *Popſham* clearly to the contrary; for the Agreement is but a Thing collateral, and only an Inducement to the Promiſe, which is the principal Cauſe of the Action; and Inducements need not be alledg'd ſo certain in a Declaration as thoſe Things ought to be which are the Foundation of the Action: And therefore it is ſufficient to alledge Inducements generally, without Certainty of Name, Place, or Perſon; for in this Caſe in Queſtion, if the Defendant would plead that he did not agree to give *Jarvis Ayer* 1000*l.* in Marriage, &c. then might the Plaintiff ſoon enough for Time by Way of Replication make the Agreement certain in the Perſon with whom it was made, and in ſuch other Circumſtances, but the Declaration is good without ſuch Certainty at the fiſt. As if *J. S.* in Conſideration of 1000*l.* agrees to pay all the Debts of *J. D.* in that

Affumpſit.

What ſhall be a good Conſideration.

Agreement.

Count. Inducement.

Replication.

that Case it is sufficient for *J. S.* to declare that he agreed to pay all the Debts of *J. D.* in Consideration whereof the Defendant promised to give him 1000*l.* and it is good, without alledging with what Person the Agreement was, or what Debts in certain he had paid; yet the Payment of the Debts is a Matter traversable; for if the Defendant alleges any Debt in Special not paid, the Plaintiff may by Way of Replication make it certain. *Tekerton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Soprani & Barnardi *versus* Skurro.

Assumpsit.

S*Oprani* and *Barnardi* brought *Assumpsit versus Skurro*, and declared that it was agreed between the Plaintiffs and one *Zanches*, that *Zanches* should demise to one *Welsh* a Messuage in the *Dukes Place* for the Term of seven Years, and that it was also agreed that *Welsh* during the said Term should repair the House with Tile and Glasse only; and it was agreed that these and other Covenants should be put into an Indenture between the said *Welsh* and *Zanches*, and that the Plaintiffs should be bound in 100*l.* for the Performance of the Covenants on the Part of *Welsh*; and they further shewed that an Indenture was drawn, and because there were more Covenants put into the Indenture to be performed on the Part of the said *Welsh*, than were at first agreed, *viz.* that *Welsh* should be bound to all Manner of Repairs, *Welsh* refused to seal the Indenture, and the Plaintiffs refused to seal the Bond of 100*l.* for Performance, &c. they further shewed that in the said House there was a great Wall, Parcel of it, ruinous and *likely* to fall within the said Term; and that *Skurro* the Defendant in Consideration *Welsh* would seal the Indenture, and the Plaintiffs the Bond of 100*l.* undertook and promised the Plaintiffs that he would maintain the said Wall *Durante predicto Termino 7 Annorum*: They shewed that *in Consideratione inde Welsh* sealed the Indenture as his Deed to *Zanches*, and that the Plaintiffs also sealed the Bond of 100*l.* to the said *Zanches*: And said *in Facto* that the Wall of the said House fell for Want of Repairs within the said Term; and shewed in certain when, both after the Sealing and Delivery of the said Indenture by *Welsh*, and of the said Bond by the Plaintiffs (*viz. in hiis Verbis, durante predicto Termino 7 Annorum per Indentur' præd' dimiss'*) whereby they had forfeited their Bond, to their Damage 200*l.* and upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiffs. And it was moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Declaration was insufficient; for the Action is founded on a Breach of Promise in the Defendant for not repairing a Wall Parcel of the House agreed to be demised to *Welsh* by *Zanches*; but it is not expressly alledg'd that *Zanches* did demise the said House; and if there is no Demise, then there is no Possibility for the Defendant to repair it during the Term; for *Non constat* that there is any Term; and a good Exception *per totam Curiam*; because, for any Thing that appears in the Declaration, the Indenture sealed was only

Where a Thing implied shall not make a Count good.

on the Part of the Lessee, and not on the Part of *Zanches* the Lessor; and if the Lessee seals his Part, and not the Lessor, *Nihil operat.* neither in Respect of the Interest, nor in Respect of the Covenants; for the Covenants depend upon the Lease, and the Plaintiff's Bond upon the Covenants; and if there is no Lease, there is no Covenant, and by Consequence no Breach of the Covenant, whereby the Plaintiffs can in any Sort be damnified; for if the Lease had been made, and afterwards surrender'd, all the Covenants and the Bonds for Performance of them had been void also: And adjudg'd *Quod Querentes nil capiant per Billam. Telverton* of Counsel with the Defendant. Post. 23.

Jennings *versus* Hatley.

THE Plaintiff declar'd that such a Day and Year he recover'd against one *Basset* in the Common Pleas in an Action of Debt Cro. El. 909. Assumpsit on a Bond of 50*l.* and upon that Recovery he *took forth* a Special *Cap' Utlagat'* for the Body, Goods and Land of *Basset*; and shewed the Tenor of that Writ specially, and that the Defendant perceiving the Plaintiff intended to serve the said Writ on the Goods of the said *Basset*, desired the Plaintiff to stay the Execution of the said Writ till such a Day; and if *Basset* did not that Day pay the Plaintiff the 50*l.* in Consideration of such Stay of Execution of the said Writ, and for 2*s.* 4*d.* to be given the Defendant by the Plaintiff for Renewal of the said Writ of *Capias*, the Defendant promised, if *Basset* by the Day limited did not pay the 50*l.* that he would pay it the Plaintiff: And alledg'd *in facto* the Stay of the Execution at the Defendant's Request, and the Giving of the 2*s.* 4*d.* for the Renewal of the said Writ, and that *Basset* did not pay the 50*l.* at the Day, &c. to his Damage 100 Marks, and upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded it was found for the Plaintiff; and it was alledg'd in Arrest of Judgment, that the Consideration is not good, but void and against Law; for the *Capias Utlagat'* is the Queen's Suit; and therefore a Promise made in Consideration to stay the Queen's Suit is not good: For if Goods are stolen from *J. S.* and a Stranger promises that in Consideration *J. S.* will not prosecute any Indictment against him who stole them, that he will give him so much Money, this is a void Promise; for it is in Hindrance of the Queen's Justice and Benefit: But by *Gandy, Fenner* and *Telverton* the Consideration is good; for this *Capias Utlagat'* issued upon the original Suit of the Party, so the Benefit which the Queen is to have is by Means of the Party, and he is at the Charge of *Suing it forth, and hath the Carriage of the Writ*; and if the Party is taken he shall be in Execution at the Suit of him who recover'd; and if the Queen by Virtue of the *Capias Utlagat'* has any Goods, she is to satisfy the Party at whose Suit the Outlawry came; but *Nota, Popham* said, that is *de Gratia* and not *de Jure*; but *Popham contra* in the Case *supra*; for it is merely the Queen's Suit, which the Party neither can, nor ought to delay: For the Queen's Attorney may take such Goods, although he that recover'd will not sue for them: But Judgment was enter'd for the Plaintiff according to the What shall be a good Consideration. Cap. Utlagat. Execution of Goods. 3 H. 6. Dct. 17. Opinion

Opinion of the three Justices. And in this Case it was said to be adjudg'd between *Garnons* and *Layton*, that if a Man is taken on a *Capias Utlagat'* after Judgment, he is in Execution for the Party; and if he escapes, altho' he was taken at the Queen's Suit, yet the Party has such an Interest in the Body, that he shall have Escape against the Sheriff. *Quod nota*; *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Mo. 566,
567.
5 Co. 89. b.
Salk. 319.
5 Mod. 200.
Comb. 373.

Slade *versus* Morley.

AN Action on the Case on an *Indebitatus Assumpsit* lies well; for every Debt implies a Promise, and is a good Consideration *in facto* to found an Action upon. But for a Debt by Simple Contract due by the Testator,* no *Assumpsit* lies against the Executors; and this was openly deliver'd by *Popham* Chief Justice 9 Nov. 44 *Eliz.* to be the Resolution of all the Justices of *England*, and this to be a Precedent for all subsequent Cases.

4 Co. 92. b.
Mo. 433, 667.
* Mo. 691.
sed vide 9 Co.
87. a. b.
2 Brownl.
137.
10 Co. 77. a.

Harvey *versus* Young.

J. S. had a Term for Years, and there being a Discourse between *J. S.* him and *J. D.* about buying that Term, *J. S.* said and affirmed to *J. D.* that the Term was worth 150*l.* to be sold, upon which *J. D.* gave *J. S.* 150*l.* for the Term: And afterwards *J. D.* offer'd and endeavour'd to sell the Term again, and could not obtain, nor get for the Term 100*l.* whereupon he brought an Action on the Case in Nature of a *Disceit* against *J. S.* and declar'd *ut supra*, and that *J. S.* *asseruit* to him, that the Term was worth so much, to which Assertion *J. D.* *Fidem adhibens*, did buy the Term for so much Money, but could not sell it again for so much Money as was given at first in Fraud and Disceit of the Plaintiff to his Damages, &c. and upon Not guilty pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff, and alledged in Arrest of Judgment, that the Matter precedent did not prove any Fraud; for it was but the Defendant's bare Assertion that the Term was worth so much, and it was the Plaintiff's Folly to give Credit to such Assertion. But if the Defendant had warranted the Term to be of such Value to be sold, and the Plaintiff had thereupon given and disbursed his Money, there it is otherwise; for the Warranty given by the Defendant is a Matter to induce Confidence and Trust in the Plaintiff. Between *Harvey* and *Young*. Mich. 39 *Eliz.* as *Towes* of the *Inner Temple* said at the Bar, and that he was of Counsel with the Defendant. *Quod Nota*.

Action on
the Case for
Deceit.

What Thing
shall be ad-
judg'd a
Fraud.
1 Sid. 146.

Boldroe *versus* Porter.

AN *Anna Boldroe* brought her Action against *Porter*, that whereas she was *bonæ Famæ*, &c. the Defendant such a Day and Year spoke these Words

Words of the Plaintiff: *Thy Father said thou hast murdered thy Husband* (innuendo such a Man by Name *jam defunctus*) and alledged *ubi revera* her Father spoke no such Words; whereby the Plaintiff had lost her good Name, and was in Danger of losing her Goods and Life, to her Damage, &c. And upon Not guilty pleaded it was found for the Plaintiff, and alledg'd in Arrest of Judgment, that those Words, altho' they import in themselves a Slander, yet it is not expressly alledg'd in the Declaration that the Plaintiff's Husband was dead at the Time of the Words *spoken*. And if a Man says of *J. S.* that he has murder'd *J. D.* and *J. D.* was then alive, although he dies afterwards, the Words will not bear an Action. But *per Telverton* Justice, if the Words are, *Thou hast poison'd J. S.* although *J. S.* is alive, yet the Words will bear an Action, and found in Slander; for a Man may be poison'd, and yet not kill'd, for the Poison may *break forth otherwise*; as in Biles, Vomiting, &c. And the Exception *supra* was allow'd, and Judgment enter'd *Nil capiat per Billam*. The same Case was adjudg'd between *Butler* and *Painter*; where *Butler* brought an Action on the Case against *Painter* for Words *spoke* against *Butler* as Justice of Peace; and it was not expressly alledg'd that *Butler* was a Justice of Peace at the Time of the Words *spoken*, and so adjudged according to *Trin. 2 J. B. R.* between *Grey* Plaintiff against *Medcalfe*, in an Action for calling him Bankrupt, whereas he was, and had been *per multos Annos jam ult' elapsos* a Merchant; and because it did not appear expressly that he was a Merchant at the Time of the Words *spoken*, but *tantum augmentative*, it was adjudged against the Plaintiff.

Express Allegation of the Death.

Vide Cro. El. 297. Palm. 69. Justice of Peace.

Cro Car. 282. Merchant.

Barham *versus* Netherfall.

THE Plaintiff declar'd that whereas, &c. the Defendant such a Day *spoke* these Words: *T. Barham* (innuendo the Plaintiff) *hath burnt my Barn* (innuendo *my Barn* at such a Place full of Corn) and that with his own Hand; and upon *Non Culp'* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff, and alledg'd in Arrest of Judgment, that the Action did not lie; for these Words, the Plaintiff *hath burnt my Barn*, are no Slander; for such Burning of an House is but a Trespass, and all one as if he had said, the Plaintiff *hath cut down my Trees*, and such like; for to say a Man has committed a Trespass, is no Slander: And then the *Innuendo* (*my Barn full of Corn*) will not help the Matter; for it is the Nature of an *Innuendo* to explain doubtful Words, where there is Matter sufficient in the Declaration to maintain the Action. But if the Words before the *Innuendo* do not sound in Slander, no Words produced by the *Innuendo* will make the Action maintainable; for it is not the Nature of an *Innuendo* to beget an Action. And all this was

4 Co. 20. a. Co. Entr. 25. Words.

Innuendo. 4 Co. 17. b. Owen 57. Cro. El. 428. Mo. 396. Salk. 513. Comb. 489.

allowed by *Gaudy* and *Telverton* Justices (being alone in the King's Bench) and Judgment *Quod nil capiat per Billam*.

Brode *versus* Owen.

¹ Brownl.
82, 83.
Debt on Sta-
tute 5 El. of
Perjury.
Chancery.

LAW was Plaintiff against *Brode* in Chancery; and upon the Bill and Answer such Matter appear'd to the *Lord Keeper*, that by an Order there he made one *Laborer* be as Party to the Bill against *Brode*; and afterwards a Commission went forth in Chancery between *Laborer* and *Brode* to examine Witnesses: Upon which Commission *Owen* the now Defendant was examin'd *ex parte Laborer*, and deposed directly for *Laborer* against *Brode*; wherefore an Order and Decree was made and conceived in Chancery against *Brode*; and upon this Matter *Brode* brought an Action of Debt against *Owen* upon the Statute of 5 *Eliz.* as a Party grieved by the Oath and Deposition of *Owen*. And *Owen* the Defendant demurr'd in Law: And by *Gaudy* and *Telverton* Justices the Action does not lie; for the Words of the Statute are, where a Man is grieved and damnified by a Deposition in a Suit between Party and Party; and in this Case it appears, that *Laborer* was not Party to the Suit, but came in a *Lattere*, by an Order, and no Bill depending either against him, or brought by him; so out of the Statute; for it being penal is to be taken strictly. *Quere*, if upon an *Aid Prier* he in Reversion joins, and he is grieved and prejudiced by an Oath and Deposition, if he can maintain an Action upon this Statute? For clearly by the Common Law he may have Attaint.

Oath.
Attaint.

Shelbury *versus* Scotsford.

Assumpsit.

THE Plaintiff declar'd that whereas he was possessed of an Horse, and lent it the Defendant to ride to *T.* and afterwards to deliver it back such a Day, the Defendant promised in Consideration thereof to redeliver the Horse on the Day mention'd in the Declaration. The Defendant by Way of Bar confessed the former Matter, but laid the true Property of the Horse to be in *J. S.* before the Plaintiff had any Thing in it, and that when the Defendant had rode to *T.* and was ready to have deliver'd back the Horse to the Plaintiff, the said *J. S. Vi & Armis & contra voluntatem* of the Defendant retook the Horse, which Matter, &c. the Plaintiff by Way of Replication said, that the Defendant suffer'd the said *J. S.* by Fraud and Covin to deceive him, to take the Horse, and thereupon Issue joined; and it was found for the Defendant; and it was moved in Arrest of Judgment, that notwithstanding the Verdict had found the Issue with the Defendant, yet Judgment ought to be given against him on his own Confession by his Plea in Bar: But by *Fenner* and *Telverton contra*;
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for the Matter alledged by the Defendant does in Law discharge the Promise by Reason of the former Property of the Horse in *ſ. 8.* and then it is as an Eviction of the Horse out of the Defendant's Possession, which discharges the Promise, as well as an Eviction of the Lessee for Years discharges all Rents, Bonds and Covenants in any Sort depending upon the Interest. *Ante 19.*

Assumpsit
discharg'd
by Matter in
Law.
16a. 199.
Eviction

Wharton's Case.

NOTA, upon the Arraignment *Wharton, Tlung and Purcoy* being indicted of Murder for the Death of one *Halakinden*, it happen'd that at the first Day when the Prisoners were to be tried, Eleven of the Jury appear'd and were sworn; but one was challeng'd by the Prisoners, and so for that Time the Trial was stay'd. Upon a *Tales* taken for the Queen at another Day when the Jury appear'd, one of the Jurors who had appear'd before, and was sworn the first Day, was now challeng'd for a Cause that was *in esse* the first Day, but then not known to the Queen, but which came since to the Knowledge of the Queen's Counsel: And upon a Doubt conceived by the Court of King's Bench, *Telverton* Justice went into the Common Pleas to know their Opinion; and the Opinion was, that the Queen could not have the Challenge now, no more than she could have had it the first Day after the Juror had been sworn, although the same Cause continues yet, *viz.* that the Juror the first Day, and yet is within the Distress of one Mr. *Cromer* Master to *Wharton*, who stood indicted; another Matter of Doubt was, whether those who were first sworn should be sworn again, or that the Panel should be perused, and the Jurors sworn as they stand in Order in the Panel? And it was agreed they should be sworn as they stand in the Panel without having Respect to those who were sworn at first; and upon this Indictment all the Parties above were found Not guilty of the Murder. Wherefore *Popbam, Gaudy and Fenner fuerunt valde irati*, and all the Jurors committed and fined, and bound to their good Behaviour, &c.

Nov. 46.
Indictment.
Challenge
for the
Queen,
Tales.
Sworn again.
Jury punish-
ed.

Whorewood *versus* Shaw.

IN Debt by *Shaw* Executor of *A.* against *Whorewood* Administrator of *Field*, upon a Bill of Debt made by *Field* to *A.* whereby *Field* acknowledg'd to have receiv'd of one *Frettie* Forty Pounds to be *equally divided* between *A.* and *B.* and to their Use: And upon Judgment given in the Common Pleas *Whorewood* brought Error, and the Judgment was affirmed: The Matters moved

Mo. 657.
Cro. El. 729.
Ow. 127.
1 Brownl. 52.

Referva-
tion.
Debt by him
to whose Use
Money is de-
liver'd.
Accompt.
Debt.

3 Co. 39. b.

1 Ven. 318.

moved were two, 1. Because the 40*l.* was given to be equally divided between *A.* and *B.* *Ergo* they are Tenants in Common thereof, and *Shaw* ought to have join'd *B.* with him in the Suit, because Tenants in Common ought to join in personal Actions. But it was over-rul'd, because in this Case they are several Debts, *viz.* 20*l.* to one, and 20*l.* to the other; as in the Case of 10*l.* reserv'd upon a Lease, *viz.* 5*l.* at *Michaelmas*, and 5*l.* at *Lady-day*; yet it is one Rent to be divided in Payment. And this Case is not to be compar'd to Cases of Interest, as 20 *Eliz.* where Land or a Lease is given to two equally to be divided; for there they are Tenants in Common: The second Matter was, if Debt or Accompt lay? And adjudged, although no Contract is between the Parties, yet when Money or Goods are deliver'd upon Consideration to the Use of *A.* *A.* may have Debt for them: So is the Opinion of *Montague* 28 *H. 8.* *Dyer* 20, 21. in *Core* and *Woody's* Case. And also a Precedent of such Action of Debt in the Book of Entries.

Baily *versus* Taylor.

Cro. El. 899.
Debt.

THE Condition of the Bond was, That whereas *Edward Taylor*, had bargained, &c. to the Plaintiff a Close of Pasture call'd *Owferby*, and whereas the said *Edward Taylor* hath already by Indenture of Mortgage mortgaged to *Jerome Smith* divers Lands in *Gomerby*, whereby the Close of Pasture abovenamed is either mortgaged, or supposed to be mortgaged, upon Condition for Payment of a certain Sum at a Day yet to come; if therefore the said Close of Pasture, at the Day mentioned in the said Indenture of Mortgage, be redeemed and set free, and discharged from all Tithes, &c. which may grow by Reason of the said Mortgage, that then, &c. The Defendant pleaded in Bar, that the Close mentioned in the Condition was not mortgaged to *Jerome Smith*, & sic dicit quod Clausum prad', &c. fuit redemptum, liberat' & exonerat', &c. The Plaintiff replied that the Close was mortgaged to the said *Jerome Smith*; and thereupon Issue was joined, and found for the Plaintiff: And it was moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Replication was not good, for the Plaintiff ought to have replied that it was mortgag'd to the said *Smith*, and not redeemed; and not to have said only, that it was mortgaged; for although it was mortgaged, yet the Condition by the Mortgage alone is not broke; for it may be, *Non obstante* the Mortgage, that before the Day limited it was redeemed: Like the Case of Debt upon Bond to stand to the Award of *J. S.* if the Defendant pleads *Nullum fecit Arbitrium*, the Plaintiff, by Way of Replication ought to shew the Award in Cont. and assign a Breach, and yet the Defendant

Defendant shall have no Answer to the Breach. But on the other Side it was said, that this Case in Question is not like the Case of an Award; for there the Defendant's Plea is so general that he does not offer any Issue, and therefore the Plaintiff by his Replication ought to shew the Whole in certain, and lay a Breach; for otherwise no Cause of Action appears to the Court; and there also the Offer of the Issue comes from the Plaintiff: But in this Case of the Mortgage, the Defendant by his Plea offers an Issue, *viz.* that the Close was not mortgaged, which is a particular Point to which the Plaintiff ought to answer; and so he does when he replies, &c. that the Close was mortgaged; and then are the Parties at a certain Issue, and so he need not alledge that it was not redeemed; for no Redemption shall be intended, because the Defendant pleads it was not mortgaged. Like the Case, where an Award is made, that if *J. S.* pays to *J. D.* ten Pounds, then *J. D.* shall assure to *J. S.* the Manor of *D.* and they are bound to perform this Award: In Debt brought upon this Bond against *J. D.* if he pleads that *J. S.* has not paid him the ten Pounds, it is a good Replication for *J. S.* to say that he has paid him the ten Pounds, without saying further, that *J. D.* has not assured the Manor of *D.* for when the Plaintiff has given a direct Answer to the special Matter alledg'd in the Bar, he need not make any further Addition: The same Law if *J. S.* is bound to marry the Daughter of *J. D.* on *Easter Day next*; in Debt on this Bond if *J. S.* pleads in Bar, that the Daughter of *J. D.* dy'd before *Easter*, it is a good Plea; and it is likewise a good Replication to say, that the Daughter was alive on *Easter Day*, without saying further, that he did not marry her; (a) because a special Plea in Bar is always answer'd with a special Replication in that Point which is alledg'd; and (by *Popham Chief Justice*) it is a good Replication in this Case, because the Mortgage is supposed to be made between a Stranger and the Defendant, to which the Plaintiff is not privy; and therefore he shall never speak of any Redemption, for by Presumption he cannot have any Notice of Acts done between the Defendant and *Jerome Smith* a Stranger; and accordingly Judgment was given for the Plaintiff by *Popham, Fenner* and *Telverton*. But *Gaudy contra. Telverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

A Thing mortgaged shall not be intended to be redeem'd, unless expressly alledged.

Replication.

(a) Yel. 78.
Cro. El. 320.
Salk. 138.
1 Show. 148.
2 Show. 359.
1 Sand. 103.

King *versus* Hobbs.

THE Sheriff made a Warrant to four Men & *cui libet eorum, quod ipsi caperent J. S.* two of them take him, and *J. S.* promises *J. D.* at whose Suit and Request he was taken, that if he would discharge him from the Arrest, he would pay him 10*l.* *quando requisitus, &c.* *J. D.* discharg'd him from the Arrest, and brought *Assumpsit* for the 10*l.* and it was found for the Plaintiff. And *Lowe* mov'd in Arrest of Judgment, that the Consideration is not good, because the Arrest was not lawful, the Arrest being made by two; whereas by

Cro. El. 913.
Noy 47.
Assumpsit in Consideration of a Discharge from an Arrest.
Warrant.

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the

Falſe Impri-
ſonment.
Authority.

(a) 1 Inſt.
181. b.
Palm. 52, 53.
2 Ro. Rep.
137.
Hutt. 127.
3 Buſt. 209,
210.
1 Ro. Rep.
406.
Letter of
Attorney.
Obligation.
Intent.

* 2 Inſt. 380.

Venue miſ-
taken.

the Authority given by the Sheriff it ought to be by four, or one only; and then a Promise to pay Money to be diſcharg'd from an illegal Arreſt, is no good Conſideration; for falſe Impriſonment lies on a tortious Arreſt: *Quod fuit conceſſum per Cur'*, if the Arreſt was illegal. But *per Gandy* and *Telverton* the Arreſt is (a) well made; for Warrants in this Kind are not to be compar'd to other Caſes of Authority to make or take Livery; for if a Letter of Attorney is made to three *conjunctim & diviſim*, two cannot make Livery by 38 *Hen. 8. Dyer 62. a.* and 27 *H 8. 6. b.* The ſame Law in the Caſe of a Bond, where three are bound & *quilibet eorum*, the Bond cannot be ſued againſt two: But a Warrant to make Execution, or ſuch like, ought not to be conſtrued ſo ſtrictly; for the Sheriff's Intent was to have the Party arreſted, whether by all or any of them *ipſi non refert*; then the Arreſt being lawful, the Conſideration is good. *Fenner* contrary; for an Authority to reſtrain Liberty ſhall be taken ſtrictly; and in this Caſe, when the Arreſt is made by two only, it cannot be determined the Arreſt of which of them it is; as (by him) it was lately adjudg'd in Chancery on a *Commiſſion to fix, four or two; and it was executed by three, and awarded to be void and without Warrant. *Nota*; in this Caſe the *Venue* was miſtaken, *viz. Weſport* for *Westport*, with (i); and therefore the Judgment was ſtay'd.

Wilcocks *verſus* Lovelace.

Cro. Jac. 8.
Replevin.
Error.

Venire fa-
cias.
Venue

R*Eplevin*; the Defendant avow'd by Reaſon the Plaintiff held certain Land in *D.* of him, by Fealty and certain Rent, as of his Manor of *D.* and for ſuch Service arrear he avow'd the Taking; and Iſſue was join'd between the Plaintiff and the Defendant upon the Tenure, and the *Venire facias* was awarded to *D.* and it was found againſt the Avowant; and upon Judgment given in the Common Pleas, the Avowant brought a *Writ of Error* in the King's Bench, and aſſign'd for Error, that the *Venire facias* ought to have been as well from the Manor of *D.* as from the Vill of *D.* for Notice upon the Trial (the Iſſue being upon the Tenure) ariſes as properly out of the Manor of *D.* as out of *D.* where the Land lies; and this was allowed for Error. *Nota*; the Place where the Land lay was call'd *Kingsdowne*, and the Manor of which the Tenure was, was call'd the Manor of *Kingsdowne*. And (by *Fenner Juſtice*) the Difference is, where the Tenant holds his Land as of a Manor, and where he holds as of a Seignior in groſs; for where the Avowant has but a Seignior in groſs, there the *Venue* ſhall be only where the Land lies; but where of a Manor which is local, and which by Intendment has Freeholders, there

the Trial shall be as well from the Manor, as from the Place where the Land lies. And a Difference was likewise taken and agreed, where it appears by the Record, that the Land lies in *D.* and is held of the Manor of *D.* in *D.* and where of the Manor of *D.* only; for in the first Case the *Venue* from *D.* only is sufficient, because both the Land and the Manor appear to be in *D.* but in the other Case the *Venue* ought to come from both; *quia non constat*, that the Manor and Land lie in one Vill, and the Manor of *D.* may be in *S.* or *V.* as well as in *D.* and for this Reason the Judgment was revers'd. And Precedents were shewn accordingly.

Vide 16 &
17 Car. 2.
c. 8.

Core *versus* Morton.

THE Plaintiff declar'd, that whereas he was a good and *loyal* Subject, and of a good Reputation, &c. the Defendant spoke these Words of him, *Thou art a false and forsworn Knave, and that I will prove, for thou forswore thy self against Peter Rumball in the Hundred Court*: And upon *Non culp'* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff; but adjudged *Quod nil capiat per billam*; for the Words, as they are laid, will not bear an Action; for *forsworn, by it self*, does not import Slander; otherwise of the Word *perjured*. And forasmuch as the Plaintiff in this Action did not shew that there was any Action depending in the Hundred Court between *Peter Rumball* and some other, in which the Plaintiff was produced for a Witness, which might have induced the Word *forsworn* to have been equivalent to the Word *perjured*; for this Reason it was adjudged against the Plaintiff; for perhaps in Discourse between *Rumball* and the Plaintiff in the Hundred Court, voluntarily between themselves, the Plaintiff might *swear* something falsely; and the Defendant might thereupon say, that he was *forsworn*; which does not found in any Slander.

Cro. El. 905.
Forsworn.
Perjured.

4 Co. 15. b.
Mo. 365.

THE Jurors presented that *Fenton, Pecke, &c.* 20 Aug. 44 *Eliz. Vi & armis & manu forti unum Messuag' in Fenton in Com' Stafford', existens solum & liberum Tenementum cujusdam Ja. Skrimshire, illicite & contra formam Statuti, &c. ingressum fecerunt, ac prefatum Skrimshire a possessione sua, &c. tunc & ibid' expulerunt & diff. &c.* And two Exceptions were taken to this Indictment; 1. Because 'tis found that *Fenton, &c. unum messuagium ingressum fecerunt*, where it should be (in) *unum messuagium*; for as it is in the Indictment, it is not good Latin. Otherwise if it

Indictment
on the Stat.
3 H. 6.

was

was *unum messuagium ingressi fuerunt* ; *sed non allocatur*, for either is sufficient ; and also it is not false *Latin*, altho' it is not so elegant and good *Latin*, as if this Preposition (*in*) was in the Indictment. 2. Exception was, because the Indictment is (*existens*) and does not say * *adtunc existens* ; so that *non constat* whose Freehold it was at the Time of the Entry. *Sed* † *non allocatur* ; for when it is found, that such a Day they enter'd into a Messuage (*existens*) *solum & liberum tenementum*, &c. this Word (*existens*) must necessarily refer to the Time and Day of the Entry : So has it been taken before, upon an Indictment for the Murder of one *Savage*, where the Indictment was, that *J. S.* such a Day and Year *in ipsum* *Savage insultum fecit & percussit, dans eadem unam plagam mortalem* ; and adjudged good without saying (*adtunc*) *dans* : Otherwise if the Indictment had been *percussit & dedit*, for then without the Adverb (*adtunc*) it would not be good ; for the first Stroke, and the mortal Stroke, might well be at several Times ; but where the Participle (*dans*) is join'd to the Word *percussit*, there it cannot be taken but that all was at one Time. *Telverton* of Counsel in Maintenance of the Indictment to be good.

* Palm. 426.
2 Ro. Rep.
65.
Noy 131.
Cro. El. 754.
Litch 109.
Herley 73.
† 1 Bulst. 177.

Salk. 59.
4 Mod. 292.
Comb. 294.
Indictment
of Death.

Semayne versus Gresham.

Gresham and one Beresford were Jointenants of an House in London, in which House Beresford had several Goods ; and being indebted to Semayne, and Judgment given against him for the Debt, dy'd possessed of the said Goods, in the said House : Gresham continued possessed in the House by Survivor ; Semayne took Execution for the Goods of Beresford ; the Sheriff of London, taking with him a Jury to praise the Goods of the said Beresford, came to the said House to serve the Execution ; which Gresham perceiving, before the Sheriff had enter'd the House, shut the Door of the said House, and would not suffer the Sheriff nor the Jury to enter to view and praise the Goods ; whereupon Semayne brought an Action on the Case against Gresham for disturbing the said Execution, and declar'd upon all the preceding Matter. And (by Penner and Telverton) the Action does not lie ; for Gresham has done nothing but what he may lawfully justify, viz. shut his own Doors. And altho' the Execution had been for the Debt of Gresham, yet before the Sheriff's Entry into the House it had been lawful for him to shut the Door ; for, unless it is upon a *Capias Utlagatum*, which is the Queen's Suit, for the Contempt of

Where the
Sheriff may
break the
Door to do
Execution.
1 Brownl. 50.
2 Show. 87.
Ante 19.

of the Party, it is not lawful for the Sheriff to enter the House unless it is open; as * 18 Ed. 4. — is: *Concessum* by all the Justices, contrary to the Book 18 E. 2. † *Execution*. And also in this Case (*per Fenner*) if the Sheriff himself might have enter'd, yet it is not lawful to bring a Jury into the House to praise the Goods; for it was very inconvenient to have so large a Company in an House, and might be prejudicial to the Party, by the Loss of the Goods, &c. *Popham contra*, because by this Means Justice is hinder'd; for Execution is the Effect of the whole Suit; and if Execution cannot be made, but is prevented by this Means, then it will be in vain to sue; and therefore he conceiv'd the Book in 18 E. 2. *Execution*, is better Law than 18 E. 4. and he was of Opinion that upon an Execution betwixt Party and Party, the Sheriff might enter and break the Door; to which *Fenner Justice* answer'd, that if the Sheriff might by Law in such Case break the House, then also clearly the Action does not lie; for then, altho' *Gresham* shut the Door of the House, it was the Sheriff's Fault that he did not break it: *Quod Telverton* granted afterwards. *Trin. 2 Jac.* Judgment was given against the Plaintiff *per totam Curiam*.

2 Ro. Rep.
137.
* Bro. Execution 100.
† Fitz. Execution 152.

Rede *versus* Berelocke.

Judgment is given against *Berelocke* in Debt of 100 l. in the Common Pleas; and after the Judgment he enters into a Statute to *J. S.* and dies Intestate; his Widow takes Administration, and removes the Record of the Debt recover'd against her Husband into the King's Bench by *Error*, and pending that Suit pays the Debt upon the Statute to *J. S.* and afterwards the first Judgment is affirmed. And in a *Scire facias* against the Administratrix to have Execution, she pleaded Payment of the Statute, beyond which she had not Assets. And thereupon the Justices of the King's Bench being divided, *viz. Popham* and *Gandy* against *Fenner* and *Telverton*, it was refer'd to the Opinion of the other Justices; and by the greater Part of the Justices joining with *Fenner* and *Telverton*, it was adjudg'd a good Plea, and that the Payment of the Statute was no *Devastavit*; for at the Time of the Execution of the Statute she could not plead the Judgment in the Common Pleas, because it was doubtful whether it would be affirmed or not; then the Payment and Discharge of the Statute was no Fault in the Administratrix, for she could not have *Audita Querela*, nor any other Remedy to be freed from the Payment of the Statute at the Time of the Execution sued.

Cro. Eliz.
734, 822.
Co. Entr.
152. b.
2 Brownl.
39, 81.
4 Co. 59, 60.
2 And. 157.
Scire facias.
Statute-staple.
Administrator.
Assets.
Judgment.
Devastavit.
Audita Querela.

Hill. 45 ELIZ. B. R.

Abraham *versus* Wilcox.

Replevin.
The King.
A Grant to
him by Deed
deliver'd of
Record, but
not record-
ed.

TENANT in Tail of the King's Gift by Deed *deliberat' de re-
cordo & ibidem remanens* conveys his Land to the King in
Fee : And adjudged good, altho' the Deed be not enrolled ;
for the King does not take by the Enrolment, but by the Deed ;
so that the Deed is the Principal, and the Enrolment but a Proof
that the Deed is of Record ; and altho' it is usually said in the
Books that the King cannot take unless by Deed inrolled, that is to
be understood, unless the Deed made to the King is recorded ; yet
it is not sufficient to make a Deed of Land to the King, and throw
it into the Exchequer, or other Court of Record ; or after such
Deed is made, to leave it in Court ; but the Party ought to deli-
ver it of Record in Court, and to be endorsed by the Officer, *Quod
venit J. S. tali die*, and delivers into Court such a Deed to the
Use of the King, and then that countervails Enrolment. *Vide* for
this the Books 37 H. 6. 10. and 12 H. 7. — *Vavisor* in *Crooke's* Re-
ports ; and in this Case *per tot' Curiam, nullo contradicente*.

Chanudflower *versus* Prestley.

Cro. El. 914.
Noy 50.
Covenant.
Breach as-
sign'd.

Cro. Jac. 315.
1 Sand. 177.
1 Lev. 301.
1 Sid. 466.
1 Mod. 290.

A Man covenanted upon Payment of 10*l.* by *J. S.* that *J. S.*
should have so many Tuns of Copperas, and enjoy it without
lawful Disturbance by any Person : *J. S.* brought Covenant, and
shewed the Payment of the 10*l.* but that he was interrupted and
disturb'd in the Enjoyment of the said Copperas : And it was mov'd
by *Crooke*, that the Breach is not well assign'd ; because it is not
shewn by whom he was disturb'd, nor that he was *legitimo modo* di-
sturb'd, according to the very Words of the Covenant ; for though
the Plaintiff in Covenant need not shew in special the Title by which
he is disturb'd, because by Presumption he cannot know it ; yet in
assigning the Breach he ought to pursue the Words of the Covenant :
Et allocatur per Curiam.

Barnes *versus* Worlich.

Noy 41.
Mo. 644.
Cro. Jac. 25.
(a) Cro. Car.
283.
1 Bull 17

J. S. lent 100*l.* for a Year, and took 5*l.* Interest at the End of six
Months : *Popham* and *Gandy* Justices were of Opinion, that this is
(a) not Usury ; for it is not *ultra* 10*l.* for the 100*l.* for altho' *J. S.*
took 5*l.* Interest at the End of six Months, yet that is not *ultra* the Rate,
for

for it will be as if the 100 *l.* had been lent but for six Months :

Like as if a Man lends 100 *l.* for a Year, and takes the Profits of a Manor to the Value of 10 *l. per Ann.* altho' the Profits are received every Day of the Year; yet that is not Usury.

Audita Querela.
What shall be Usury.
Stat. 13 El.

But *Fenner* and *Telverton* Justices *contra*; for this Case in Question is not to be compar'd to a Mortgage; for the Statute, which allows the Mortgage, must necessarily allow the Profits to be taken as they naturally arise: But here, when 100 *l.* is lent for a Year, the Statute intends that the Profit and Increase of the 100 *l.* ought not to be receiv'd 'till the End of the Year; for if the 5 *l.* Interest is received at the End of the six Months, then he to whom the 100 *l.* is lent, has but the Use and Profit of 95 *l.* for the whole Year; and the Statute is to be taken strictly against the Offender, and largely in Punishment of the Usury; and therefore if 100 *l.* is lent for a Year, and he who lends it within two Days after takes back 10 *l.* it is Usury: And in this Case when *J. S.* takes 5 *l.* Interest at the End of six Months, now it is to be presumed, he will lend this 5 *l.* and take Interest for it within the Year, as he well may, which is more than the Statute allows; for the utmost Gain of 100 *l.* in Money for Interest ought to be by no Means but 10 *l.* by the Year. And Judgment was given, by the Opinion of all the Justices of *England*, against the Plaintiff. *Telverton* of Counsel with the Defendant.

Gibson *versus* Holcraft.

IN a Prohibition, the Suggestion to stay the Suit in the Spiritual Court for Tithes was, that the Abbot of *Vale Royal* in *Cheshire* was seised of the said Parsonage of *W.* and of the Grange of *Darnal*, whereof Tithes were demanded by the present Parson of *W.* and that the said Abbot and his Predecessors from Time whereof, &c. were seised of the said Parsonage of *W.* and of the said Grange of *D.* in their Demesne as, &c. in Right of their Abbey; and *ratione inde* shewed the Unity of Possession in Discharge of the Tithes, upon the Statute of 31 *H. 8.* To which the Defendant pleaded that the said Abbey was founded 5 *E. 1.* (which is within Time of Memory) and shewed and confessed the Unity of the Parsonage, and of the Grange after the Time of the Foundation. And upon the Motion of *Cooke* the Attorney General (*per totam Curiam*) the * Plea in Bar is good; and it is not necessary to

Prohibition.
Stat. 31 H. 8.
Tithes and
Unity.
Prescription.
Traverse.
Confess and
avoid.

* Hob. 311.

Vide Mo.
528.
2 Co. 48. a.
11 Co. 14. b.

Farmers,

Farmers, &c. there he ought to traverse the Prescription ; for although the Possession was chargeable in other Hands, yet as to the Fee-simple which remain'd in the Abbot, it is a Discharge in Right.

Fitz-William's Case.

Cro. El. 915. *William Fitz-William* was indicted upon the Statute of 8 Hen. 6. and that Indictment being in Force, he was indicted again upon the Statute upon the same Day, and upon the same Entry. The first Indictment was remov'd by *Certiorari* into the King's Bench ; and upon the second Indictment the Justices of the Peace in the County of *Essex*, where the Indictment was taken, awarded Restitution ; and before it was executed, a *Certiorari* was deliver'd to Sir *Thomas Mildmay*, one of the Justices of Peace, who refused to open it before he had spoke with his Companions, and did not grant any *Superfedeas*, whereby Restitution is made ; and afterwards the Indictment is remov'd into the King's Bench, and Re-restitution pray'd for *William Fitz-William* ; and it was granted *per totam Curiam* upon great Deliberation ; for the *Certiorari* coming to the Hands of one of the Justices, is in it self a Prohibition to them all, (for the very Words are, *Coram nobis volumus terminari, & non alibi*) and thereby the Hands of the Justices are tied up ; and it was a Misdemeanor in Sir *Thomas Mildmay*, that he did not obey the Writ ; for it is, *Cuilibet eorum* ; and he was severely reprimanded by the Court. *Vide* 1 R. 3. 4. *Certiorari* to remove an Indictment, which Indictment bore Date after the *Certiorari* ; and 6 Hen. 7. 16. *per Keble*, if after the *Certiorari* deliver'd the Party does not sue for the Removal, but lets it lie, yet the Justices cannot proceed in Execution : But *Hub. contra* there. But *Bro.* in abridging the Case, agrees with *Keble*. And 7 Eliz. *Dyer* 245. in such *Certiorari*, altho' the Day of the Return is past, yet it is a *Superfedeas* by Reason of the Words (*Coram nobis & non alibi*). *Vide* 34 Aff. 8. *Telverton* of Counsel with *William Fitz-William*.

Indictment on 8 H. 6.

Certiorari.

Restitution.

Superfedeas. Re-restitution.

Contempt in Justice of Peace.

Br. Certiorari 19.

Br. Recordare 8.

Shire versus King, an Attorney.

Cro. El. 914. **Error.** **Action for Words.** A Man spoke of an Attorney these Words, *Thou art a paltry Fellow, thy Credit is fallen, thou dealest on both Sides, and dost deceive many that trust thee.* And affirm'd upon Error, that the Words give Cause of Action ; for altho' an Attorney may deal on both Sides as an Arbitrator, yet all the Words being coupled together, ought to have Reference to his Calling, and cannot be taken but *in malam partem*. *Telverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Pasch. I JAC. B. R.

Yaites *versus* Gough.

Gough was indebted to Cowper in 20^l. who dy'd Intestate; and Frances his Widow took Administration, and recover'd by Judgment against Gough; but before Execution dy'd Intestate; whereupon Yaites took Administration of the Goods of Cowper, and brought a *Scire facias* against Gough upon the Judgment. And by Popham, Fenner and Telverton it does not lie; for the one Administrator is not privy to the other; and this *Scire facias* being grounded upon a Record, he, who will have an Action upon this Record, ought to make himself privy to him who was before Party to the Record, which cannot be in this Case; for each Administrator claims by Commission, and *quasi* by a collateral Authority one to the other; and therefore the Opinion of Fitz-Herbert 26 Hen. 8. 7. is not Law. And Benlowes Serjeant cites a Case 28 Hen. 8. adjudg'd contrary to the Opinion of Fitz-Herbert. But (by Popham) if an Executor brings Trespas for Goods taken out of his own Possession, which were the Testator's, and recovers and makes his Executor, and dies, altho' the Record is general; so that *non constat* whether the Goods, for which the Trespas was brought, were the Testator's or not; yet if the Executor sues Execution, he shall have them to the Use of the first Testator; for so were they adjudg'd in his Testator to be Assets, *viz.* the Damages for the Taking of the Goods: But if an Administrator brings such general Action for Goods which *revera* were the Intestate's, and recovers and dies, his Administrator shall have Execution of the Judgment, *quia non constat* by the Record to whom the Goods belong'd: But when he recovers, then the Administrator of the first Intestate shall compel him in a Court of Equity to pay him as much Money to the Use of the first Intestate, as he had recover'd before. *Quod nota.* Witty Diversity.

Mo. 680.
Cro. Jac. 4.
Scire facias.
Execution.
Privy.
Administra-
tor.
Yelv. 83.
2 Sand. 148.
1 Mod. 62.
Cro. Car.
208, 227.
March 9.
30 Car. 2.
c. 6.
Bendl. 18.
1 And. 23.
Mo. 4.

Trespas.
Assets.

Chancery.

Arundell *versus* Arundell.

THE Cognisance of a Fine was taken by Roger Manwood, Esq; one of the Justices of the Common Pleas, who was afterwards made a Knight and Chief Baron of the Exchequer; afterwards the Party sued forth the Fine, as is usual, and took a *Dedimus potestatem* (which must of Necessity in Date over-reach the Cognisance) to Sir Roger Manwood, Knt, who return'd it, *respons' infranominat' Rog' Manwood*; and afterwards the Fine is made perfect, and receiv'd by the Justices of the Common Pleas. And now it is alledg'd for Error in Fact, that Roger Manwood, who took the Cognisance of the Fine, was not a Knight according to the Authority given him by the *Dedimus*, &c. And adjudg'd that it should not be assign'd for Error; for it is contrary to the

Cro. Jac. 11.
Cro. El. 677
Error on a
Fine.
Knight.
Error as-
sign'd con-
trary to the
Record.

Estoppel.
Trial.
Heralds.
Mischief.
Averment.
Ded. potest.
Authority to
two, one
takes.

Return of
the Sheriff.
Stat. E. 2.

Record, and contrary to that which the Court has accepted; and by the same Reason he might say that there was no such *Roger Manwood in rerum natura*; which cannot be, because the Record is otherwise, which is an Estoppel; and moreover it is incertain how this Error assign'd in this Manner shall be try'd, whether by the Country, or by the Heralds, who make a Register of the Knights. It would likewise be mischievous to suffer such Assignment of Errors; for this Averment may be taken to all Fines acknowledged by *Dedimus Potestatem*, altho' they were past 100 Years ago. And (by *Popham*) there are but two Sorts of Cognifance of Fines, viz. by Commission, i. e. *Dedimus Potestatem*, or in the Court of Common Pleas; if a *Dedimus Potestatem* is awarded to two, and one of them takes the Conufance of a Fine, and this Fine is afterwards *drawn up* in the Common Pleas; yet the Party may well have Error upon this Fine, viz. that the Conufance was without Warrant; for this is not contrary to the Record, for the *Dedimus Potestatem* is Parcel of the Record, and the Assignment of Errors agrees with it: But if such erroneous Cognifance on *Dedimus Potestatem* is taken, and the Fine is afterwards drawn up as a Fine acknowledg'd in Court, now no Mistake in the *Dedimus Potestatem* shall avoid it; for it shall be adjudged as a Fine acknowledg'd in Court only. And if *J. S.* has a Warrant of Attorney for *J. D.* and it is taken by a Judge in the Common Pleas, and the Record is accepted in Court, it shall not afterwards be aver'd that there is no such *J. S.* because contrary to that which the Court has recorded; yet if the Judge had been inform'd of it at first, he would and ought to have stay'd it. And in the Case of a Sheriff, altho' a Man cannot aver contrary to that which he returns, yet he may say, that he who has indorsed his Name *on the back Side* of the Writ, &c. was not Sheriff; because by the Common Law, until the Statute of *E. 2.* no Sheriff nor Officer used to put their Names to their Returns; and therefore this Averment, that he who made the Return is no true Officer, is not taken away by the Statute, but remains as a Thing at the Common Law.

Lewis *versus* Acton.

Action for
Words.

4 Co. 18, 19.
Mo. 666.
Yelv. 10.

Felony.

Thou are a perjured Knave, and that will be proved by a Stake that standeth between the Ground of J. S. and J. D. and adjudged not maintainable; for altho' the first Words by themselves will bear an Action, yet they are qualified by the subsequent Words; and this Word [*and*] is as much as this Word [*for*]; and so it appears, that this Perjury wherewith the Plaintiff is charged, is refer'd to the Proof of a Thing insensible, viz. a Stake: As if the Defendant had said, *Thou art a Thief, and that will be proved by the Apples thou stolest off my Trees*; this is no Slander, for the subsequent Words explain the former Intent; and *stealing Apples from the Tree* is not Felony.

Huys *versus* Wright.

THE Plaintiff declar'd, that whereas several Suits, &c. Assumpsit, were between the Plaintiff and Defendant, they submitted them to the Award of J. S. and promised each other to perform it; and shewed further, that in *Easter* Term, such a Year, *in & super 20 Maii* J. S. awarded that the Defendant should *imposterum* surcease such a Suit, and also release to the Plaintiff all Demands; and alledg'd *in facto* that after the said 20 *Maii* in the same *Easter* Term, the Defendant did not surcease the Suit, but prosecuted it, and had Judgment; and also that he did not release, &c. And upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded it was found for the Plaintiff. And *Tanfield* Serjeant mov'd in Arrest of Judgment, that the Declaration was not good; for it appears by the Plaintiff's own Shewing, that the Defendant had Judgment in *Easter* Term, and every Judgment has Relation to the first Day of the Term; then the 20 *Maii* being in the Middle of *Easter* Term, and the Award being that the Defendant after that should surcease his Suit; J. S. has awarded a Thing which could not be performed; for the Suit was ceased before by the Judgment, which relates *ad Initium Terminum*, and so could not be stay'd by the Defendant; then this Matter before being assign'd for one Breach, upon which to have greater Damages, and the Award being in that Point impossible to be performed, the Plaintiff ought not to have his Judgment: But it was *resolv'd per totam Curiam*, that the Plaintiff should have Judgment for two Reasons: 1. Because if the Exception should be taken as before, *viz.* that by the Judgment relating to the Beginning of the Term, the Award to surcease the Suit is void; then it is as if such Thing had never been awarded, and then the Assignment of the Breach of the Award in that Point is also void; and so no Damages given as to that Point, but only for the other Breach assign'd for not making the Release. 2. (By *Popham*) altho' in Judgment of the Law every Judgment relates to the first Day of the Term; yet in this Case, the Plaintiff having expressly alledg'd in his Declaration, that after 20 *Maii* the Defendant prosecuted the Suit to Judgment, altho' it appears to be all in one Term; yet the Defendant ought to have taken Advantage of it by a special Demurrer thereupon, because it is specially laid down in Time one to be after the other; and he having in this Case taken Issue upon the Point of the Action, *viz.* *Non assumpsit*; the other Matter alledg'd in the Declaration is only collateral, and but Inducement; and the Court cannot now judicially take Notice of it, without resorting to another Record, *viz.* the Record of the Judgment; which they ought not to do, because the Plaintiff has precisely alledg'd it to be after the 20 *Maii* in Time.

Relation;

Where the Term shall not be adjudged one Day.

Damages.

1 Sid. 373.
Demurrer.Cro. Car. 53.
Notice.

Greene

Greene *versus* Gascoigne.

Cro. Jac. 484.
1 Brownl. 83.
Debt.
Outlawry.
Respond.
Ouster on
Failure in
the Record.
Co. Lit. 128. b.
2 Ro. Rep. 38.

IN Debt on a Bond of 100*l.* the Defendant pleaded, in Bar to the Action, Outlawry in the Plaintiff, and shew'd it in certain; the Plaintiff reply'd *Nul tiel Record*, upon which the Defendant had a Day until the next Term to bring in the Record; and in the mean Time the Plaintiff reversed the Outlawry, whereby it is now become in Law *Nul tiel Record*: According to 4 *H. 7. 12. Tolverton* mov'd the Court for the Defendant, that although this is in Law a Failure of Record, yet the Defendant ought not to be condemn'd, but a *Respondeat Ouster* shall be awarded: According to 6 *Eliz. Dyer 228. a.* who puts the Case, that the Failure of the Record is not peremptory; and so *adjudged per Curiam*; for in Fact there is no Default in the Defendant, his Plea being true at the Time of pleading it. *Quod nota.*

Purcell *versus* Bradley.

Cro. Jac. 46.
1 Brownl. 192.
Trespafs.
Two Intend-
ments.
Equam not
saying Suam.
Mo. Caf. 14.
Salk. 640.
2 Lev. 156.
Comb. 464.
2 Show. 395.

THE Plaintiff declar'd, *quare* such a Day the Defendant upon him *Insultum fecit, necnon unam Equam pretii 6*l.* a persona ipsius* (the Plaintiff) *adtunc & ibidem cepit*: And *Tolverton* moved for the Defendant in Arrest of Judgment, that the Declaration is not good; for the Plaintiff does not alledge any Property in the Mare, but he ought to have said *Equam suam* or *Equam ipsius Querentis*; for now, as it is laid in the Declaration, it may have two Intendments: 1. That the Mare was the Defendant's, and then the Taking was lawful; or that it was the Plaintiff's, and then tortious; and being indifferent in Construction, it shall be taken strong against the Plaintiff; for it is not a Defect in Form which is aided by the Statute 34 *E. 3.* but it is defective in Matter; and then the Jury having assessed intire Damages for both the Trespafes, and for one Trespafs supposed no Cause of Action is given; the Verdict is not good. *Quod fuit concessum per Femer and Tolverton Justices,* being only in Court.

Stweton *versus* Culhe.

Cro. Jac. 9.
Mo. 680.
Owen 114.
1 Brownl.
135.
A Condition
to repair.

J. S. demised an House for eighty Years, in which there is a Condition, that the Lessee, his Executors and Assigns, shall maintain it in Repairs; and if upon *lawful Warning* given by the Lessor, his Heirs and Assigns, that the said House is in Decay, it is not repair'd, &c. within six Months, then it shall be lawful for the Lessor, his Heirs and Assigns to enter; the Lessee for eighty Years makes a Lease of the House to *A.* for thirty Years, and *A.* demises it

to *Wilmore* for fifteen Years; the Assignee of the Reversion comes to the House, and seeing it in Decay gives Warning to *Wilmore*, then possessed of the said House, to repair it; which he did not do within the six Months: Whereupon the Assignee enter'd for the Condition; and upon *Non Culp'* pleaded, the Matter aforesaid is found by a Special Verdict. And it was adjudg'd against Sir *William Wade* the Assignee of the Reversion; for the Warning to repair the House being given to *Wilmore*, who was but an Under-Lessee, was not good; for he was not Assignee of the Term, for he had but a small Interest under the Grand Lease, upon whom no Avowry could be made for the Rent, nor any Action of Waste brought against him; for immediate Privy is wanting. And in this Case a Difference is to be taken between Rent and a Condition for Repairs; for this Condition is merely collateral to the Land, and merely personal; so that Warning is not of Necessity to be given at the House, but Notice of the Want of Repairs ought to be given to the Person of the Lessee, who has the grand Interest. And a Difference is to be taken between a certain Time in which a Thing is to be done, and an uncertain Time: As in Case of Rent reserv'd payable at a certain Day, the Demand ought to be upon the Land only, because the Land is the Debtor; and yet (by *Popham*) in such Case, if the Lessor comes to demand the Rent, and there meets with *J. S.* a Stranger, and says to *J. S.* *pay me my Rent*, this is no good Demand; for he has mistaken the Person, for *J. S.* is not chargeable with it; but in such Case a general Demand of the Rent, without Reference of it to any Person, who is not chargeable, had been good. And (by him) if a Man demises, rendering Rent by the Year *quando-cunque* the Lessor shall demand it; in that Case, if the Lessor comes to demand it before the End of the Year, his Demand upon the Land is not good, unless the Lessee is also there; for the Time being uncertain when the Lessor will demand it, he ought to give Notice to the Lessee of the Time: And if he comes to the Lessee, and demands it, that is likewise insufficient; for although Notice ought to be given to the Lessee in Person, yet the Land is the Debtor; and therefore the Law ties the Lessor to the Land, as to the Place in which it shall be paid: But if the Lessor stays till the End of the Year, then the Lessee ought at his Peril to wait on the Land to pay it; for the End of the Year is the Time of the Payment prescrib'd by the Law. *Quod fuit concessum*, *Serj. Tanfield* and *Stephens* of Counsel with the Defendant, for whom the Judgment pass.

Who shall
be called
Assignee.
Condition
collateral.
Notice.
Time.
Where De-
mand shall
be to the
Person, and
where on the
Land.

Hughes *versus* Phillips.

Cro. El. 754.
Cro. Jac. 13.
Audita Querela.
Stat. Staple.

1 Inst. 126. a.
1 Sand. 103.
2 Sand. 190.
1 Mod. 289.

Where Judgment shall
not be on
Nihil dicit.

Amendment.
Demurrer.

Stranger.

Hughes of Grayes-Inn brought *Audita Querela* against Rice Phillips, to whom he had acknowledg'd a Recognisance of 300*l.* upon a Defeasance, that if *Hughes* paid to *Jo. Bush* 300*l.* in six Years, *viz.* by 50*l.* *per Ann'*, at such a Place, that then the Recognisance should be void; and pleaded that he was ready every Day at the Place in which, &c. to have paid the 50*l.* to *Bush*, but *Bush* was not there *ad exigendum & recipiendum*. Phillips said, that he ought not to be thereby barr'd; *quia protestando* that *Hughes* was not ready to have paid, &c. to *Bush*, *pro placito idem Jo. Bush dicit*, that he was ready at the Place in which, &c. to have received the 50*l.* according to the Indenture, *absque hoc*, that *Hughes* was there ready to have paid it; and upon this Plea *Hughes* demurr'd, and shewed for Cause, that whereas he had offer'd a sufficient Issue triable by the Country, *viz.* that he was ready to have paid the 50*l.* if *Bush* had been there ready to have receiv'd it, Phillips does not say that *Bush* was there ready to receive, & *de hoc ponit se super Patriam*; but traverses, that *Hughes non obtulit* to pay; and upon this Demurrer was joined. And it was adjudg'd for the Plaintiff in the Common Pleas. And also upon *Error* brought by Phillips in the King's Bench, the first Judgment was affirmed by all the Justices; for altho' it was objected, that the Plea in Bar by Phillips being ill (*quia Phillips says pro placito*, that *Jo. Bush dicit*, which is as if Phillips had told a Tale out of Bush's Mouth) the Judgment in the Common Pleas ought to have been upon *Nihil dicit*, and not upon the Bar; yet it was answer'd, that the Bar being enter'd as a Plea by Phillips, and the Demurrer drawn up upon it between the Parties, the Judgment is upon an ill Bar; and in Pleading it is not all one, *Nihil dicere, ac insufficenter dicere*; for then upon every insufficient Bar Judgment would be upon *Nihil dicit*, which is not so. Then it was objected, that, because it is but an apparent Mistake in the Record, it should be amended; to which it was answer'd, that, as the Case is, the Court has not Power to amend it; for this Fault in the Bar is shewed specially for Cause of Demurrer by *Hughes*, and then Judgment passing upon the Special Cause shewn in the Demurrer, ousts all Amendments. Then it was objected, that the Declaration by *Hughes* is not good, because he says that *Bush* was not at the Place *ad exigendum & recipiendum*, and the Money is to be paid without Demand: To which it was answer'd, that this Word *Exigendum* is void, and the other Word *Recipiendum* sufficient. Then it was objected, that *Hughes* ought to have said that *Bush, nec ullus alius* was there for him to receive it: To which it was answer'd that *Hughes* ought not

to plead so, as this Case is, because *Bush* is a mere Stranger to the Recognisance, and it is no Duty in *Bush*, but is as a Penalty inflicted upon *Hughes*, that he shall pay it to *Bush*. And so being a collateral Duty payable only to *Bush* a Stranger, *Bush* ought to be there in Person, or by Attorney to receive it, and *Hughes* is not oblig'd in this Case to exceed the Words of the Condition of the Defeasance. *Per totam Curiam in omnibus. Telverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Term. Mich. I JAC. apud Winton. B. R.

Goodwyn *versus* Goodwyn.

A Man by his Will bequeathed 20*l.* to his Daughter; the Executor enter'd into a Bond of 40*l.* to the Daughter for Payment thereof according to the Will; the Daughter married, her Husband sued the Executor in the Spiritual Court as for a Legacy; the Executor pleaded Payment according to the Bond; and because the Spiritual Judge would not allow this Plea, the Executor brought a Prohibition, and shewed for Surmise the Matter aforesaid, &c. And *Tanfield* Serjeant mov'd for a Consultation, because the Suit was for a Legacy, which is Spiritual; and altho' the Executor pleads Payment, which is not allow'd there; yet he ought not to have a Prohibition, because Payment is a good Plea in the Court there; and if the Judge will not allow it, the other may appeal to the superior Judge; and if this is suffer'd in the Case of a Legacy, then the Spiritual Court will try nothing. But (by *Gaudy, Fenner* and *Telverton* Justices) the Surmise is good: For the Executor by his entering into Bond to the Daughter for Payment of the Legacy has extinguished the Legacy, and has made the 20*l.* bequeathed a Debt merely at the Common Law, and not suable there. Prohibition.
Legacy extinct.

Heyford *versus* Reve.

Reve distrain'd six Kyne of one *Heyford*, and impounded them at *Basingstoke*, for a Quit-Rent due to the Bailiffs of *Basingstoke*; wherefore *Reve*, in Consideration of the Money paid for the Redemption of the Cattle, promised upon Request to shew *Heyford*, or any Person he should name, a sufficient Record to charge his Land with such Quit-Rent to the Bailiffs; upon this *Heyford* brought *Assumpsit* against *Reve*, and shewed the Matter aforesaid, and that he such a Day appointed *B.* to view the Record, and requested him to shew it to *B.* Assumpsit.
Sufficient Record
Issue.
Jurors
and

and said *in facto*, that *Reve* did not shew *B.* any sufficient Record to charge his Land, &c. *Reve* pleaded *Non Assumpsit*, and it was found against him. And *Telverton* moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Breach of the Promise is not well laid; for the Matter and Substance of the Promise is always issuable; and in this Case (as the Plaintiff has laid the Breach) the Sufficiency of the Record will be referr'd to the Jury, which belongs only to the Judges of the Law; as if the Defendant had pleaded, that he shewed *tale Recordum*, which is sufficient: But the Plaintiff ought to have said that the Defendant did not shew any Record; and to that the Defendant might have pleaded, that he shewed such a Record, which was sufficient: And then the Jury should not try the Sufficiency of the Record, but only find the Record which was shewn: *Sed (per Gaudy, Fenner and Telverton) non allocatur*: For although the Plaintiff might have laid the Breach generally, as before, *viz.* that the Defendant did not shew any Record; yet, as it is laid, it is good enough; for it is sufficient, and more proper for the Plaintiff to lay the Breach as the Promise was made: And in this Case the Defendant might have pleaded, that he shew'd *Tale record*, and recited it, and then concluded that it is sufficient, and upon that Bar the Plaintiff might have demurr'd in Law. *Quod Nota.* By the Assignment of the Breach in Special as it is, the Parties would never come to Issue upon the Matter of the Promise, but only come and put themselves in the Judgment of the Law.

Vide ante 30.

Bosden *versus* Sir John Thinne.

Cro. Jac. 18.
Assumpsit.
Consideration.
Request.
Relation.

THE Plaintiff declar'd, *Quod cum ad Specialem instantiam* of the Defendant, he had procur'd Credit for one *Flud* for two Pipes of Wine amounting to 51 *l.* and *Flud super Credentiam* 3 *per Medium* of the Plaintiff, at the Request of the Defendant *emisset* of one *Roberts* two Pipes of Wine for 51 *l.* and *superinde* the Plaintiff with *Flud* enter'd into Bond of 100 *l.* to *Roberts* for Payment of the said 51 *l.* at a Day to come, which was not paid at the Day; and thereupon *Roberts* sued the Plaintiff upon the Bond, and recover'd, and had a *Capias* against him, whereby he *fuit coactus* to pay *Roberts* 67 *l.* *de solutione* of which 67 *l.* *causa præallegata* he notified to the Defendant, who *in Consideratione præmissorum* promised to pay the Plaintiff the 67 *l.* at *Michaelmas*; and shewed the Failure of Payment of the 67 *l.* at the Day, &c. And upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, it was found against the Defendant. And *Telverton* moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Action, upon the Matter shewn, does not lie, because the Consideration was past, and executed before the Promise, and the Defendant had no Profit by it, but all the Benefit was to *Flud* a Stranger,

Stranger; like the Case 10 Eliz. Dy. 272. where J. S. was Bail for the Servant upon an Arrest, and signified all to the Master after the Bail enter'd into, who promised to save him harmless; and although the Bail was condemn'd, yet no *Assumpsit* lay against the Master, because the Consideration was past before the Promise: And it seems that upon the first Request only to give Credit to *Flud* for two Pipes of Wine, no *Assumpsit* lies; for a bare Request don't imply any Promise: As if I say to a Merchant, *I pray trust J. S. with 100 l.* and he does so, this is of his own Head, and he shall not charge me, unless I say, *I will see you paid*, or the like. And it seems likewise, that the Promise shall not have Relation to the first Request of giving Credit to *Flud*; because the Intreaty for the Credit was but for two Pipes of Wine amounting to 51 l. and the Promise is for 67 l. and so they differ in the Sums; as if I request J. S. to enter into Bond for J. D. for 10 l. and *I will see him paid*; now if J. S. enters into Bond of 20 l. for the Payment of 10 l. for J. D. which 20 l. is recover'd against him, he shall not charge me on my Promise but with 10 l. But *non allocatur per Fenner, Gawdy and Popham*; for altho' upon the first Request only *Assumpsit* don't lie, yet the Promise coming after shall have Reference to the first Request; and although the Request was but for two Pipes of Wine amounting to 51 l. that *Flud* might have Credit for that; yet when *Roberts*, who sold the Wine, would not take (as appears) Security but by Bond of 100 l. for Payment of 51 l. and all this Matter is signified afterwards to the Defendant, who agrees to it, and promises to pay the 67 l. this shall charge him; because it has its Essence and Commencement from the first Request made by the Defendant. As (*per Gawdy*) if I request one to marry my Cousin, who does so, and afterwards tells me of it, and thereupon I promise him 100 l. this is a good Promise to charge me, although the Marriage was past, which is the Consideration; because now the Promise shall have Reference to the Request, which was before the Marriage. *Vide this Case, Dy. 272. b.* The same Law (by him) if I entreat one to be Bail for my Servant, and he thereupon becomes Bail, and is condemn'd, and afterwards tells me of it, and I promise him to save him harmless, it is good, and he shall recover his Damage *in toto*: Wherefore Judgment was given for the Plaintiff. But *Tilberton* Justice was *contra* clearly

Cro. El. 42.
2 Leon. 224.
Godb. 31

Weaver *versus* Clifford.

Cro. Jac. 3.
1 Brownl. 83.
2 Bulstr. 62.
1 Rol. Abr.
897.

Debt on E-
scape.
Recogni-
zance.
Capias.
Scire facias.
Chancery.
Cap. don't
lie on Re-
cognizance.
23 H. 7. 100.
Escape.
Precedents.

Mo. 274.
Cro. El. 164.

IF upon two *Nibils* return'd against the Recognisor in Chancery, a *Capias* is awarded against him out of the Chancery, by Virtue whereof he is taken by the Sheriff, and suffer'd to escape; yet no Action of Debt lies against the Sheriff upon this Escape; for a *Capias* don't lie on a Recognizance, but a *Scire facias* only: And therefore when the Party is taken by the *Capias*, he is not a Prisoner by Course of Law; for the Law has not ordan'd any such Means to arrest him, and being in Custody without Warrant, it is not an Escape; for that is only upon a lawful Commitment: And so is the Statute *W. 2.* to be construed, which gives the Action against the Gaoler, *viz.* where the Party is in Execution by Course of the Law, and that he is not in this Case, because the Law don't give a *Capias* on a Recognizance; and although the Chancery has such Course to award a *Capias* on a Recognizance, and has several Precedents of it, yet this is the Use of that Court only, which does not close the Mouths of the Judges of the Common Law, but that they ought to adjudge according to the Law. *Per Telverton, Gawdy, Popham, Justices: Fenner hæsitavit*; because he conceived the Award of the *Capias* only erroneous, and not void: And in this Case *Tanfield Serjeant*, and the *Attorney General* shew'd a precise Judgment in the Case, 21 *Eliz.* in the Exchequer, *Clement Paston's Case*, who was charged for an Escape, where he being Sheriff had taken one on a *Capias* on a Recognizance, and suffer'd him to escape; and yet there the Recognisor was in Prison for Felony before the *Capias* on the Recognizance was awarded, and came to the Sheriff's Hands; and yet adjudged an Escape to the Party, although he was also the Queen's Prisoner for the Felony: Yet the three Justices held their Opinion strenuously as before. *Quod Nota.*

Term. Hill. I JAC. B. R.

Chambers *versus* Mason.

Cro. Jac. 34.
Trover.
Post. 47.

IN an Action of Trover for certain Tithes sever'd from the nine Parts, upon *non Culp'* pleaded; the Jury found, that the Prior of *Wombridge in Comitat. Salop.* was seized of the Rectory of *Leppington*,

&c. and by Indenture 12 H. 8. demised the Tithe Corn and Hay, to *Milward* for Eighty-one Years, yielding 4*l.* per *Ann.* payable at *Wombridge*; and by the same Indenture granted to the Lessee and his Assigns *dare & reddere* yearly 3*s.* 4*d.* for Portage: The Priory is dissolved, and by mean Descents comes to Queen *Eliz.* who 26 *Junii Anno* 37. demises the Rectory with the Appurtenances, & *omnes Domus, terras glebales, &c. cum pertinen' ad Rectoriā præd' Spectan' & cum eadem Rectoria usualiter dimissa, locata, vel occupata antehac pro annuali reddit' 3*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.* to Johnson. Habend' from Michaelmas next, Si nulla Dimissio tunc de Rectoria fuerit in esse; and yielding 3*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.* per *Ann'*, &c. Et si aliqua Dimissio, &c. then habendum from the End of such Demise, yeilding, *ut supra.* The Jury further found, that Johnson assign'd his Interest to the Plaintiff, that 3*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.* were only paid to H. 8. Queen *Mary,* and *Eliz.* yearly pro Rectoria prædicta; that *Milward's* Lease by the Prior ended 43 *Eliz.* that the Corn taken by the Defendant is Part of the Tithe of the Rectory sever'd from the nine Parts, &c. Et si, &c. So the whole Matter rests upon the Plaintiff's Title: And in this Case *Yelverton* mov'd for the Defendant in Argument against *Serjeant Coventry.* 1. That the Rent reserv'd by the Prior is 4*l.* and although 3*s.* 4*d.* is to be paid to the Lessee for Portage, yet that is no Part of the principal Rent to be retain'd by Way of Defalcation; for the Words are, *quod Prior, &c. concedunt dare & reddere,* so the whole 4*l.* ought to be paid, and by Way of Covenant the Lessee is to receive 3*s.* 4*d.* by the Hands of the Abbot for Portage, *quod Curia concessit.* 2. *Yelverton* mov'd, that the Lease by the Queen is bad; for there being no Consideration exprest, for which the Queen should make such Lease, it shall be intended that she meant to part with no other Possession than the Abbot had demised before, and to have the same Recompence which the Abbot had; and in this Case it appears, 1. That the Queen has demised the Rectory, whereas the Prior demised but Part of the Fruit of the Rectory, *viz.* the Tithe Corn and Hay. 2. She was induced to demise the whole Rectory with the Appurtenances for 3*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.* thinking that had been the usual Rent formerly reserv'd by the Prior, whereas the Prior's Rent was 4*l.* So in both these Points she was deceiv'd; for the Recital of the Rent in the Queen's Case is material, where no other Consideration is mentioned in the Patent. 3. It is uncertain at what Time the Queen's Lease should commence, for she intended that the whole Lease should have the same Commencement; and in this Case as to the Rectory*

Recital in
the Lease.

Reservation.
Covenant.

Rent mistaken.

The King's
Grant.
Consideration in a Patent.

the Lease by the Queen might commence immediately, for of that *nulla Dimissio est*; but as to the Tithe Corn and Hay it could not commence till the Abbot's Lease ended, which is found by the Jury to be ended *Anno 43*. So by Matter apparent in the Verdict, one and the same Lease, which was intended to be intire, would have several Commencements, which shall not be. *Quod fuit concessum per Curiam*; Fenner being absent.

Report of this case in Cro. Jac. 73. the decision is as being precisely the other way. But the case is reported as laid down in Cro. Jac. 73. by the same way as Downton 1 Barn & Ald. 230. - 6 Mod. 295. - Archib. 1. Dec. 195.

Lesley & Gardiner 3 Wally & Serg. 31

Ayer versus Aden.

Mo. 757.
Cro. Jac. 73.
Trover.
Execution.

(a) 34 H. 6.
36.a. contra.

Property in
Goods.

(b) 1 Lev.
282.
1 Mod. 30.
1 Ven. 52.
1 Sid. 438.
2 Sand. 47.
contra.
Vide Lutw.
339.

ATER being Defendant in Debt at the Suit of J. S. a *Fieri facias* issued to the Sheriff to levy the Debt for J. S. the Sheriff by Virtue thereof seised the Goods, but did not return the Writ: The Sheriff is afterwards discharg'd, and a new Sheriff made: The antient Sheriff after his Discharge sells the Goods to Aden the Defendant, against whom Ayer brought an Action on the Case on Trover, &c. and the aforefaid Matter was found by Verdict. And adjudged *pro Querente*; (a) for the Sale by the old Sheriff after his Discharge is void, for his Authority ceased with his Office; and in such Cases where the Sheriff has seised the Goods by Writ of Execution, and is afterwards discharg'd, he ought to turn over the Goods to the new Sheriff, as he does his Prisoners; (b) and by the Seising of the Goods the Owner's Property is not alter'd; for the Seisure is not any Execution, but only the Beginning of it; and the Sheriff after such Seisure ought to return the Writ executed *in tanto*, and cannot by the Law deliver them *in Pais* to the Plaintiff; for as the Writ of Execution is warranted by the Roll, so likewise ought the Discharge and Executing of it to appear of Record; and the Sheriff after the Seisure, although he had continued in his Office, could not have sold the Goods without a Writ of *Venditioni exponas*, and that is not grantable till it appears by the Sheriff's Return, that *remanent pro Defectu Emptorum*. Adjudg'd by Popham, Fenner and Telverton, Gawdy being absent.

Pudsey versus Newlam.

Mo. 682.
1 Brownl. 84.
Debt.

DEBT of 500*l.* with Condition, if the Defendant before Michaelmas do make, acknowledge and suffer, &c. all and every such reasonable Act and Things, whatsoever they be, for the good and lawful Assuring and Sure-making of the Manor of D. to J. S. and his Heirs, that then, &c. the Defendant pleaded, that before Michaelmas the Plaintiff *rationabiliter non requisivit* the Defendant *ad faciendum*, &c. *aliqua rationabilia Actum & Acta, quæ forent pro bona & legitima Assurantis*

Assurance of the Manor of D. &c. The Plaintiff replied, that such a Day before *Michaelmas* he requested the Defendant, *quod ipse concederet & assureret Manerium de D. to J. S. &c. secundum tenorem Conditionis*; and upon that they were at Issue, and it was found for the Plaintiff, and alledg'd in Arrest of Judgment, that no sufficient Breach was assign'd; for the Plaintiff ought to have required an Assurance in certain, *viz.* a Feoffment, or Fine, or, &c. and not to have requested that the Defendant *concederet*; for the Condition being Special, *all and every Act and Acts*, the Request ought to have put the Assurance to a Certainty, what ought to be made. But *non allocatur*; but the Issue adjudg'd good, and the Condition broke; for by the Condition the Defendant is to do *all and every Act whatsoever* for the Assurance of the Manor of D. So that if the Plaintiff requested a Fine, a Feoffment, a Recovery, a Bargain and Sale, the Defendant ought to do all; but it was held, that he is not to execute any * Bond, or Recognisance for the Enjoying of the Manor, for that is but a collateral Security, and is no Assurance: Then when the Plaintiff requested the Defendant to convey the Manor in General, the Defendant ought at his Peril to do it by some Kind of Assurance; and if upon that Request the Defendant had made a Feoffment of the Manor, yet if the Plaintiff had after that requested a Fine, the Defendant ought also to have acknowledged a Fine, and so upon every several Request, he ought to make several Assurances; and therefore in making the Request in General he has well pursued the Words of the Condition, and upon that the Defendant ought at his Peril to make some Assurance. *Per totam Curiam.*

Request to
make Assu-
rance.

Assurances.
Bond.
Recogni-
sance.

* Vide Cro.
El. 370, 371.

Ante 30.

Perfival *versus* Spencer.

IN an Action on the Case on a Promise, the Plaintiff declar'd for 10*l.* Damage, and upon Issue tried, the Jury gave 13*l.* which is more Damage than the Plaintiff declar'd, and Judgment was given accordingly, *viz.* that the Plaintiff should recover 13*l.* by the Jury assess'd; and this Judgment was reverst for this Reason in the King's Bench; † for the Plaintiff is in Law taken to have the best Knowledge of his own Damage, and he shall never recover more than what he declares for; but if after such Verdict the Plaintiff had ‡ released all the Damages, but those for which he declar'd, and then had Judgment, that had been good: This Record was removed out of the Court of *Northampton*.

Action on
the Case.
Damages.

† Ow. 43.
‡ Bull. 49.
Cro. Jac.
297.
Post 70.

‡ 2 Show. 56,
57.
2 Sand. 380.
10 Co. 115. b.

Moufe *versus* —

Error.
Court.
Prerogative.

Cro. Jac. 184.

IF an Inferior Court holds Plea, and it do not appear in the Stile of the Court how they hold it, *viz.* by Charter or by Prescription, the Proceedings in that Court are erroneous, and all that ensues thereupon; for all Jurisdiction to hold Plea rests in the Crown, and therefore the King's Court ought to be informed, how that Power is derived from the Crown. *Adjudg'd* upon a Record removed out of the Court of *Gravesend*.

Trin. 2 JAC. B. R.

Barnes *versus* Constantine.

Cro. Jac. 32.
Action on
the Case for
Conspiracy.
Barretor.
Oyer of the
Indictment
certified.

Postea 117.
Style 372,
378.

Salk. 14.
5 Mod. 406.

AN Action on the Case in the Nature of a Conspiracy: He declar'd that whereas, &c. he was indicted before such Justices *ad diversa Felonias*, &c. *neque ad Pacem conservandam assignat'* as a common Barretor, and thereupon pleaded *non Culp'*, and was lawfully acquitted, &c. The Defendant demanded Oyer of the Indictment, which was certified to be taken before such Justices *ad Pacem conservandam*, &c. *assignat'*, and upon that demurred, because the Indictment certified varied from the Indictment shewn in the Declaration; for upon the Matter it is an Acquittal before Justices, who have other Power than such as is signified by the Declaration; for those are *ad diversa Felonias*, &c. *neque ad Pacem*, and the Indictment certified is before Justices *ad Pacem tantum*. And yet *adjudg'd* that the Action lay; for they are not merely Justices of another Nature or Power than those which are mentioned in the Declaration; for both are Justices of Peace, and such as have Power to receive such Manner of Indictment: But if the Declaration had mentioned Justices of Assise, and the Certificate had been of a Thing taken before Justices of Gaol-Delivery, it had been merely different; for they are distinct in Power. Moreover this Action is but for Damages for a Slander, which well lies, although the Indictment is erroneous; or, as it has been adjudged (as *Telverton* Justice said) if a Bill is offer'd, and *Ignoramus* found. *Nota* that. *Per Popham, Gawdy, Fenner and Telverton*. But *Williams contra*.

Ellis

Ellis *versus* Warnes.

IN Debt for 120*l.* the Case upon the Pleading was, that *Warnes* Mo. 752.
 was indebted to *Alder* in 100*l.* on an usurious Contract, and *Al-* Cro. Jac. 33.
der was indebted over to *Ellis* the Plaintiff in 100*l.* just Debt; for 1 Brownl. 85.
 which Debt *Warnes* and *Alder* were bound to the Plaintiff. In Debt Debt.
 on this Bond *Warnes* pleaded the Usury between him and *Alder* to Usury.
 avoid the Bond; *Ellis* the Plaintiff replied, that *Alder* before the
 Bond was indebted to him in 100*l.* just and true Debt; for the Pay-
 ment of which *Warnes* and *Alder* were bound to him in the Bond in
 Suit, and that he was not *Sciens* in any Sort of the Usury between
Warnes and *Alder*; and upon that *Warnes* demurr'd: And it was ad-
 judg'd per *Gawdy*, *Telverton* and *Williams* for the Plaintiff; for this
 is not Usury in the Plaintiff, but only between *Warnes* and *Alder*,
 by which the Plaintiff, not being privy, shall not be prejudiced; for
 although the Statute of Usury is to be taken strictly to suppress U-
 sury, yet it ought to be between those Persons who use Corruption;
 and not to punish the Innocent, as the Plaintiff is; for there can be
 no Shift in him, having a due Debt Precedent; but if there had
 been no Debt due to the Plaintiff before, then clearly it had been
 Usury in the Plaintiff, for there was no lawful Cause to make the
 Bond to him; but only to countenance the Corruption between
Warnes and *Alder*; and also (by *Telverton* Justice) if this Plea by the
 Defendant should be good, then every Man might be defrauded of
 his just Debt; for the Creditor generally demands a Surety: And by
 this Case, if the Bar should be good, by Corruption between the
 Debtor and the Surety, to which the Creditor is a mere Stranger, a
 Man would lose his Debt, which would be mischievous. But *Popham*
 and *Fenner* doubted; for they conceiv'd the Plaintiff ought to have ta-
 ken a Traverse to the Defendant's Plea, which in Truth cannot be;
 for he cannot traverse a Thing which don't lie in his Conscience, nor
 to which he is no Party.

Chambers *versus* Mason.

IN an Action of Trover for Tithes, &c. the Case was, that the Prior Ante 41.
 of *Wombridge* demised the Tithes of the Corn and Hay of *Loppington* Cro. Jac. 15.
in Com' Salop' to *A.* for 4*l.* per Ann', and by the same Indenture of De- Trover.
 mise covenanted *dare & reddere* to the Lessee, &c. for Portage of the
 Rent to the Priory 3*s.* 4*d.* per Ann': The Priory is dissolved, and
 comes by mean Descents to *Q. Eliz.* who An 37. demises to *B.* for Years
 the Rectory of *Loppington*, with the Appurtenances, and all Glebe-
 Land, Houses, &c. *Sp. Tan' ad Re. Foria' pced' & cum eadem Rectoria*
antebas

The King's
Grant.

Considera-
tion.

10 Co. 112.
a. b.

ante hac usualiter dimissa, pro Redditu 3 l. 16 s. 8 d. habenda from Michaelmas next, if no Demise for Life or Years be *in esse* of the said Rectory, and if any Demise thereof be, then from the End of the Term; and 'tis found by Special Verdict, that the Prior's Lease was then *in esse*, and did not end till *Anno 43 Eliz.* And it was *adjudg'd* for the Plaintiff, who had purchased the Inheritance of the said Rectory, and that the Queen's Lease made to *B.* under which the Defendant claim'd, is void for two Reasons. 1. Because the Queen was deceiv'd in her Consideration, *viz.* in the Rent reserv'd; for she intended to have the same Rent which had been reserv'd before; and the Rent by the Prior was 4*l.* for the 3*s.* 4*d.* for Portage was not to be defalked out of the Rent, but only to be paid by Way of Covenant, which Covenant by the Dissolution of the Priory is gone; so the Queen ought to have been answer'd 4*l.* yearly; and then when she recites the Rent to be 3*l.* 16*s.* 8*d.* where it really was 4*l.* and intends to reserve as much as was reserved before, which was not; for there wants 3*s.* 4*d.* the Queen is deceived: And (by *Popham*) the Difference is, where the Queen is deceived in her Intent, and where she is mistaken in her Information; for if she grants the Manor of *D.* of the Value of 10*l.* where it is of the Value of 20*l.* 'tis ill; for she is deceived in her Intent, for the Smallness of the Value seems to be the Ground of her Patent: But if she grants the Manor of *D.* *ante hac* demised for 10*l.* where it was really demised for 20*l.* and she reserved 20*l.* 'tis good. And if she grants the Manor of *D.* *quod quidem Manerium est* of the Value of 10*l.* and it is in Fact of the Value of 20*l.* yet it is a good Patent; for in that she is deceived only in her Information, and not her Intent. The second Reason was, because it appears to the Court, that the Tithes of the Corn and Hay were Parcel of the Rectory demised by the Queen, and in Lease by the Prior's Lease: Then the Queen's Lease for the Tithes demised by the Prior could not take Effect presently, for there's a Lease in Being; and for the Rectory it self it might take Effect immediately, for that is not in Lease at all; but that is contrary to the Queen's Intent, that her Lease should take Effect by Parcels, *viz.* for the Rectory immediately, and for the Tithes of the Corn and Hay in Reversion, and *in futuro*; for she intended to have all that which she demised in Possession at one and the same Time. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam.*

Mich. 2 J A C. B. R.

Charnell *versus* Holland.

THE Plaintiff declar'd, that the Defendant such a Day and Year *dixit* of the Plaintiff, *Thou hast stolen three Sheep of one T. Dig-* Cro. Jac 45.
gins, and laid the Words to be spoke at *Witham in Com' Essex*. The Words.
 The Defendant justified, and that at *Dagnam* in the same County *Dig-* Venue.
gins had three Sheep, and the Plaintiff stole them and carried, &c. Justificat.
 wherefore he spoke the Words *Tempore quo*, &c. and upon Issue, *de* Venue from
Injuria sua propria absque tali Causa; the Venue was awarded from two Coun-
Witham and *Dagnam*, and found for the Plaintiff. And *Telverton* ties.
 moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Venue was mistaken; for it Precedents.
 ought to be from *Dagnam* only; for by the Justification the Words
 are confessed, so that the Matter in Issue is now only upon the
 Cause, on which the Words were spoke, and that was the Plaintiff's
Stealing of the Sheep in Dagnam; so that the Joining of *Witham* in
 the Venue makes it vitious; for no Part of the Cause in Issue comes
 from *Witham*. But if the Words had been laid in one County, and
 the Cause of Justification in another County, then the Trial should
 be from both. *Quod fuit concessum in omnibus per Gaudy, Telverton* Vide 16, 17
 and *Williams* Justices. But upon View of Precedents both Ways, Car. 2. c. 8.
 from both Places, and also from the Place only where the Justification 1 Sand. 246.
 was, Judgment was given for the Plaintiff. But where the Defen- 1 Ven. 22,
 dant justifies in another Place, if the Venue be from the Place where 263.
 the Words are supposed to be spoken only, it is not good: *Quod vide* Comb. 472.
adjudg'd in one *Cage's Case*.

Allein *versus* Randall.

THE Plaintiff declar'd, *quod quoddam Colloquium & Bargania habit'* Adumphi-
fuer' between him and the Defendant for the Wood in such a
 Place, and that in Consideration of 10s. paid, and 20l. to be paid
 on 20 *Decemb.* after, in the House of *A.* and in Consideration that
 the Plaintiff at the same Time and Place *asportaret SuffICIENTem Homi-*
nem fore obligat' to the Defendant for Payment of 20l. at a Day to
 come, the Defendant promised that the Plaintiff should have and en-
 joy the said Wood to his own Use; and shewed that he on 20 *De-*
cemb. at the House of *A.* *obtulit* to the Defendant the 20l. which
 was to be paid, & *adtunc & ibidem asportavit B. sufficientem ho-*
minem fore obligatum to the Defendant for the other 20l. &c. yet
 O the

Vide Hob.
69, 70, 77.

Vide 1 Bulst.
169.

the Defendant had sold the Wood to *Hare*, whereby, &c. and upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff: But *Judgment*, quod *Quer' nil cap' per billam*; for the Plaintiff ought first to have shewn, quomodo *B. fuit sufficiens*: That it might appear to the Court to be according to the Consideration and Agreement. 2. He ought to have shewn not only that he *asportavit B. fore obligatum*, but to have alledg'd *in facto* that he and *B.* became bound, & *obtulerunt se ipsos obligari*; for perhaps *B. came to be bound*, and yet, being there, *refused*. Per *Gaudy, Fenner and Williams, Popham and Telverton* being absent.

Game & Ux' *versus* Harvie.

Assumpsit.

THE Plaintiffs declare, in Consideration that the Wife *dum sola*, &c. 1 Junii 43 Eliz. at the Instance of the Defendant *accommodaret* to the Defendant 30*l.* to be paid upon Request, the Defendant promised to pay *prædictas* 30*l.* to the Wife *quando requisitus esset*. The Plaintiffs laid *in Facto* the 30*l.* to be lent to the Defendant 1 Junii 43 Eliz. and that he had not paid the 30*l.* to the Wife *dum sola*, &c. nor to the Plaintiffs *post dispensalia*, although he was by both the Plaintiffs requested at *B. 1 Maii 44 Eliz. &c.* And upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiffs: And in Arrest of Judgment *Telverton* shewed that the Consideration was not sufficient; for it is to pay *prædictas* 30*l.* and that upon Request; so that it appears that the Defendant was not to have any Benefit by it, for it might be lent with one Hand, and immediately demanded; and moreover it ought to be the same 30*l.* *in Specie*, for so much is implied in this Word *prædictas*. But *tota Curia* clearly *contra*; for when the Intent of the Parties may stand with the Law, it shall be expounded accordingly; and the Meaning of the Parties here was to have *prædictam Summam* 30*l.* and not the same Money *in Specie*, & *eo magis quia* (as *Popham* said) the Promise is grounded on an Accommodation, *viz.* a Loan, which implies an Use of the 30*l.* by the Defendant. Then it being agreed between them, that the Defendant should use the Money, it is impossible for him to pay the same Money *in Specie* that he receiv'd. But if a Man delivers to *J. S.* a Bag sealed with Money, and the Defendant promises to redeliver it upon Request, no *Assumpsit* lies upon this; for the Defendant has not any Benefit by it, for the Money being in a Bag sealed, *J. S.* could not have any Use or Employment of the Money at all; so there he has only a Charge imposed by the Keeping, *vide P. 44 Eliz.* before, the Case of *Riches and Brigges*, which *Telverton* cited to be revert, and *Gaudy* and the Court said it was erroneously revert. *Quod Nota.*

Ante 4.

Freshwater *versus* Rois.

TENANT in Tail covenanted to stand seised, in Consideration of a Marriage to be had by his Son with the Daughter of J. S. to the Use of himself and his Heirs till the Marriage had, and afterwards to the Use of himself for Life, and afterwards to the Use of his Son and his Wife, the Daughter of J. S. and the Heirs of their Bodies, and suffer'd a single Recovery to that Purpose, and died without Issue. Adjudg'd that the Entry of him in Remainder dependant on the Estate Tail is congeable; for first, in this Case there is no Consideration to raise the Use, for the Consideration is only the Marriage of his Son with a Stranger; which, as to change the Possession, is not any Benefit to the Father, but he is in a Manner a Stranger to this personal and peculiar Consideration: But if the Consideration had been for the Establishing of the Land in his Name and Blood, it had been good; for that merely concerns the Father. Secondly, the single Recovery, as appears 13 E. 4. binds only the Estate in Possession, and present, and then coming in this Case after the Transmutation of the Possession by the Covenant, when he was not seised in Tail, does not bind the Remainder. But it was agreed by all the Justices, that notwithstanding such Covenant by Tenant in Tail, altho' as to himself it is an Alteration of the Estate, yet to all Strangers he remains Tenant in Tail; for if he marries after such Covenant to stand seised to the Use of himself for Life, * his Wife shall be endowed. And (by *Williams Justice*) it has been adjudg'd, if Tenant in Tail bargains and sells his Land to J. S. by Indenture inrolled, and J. S. sells it again to Tenant in Tail; he is Tenant in Tail as he was at first. *Vide* according to this Resolution in *Sir Hugh* † *Chumley's Case*, fo. 52. a. § *Blithman's Case*, H. 35 Eliz.

Mo. 683.
1 Brownl.
193.
Trespas.
Covenant to stand seised.
Single Voucher.
Change of the Tenant's Estate by Covenant or Recovery.
Consideration to raise an Use.

* Noy 46.
Dower.
† Mo. 342.
2 Co. 52. a.
§ Cro. El.
279.
1 And. 291.

Wolfreston.

UPON a *Latitat* awarded against *Wolfreston*, the Sheriff returned a Rescous *tali die*; but in the Return of it there was no Place mention'd where the Rescous was. And therefore adjudg'd void; for *non constat* whether the Arrest and Rescous were within the County and Jurisdiction of the Sheriff, to whom the Process was directed. But in the Case of one *Winch*, the Sheriff returned a Rescous upon him at *Dale in Comitatu Buck*, which was the County to which the Process was awarded; and Exception was taken, because he did not say, *infra balliviam meam*; & *non allocatur*; for if it is within the County, it cannot be otherwise taken, but to be within his Bailiwick: And altho'

Rescous.
Place.
Sheriff.
Arrest within a Liberty.

altho' the Arrest was within a Liberty in the same County, yet the Rescous is illegal, because the Arrest is good, and no Offence except the Lord of the Liberty. *Quod vide* 11 H. 4. 2. 14 H. 6. *Quare Impedit.*

Wood *versus* Harburne.

Debt.
Cap. ad Satisfac.
Mandate to the Bailiff of the Dutchy.
Election to charge the Sheriff or the Party.

Vide Cro. Car. 240.

WOOD Serjeant at Armes recover'd on a Bill of Debt against Harburne, and had a *Capias ad Satisfac'* to the Sheriff of *Middlesex*, who made a Precept to the Bailiff of the Liberty of the Dutchy, viz. the Savoy, and the Mandate was, *ad Cap'* Harburne *ad respond'* Wood, where in Fact it should be *ad Satisfac'*, and the Bailiff returned the Precept serv'd, and the Sheriff return'd to the Court, *Cepi Corpus secundum exigentiam brevis*; and *Telverton* mov'd for Serjeant Wood to have a new *Capias ad Satisfac'* against Harburne; for altho' the Sheriff by his Return has charged himself to the Plaintiff, so that he may demand the Execution against him, yet where the Defendant was really never taken in Execution for the Debt, as in this Case, but was only taken *ad respond'*, there the Plaintiff is at Liberty to take new Process against the Defendant. *Quod tota Curia concessit.*

Everard *versus* Blach.

Rescous.
Bill of Middlesex.
Latitat not abated by the Demise of the Queen.
* 1 E. 6. cap. 7.
7 Co. 30. a.

BLACH took out a *Latitat* against Everard in the Time of Queen Elizabeth, which was serv'd in the Time of this King, and Everard rescued himself, and this Rescous was returned by the Sheriff of *Essex*, to whom, &c. And Bartlet mov'd the Court, that upon the Matter this is no Rescous, because the *Latitat* by the Death of the Queen is abated and lost; so the Arrest ill. But (*per Curiam*) *contra*, and that a *Latitat* is within the Statute * 1 E. 6. which is not lost by the Demise of the Queen; for it is no Original Writ, but is in the Nature of an Execution grounded on a Record precedent; for every *Latitat* is founded on a Bill of *Middlesex* precedent, and supposes that the Party cannot be taken by the Sheriff of *Middlesex*, *quia latitat & discurrit* in another County; so the *Latitat* issues on a Suit or *queritur* supposed to be depending.

Hargrave *versus* Rogers.

Cro. Jac. 45.
1 Brownl. 85.
Debt.
Baile.

THE Bail enter'd into a Recognisance for A. that upon 8 Days Warning A. compareb. to any Action to be brought by B. for such a Debt:

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Necnon

Necnon, that if *A.* should be condemn'd in the Action, and should not pay, that they would answer to *B.* the Condemnation. *B.* brought an Action against *A.* in which *A.* was condemn'd, and did not pay; wherefore *B.* brought Debt against the Bail upon the Recognisance, and shewed the Suit against *A.* and the Condemnation, and that he had not satisfied it; but did not shew that *A.* had eight Days Warning to appear to the Action. And by *Fenner* and *Telverton* he need not shew it; for the Condition of the Recognisance depends upon two Clauses; the one the Appearance upon eight Days Warning, the other is the Satisfaction by the Bail, if *A.* does not pay the Condemnation, comprehended in these Words (*Necnon*): And in this Case the Action is brought upon the second Clause, viz. the Default of *A.* that he has not answer'd the Condemnation; and therefore 'tis needless to meddle with that Part of the Condition, which goes to the Appearance to the Action. But if the Action had been brought on the first Clause, then *B.* ought to have shewn in certain the Warning to have been given by eight Days. But *Popham*, *Gau-* Appearance on Warning.
aj, and *Williams contra*; and that the Plaintiff ought of Necessity to shew the Warning to have been by eight Days; for first it is not a Condition to be performed between the Parties, but between Strangers; for *A.* is a Stranger, and then the Bail are bound only to answer such Condemnation in such Action in which eight Days Warning shall be given, for that is the Ground of the Whole; and there is no Reason that *A.* by his voluntary Appearance without such eight Days Warning should prejudice his Bail; otherwise if the Condition had been between *A.* and *B.* for there if *A.* had appear'd without such Warning, it's his own Folly, & *volenti non fit Injuria*. And according to this Opinion the Plaintiff discontinued his Suit, and the Defendant order'd to put in new Bail. *Quod nota.* Volenti non fit Injuria.

St. George's Case.

NO *T A*, the Practice in the King's Bench: That in all Actions brought against any Person upon any penal Statute, the Defendant shall put in common Bail only, and not special Bail; and this was one *St. George's Case of Norfolk*, upon an Action brought against him on the Statute of 13 *Eliz.* of fraudulent Conveyances, where the Rule *supra* was shewn by the Justices. Pen.Statutes. Informations. Common Bail. Stat. 13 Eliz.

The same Practice in the King's Bench; that an Executor or Administrator shall put in only common Bail, because they are to be charged but with the Goods of another, viz. of the Intestate. 1 Ven. 355. 1 Sid. 63, 353.

Pigot *versus* Pigot.

Cro. Jac. 44.
1 Brownl.
183.
Replevin.
Issue.
Traverse.

What Issue
shall be a
Jeofail.
Statute of
Jeofails.

R *Eplevin*; The Defendant avow'd, that *Ellen Enderby* was seised in Fee of three Acres in *D.* and took *F. Pigot* to Husband, by whom she had Issue *Thomas*; *Ellen* dy'd, the Husband in by the Curtesy; and *Thomas*, the Heir in Reversion, granted the Rent of 100 s. out of the three Acres to the Avowant, and for so much arrear, &c. The Plaintiff in Bar said, That before *Ellen* had any Thing, one *Fisher* was seised in Fee, and gave it to *John Enderby* in Tail: *John* had Issue *Ellen*, &c. who after the Death of her Father enter'd, and was seised in Tail, and took Husband, *ut supra*, and had Issue *Thomas*, *ut supra*, and dy'd; and *Thomas* being in Reversion, in the Life of the Tenant by the Curtesy, granted, *ut supra*, *absque hoc quod Ellen Enderby* was seised in Fee of the three Acres; and upon that Issue was join'd, and found for the Avowant; and it was shewn in Arrest of Judgment, that in Effect there was no Issue join'd; for the Traverse of the Seisin of *Ellen Enderby* is idle, for no Title to the Rent is derived from her; but he ought to have traversed the Seisin of *Thomas* the Grantor; wherefore the Issue ought to be of such a Nature, as might make an End of the Matter in Doubt, which is not in this Case, no more than if the Tenant in a *Formedon* would plead *Non culp'*: But (*per Curiam*) altho' an apter Issue might be taken, and the Traverse is not good, yet it is aided by the Statute of Jeofails; for the Estate of *Ellen Enderby* was in a Sort and by Circumstance material; for if she was seised in Tail, and it descended to *Thomas* the Grantor, then by his Death the Rent is determined; but if the Fee-simple descended to *Thomas* from *Ellen*, then it enables the Estate of *Thomas* to be such, out of which he might grant a sufficient Charge; and although it may be imagined and intended that after the Fee descended from *Ellen*, that *Thomas* had changed it into an Estate-tail; yet (*per Popham*) the Court will not intend it now, because the Parties are agreed to doubt nothing, but whether *Ellen* was seised in Fee or not when she dy'd; and that Doubt is resolv'd by the Verdict: As if the Defendant will plead the Feoffment of *J. S.* to *A.* and *B.* and that *A.* dy'd, and *B.* survived, and enfeoffed the Defendant, if the Plaintiff will say, that *J. S.* did not enfeoff *A.* and upon that they are at Issue, and it is found against him, although it is no proper Issue; yet it is aided by the Statute, because the Parties doubt nothing but the Manner of the Feoffment of *J. S.* whether it was made to *A.* or not. And of that Opinion were *Popham*, *Fenner*, *Telgerton*, *Williams*. *Gaudy*, *contra*.

The Case of a Prohibition.

THE Suggestion in a Prohibition was, that the Plaintiff from Time whereof, &c. had paid for Tithes of Wool and Lambs 2 *d.* and in Proof of his Suggestion *per Testes*, spoke nothing of Wool, but only that 2 *d.* had been paid for Tithes of Lambs; and thereupon *Henden* moved the Court to have a Consultation as well for the Lambs as for the Wool, because the Surmise is of a joint Prescription & *modo decimandi* for Wool and Lambs; and now, no Proof being for the Wool, he has fail'd in the Whole: But (*per Curiam*) there is a Difference between a Suggestion to have a Prohibition, and a Prescription comprised in it, and a Prescription made in Defence, or by Way of Plea in any original Action; for in the latter Case of a joint Prescription made for two Things, a Failure in one destroys the Whole; because that is by Way of Title: But otherwise here, because this Prohibition is only to give Jurisdiction to the King's Court; and therefore, altho' the Plaintiff supposes that the Court ought to hold Plea both of the Tithes of the Wool and of the Lambs; and for the Wool it remains payable in Kind, and so to be determined in the Ecclesiastical Court; yet for the Lambs, in which the *Modus decimandi* is prov'd, the Court shall retain Jurisdiction; for now upon the Proof it shall be taken, that the Prescription, which makes the Plea temporal, was only for the Lambs. *Quod nota.* *Per Fenner, Telverton and Williams*, the others being absent.

Prescription in two Things, fails in one, yet good. Tithes. Suggestion to have Prohibition. Cro. El. 736.

Cro. El. 736.

Molineux versus Rigges.

Molineux as Administrator of one *Mering*, extended a Statute on the Land of one *Rigges*, and before his Acceptance pray'd that the Land might be deliver'd to the Extensors; wherefore Process issued accordingly; and before the Return of the Writ, *Telverton* mov'd the Court, that the Extensors could not have the Land; because since the Extent *Rigges* is dead, his Heir within Age, and in Ward to the King; so the King now in Possession, and the Land in another Plight than it was at the Time of the Extent; but *non allocatur per Curiam*: And (by *Popham*) the Extensors ought to sue to be relieved in the Court of Wards. *Quod nota.*

Cro. Jac. 12. Statute-staple. Where the Extensors cannot refuse the Land. King's Ward. Court of Wards.

Fish versus Richardson.

THE Case was such; *Fish* had a Debt owing to him by the Testator *Richardson* on a simple Contract; and came to the Defendant and

Cro. Jac. 47. Assumpsit. told.

Vide Moor
702, 703.
Cro. El. 804.
9 Co. 94. a.
Mo. 853, 854.
1 Ro. Rep.
379.
Hettl. 1, 8,
11, 12.

told him of it; who said, that if the Plaintiff would *forbear Suit* against him *for a Time*, he promised to pay him; it is a good Promise in Law; for although the Defendant might wage his Law in an Action brought against him by the Law, because it is of another's Contract; yet in Law such Debt on Simple Contract remains a Debt, and is not absolv'd by the Testator's Death: And according to the Book 10 Hen. 6. an Action of Debt lies against the Executor for it; and if he pleads to it, and doth not demur upon the Declaration, Judgment shall be given against him; and the Court *ex Officio* will not abate it without the Challenge of the Party; but if the Heir promises on Forbearance of Suit to pay such Debt, yet no *Assumpsit* lies against him; for there is no Consideration, because the Heir is liable to no Debt without Specialty.

Pikard *versus* Cottels.

Assumpsit.
Foreign At-
tachment.
London.

What shall
be a good
Considera-
tion on As-
sumpsit.

THE Plaintiff shew'd that he was possessed of an House in London, in which *Sebastian Underholster* had a Chamber; that *Sebastian* was indebted to the Plaintiff in One hundred Pounds, and dy'd possessed of the Chamber, and of sundry Writings and Sums of Money *ibid' remanen'*; and that the Plaintiff after his Death, for the Recovery of his Debt, attached the Goods, &c. being in the Chamber, in the King's Court, before the Mayor, &c. in the Plaintiff's Hands for his Debt, according to the Custom of the City; and that the Defendant, in Consideration the Plaintiff at his Request would permit the Defendant to enter into the Chamber, and take and carry away the Goods attached, *necnon omnia Scripta obligat'* there being, promised the same Day to pay the Plaintiff his One hundred Pounds: And upon *Non assumpsit* pleaded, and found for the Plaintiff, it was moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Promise was upon no Consideration; for, for any Thing that appears, the Debt was but upon Simple Contract, with which the Defendant is not chargeable; for he is a meer Stranger, and no Executor or Administrator, for any Thing that appears: Also Part of the Consideration being the Discharge of the Attachment, the Plaintiff ought to have shewn that an Action of Debt was depending at that Time; for there ought to be some Person against whom an Action of Debt should be brought; otherwise there could be no Attachment: To which it was answer'd, that the Shewing of the Attachment was but the Conveyance, and not the Substance of the Action; and moreover the Consideration is not that the Plaintiff shall discharge or release the Attachment, but only that he shall permit the Defendant to enter into the Chamber, and take and carry away the Goods attached; and also there being two Considerations expressed, the one the Carrying away of the Goods attached, the

the other the Carrying away of certain Writings Obligatory, which were not attached, altho' the first Part of the Consideration should be void; yet the other would be sufficient to maintain the Action; and Judgment accordingly *pro Quer' P.* 2 Jac. *Tilberton* and Serjeant *Tanfield* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

King *versus* Andrews.

THE Case: That after the Parties were at Issue in Trespas, and an *Habeas Corpora* awarded against the Jury, the Common Pleas where the Action depended, awarded a *Superfedeas quia improvide, &c.* which was deliver'd to the Sheriff, who notwithstanding return'd the Jury before the Justices of Assise, who proceeded; and it was found for the Plaintiff: And *Tilberton* assigned the Matter aforesaid for Error; and the Defendant pleaded, *in nullo est erratum*: And it was adjudged Error; for the Error assign'd is a Matter in Fact depending on a Matter of Record; and then the Defendant by pleading *in nullo est erratum* has confessed it, viz. that such *Superfedeas* was awarded and delivered to the Sheriff before the Trial: Whence it follows, that after the *Superfedeas* deliver'd, the Sheriff's Hands were closed, that he could not proceed to distrain the Jury, nor to return the Writ before the Justices of Assise. *Vide 5 Eliz. Dyer 222, 223. a Superfedeas* directed to the Sheriff upon an Exigent, and the Coroners proclaimed him outlawed when the Sheriff had the *Superfedeas*; and it seems to be Error if the Proclamation & *quinto exactus* be after the *Superfedeas* deliver'd.

Cro. Jac. 43.
Error.
Error in
Fact. In nullo est errat.
Superfedeas discharges the Jury.
To proceed after is Error.

1 And. 35.
Mo. 75.

Hill. 2 JAC. B.R.

Sir John Harpur *versus* Beamont.

I Was at Sir J. Harpur's House, and John Harpur his Son drew me forth to see a Gelding, and then Thomas Beamont did throw his Dagger at me twice, and thrust me through the Breeches twice with his Rapier to have killed me; all this was done by the Instigation of Sir John Harpur, and I can prove it. And upon Damages given to 100 l. and in Arrest of Judgment, *Popham Chief Justice*, and *Tilberton* were of Opinion that the Words would not maintain an Action; for when the Words spoken by the Defendant contain Matter of Fact, and Matter of Intention; as the Matter of Fact was, *Thomas Beamont threw his Dagger at me twice, and thrust me through the Breeches twice*, the Matter of Intention

Cro. Jac. 56.
Action for Words.

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was, what the Defendant collected from this Fact, *viz. that it was done to have killed him*; and then concluded, *all this was done by the Instigation of Sir John Harpur*; they shall be taken in the *milder Sense*, *id est, that that was done, was done by the Instigation, &c.* and that was only the *Flinging of the Dagger*, and the *Running him thro' the Breeches*, which is no Slander, but an Imputation of a Trespass; and shall not be taken to refer to that which was but in the Intention of the Speaker, *viz. That it was done to kill him*: As if one should say, *J. S. lay in Wait for me, and his Intention was to kill me, and he did it by the Procurement of J. D.* These are not Words of Slander to *J. D.* for they extend only to *laying in Wait*; for that is the Fact, and the Intention of the *Laying in Wait* is a *By-thing* meant to be coupled with the other. But *Gaudy, Fenner and Williams, contra*. For the Words shall not be taken *dividedly*, but altogether as they were spoken, and so import Slander; as if he had said, *Sir John Harpur procured Thomas Beamont to cast his Dagger at me, to kill me*; and then there is no Question but the Words are actionable. *Quod fuit concessum ab omnibus*; and Judgment enter'd accordingly against the Defendant.

Cro. Eliz.
308, 349.
Cro. Car.
277.

King *versus* Gosper and Shire.

Error.
Infant by
Guardian.
Where In-
fancy shall
not be Error
for Want of
a good As-
signment.
Error in
Fact tried.

THE Defendants in Replevin, against whom Judgment was given, assign for Error, that where there were two Avowants: One of them was within Age, so he ought to have appear'd by Guardian, and not by Attorney; but in the Assignment of the Error, it is not concluded to the Country, *viz. Et hoc paratus est verificare, &c.* and the Defendant in Error pleaded *in nullo est erratum. Et per totam Cur'* (*Popham* being absent) the Judgment shall be affirm'd; for when a Man assigns Error in Fact, he ought to put it to the Country; for the Jurors only shall be Triers of it, and not the Judges; and then in this Case by not concluding to the Country, it is an Error not triable by the Court, but in its proper Nature by the Country; so it cannot be adjudged; wherefore it is tantamount, as if no Error at all had been assigned; for the Defendant by pleading *in nullo est erratum*, has not confessed it to be Error, but has only put himself upon the Judgment of the Court; and the Court in this Case cannot be Triers of it. *Quod nota bene.*

Contra
now 41-12
9 Co. 306.
J. Mansfield

Pasch. 3 JAC. B. R.

Palmer *versus* Welder.

ADjudged *una voce* that the Value belongs to the Lord without Tender; for it may happen that the Infant may be eloign'd, or he may travel beyond Sea in his Father's Life-time, that the Lord cannot come to tender; and the Statute which says, *de mero Jure*, shews, that the Value is not any Thing given by Law special, but by the Common Law and Rule of Reason, in Recompence of the Loss of the Services, which the Lord sustains by the Nonage; and also in this Action the Tender is not traversable. *Quod nota.*

Cro. Jac. 65.
5 Co. 120. b.
6 Co. 70. b.
Value of
Marriage-
Tender.

Barnes *versus* Worlich.

IN an *Audita Querela* brought by the Plaintiff, *Massey* and others being his Bail *manu ceperunt habere* the Plaintiff in Chancery such a Day *ad standum Juri in hac parte*; and that the Plaintiff *prosequeretur cum effectu, viz. quilibet eorum sub pana 200 l.* to the Use of the King, and 200 l. to the Use of the Defendant, according to the Statute 11 Hen. 6. cap. 10. *quas concesserant & quilibet eorum concessit de terris, &c.* according to the Statute *levari, Si prefat'* the Plaintiff before the King in Chancery on such a Day *in forma predicta non habuerint; ac si idem* the Plaintiff his Writ against the Defendant *in forma predicta non prosequitur cum effectu*; and the Plea was prosecuted to Issue, and Judgment, *quod Quer' nil caperet per breve suum, &c. predictus tamen* the Plaintiff after the Judgment *hucusque* has not satisfied the Defendant the 200 l. nor render'd himself to Prison till he shall satisfy the Debt *juxta Juris in hac parte Exigentiam, & sic idem* the Plaintiff *non stetit Juri in hac parte*, whereby the Bail have forfeited their Recognisance; and thereupon the Defendant demanded Execution against them: And upon this *Scire facias* brought against the Bail, they demur'd, supposing that no sufficient Breach of the Recognisance is assigned; for (*per Godfrey*) where the Condition is Parcel of the Recognisance, there he who sues Execution thereon, ought to shew the Court that the Condition is not perform'd; which was not in this Case; for the Recognisance stands upon two Conditions,

1. If the Bail have the Plaintiff in Chancery such a Day, &c.
2. If the Plaintiff prosecutes *cum effectu*; and the first of these

Conditions

Cro. Jac. 67.
Audita Querela, 11 H. 6.
cap. 10.
Recogni-
sance.
Scire facias.
Condition.
Standum Ju-
ri.

Conditions is not shewn to be broken, *viz.* that the Plaintiff did not appear at the Day, &c. in Chancery; but the Breach is assign'd in a Point out of the Condition, *viz.* that the Plaintiff has not paid the 200*l.* &c. but *per Popham & totam Curiam* adjudged *contra*; for the Words in the Beginning of the Recognisance, *viz.* [*Standum Furi*] import the Whole, and include all that is to be done, *viz.* as well in the Course of the Prosecution, as in the Effect of the Suit, *viz.* Execution; for to prosecute *cum effectu*, is to follow the Suit, till Judgment, and that is but Part of the Plaintiff's *standing to the Law*; but *Finis Juris* in this Case is to pay the Condemnation; and therefore these Words in the End of the Recognisance, *Si idem* the Plaintiff his Writ, &c. do not make any new Condition, but only in some Sort expound in Part these Words, *Standum Furi*: As appears by these Words (*in forma predicta*) twice inserted, which Words refer to *Standum Furi*; for that is the Form mentioned before.

Brigges *versus* Tompson.

Information.
Venire facias.

IN this Term, between the King and one *Tompson*, in an Information upon the Statute 21 *H. 8.* for taking to Farm Land by spiritual Men; the Award of the *Venire facias* to try the Issue was made returnable *ubicunq;* &c. but the Writ of *Venire facias* was made returnable *coram nobis*, omitting these Words *ubicunque*, &c. so that it did not answer the Award on the Roll; and the King's Bench is removable, so that *coram nobis* is altogether incertain, and out of Course; and Judgment was staid on this Point.

Fairchild *versus* Gaire.

Cro. Jac. 63.
1 Brownl.
201.
Mo. 765.
Trespas.
Donative.
Resignation.
Ordinary.
Collation.
Exemption.

TRESPAS for Tithes of the Church of *B.* on the Verdict the Case appear'd to be, that the Defendant was collated to this Church, being a Donative, by *A.* and *B.* the Patrons; and that this Church is exempt from the Jurisdiction of every Ordinary. The Defendant resigned to *A.* and to *C.* who is a Stranger, & *quibuscunque aliis personis*, who have Interest, *Ecclesiam suam de B. cum omnibus Juribus*, &c. both the Patrons passed their Estates to *D.* who collated and invested the Plaintiff in the Church; whereby he seized the Tithes in Question, and the Defendant took them; and concluded, *Si constat Curia*, that the Resignation is good, then *pro Querente*, otherwise *pro Defend.* *Et per totam Curiam*, Judgment *pro Querente*; for the Resignation is good, both in Respect of the Thing which is resigned, and of the Persons to whom; for this Donative being

being exempt from Ordinary's Jurisdiction, the Resignation cannot be into his Hands; and the Incumbent shall not be compelled to keep the *Church nolens volens*, if the Patron will accept it; and therefore there being no Person to whom the Resignation can be made, but into the Hands of the Patron, it is good; and altho' the Resignation is to one Patron and a Stranger, yet it is good to both the Patrons, and void as to the Stranger; and the rather by Reason of the Words subsequent (*quibuscumq; aliis personis*); which Words include all that have any Manner of Interest. Then when it is found, that *D.* who collated the Plaintiff, had the Estate of both the Patrons, altho' no Agreement is found of the Patrons to the Resignation, it is not material; for this Finding of the Grant over to *D.* implies as much in a Verdict; then this investing of the Plaintiff in the Church by *D.* is good to give him Power to take the Profits by Reason of the first Possession; and altho' the Defendant resign'd only the Church, yet that goes to all that belongs to the Church, and that the Defendant had as Rector there; and therefore 6 *E.* 3.---is, that if the Patron grants *Ecclesiam*, it passes the Advowson. (But *nota*, *Herle* there said that was in ancient Time, *ergo* 'tis not so at this Day; to which the Court seem'd to agree:.) *Et per Curiam*, (a) the Resignation is the sole Point which the Court is to determine in this Case, for of that alone the Jury doubted; and that is only refer'd to the Court. But *per Popham Ch. Just.* if the Patron of such Donative will not collate, there is no Remedy to compel him; but it is left to his Conscience, and he may in Time of Vacation (b) take all the Profits, and sue for the Tithes in the spiritual Court: For this Donative grew at first by Consent of all Persons who had any Manner of Interest, *viz.* the Ordinary and Parishioners. But *Gaudy*, *Fenner*, *Yelverton* and *Williams contra*, and that the Ordinary might compel him to collate some Clerk; for *Rectoria* is only exempted from the Jurisdiction of the Ordinary, and not the Patron; and it goes only to Charges to be taxed upon the Church for the Ordinary's Attendance in Visitations, and such like: And *per Popham*, altho' the Church in the Execution of the Charge be spiritual, yet the Patron may collate a meer Layman, as well as the King may make a temporal Man a Dean, *quod Sape accidit*: But all the other Justices *contra*, in Case of the Person which is merely spiritual; but as to the Deanery they granted that; for that Function is temporal: And yet *Williams Justice* said, that Lay-men, who have Deaneries, ought to have and always have had Dispensations from the Archbishop: And if the Incumbent, in this Case of the Donative, preaches Heresy, or *&c.* by the Attorney General and

An Agt done to him who has Interest, and a Stranger.

Agreement implied in a Verdict.
9 Co. 51. b. First Possession.

Special Verdict.
1 Inst. 17. b.

(a) 5 Co 97. a.
Cro. Car. 22.
Cro. El. 238.
Mo. 267, 268.
Jury's Doubt.
No Remedy.

(b) Vide
Fitz. aid de
Roy 103.
Tithes.
Spiritual Court.

Dean.

Dispensation.

Heresy.

R

Popham,

Popham, the Ordinary may correct him ; for *Rector* is not exempt from the Jurisdiction, but *Rectoria* only : But *per Gaudy, Fenner, Yelverton* and *Williams*, the Ordinary cannot meddle with him, for the Person is privileged in Respect of the Place ; but the Patron may by Commission in its Nature examine the Matter, and oust and deprive him upon Cause ; *Quod nota* : And *sic accidit* in the Case of one *Covert*, as *Gaudy* and *Williams* said, where the Bishop of *Winchester* was Donator of such Donative. *Vide* 13 E. 4.

Sir George Moore versus Foster.

Cro. Jac. 65.
Words.
Commis-
sioner of
Chancery.
Star-Cham-
ber.
Bribery.
Indictment.
Forgery.

9 Co. 70. b.
71. a.

SIR *George Moore* (with others) being a Commissioner to examine Witnesses on a Suit in Chancery between *A.* and *B.* *A.* one of the Parties (*posito* the Defendant) said to him, that he was a *corrupt Man*, and that *B. had set him on Horseback with Bribes to suppress Justice, Truth and Equity* ; and upon these Words, *Sir George* brought an Action ; and this Matter appear'd in the Declaration, and it was found for the Plaintiff : And (by *Fenner* and *Williams*) Judgment ought not to be for the Plaintiff ; for the being a Commissioner by the mutual Assent and Election of the Parties, is not in any judicial Course, but only arbitrary whether he will be or not ; and also by the Common Law of the Land, the Misusage and Miscarrying of a Commissioner of the Business is not punishable ; for he is not sworn to do any Thing, but it is only voluntary ; also it does not appear that the Commission was return'd ; and so all former Proceedings frustrate ; and altho' the Misdemeanour of the Commissioner may be punished in the Star-Chamber, yet that is but discretionary, and not *de rigore Juris*. But *Popham Chief Justice, Gaudy* and *Yelverton contra* strenuously ; for the Commission in this Case to the Commissioners issues under the Great Seal, and is a special Trust and Confidence which the Court and the King (as appears by the Stile of the Commission) repose in the Commissioners ; and to falsify this Trust is a great Offence ; and for Bribery to suppress Truth, is a heavy Slander. And if *J.* and *F.* are Arbitrators between *A.* and *B.* and *A.* says to *J.* that he has taken such Bribes of *B.* that he is *fallen from hearing any Thing on his Side*, it is a Slander punishable ; for by the Common Law such Corruption in Matters of Reference may be punished by Indictment ; and so may Forgery be punished at the Common Law ; otherwise the Law would be defective, to suffer such Offence without Punishment : And altho' the Commissioner is not sworn, nor the Commission return'd, yet that does not

extenuate the Slander ; but the Defendant's Malice appears the same. And Judgment was given accordingly.

Sir Richard Champernon versus Hill.

IN an Action on the Statute of 2 E. 6. for *not setting forth* 2 & 3 E. 6.
of Tithes; the Plaintiff shew'd that the Rector of *Moldbury* 13.
had two Parts of the Tithes in three Parts to be divided, and Cro. Jac. 68.
that the Vicar of the same Place had the third Part of the 1 Brownl. 86.
Tithes; and laid it to be by Prescription as to the Manner of Mc. 914.
the Receipt of the Tithes by the Parson and the Vicar, from Noy 3.
Time whercof: He further shew'd, that the Parson and Vicar Tithes de-
had by several Leases demised the Tithes to him; and so he manded on
being *Proprietarius* of the Tithes, the Defendant sowed so several Ti-
many Acres within the Parish, viz. *Wheat, Rye, &c.* and car- tles in one
ried them away without setting forth *decimam partem deci-* Action.
marum prædictarum to his Damage, &c. And upon *Nil debet*
pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff; and in Arrest of Judg-
ment it was shewn, that the Plaintiff has in this Writ com-
prised several Actions upon the Statute; and this appears by
his own Shewing; for he does not claim the Tithes under one Joinder in
Title, but under the several Titles, of the Parson, viz. of the Action.
two Parts, and of the Vicar, viz. of the third Part; and no
more than the Parson and Vicar can join in this Writ, by Rea-
son their Titles are divided; no more can the Plaintiff, who
claims severally under them. And it seems, that the Parson
cannot have this Action against several Tenants for not *setting*
forth their several Tithes, tho' all the Tithes belong to him,
because he cannot comprehend two Actions in one; *quod Fen-*
ner concedit; but all the other Justices *contra*; for altho' the
Vicar and the Parson in this Case cannot join, because they
claim the Tithes severally by divided Rights, yet when both
their Titles are conjoined in one Person, as they are here in the
Plaintiff, then the Matter of the Title is likewise conjoined in
one; and it is sufficient to shew generally, that the Plaintiff is
Firmarius or *Proprietarius* of the Tithes, without saying by
what Title; for this is but a personal Action founded merely
upon the Contempt against the Statute, in not *setting forth*
the Tithes; and also he doth not demand any Tithes by this Post. 117.
Action, so that the Title cannot come in Debate; but the De-
fendant is only to excuse himself of the Contempt: Yet it
was agreed by all, that the Plaintiff should recover the Tithes
in Damages, and should not demand them again by any Suit Damages.
after his Recovery in this Action. *Quod nota.*

D. For

Doctor Nevil versus Bates.

Cro. Jac. 64.
Trespafs.
Amendment
of the *Venire*
facias.

AFTER Issue between the Parties, the *Venire facias*, upon which the Trial was, was made returnable *quind' Hill*, and bore *Teste 12 Feb.* which is the last Day of *Hillary* Term; and yet (*per Curiam*) it shall be amended in the Date of the *Teste*, viz. to issue forth before the Return of it, and that in Favour of Trials; for it is but the Default of the Clerk. And a Precedent was shewn where the *Venire facias* bore *Teste 24 Feb.* which is out of Term returnable in the Term-Time; and it was amended. And also in the Case in Question the *Distr' Jurat'* likewise bore *Teste 12 Feb.* which is the same Day of the *Teste* of the *Venire facias*; and this *Distr'* in its Nature issues after the *Venire facias* return'd; and amended also in that Point, for it is but a Misprision of the

(a) Post. 69.
Cro. Jac. 78.

Clerk: But in the same Case this Term, between (a) *Lee* Plaintiff against *Lacon* for a Trespafs in *Com' Salop*: After Issue between the Parties, and a *Venire facias* awarded on the Roll, (which Award is always general) the Writ of *Venire facias* was made (*Vicecomiti*) omitting (*Salop*) for a Space was in the Writ for it; but yet it was really executed by the Sheriff of *Salop*; and it was alledged in Arrest of Judgment, that the *Venire facias* was vicious for that Reason: But by *Gandy*, it shall be amended; and *per Fenner* and *Williams*, it is as no Writ, because it is not directed to any Officer, and then it is aided by the Statute of Jeofails.

Statute of
Jeofails.
Salk. 454.

Sir John Hollis versus Briscoe.

Cro. Jac. 58.

HE keeps Thieves and Traytors to do Mischief, and gives them nothing for their Labour but blue Liveries: And by *Popham*, the Words are actionable; for the Words (*do Mischief*) shall be intended *in that Kind*, and according to the Qualities of the Persons spoken of before, viz. to do Theft and Treason; as if he had said, *J. S. keeps a perjured Fellow in his House for his Purpose, to serve his Turn withal*; it shall be intended, *to serve his Turn in Perjury*. But *tota Curia contra* in both Cases; for a Man may keep Thieves and Traytors, and not know them to be of such Condition; and likewise he may keep them to do Hurt and Mischief, and yet not in Theft or Treason; as to break down his Neighbour's Hedge, to chase his Cattle, &c. and Judgment was enter'd, *Nil capiat per billam*. (This Case was adjudged in *Term. Hill. 2 Jac.*)

Birket *versus* Manning.

DEBT by J. Birket against William Manning, as Administrator of J. S. The Defendant pleaded *Plene administravit*: The Plaintiff replied, that he ought not to be barred by any Thing said *Per prædictum Willhelmum*; for he said *Prædictus J. habet, & die Impetrationis, &c. habuit, diversa bona, &c. & hoc petit, &c.* And it was moved in Arrest of Judgment, that there was not any Issue joined; for the Plaintiff ought to have replied, that the Defendant had Assets, and he says that he himself has Assets, which is not the Matter in Question; but (*per Curiam*) it shall be amended, for it is but the Default of the Clerk: As 9 *Eliz. Dy.* where it is said, & *Prædict' Defendens similiter*, where it should be *Prædict' Querens similiter*; and that has been often amended.

Cro. Jac. 67.
Brownl. 87.
Debr.
Amendment.
Replication
amended after
Verdict.

Cro Jac. 587.
Palmer 524.
Cro. El. 752.
8 Co. 161. b.
Dyer 261.
p. 25.

Trin. 3 JAC. B. R.

Middleton *versus* Cheseaman. * Rot. 723.

* Vide
1 Mod. 294.

IN an Action of Covenant to deliver Iron, the Defendant pleaded two Pleas issuable, *viz.* a Delivery of the Iron according to the Covenant, and by his third Plea he pleaded a Concord; upon which the Plaintiff demurr'd generally, *Et dicit quod placitum prædict' minus suffic', &c.* And (*per Curiam*) it is a Discontinuance of the whole Matter; for this Word (*Placitum*) is uncertain to which of the three Pleas it shall be referr'd, so that as to two Pleas pleaded, the Defendant remains unanswer'd: Also if it should be taken that this Word (*Placitum*) goes to the last Plea only, because the Pleading of the Concord is the Matter only doubtful in Law, the other two Pleas being only issuable, upon which it shall not be presumed that the Plaintiff would tender a Demurrer, then the Plaintiff not descending to Issue upon the other two Pleas, nothing is done as to them, so the Record is imperfect, and by Consequence a Discontinuance of the whole Matter. *Per totam Curiam.*

Covenant.
Incertainy.
Demurrer.
Discontinu-
ance of Suit.
1 Sand. 338.
contra.
Placitum, to
what it re-
fers.

Sir Edward Winter.

Indictment.
Wear.
Where an
Indictment
ought to be
contra Pa-
cem nuper
Reginæ, as
well as con-
tra Pacem
Regis, &c.
* Comb. 168.
1 Show. 28.
Salk. 636.
Lutw. 1604.

SIR *Edward Winter*, and several others were indicted for erecting a Wear upon the River *Wye*, whereby the Passage of the Subjects with Boats, &c. was stopped and hinder'd; and it was laid to be in the Time *Eliz. Anno 43.* and for the Continuance of it *ad Nocumentum* of the Subjects of the King that now is; and so the Jurors conclude, that the said Wear was erected and continued *contra Pacem Regis nunc*, &c. and the Indictment adjudg'd void, because 'tis not as well * *contra Pacem nuper Reginæ*, as *contra Pacem Regis nunc*; for the Commencement of the Tort was in the Time of the Queen, and that was an Offence to the Crown at that Time; for although the Parties might be indicted for the Continuance of this Tort only, without alledging *in factō*, or expressly, when the Tort commenced, yet the Scope of this Indictment is not to make the Offences several, as they are *in se*; because although the Jurors have concluded upon both, yet they have found the *Peace of this King* only to be broke. But, by *Popham Chief Justice*, if the Conclusion of the Jury had been upon the Continuance of the Tort only, then it should be taken in Law to be an Indictment to that Purpose only, and the other Matter of the Finding of the Erection of the said Wear to be but an Information *Quomodo Res gesta fuit*: Or if the Jurors had found, that whereas Sir *Edward Winter*, &c. had in the Time of the Queen erected, &c. they continued it in the Time of this King, *contra Pacem Regis nunc*, it had been good; because the express Matter found was only the Continuance of the Tort, and the other but a Recital or Introduction to the Matter found. *Quod Curia concessit. Yelverton* was for Sir *Edward*.

The Case of an Hostler.

Assumpsit.
Request.
Act of Law.

† Cro. El.
74, 91, 229.
Hutt. 73.
Poph. 160.
Cro. Jac.
183, 523.
1 Sand. 33.

IN an Action on the Case on *Assumpsit*, the Plaintiff declared, and shewed himself to be an Hostler, and that the Defendant brought his Horse to him, and agreed to give 6 *d.* Livery for Day and Night; and because the Horse had been there for so many Days and Nights, as amounted to 20 *l.* the Plaintiff brought the Action, and declared, *Licet sapius requisitus*, without alledging a Request *in factō*: And it was adjudged good; for † where the Ground of the Action is for a Debt, in which Case the Law implies the Promise, there the Request is not issuable, nor Parcel of the Consideration: Otherwise where the Action is founded upon a mere collateral Matter, and not upon a Duty, for there the Request is issuable, and ought to

be expressly alledged; and altho' the Agreement was for 6*d.* Day and Night, and the Plaintiff has joined so many Days and Nights as amount to 20*l.* and demanded a Recompence upon the Promise accordingly, yet it is good; for the Plaintiff shall not be compelled to bring his Action for every 6*d.* but the Promise is intire in it self, *viz.* to pay all that the Horse shall take *secundum Ratam* 6*d.* Day and Night. And it is not to be compar'd to a * single Bond, on which the Action does not lie till all the Days are incurr'd; for there the Writing is Simple in the Whole: And in this Case it was said by *Popham Chief Justice*, that if a Man brings his Horse to an Inn, and leaves him there in the Stable without any special Agreement what to pay, there the Innholder is not bound to deliver the Horse, till the Party and Owner has defrayed his Charge for the Horse; † but he may justify the Detainer of the Horse for his Food and Keeping: And after the Horse has eat as much as he is worth, the Innholder, upon a reasonable Praisement, may sell him, and it is a good Sale in Law. But in the Case *supra*, although the Horse had eat out his double Price, the Innholder could not sell him; for he has relied upon the Promise to pay 6*d.* Day and Night, and he must rest upon that. So if a †† Tailor has my Apparel to make, and he makes it accordingly, he is not obliged to deliver it till he is paid for the Making of it; but although in that Case he may detain till he is paid; yet for Default of Payment he cannot sell it, as in the other Case he may sell the Horse; the Reason is, because the Keeping of the Horse is a Charge, because he eats; but the Keeping of the Apparel is not any Charge. *Quod tota Curia concessit.*

Promise intire.
Single Bond is intire.

* Ow. 42.
10 Co. 128. b.
1 Inst. 47. b.
292. b.
Cro. Jac. 503.
Cro. Car.
241.

Hofler.

† Salk. 388.
1 Rol. Rep.
449.
Mo. 877.
Cro. Car.
271.
Hob. 42.
Sale of a
Horse for
not paying
for his Li-
very.

†† Palm. 223.
8 Co. 147.
Taylor.

Broome *versus* Wooton.

IN Trover of certain Goods in Particular; the Defendant pleaded that the Plaintiff had brought the like Action against *J. S.* for the same Goods before this Action brought, in which Suit he so far *prosequutus est* against *J. S.* that he had Judgment and Execution against *J. S.* and averr'd that the Goods contain'd in both Actions were the same Goods: Upon which the Plaintiff demurr'd; and it was adjudg'd against the Plaintiff. And a Difference was taken by the whole Court, where the Demand and Recovery is of a Thing certain, and where of a Thing incertain: As where two are bound in 100*l.* to *J. S.* jointly and severally, there § Recovery and Execution against one is no Bar against the other; for Execution is not any Satisfaction of the 100*l.* demanded; according to the Books, 4 *H.* 7. 22.

Cro. Jac. 73.
Mo. 762.
Trover.
Where Judgment against one bars the Plaintiff against another.

§ 2 Show.
394.
3 Mod. 86.
Lutw. 878.
2 Show. 441.
494.
E. 4. Comb. 4, 32.

Action a-
gainst two.
Recovery a-
gainst one.
14 H. 4. 22.
Thing cer-
tain and in-
certain.

7 H. 4. 30.
Judgment
66.
Noy 4.

E. 4.— and *Br. Cafes.* But where a Trespass is committed by two, which rests only in Damages, and the Plaintiff recovers against one, and has Execution, there it is a good Bar against the other. *Immo* it was agreed, that the very Judgment is a sufficient Bar; for *Transit in Rem judicatam*, and the Thing uncertain is now by the Judgment made certain, and so alter'd and changed into another Nature than it was at first; and therefore he cannot resort to demand the Incertainty again, for the first Judgment shall be a Bar to it. The Law is the same of a Battery committed by several, and a Recovery against one, in an Action afterwards against the other for the same Battery, the first Recovery is a Bar; as it was this very Term agreed between *Hickman* Plaintiff, and Sir *John Poyms* and his Servants for the Battery of *Hickman*.

Chanel *versus* Robotham.

Trespass.
Latin Word
improper.
Grant de bo-
nis & Ca-
tallis.
Where a
Bond passes
by a Grant
de bonis &
Catallis.
Accessorium
sequitur
suum Prin-
cipale.

IN Trespass, *Quare bona & Catalla sua cepit, viz. unum Scriptum obligatorium, in quo continetur, quod I. S. tenetur* to the Plaintiff in 100*l.* and declares of several other Goods in Special, and among others, *De una Hama, Anglice, a Crow of Iron*; and upon *Non Culp'* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff, and Damages assess'd: But adjudged, *Nil capiat per Billam*; for by *Fenner, Telverton* and *Williams*, when a Man expresses in *Latin* a Thing to be taken by Wrong, and englishes it; if the *Latin* Word has no such Signification as is englished, it is not good; and in this Case *Hama* is not *Latin* for a *Crow of Iron*, but for an *Engine* with which a *House on Fire* is pulled down; but if he declares on a *Latin* Word, which has no perfect Signification, nor so elegant as it might be; yet upon his Englishing of it whereby the Plaintiff's Meaning appears to the Court, the Plaintiff shall recover, and the Jury shall be intended to give Damages according to the Declaration in *Latin*, not having Respect to the Englishing; but when there is a proper *Latin* Word to express the Thing taken, there if the Plaintiff declares by another Word, it is not good. But that was taken by *Popham* and *Gaudy* to be too nice, and to tend to the Subversion of several former Judgments. But *per totam Curiam* the Action does not lie; because he declares of divers Goods and Chattels; and amongst others, he declares of the Taking of a Bond; for a Bond, or the Value of it cannot be demanded by the Name of Goods and Chattels; for by such general Name a Bond does not pass contrary to 25 *H. 8. Dy.* the * Opinion of *Fitzherbert*: And although it was objected, that the Parchment and Wax are *Bona & Catalla*, and may pass by that Name; yet for as much

* Dy. 5.
pl. 3.
Cro. Jac.
637.
Cro. Car.
262.

as the Debt included and wrote upon it is the Principal, the Words of the Grant ought to comprehend the Name of the Principal. But (*per Popham*) if a Man grants to *J. S.* all his Goods and Chattels in such a Box, and there are Bonds in that Box, there the Bonds pass by Reason of the special Reference expressed by the Grant: *Quod Curia concessit.*

Hard. 111.
4 Mod. 156.
Salk. 654.
Vide Cro.
El. 723. &
Registr. 106.
b.

Lee *versus* Lacon.

TRESPASS; the Action was laid *in Com' Salop'*, and upon *Non Culp'* pleaded, a *Venire facias* was made *Vicecom'* with a Space for *Salop'*, but *Salop'* was not named at all, and by Virtue of this Writ the Sheriff of *Salop'* empanell'd the Jury, who found for the Plaintiff; and the Matter *supra* was alledg'd in Arrest of Judgment, *viz.* that the *Venire facias* was vitious, so a Mistrial: But by *Fenner* and *Williams* Justices, 'tis as if no *Venire facias* had been awarded, and so aided by the Statute of *Jeofails*; for in as much as the County, (*viz.* *Salop'*) is left out and omitted, the Sheriff of *Salop'* had no Power nor Authority to summon the Jury, because the Writ, which is his Warrant, was generally (*Vicecomiti*) and is not of any County: But, *per totam Curiam*, the better Way is to amend it. In which this Difference was taken, where the Action is laid *in Com' Salop'*, and upon Pleading specially, the Issue is drawn to a Foreign County, there the Entry and the Award of the *Venire facias* upon the Roll is special, *viz.* to the Sheriff of the County where the Issue to be tried arises; and therefore in such Case a Writ of *Venire facias Vicecomiti* (with a Blank) will not be good, because it stands indifferent to the Sheriff of which County the *Venire facias* was intended to be awarded; and upon that Incertainty it will be ill. But where the general Issue is taken, or the Matter is triable in the same County where the Action is laid, there the *Venire facias* in the Award upon the Roll is only, *Fiat inde Jurata*, which ought of Necessity to be to the Sheriff of the County where the Action is brought, and cannot be intended otherwise; and therefore it is but the Fault of the Clerk, which shall be amended: And so it was. *Telverton pro Quer'.*

Cro. Jac. 78.
1 Brownl.
202.
Trespafs.
Void venire.
County omitted.
Statute of
Jeofails.
Venire facias amended.
Incertainity.
Ante 64.

Baily *versus* Moone.

TRESPASS of Battery in *Plimouth* before the Mayor and Bailiffs there; upon *Non Culp'* pleaded (which Issue appeared afterwards to be waived, and Judgment to be given for the Plaintiff) a Writ of Inquiry of Damages was directed to the Serjeants of the Mace there, that *per*

1 Brownl.
203.
Trespafs.
Error.

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Sacra-

Sacramentum 12, &c. they should inquire, &c. and it was made returnable *ad proximam Curiam* before the Mayor and Bailiffs: And upon a Writ of Error brought in the King's Bench, it appear'd by the Record returned, that the Writ of Inquiry of Damages was taken before the Mayor of *Plimouth*, who is also Judge of the Court, and for that Reason it was reversed; for the Writ warrants the Inquiry of the Damages to be before the Serjeants at Mace, who for this Purpose by the Writ are made distinct Officers; then an Inquiry before the Mayor is not warranted by any Writ, and by Consequence Judgment to recover such Damages taxed before a wrong Officer, to whom the Writ was not directed, is erroneous. *Quod tota Curia concessit. Yelverton pro Querente.*

Vale *versus* Egles.

Cro. Jac. 69.
Error on Assumpsit.
Conf. in Law on Assumpsit.
Damages more than Plaintiff demands.

Cro. El. 544,
568.
2 Rol. Rep. 447.

Ante 45.

13 H. 7. 16,
17.
2 H. 6, 7. 26

THE Plaintiff declared in the Court of *Coventry* on an *Assumpsit*, that whereas the Plaintiff and Defendant such a Day *in simul computassent*, viz. 4 *Maii*, and the Defendant was found in Arrears 10*l.* he *in Consideratione inde* promised to pay it 19 *Maii* after; and declared that the Defendant had not paid it the same 19 *Die*, although *requisitus*; to his Damages 10*l.* And upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff, and Damages given to 10*l.* and for Costs 20*s.* and Judgment accordingly; and a Writ of Error was thereupon brought. And 1. It was assigned, that this Action does not lie, because no certain Duty or Sum of Money appears to be due, upon which to ground the Action. But it was answer'd by the Court, that by the Accompt between the Parties, that which was before incertain is reduced to a Certainty, and of such Estimation in Law, that the Party may have his Action of Debt, and by Consequence an *Assumpsit* on the Consideration in Law, viz. the Debt precedent. 2. It was moved, that the Party has recover'd more than he has declared for; for he has declared to the Damage of 10*l.* only, and he has Judgment to recover 11*l.* To which it was answer'd by the Court, that the Judgment is good; for the Judgment for the Damages is not more than the Plaintiff has declar'd; for the Jury have sever'd the Damages and the Costs, viz. Damages 10*l.* and Costs 20*s.* and accordingly shall the Judgment be taken to be; and Damages and Costs are given in the Action for several Causes; Damages for the Loss sustained before the Action brought, and Costs for the Trouble and Expence in Suit; otherwise it is a true Rule, that the Plaintiff shall not recover more in Damages than according to his Declaration; for the Plaintiff is by the Law taken to be best confusant of his own Damage, and so are the Books 13 *H. 7.* 2 *H. 6.* 3 *H. 6.* to be understood. 3. Error was moved that the

Plaint

Plaint was enter'd 16 *Maii* 44 *Eliz.* and the Plaintiff declares on an *Infimus computassent* 4 *Maii* the same Year, and that the Defendant was then found in Arrears, and *in Consideratione inde* he promised to pay the Plaintiff the 10*l.* 19 *Maii* after: And thereby it appears that the Plaintiff at the Time of the Entry of his Plaint, which was 16 *Maii*, had no Cause of Action; for 'till 19 *Maii* past, in which the Promise was to pay the 10*l.* there was no Breach of Promise, and by Consequence no Cause of Action. And for this Reason, being apparent within the Record certified, the Judgment was revert. *Yelverton pro Defendente.*

Plaint enter'd before Cause of Action.

Paler & Bartlet *versus* Hardyman and his Wife.

THE Plaintiffs brought an Action of Debt in the Common Pleas against *Paler* and *Bartlet*, *Quod reddant eis unum Dolium ferri, ad Valentiam* 12*l.* and declared upon a Bill, *prædictum Dolium deliberand'* within such a Time; and that the Defendants had not deliver'd it accordingly, to Damage, &c. and upon *Non est Factum* pleaded, it was tried against the Defendants; whereby Judgment was given, *Quod Quer' recuperent Dolium Ferri, vel Valorem ejusdem, ad damna, &c.* and thereupon a Writ issu'd *ad distringend'* the Defendants, *Quod reddant prædictum Dolium Ferri vel Valorem ejusdem, & si non reddant Dolium, tunc per Sacrament', &c. inquiret quantum idem Dolium valet*, and before any Return of this Writ of Inquiry of Damages, the Plaintiffs in the Common Pleas took a *Capias* upon the Judgment, and an *Exigent* upon that; wherefore the Defendants brought a Writ of Error upon the Matter aforesaid; and it was adjudged Error for two Reasons: 1. Because the Judgment is in the Disjunctive, *Quod Quer' recuperent Dolium Ferri, vel Valorem inde*; which ought not to be, but only, *Quod recuperent Dolium Ferri & si non Valorem inde*; as in Detinue; for in this Case it appears by the Judgment that the Plaintiffs may elect which they will have, *viz. Dolium, vel Valorem*, which should not be; for if the Ton of Iron is to be had, they shall recover that only; but if it is not to be deliver'd, *tunc Valorem inde*, and not before. 2. Because the Judgment is not perfect before the Writ returned, which issued to the Sheriff to distrain the Defendants *reddere Dolium*, and if not to inquire of the Value; and before the Return of the Writ, nothing in certain appears whereon to ground a *Capias*, or other Writ of Execution; for the Judgment comprehends no Certainty, but is to be made certain by the Return of that Writ. *Quod tota Curia concessit. Yelverton pro Quer'.*

1 Brownl. 37. Error on Debt. Judgment disjunctive. Detinue. Judgment imperfect till the Writ of Inquiry of Damages return'd.

Cro. Jac. 631.

2 Rol. Rep. 126. Noy 80. Stile 109. 1 And. 145

Mich.

Mich. 3 J A C. B. R.

Stile *versus* Heape.

Cro. Jac. 30,
120.
Words.

Thou hast most perjuredly presented me at the Visitation:
Upon these Words the Plaintiff brought the Action, and shewed that he was a *Sidesman* in the Parish of D. where, &c. and was sworn to execute his Office truly, and to present Offences within the Parish; and that he, *Vinculo Juramenti astrictus*, presented the Defendant at the Bishop's Visitation, wherefore the Defendant spoke the Words: And it was found at the Assises for the Plaintiff; and it was moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Words are not actionable: 1. Because the Defendant does not precisely affirm any Perjury to be committed by the Plaintiff, but speaks by a Term of Similitude (*viz. perjuredly*;) as if one says, *Thou hast thievishly taken my Money out of my Purse*; these are not actionable: The same Law if one says, *Thou hast dealt traiterously with J. S.* no Action lies: But *Quare* if they were, *Thou hast dealt traiterously with the King*; by *Telverton* Justice. The second Reason was, because the Plaintiff does not shew what Presentment he made at the Visitation, so that it might appear to the Court to be within the Compass of his Office; for if the Plaintiff presents one at the Visitation for a Quarreller, or for a Thief, it is out of the Bounds of his Office, and no Perjury, although it be false, because it is a Matter not examinable there. By *Fenner, Telverton and Williams*; *Popham* being absent.

Perjury.

Harris *versus* Dixon.

Cro. Jac. 158.
Words.

FRancis Harris hath procured and suborned one Smith to come Thirty Miles to commit Perjury against his Father, before my Lord of Winchester, and gave Smith 10*l.* to that Purpose: And 40*l.* Damages given to the Plaintiff. And in Arrest of Judgment *Telverton* moved that the Words are not actionable, because it does not appear that my Lord of Winchester had any Commission or Authority to take an Oath, and then it cannot be Perjury; for he is not any Judge known competent to take an Oath, unless by Virtue of some Commission, which ought to be shewn to the Court. *Quod fuit concessum per Fenner, Telverton and Williams*; *Popham* being absent. *Telverton* for the Defendant.

Carpenter *versus* Colins.

J. Norrington had Issue a Son and a Daughter, and devised that his Son should have his Land at the Age of Twenty-four, and gave 40*l.* to the Daughter to be paid at the Age of Twenty-two; and further willed that *Carpenter* the Plaintiff should be his Executor, and should repair his Houses, and have the Oversight and Doing of all his Lands and moveable Goods till the several Ages aforesaid, and died. *Carpenter* the Executor demised the Land to *Colins* at Will, *Habund' a Festo Die Mich' quamdiu Partibus placuerit*, yielding yearly 3*l.* and brought Debt for the 3*l.* and shewed that *Colins* enter'd and occupied *a Festo Die, &c. usque ad Festum Mich'*. And upon *Nil debet* pleaded, the Jury found the Matter *supra*, and that the Son died, (but did not find of what Age he was at the Time of his Death, but only that the Daughter at the Time of the Death of the Son was Nineteen & *non amplius*.) And found the Lease made by the Plaintiff, and that the Lessee by Virtue thereof enter'd, and continued Possession *a Festo Die Mich'* for a Year and more; and found that within that Year the Daughter enter'd, and that the Defendant attorn'd to the Daughter, and refused to continue Tenant to the Plaintiff. And by *Fenner, Telverton* and *Williams*, Judgment was given against the Plaintiff; for, by *Fenner* and *Telverton*, the Plaintiff took no Interest in the Land by the Will; for the Oversight and Doing of his Lands shall be intended only in the Right of the Heir, and to his Use, because the Testator thought not his Son of Discretion and Government till Twenty-four Years, and in the mean Time appointed the Executor to oversee and order the Land to the Profit of the Heir who wanted Discretion; like to 28 H. 8. Dy. 26. where *Cestuy que Use* declared, that *J. S.* should have *tam Gubernationem, &c. Puerorum, quam the Disposing, Setting, Letting, and Ordering* of his Lands: And *per Cur' J. S.* has it only to husband for the Profit of the Children, and not otherwise. But *Williams* Justice conceiv'd that he had an Estate on a Limitation to be determin'd at the Son's Age of Twenty-four, and because it does not appear at what Age he died; (for that is not found by the Verdict) *ergo* it is uncertain, and therefore the Entry of the Daughter lawful; for the Limitation goes only to the Age of the Son, and not to the Age of the Daughter; for the Daughter's Age shall be intended to be set down for the Receipt of her Legacy of 40*l.* and for no other Purpose. Then it was moved that within the Time, in which this Rent demanded is supposed to be incurr'd, the Defendant has determin'd his Will, as appears by the Verdict, he attorned to the Daughter, and refused to be Tenant to the Plaintiff. But by *Fenner* and *Williams*, it is found by the Verdict, that by Force of the Lease made by the Plaintiff the Defendant enter'd and occupied for all the Time contain'd in the Declaration, and more: And also that a Tenant at

Mo. 774.
1 Brownl. 88.
Debt.
Demise.
No Interest
in the Land,
but Over-
sight.
Interest.
Tenant at
Will.

Cro. Eliz.
678, 734.

Will cannot determine so short a Time before the End of the Year; for that would be mischievous to the Lessor, that his Tenant at Will should determine his Will, and deny the Occupation two Days before the End of the Year, when he has taken the whole Profit of the Year. (And *revera*, vide 21 H. 7. Crook's Reports, and there *Patet* that Lessee at Will cannot determine his Will within the Year, to the Prejudice of the Lessor, but that he shall answer the whole Rent reserved.) But *Telverton contra*; and also (by him) the Declaration is not good; for by the Plaintiff's own shewing it appears, that there wants a Day of the Occupation for a Year; for he declares that the Defendant occupied it *a Festo Die Mich' usque ad Festum Diem*, &c. whereby *Michaelmas* Day is excluded: But *Nota*, that it does not appear that the Lessee was expelled by the Plaintiff who was Lessor; and no Entry of a Stranger upon him (although it be by his Agreement) shall determine the Lease against the Lessor; for it is Covin, if the Lessor is not privy and acquainted with it: *Quod fuit concessum* by the other Justices. But all agreed in the Title against the Plaintiff. (*Quod Nota*) Popham being absent; who on the Report of the Case by *Thomas Warr* (as *Warr* said) was of Opinion, that the Plaintiff took an Interest by the Words of the Will. *Nota*, *Telverton pro Quer'*.

Keilw. 65. b.
Salk. 413,
414.
Aley n 4.
Cro. El. 775.

Cro. Jac. 300.

Faldo *versus* Ridge.

Trespass.

THE Plaintiff declar'd for a Trespass in *Great-long-meade* in D. 12 *Maii Anno* 1. with Continuance, to his Damage, &c. The Defendant pleaded *protestando*, that the Trespass is not continued *Modo & forma*, &c. *pro placito*, that at the Time of the Trespass he was possessed of a Close called *Wood-end* in D. for a certain Term *ad tunc & adhuc ventur' cuidam Clauso*, called *Little-long-meade*, *contigue adjacent'*, and that *Great-long-meade* to the same Close, called *Little-long-meade*, *similiter est contigue adjacens & existens in D. prædicta*: *Quodque* the Plaintiff *similiter tempore quo*, &c. was possessed of the said several Closes, called *Little-long-meade* and *Great-long-meade*, for a certain Term then to come; and that the Plaintiff *prædicto tempore quo*, &c. *debut reparare, facere & manutenere sepes*, &c. *tam inter* the Close called *Wood-end*, and the Close called *Little-long-meade*, *quam inter Little-long-meade* and *Great-long-meade*; and that the Defendant so possessed of the Close called *Wood-end*, *tempore quo*, &c. *posuit Averia sua præd'* into the same Close called *Wood-end*, to feed there; and said in *Facto*, that the Plaintiff *tempore quo*, &c. *permisit sepes & Fensuras inter* the Close called *Wood-end*, and the Close called *Little-long-meade*, and the said Close called

Great-long-meade in quo, &c. for Default of Reparation *Remanere apertas, confra& & minime reparat*; whereby the Cattle aforefaid put by the Defendant into *Wood-end, per fracturam sepium, &c.* between the faid Clofe called *Wood-end*, and the faid Clofe called *Little-long-meade, in, per & trans & extra Little-long-meade ufque in* Great-long-meade, *in quo, &c.* enter'd, and the Plaintiff's Grafs *ad tunc & ibidem crefcen* in the fame Clofe, in which in Default of fufficient Reparation, &c. *conculcaverunt & confumpferunt modo & forma prout* the Plaintiff has declared, which is the fame Trefpafs, &c. And two Exceptions were taken to the Bar. 1. Because the Defendant pleads generally, that he was poffeffed of the Clofe called *Wood-end*, and does not fhew of whose Leafe, nor for what Time; and that is iffuable and traversable on the Part of the Plaintiff, as appears 21 *Eliz. Dy.* But *per Cur'* he need not, because the Interest of the Clofe called *Wood-end* is not in Question; but is merely collateral to the Thing in Question, and is but a * Conveyance to the fubfequent Matter; for whether the Defendant is poffeffed or feifed by Title or by Tort, the Poffeffion and Occupation of the Land is fufficient to juftify the Putting in of the Cattle into that Clofe whereof he is poffeffed, although it be but at Will. The fecond Objection was, because the Defendant fays only *Quod Quer. debuit reparare, &c.* and does not fhew by what Title, and in what Sort; as 19 *H. 6. 33. b. & 21 H. 6. 5. a.* are; where alfo this Word (*Debuit*) cannot make an Ifsue triable by the Country; for every Man's Ground has an Enclofure in Law, the Bounds whereof his Cattle ought not to pafs without fhewing a fpecial Reason, as Covenant or Prefcription to make an Enclofure in Fact. But *per Curiam non allocat*; for the Difference is, where the Right of Enclofing to charge the Inheritance is in Question, and where the Plea goes only in Excufe of a Trefpafs; as in *Curia claudenda*, he ought to fhew the Title in the *Debet & Solet*; for that is only in the Right, and binds the Inheritance for ever. 22 *E. 4. Curia claudenda 2. 10 E. 4. 7. & 36 H. 6. Barre 168.* but in this Cafe it goes only in Excufe of a Trefpafs *hac Vice*; and alfo the Defendant is a Stranger to the Plaintiff's Title, and cannot be prefumed to know by what Title he ought to repair; as 19 *H. 6. 33. b.* if the Tenant in a real Action pleads Jointenancy on his own Part, he ought to fhew of whose Feoffment or Gift, because he well knows how he came to the Land; but if he pleads Jointenancy on the Part of the Plaintiff it is otherwife; for he may well know that a Stranger has Title with the Plaintiff, and yet be ignorant by what Title: So here, the Defendant may well know that the Plaintiff ought to repair the Fence, and yet not know by what Title this

Inclofure;

Dy. 365. b.

* Cro. Car. 138.

2 Mod. 70.

3 Mod. 132.

Vide Lutw.

1492. contra.

Where debuit reparare shall be good Pleading.

Curia claudenda.

Jointenancy pleaded.

Repa-

* Nov 129.
Cro. Jac.
206.
1 Show. 127.
† Cro. Eliz.
246.

Reparation ought to be made. And (*per Popham*) it is good Policy for the Defendant in this Case to be sparing in setting down the Plaintiff's Title lest he should mistake it, and so be trick'd; and therefore the Bar is good by the Manner: And Judgment was given accordingly by *Popham*, *Fenner* and *Telverton*; *Williams* being of a contrary Opinion. *Telverton pro Defend' Hill. 5 Jac.* this Judgment was reversed in the Exchequer, * and upon the Record return'd into the King's Bench, they gave Judgment, that the Plaintiff should recover, contrary to the first Judgment; for otherwise they said the Law would be defective: And a Precedent was shewn in † *Winchcomb's Case*, 38 *Eliz.* where the same Course was taken.

Raynay *versus* Alexander.

Affidavit.
Act preceding the Promise ought to appear to be performed.
Election.
Prædict' refer'd.

5 Co. 21. a.
2 And. 18.
Poph. 110.
Cro. El. 450.
479.
Mo. 452.
453.
Rayn. 25.
26.

THE Plaintiff declar'd, that whereas the Defendant was possessed of seventeen Tod of Wool, and whereas *Colloquium fuit* betwixt them for fifteen Tod of the seventeen Tod, to be chosen by the Plaintiff; the Defendant in Consideration of 6*l.* to be paid on such a Day, &c. promised to deliver the Plaintiff *prædictas* fifteen Tod of Wool, and said *in Facto*, that he was ready at the Day to pay the Defendant 6*l.* yet the Defendant had not deliver'd the Plaintiff the fifteen Tod of Wool, to his Damage, &c. And upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff; and it was shewn in Arrest of Judgment, that the Declaration was not good, because the Plaintiff had not shewn, that he had chosen fifteen Tod out of the seventeen, and that is *quasi* a Condition precedent; and an Act to be first performed by the Plaintiff before the Defendant is bound by his Promise to do any Thing: *Quod fuit concessum per totam Curiam.* But, *per Popham* Chief Justice, if the Defendant had sold one of the Tods of Wool before Election made by the Plaintiff, that had destroy'd the Election, and made the Promise absolute, and had been a Breach of it: The same Law if the Defendant would not have permitted the Plaintiff to see the Wool that he might make Election; for that had excused the Act to be done by the Plaintiff, and had been a Default in the Defendant. And the Matter aforesaid is much enforced by the Word *Prædictas* in the Declaration; for that can be refer'd to nothing but the Communication, by which the Plaintiff of his own shewing ought to make Election: Then the Plaintiff omitting it in his Declaration shews the Fault is in himself, which ought to be removed before he can charge the Defendant: But if the Communication had been, that the Plaintiff should chuse fifteen Tod of seventeen, and the Plaintiff had declar'd the Promise to be to deliver fifteen Tod generally, without saying *prædictas*, there, if the Promise had been found, the Plaintiff should have Judgment; for the *Colloquium* might be condition, and the Promise absolute.

absolute. *Quod Nota.* But the Judgment was, *Nil capiat per Billam.*

Lapworth *versus* Wast.

THE Plaintiff declar'd for Taking of certain *Corn, Hay, Beans, &c.* sever'd from the nine Parts at *Ethorp in Com' War'* to his Damage, &c. The Defendant, as to Part of the Tithes taken, pleaded *Non Cul'*, and the Plaintiff *similiter*; and as to the Residue pleaded a Devise of the Parsonage whereof, &c. from *Thomas Lapworth* to the Defendant at *Wapenbury* in the same County: And to enable the Devise of the Tithes in *Ethorp*, alledged *Ethorp* to be an Hamlet of *Wapenbury*, to the Intent that all the Tithes might pass; and upon *Non devisavit* being in Issue, the Venue was only from *Wapenbury*; and it was found for the Plaintiff, *Quod Thomas Lapworth non devisavit*; and the other Issue of *Non Cul'* they found for the Defendant. And it was moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Venue was mistaken; because it was from *Wapenbury* only, and not from *Ethorp*; and they of *Wapenbury* cannot find or try a Matter in *Ethorp*: And altho' it was answer'd, that Trespass lies for a Trespass in an Hamlet, and that the Defendant himself has by his Plea confessed that *Ethorp* is but an Hamlet; yet *per Curiam* the Venue is mistaken; for when the Plaintiff declares on a Trespass in *Ethorp*, that by general Intendment is presumed to be a Vill, by which Vill the Matter which is there in Issue ought to be tried: And altho' the Defendant has alledged *Ethorp* to be an Hamlet, yet that is only to enable the Devise, and does not extend to the Issue before, which is *Non Cul'* for Part; for in that Issue the Parties are both agreed that *Ethorp* is a Vill, and that is a perfect Issue by it self, which has no Coherence with the other Issue, *Non devisavit*; but if the Defendant had pleaded his Excuse by the Devise to the whole Trespass, and had alledged *Ethorp* to be an Hamlet of *Wapenbury*, and that only had been in Issue, there the Venue awarded by the Manner had been good. But in this Case the * Venue was adjudged to be misawarded, and that the Plaintiff should have a *Venire facias de novo.* *Quod Nota.* *Yelverton pro Quer'.*

Cro. Jac. 86.
1 Brownl.
203.
Trespass.

Venue.

Intendment.

* 16 & 17
Car. 2. c. 8.
1 Sand. 246.
Comb. 472.
& vide
5 Mod. 405.
Venire fac'
de novo.

Shelley *versus* Alfop.

IN an Action on the Case brought on a Promise supposed to be made by the Defendant, on *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, and tried in a bafe Court in the Town of *Stafford*; the Jury found that the Plaintiff by Non-performance of the Promise *ex parte* of the Defendant had sustained Damage

Assumpsit.
Verdict.

50 s. and assessed Costs, and Judgment accordingly; and upon Error brought thereon, it was revert on the first Motion by *Fenner, Yelverton* and *Williams*; for the Verdict given by the Manner is no Verdict; for they have not found the Matter in Issue, with which they were charged, *viz.* whether the Defendant *Assumpsit, necne*; so it is altogether incertain and imperfect: For this Finding by the Manner, that the Plaintiff has sustained Damage 50 s. by Non-performance of the Promise, is but a Finding of the *Assumpsit* by a Foreign Implication, which is not good on any general Issue; no more than in Trespass, on *Non Cul* pleaded; the Jury find that the Plaintiff is damnified 5 l. by the Entry of the Defendant; this is not good; for they ought to give their Verdict precisely according to their Charge. *Quod Nota.* *Yelverton* of Counsel with *Alsop*.

Jeffrey versus Guy.

1 Brownl. 89.
Error.

Where a
Breach of
Covenant
need not be
assign'd.

* Ante 24.
Cro. El. 320.
Salk. 138.
1 Show. 148.
2 Show. 359.
1 Sand. 103.
Arbitrament.

DEBT on Bond; the Condition was, that if *Jeffrey* the Defendant performed all Covenants in such an Indenture, that then, &c. and one Covenant was, that he should permit *Guy* the Plaintiff *de Tempore in Tempus*, to come to see if Reparations were made of an House demised by *Guy* and *Katherine* his Wife to *Jeffrey* for Years: In which the Case was, that *John Bill* and *Katherine* his Wife were Tenants in Tail of the House, and had Issue *William*; *John* died, *Katherine* married *Guy* the Plaintiff, they made a Lease by Indenture to *Jeffrey* for Twenty Years, yielding to them and their Heirs 3 l. Rent *per Annum*, with such Covenant as above; and *Jeffrey* pleaded in Bar the former Intail, and the Death of *Katherine*, and that *William* the Issue in Tail such a Day enter'd, before which Entry no Covenant broke. *Guy* replied, that *William* came with him upon the Land to see if Reparations, &c. *absque hoc, quod William intravit modo & forma*, &c. and Issue thereon, and found for the Plaintiff, and Judgment in the Common Pleas: Wherefore *Jeffrey* brought Error in the King's Bench, and the Judgment was affirmed. But the Error assigned was, that *Guy* had not laid any Breach of Covenant in *Jeffrey*, and so had not shewn any Cause of Action. But, *per Curiam*, he need not in this Case; for by the * Special Issue tender'd by *Jeffrey* he has obliged the Plaintiff to make a special Replication to that Point tender'd; and then the Plaintiff cannot proceed further: And therefore it is not like the Case of an Award, where in Debt on a Bond to perform it, the Defendant pleads *Non fecerunt Arbitrium*, there the Plaintiff in his Replication ought to shew the Award, and assign a Breach; because the Defendant's Plea is general: But

in such Case, if the Defendant pleads a Release of all Demands after the Award, whereby he offers a special Point in Issue, here it is sufficient for the Plaintiff to answer the Release, or other special Matter alledged by the Defendant without assigning any Breach; so in this Case the Defendant's special Plea has disabled the Plaintiff that he cannot assign any Breach of Covenant, but must of Necessity answer the special Matter alledged. *Quod Nota.* Yelverton *pro* Guy.

Hutton *versus* Barnes.

Hutton being sued in the Spiritual Court in *Durham* for Tithes, brought a Prohibition there, and suggested that the Prior of *Durham* was seized of the Grange of *Sesgersonwick* in Right of the Church, *viz.* the Priory; and prescribed in the Prior and his Predecessors to hold that Grange without Payment of any Tithes; and shewed the Dissolution of it, and how it came to *H. 8.* and the Statute 31 *H. 8.* to hold it as the House of Religion held it before; and derived to himself a Lease for Fifty Years from Queen *Eliz.* and after his Prescription laid *in non Decimando*, shewed how the Defendant sued him in the Spiritual Court for the Tithes of Forty Fleeces of Wool. To this the Defendant pleaded that he sued the Plaintiff for the Tithes of 400 Fleeces of Wool, and prayed a Consultation; and for the Variance between the Libel and the Suggestion the Justices of Assize awarded a Consultation, and adjudged double Costs to the Defendant. And Yelverton assigned both these Matters for Error. And *per Curiam* they are Error; for the Variance is not material here, because the Plaintiff prescribes *in non Decimando*, and thereby ousts the Spiritual Court of all Manner and Power of Jurisdiction for any Tithes arising from this Grange, because it is discharged *in se*; but if the Suggestion had been on a *Modus decimandi*, then it would be otherwise; for there the Suit for Tithes belongs originally to the Spiritual Court; and therefore there the Suggestion ought to agree with the Libel; for if the Parson libels for Tithe of Hay, and the other will suggest a Custom for Tithe of Corn, that is not to the Purpose; for it is not for the same Thing: The same Law where they vary in the Quantity of the Tithes demanded, because the Suggestion is grounded upon the Libel, and the Plaintiff is to stay the Proceedings there but for one Cause certain: But in the Case *supra* the Suggestion discharges the Spiritual Court from all Manner of Power for any Tithes at all; and therefore the Variance not material. 2. The Judgment for double Costs

Error on Prohibition.

Prescription in Non decimando. Consultation. Variance. Libel. Suggestion.

Hob. 300. Consultation granted for Variance between Libel and Suggestion.

Where double Costs shall be granted. WAS

2, 3 E. 6.
c. 13.

was Error on the exprefs Letter of the Statute 2 E. 6. which gives double Cofts only for Want of Proof of the Suggeftion, and for no other Caufe. *Quod Nota.*

Crush *verfus* Crush.

Action for
Slandering
his Title.

THE Plaintiff declared, that whereas he was feifed of certain Land, in which he had good Right and Title, &c. The Defendant *malitiose* to hinder the Plaintiff in the Sale of it, and alfo to difcredit the Title in it, utter'd thefe Words: *He had rather buy the Title of Thomas Crush (who was the Plaintiff's younger Brother) than the Title of the Plaintiff;* and he further faid, *That he had feen an Indenture to lead the Ufe of a Fine, whereby it appear'd, that the Plaintiff had no Authority to fell the Land;* and declared to the Damage of 100*l.* and upon *Non Cul'* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff. And it was moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Words import no Slander to the Title; for as to the firft Words, they do not import any Colour of Action; for they fhew only the private and particular Inclination of the Defendant, who in his own Choice *had rather buy the Land of the younger than of the elder Brother,* and that might well be without any Impeachment to the Plaintiff's Title; for perhaps the Inheritance was in the Younger, and the Freehold only in the Elder, or the like; and for the other Words, they are not any Difcredit to the Plaintiff's Title in the Land; for the Title may be good and fure, and yet the Words true, *viz.* that he has no Authority to fell it; for it may well be, that the Land is tied with a Perpetuity, that he cannot fell it, and yet the Estate and Title good. *Quod fuit concessum per Fenner, Yelverton and Williams; Popham being abfent.* And *Nil cap' per Billam* enter'd.

Raftell *verfus* Draper.

Cro. Jac. 88.
Noy 13.
1 Brownl. 90.
Mo. 775.
Debt.
Flemish Money.

DEBT; the Plaintiff demanded 39*l.* and declared that he *DI Maii anno 1. fold* to the Defendant *Twenty Northern Cloathes* for 60*l. Flemish*, to be paid on Request, which 60*l. Flemish attingunt se* to 39*l. English;* and that the Defendant, *licet fepius requisitus*, had not paid the 39*l. ad Dampnum, &c.* The Defendant pleaded *Nil debet;* and it was found for the Plaintiff, and moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Plaintiff ought to have demanded the Sum according to the Contract, which was for 60*l. Flemish*, and to have fhewn that it amounted to 39*l. English.* But *per totam Curiam, non allocat';* for the Debt ought to be demanded by a Name known, and the Judges are not apprifed of *Flemish Money;* and alfo when the Plaintiff has his Judgment, he cannot have Execution by fuch Name; for the Sheriff cannot know how to levy the Money

Money in *Flemish*; and moreover it is now made good by the Verdict, for they have found the Debt demanded, viz. 39 *l.* But if the Contract had been for so many Ounces of *Flemish* Money, or for a Bar of Silver or Gold, there it could not be demanded by the Name of 20 *l.* or such Sum; because it is not Coin, nor is used in Trade or Merchandize; but there he ought to have a Writ of *Detinue*, and thereby he shall recover the Thing or the Value: As also *Lib. Intr.* 158. is the Precedent, where Debt was brought on two several Bonds, and demanded 28 *l.* and declared severally on each Bond, that he *debet* 19 *l.* 18 *s.* *de moneta Flandriae*. And 34 *H.* 6. 12. agrees, and 9 *E.* 4. 42. But *nota* in this Case, the Plaintiff if he would might have declar'd in the * *Detinet*, and good also; for the Precedents go to both. *Quod nota. Telkerton* for the Plaintiff.

Debt or Detinue.

* Latch 4, 75, 84. Noy 13. Palm. 407.

Sir Aud. Nowell.

J. S. and several others were indicted for a forcible Entry into an House Parcel of the Manor of *D.* which was the Freehold of Sir *Aud. Nowell*, and whereof one *Fracy* was Customary Tenant, and for disseising Sir *Aud.* and expelling *Fracy* therefrom, &c. and altho' in this Case Sir *Aud.* endeavour'd and mov'd that no Restitution should be had, (for in Truth the Entry of those who were indicted, was by the Command of Sir *Aud.* upon *Fracy*, who had forfeited his Copyhold) and that it was objected, that Restitution is only to be made in Respect of the Freehold; and Sir *Aud.* who is supposed to be disseised of the Freehold, does not require it, but the contrary; yet *per Curiam* Restitution was granted in Respect of *Fracy* the Copyholder; for in Regard the Indictment is a Record, by which the Disseisin of Sir *Aud.* and the Expulsion of *Fracy* appear, the Court in Discretion, and the Jury also, ought to reform the Wrongs in their several Degrees, and that is to restore *Fracy* first who was expell'd; and thereupon the Restitution to the Freehold follows *ex consequenti*. But if the Indictment had been only of a Disseisin, without an Expulsion, there no Restitution could be, unless on the Prayer of him who had the Freehold: And (by *Williams Justice*) according to this Case was it likewise adjudg'd in the Case of the Lord *Norris*, who having made a Lease for Years to *A.* and several being indicted for a forcible Entry upon the Possession of *A.* and disseising the Lord *Norris*, and expelling *A.* and altho' the Lord *Norris* withstood the Restitution, yet *volens volens* it was granted, to redress the Wrong done to *A.* the Termor, who by the Indictment is found to be expelled. *Quod nota.*

Copyholder.

Where Restitution shall be granted against the Will of the Freeholder.

Pratt *versus* Moon.

Co. Entr.
590.
6 Co. 39. a.
Brownl. 134.
Replevin.

Exposition
of Grants.

* Cro. Jac.
48.
Mo. 754.

How these
Words Aut,
Necnon, U-
na cum shall
be taken.

Habendum
void.
Intent.

IN Replevin of Cattle taken in *D.* the Defendant avow'd as Bailiff to *H. Finch*: And the Case was such; *Dame Finch*, the Mother of *H.* granted a Rent-Charge to *H.* out of her Manor of *N.* and out of all her Lands in *D. S.* and *V. in Com' Cantia, aut alibi in dicto Com' Cantia dicto Manerio Spectan' seu pertinen'*; and the Plaintiff, to destroy this Rent, pleaded an Abatement in *H. Finch*, in the Lands in *D.* and it was thereupon demur'd, for the Lands in *D. non fuerunt spectan' nec pertinen'* to the Manor of *N.* And it was adjudged for the Defendant, for no Land is charged by this Grant, unless it be *pertinen'* to the Manor; and that for two Reasons: 1. Because by the Words *aut alibi*, it appears that it is all but one Sentence, and the *Aut* conjoins the precedent Words, *viz.* all her Lands in *D. S.* and *V. in Com' Cantia*, with the subsequent Words, *viz. alibi in dicto Com' dicto manerio pertinen'*, and the Sentence is not perfect till it comes to the last Words (*dicto manerio pertinen'*) for if the Rent be issuing out of Land in *D. &c.* which is not *pertinen'* to the Manor; then the Sentence ought to be perfect at these Words (*Com' Cantia*) and then (*aut alibi, &c.*) must begin a new Sentence, which was never seen, that (*aut*) should be the Beginning of a Sentence; and therefore it is not like the Case of * *Bacon* and *Baker* 2 *Jac.* on the Prohibition, where Queen *Elizabeth* granted all her Tithe Corn, &c. *in St. Edmund-Bury in Com' Suffex, necnon* all her Tithe Hay, &c. within the *Liberty and Precinct* of *St. Edmund-Bury, dicto nuper Monasterio Spectan' & pertinen', & quæ nuper per Eleemosynarium dicti Monasterii collectæ fuerunt*; for there the first Sentence is perfect and compleat at these Words, (*in Com' Suffex*) and the (*Necnon*) which follows is a new Sentence; and therefore the last Clause (*& quæ per Eleemosynarium, &c.*) goes only to the Tithes following the (*Necnon*) and not to the Tithes contained in the first Sentence: Otherwise if the (*Necnon*) had been [*una cum*] (as in Truth the Patent was, but was mispleaded) for there the *Una cum* conjoins the Whole, and makes it all but one Sentence. The 2d Reason was in Respect of the Nature of the Thing granted, which is but a Rent; and therefore if Rent is granted out of a Manor *percipiend' de una acra*, it is good; and nothing is charged to Distress but that Acre, 17 *Aff.* But in Case of Land it is otherwise; for a Feoffment of a Manor, *habend'* one Acre, is a void *Habendum*; so here, for it appears that the Intent of the *Lady Finch* was only to charge the

the Manor, and such Lands only as were *pertinen'* to the Manor: But *Popham contra*; for he conceived, because *D. S.* and *V. in Com' Cantia* were particularly named, and bounded *in by the Name of the Place and County*, that therefore they should be charged, altho' they are not *pertinen'* to the Manor: As if a Man grants all his Lands in *D. S.* and *V. in Com' M.* and in *Down* in the same County, which he has by Discent from his Father; (by him) all the Lands by what Title soever pass, which are in *D. S.* and *V.* and these Words (*which he has by Descent, &c.* go only to *Down: Quod fuit negatum per Curiam*; but he strenuously persisted in it: And also, by *Popham*, by the first Grant of the Charge out of the Manor, all Lands Parcel of, or pertaining to the Manor are charged; and therefore the subsequent Words, if they should be restrained *ut supra*, are idle and frivolous. But *per Yelverton*, these Words (*dicto Manerio spectan' seu pertinen'*) shall be taken to extend to Land occupied with the Manor, altho' it is not Parcel of it. *Quod Fenner and Williams concesserunt.* And so Judgment, that the Defendant should have a Return. *Quod nota.*

Hill. 3 JAC. B. R.

Barnehurst versus Sir Charles Yelverton.

DEbt; the Plaintiff sued as Administrator of *J. S.* on a Bond made by the Defendant, and had Judgment; and afterwards the Administration was revok'd; but notwithstanding that, the Plaintiff proceeded and took the Defendant in Execution. And upon a Motion to the Court, (a) *Concessum per totam Curiam*, that the Execution was void, and that the Defendant ought to be discharged, *quia erroneice emanavit*; for the Letters of Administration being revoked, the Plaintiff's Power is determined; for he prosecutes the Suit in another's Right, for he is but as the Ordinary's Servant; then the Ground of the Suit being overthrown, *viz.* his Commission, he has no Authority to proceed further; and so the Execution awarded without Warrant. The same Law (*per Curiam*) on a Judgment had by an Administrator, the second Administrator shall not (b) have Execution upon it, for he has not Privy to the Record. *Quod nota.*

1 Brownl. 91.
Noy 15.
Execution.
Administra-
tor.
Privy.
(a) Co. Entr.
89, 90.
8 Co. 144. a.
Cro. Car. 208,
227, 464.
2 Sand. 148.
1 Mod. 62.
2 Keb. 668.

(b) 20 Car. 2,
c. 6.

Lea *versus* Minne.

Cro. Jac. 110.
Assumpsit.
Affets.
What shall
be a good
Considera-
tion, and
where it
shall be de-
termin'd by
the Death
of a Stran-
ger to the
Promise.
Averment of
the Life.
Salk. 117.

Cro. Jac.
110. con.

THE Plaintiff married with one *Alice*, Executrix of *J. S.* her former Husband; the Defendant was indebted to *J. S.* in 100 *l.* and promised the Plaintiff that if he would forbear any Suit against him on the Debt, which was by Bond until *Michaelmas* following, that then he would pay the Plaintiff the Debt: The Plaintiff brought *Assumpsit* upon this Promise, and shewed all the Matter aforesaid; and that the Defendant was not molested, nor vexed, nor compelled until *Michaelmas*, &c. to pay the Debt. And upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff; but *Nil capiat per billam* enter'd: And the peremptory Exception was taken by *Tanfield* Justice, because the Plaintiff did not aver the Life of *Alice* his Wife, who was Executrix to *J. S.* for the Defendant's Promise was made in Respect of a Debt in another Right, which was to *Alice* as Executrix, and not in Respect of any Debt to himself; then the Promise follows the Nature of the Debt, *viz.* to be recover'd to another Use, *viz.* to the Use of *J. S.* and shall be Affets: And altho' it was in the Power of the Plaintiff to release the Debt, which would be a *Devastavit*, yet now it appears that the true Intent was to have the Debt paid; and for the Nonpayment thereof, according to the Promise, was the Action brought: Then, forasmuch as the Damages to be recover'd go to the Satisfaction of the Debt due to the Testator, and upon a Suit had on the Bond, may be pleaded in Bar; that shews and manifests the Promise to be to another Use, and so he ought to aver the Life of his Wife who was Executrix to *J. S.* for by her Death the Action on the Promise is determin'd; and altho' the Plaintiff cannot join his Wife with him in the Action, because the Promise was particular and personal, yet he ought to aver the Life of his Wife, because the Plaintiff shall recover nothing to his own Use. *Quod nota, fuit concessum.*

Pasch. 4 JAC. B. R.

Clark *versus* Sir John Sydenham.

IN *Ejectment* brought by the Plaintiff on the Lease of one Master *Proxse* and *B.* upon *Non Culp.* and the Jury at the Bar, the Evidence for the Defendant was, by Reason of a Lease made of the Land in Question by the Abbot of *Cleece*, before the Dissolution, to *William Docill*, *Johanna* his Wife, and *Frances* his Daughter, for their Lives, by Indenture, and by the same Indenture the Abbot covenanted, granted and confirmed to the three Lessees, that the Land should remain to the Assignee of the Survivor of them for Ninety-nine Years. *Frances* survived and married one *Hill*, who 2 *Eliz.* granted his Estate for Life to *J. S.* and all his Interest in Remainder, and all his Power for the whole Term; and this by mean Assignments came to the Defendant; and whether any Interest passed in Remainder by the Abbot's Lease, was the Question. And by all the five Justices, it is a good Interest in Possibility, and to be reduced into a Certainty in the Person of the Survivor: As Land is given to Three, and to the right Heirs of the Survivor; this is a good Limitation of the Inheritance immediately, but in Expectancy 'till the Survivor is known, and then the Fee is executed in him. And *Popham* vouched a Case of Experience 17 *Eliz.* in which Serjeant *Baber* was of Counsel; a Lease was made to Husband and Wife for Life, and for Forty Years to the Survivor of them; the Husband and Wife joined in a Grant of this Interest, and although it is certain one of them will survive, yet the Grant is void, because at the Time of the Grant there was not any Interest, but merely a Possibility in each of them; and although in the Case in Question the Remainder is not limited to any of the three Lessees, but to the Assignee of the Survivor; yet (*per Curiam*) that is not a bare Nomination in the Survivor, to appoint what Person he shall please, but a Term and an Interest: In which, *per Popham*, the Difference is, if a Lease be made to *J. S.* for Life, and after his Death to the Executors and Assigns of *J. S.* this is an Interest in *J. S.* to dispose; but if it was limited to *J. S.* for Life, and afterwards to the Executors and Assigns of *J. D.* there it is a bare Power in *J. D.* and his Executors; because they are not Parties, nor Privies to the first Interest. *Quod fuit concessum.* And also it was agreed, that whether it was an Interest, or a Power of Nomination only, it is saved to the Party by the Stat. of 31 *H. 8.* of Monasteries, which gives the Houses

1 Brownl.
130.
Ejectment.
Contingent
Interest.
Stat. 31 H. 8.
of Monaste-
ries.

Inst. 46. b.

Ante 9. con-
tra.

Ante 9.

dissolved to the King, but in the same Quality, Degree, &c. as the Abbot had them; and the Abbot himself was charged by this Power given by himself, and so is the King. *Quod Nota.* *Telverton* with the Defendant.

Grene *versus* Austen.

Cro. Jac. 116.
Prohibition.
Tithe paid
the Parson is
a Discharge
against the
Vicar.
But one
Tithe for
one Land.
Vicar.
Parson.
Endowment.
Prescription.

A *Austen*, Vicar of *Aveley* in *Essex*, libell'd in the Spiritual Court for Tithes of Herbage, and Agistment of Cattle on the Grounds there after Harvest; this was against *Grene*, who brought a Prohibition, and laid a Custom within the Parish: *Quod qualibet Persona habens & possidens aliquod pratum sive fundum in aliquo uno anno intra Parochiam prædictâ, unde fœnum eodem anno nactum fuit sive provent' a tempore cujus, &c. usa fuit & consuevit aptis temporibus anni illius gramen super hujusmodi pratis sive fundis crescens ad expensas suas proprias metere & defalcare, & gramen sic messum postea ad similia Custagia, &c. in Cumulos, vocat' Cocks, congerere, & quemlibet decimum Cumulum sic inde congest' a cæteris novem Cumulis, &c. ad usum Rectoris Ecclesiæ parochial' præd' sive ejus Firmarii, &c. dividere & exponere, in plenam & integram Contentationem, solutionem, Satisfactionem, & Exonerationem ac Nomine & Loco omnium & Singular' Decimarum quarumcunque dein vel super aliquibus hujusmodi pratis sive fundis unde fœnum in hujusmodi anno nactum fuit, eodem anno surgen', renovan', &c. quem quidem decimum Cumulum, &c. in forma, &c. congest', &c. omnes & Singuli Rectores, &c. in plenam & integram Contentationem, &c. ac nomine & loco, &c. acceptaverunt, &c.* And alledged in *Facto* a Performance of the Custom, the same Year in which the Vicar libell'd, &c. and thereupon the Defendant, being Vicar, demurr'd; and it was adjudg'd for the Plaintiff: And two Points were resolv'd.

1. That Payment of the Tithes to the Parson is a sufficient Discharge against the Vicar, because all Tithes of common Right belong to the Parson, and the Vicarage is derived out of the Parsonage; so that no Tithes *de Jure* belong to the Vicar, but only on an Endowment or Prescription, which ought to be shewn *ex parte* of the Vicar, and the Court cannot intend it; for the Vicarage is a Diminution and Impairing of the Parsonage, of which the Court will not take Notice, unless the Parties shew it.
2. That the * Custom *supra* is good; for in Regard the Owner of the Ground pays Tithe of Hay, he is thereby discharg'd of Common Right from Tithe of Agistment of the same Land in the same Year; because one Land shall answer but one Tithe for one Year, and the Agistment is but the Profit

* Lutw.
1071, 1074.
2 Inst. 652.
Cro. Jac. 42.
2 Brownl. 30.
Noy 15.

Profit by the Mouths of the Beasts of the same Land, of which before the Parson had Tithe of Hay. And *Tanfield* Justice said, that it was adjudged in one *Edolphe's Case de Com' Oxon'*, that paying Tithe of *Rie* or *Wheat* by the *Sheaf*, he cannot afterwards pay Tithe of Halm of the same Land; for this Halm is but Part of the Stalk on which the Tithe *Sheaf* grew. According to *F. N. B. 53. b. Telverton pro Quer'*.

Dorrington *versus* East.

IN Consideration the Plaintiff would procure 6*l.* to the Defendant for one whole Year, the Defendant promised to make a Lease to the Plaintiff of such House from *Michaelmas* next for three Years; the Plaintiff shewed that 23 *April* he procured *J. S.* to lend the Defendant 3*l. pro uno anno integro*, & 24 *Junii* after he procured *J. D.* to lend the Defendant 3*l. pro uno anno integro*, which the Defendant accepted, and yet *dicit in facto*, that the Defendant has not made the Lease, &c. And upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff: But in Arrest of Judgment *Telverton* shewed that the Declaration was not good; for it appears by the Plaintiff's own Shewing, that the Consideration on his Part is not performed, because the 6*l.* were not lent all at one Time, but 3*l.* at one Time, and 3*l.* two Months after, which is not according to the Agreement; for now it appears to the Court that the Defendant had not the Benefit of 6*l.* for one whole Year, which was the Intent of the Parties, neither could the Defendant raise such Profit to himself by having the 6*l.* at such divided Times, as he might if he had them *altogether*; then the Consideration on the Plaintiff's Part not being perform'd is as a Dissolution of the Promise *ex Parte* of the Defendant. And altho' it appears by the Declaration that the Defendant accepted the several 3*l.* yet that is not material; forasmuch as it is not performed according to the Agreement; but if the 6*l.* had been lent by several Persons, and at several Times in one and the same Day, it had been good; for the Law makes no Division of a Day, but in Case of Necessity, but in general Intendment, what is done in a Day is done at the same Time: And if the Consideration had been to have lent the Defendant 20*l. in Gold*, and he declares and shews 10*l.* of the 20*l.* to have been *in Silver*, altho' in Substance of the Matter it is performed, yet it is not according to the Letter, which being put and expressed *in Specie*, gives Direction how it shall receive Construction: *Quod omnes Justici' concesser' in toto*, and new Bail enter'd into by the Defendant to answer to a new Declaration. *Quod Nota Telverton* for the Defendant.

Assumpsit.
Where the
Considera-
tion per-
form'd in
Letter and
not in Sub-
stance avails
not, or e-
contra.
Day.
Intendment.

Randall

Randall *versus* Wale.

Noy 16.
 Godb. 149.
 Cro. Jac. 59.
 Audita Querela.
 Recognisance.
 Scire facias.
 Two Nihils returned.
 Audita Querela on Audita Querela.
 Judgment.
 Nonage.
 Re-inspection.

R Andall, being an Infant, enter'd into a Recognisance to Wale of 300*l.* and brought *Audita Querela* in the Common Pleas within Age, and upon Inspection was adjudged within Age, and a *Scire facias* was awarded against Wale, and as appeared by the Record, on one *Nihil* only returned, the Judgment was that the Recognisance should be cancell'd. Upon which Wale brought Error in the King's Bench, and assigned the Error aforesaid, that there ought to be either two *Nihils* returned, or a *Scire feci*; for two *Nihils* amount to a Garnishment, and without Garnishment and Hearing of the Party to whom the Recognisance was made, it ought not to be adjudged to be cancelled; and for this Reason it was reversed: Whereupon Randall, being at full Age, brought another *Audita Querela* in the King's Bench, and comprehended all the Matter aforesaid, and shewed that the first Judgment was only reversed for Error in the Proceedings, and not in the principal Matter; and upon that Wale demurred. And it was adjudged that the *Audita Querela* did not lie; for the Judgment of Reversal is general, and not for any Special Reason, but that the Party shall be restor'd to all that he lost by the first Judgment; so the Recognisance *set on Foot again*.
 2. The Judgment of Inspection, although it is but an Award, yet it is not of Force but in the same Court where the Proof *per Testes*, and the Inspection was; and that does not conclude the Judges of the King's Bench, who are in Court, but that they ought to have a Re-inspection, which cannot be in this Case, because the Party Plaintiff is now of full Age; and if in this Case on the first Judgment revert, Randall being within Age had brought a new *Audita Querela* in the Common Pleas, he ought to be inspected again; because it is a new Original, and all the former Proceedings are dissolved by the Reversal of the Judgment. *Quod Nota.*

Sir Thomas Gresham *versus* Grinley.

Co. Entr. 35.
 Action for
 Slandering
 his Title.

THT Brother was a Fool, and was never born to do himself any Good; for that he could not hold his Hand from ratifying and subscribing to his Father's Will; notwithstanding I have that to shew in my House, that, if his Heir Elizabeth Gresham do not any such Act as he hath done, it shall bring her to inherit Tittley. Upon this Sir Thomas brought the Action against the Defendant, and shewed that his Father was seised of the Manor of Tittley, and of other Lands, and by Will devised them to A. his Wife, Remainder in Tail

to the Plaintiff, and that the Father had Issue *William* the Elder, who had Issue *Elizabeth* his Daughter and Heir, and this Plaintiff the younger Son, and that *A.* is dead, and the Plaintiff enter'd afterwards, and the Defendant in Slander of his Title spoke the Words aforesaid; and shewed further that he had an Intention to make a Jointure to his Wife, and to pass several Parcels of the Land to him devised to his younger Children for their Advancement, and was hinder'd in that Intention by those Words, to his Damage 100*l.* And upon *Non Cul*, it was found for the Plaintiff to 20*l.* Damage, but Judgment that *Nil cap' per Billam.* 1. Because it does not appear by any Thing in the Declaration that the Plaintiff is damaged, *viz.* that he was *about to sell it*, or had enter'd into a Bond to make a Jointure to his Wife, which by Reason of such Words of the Defendant would not be accepted; and some

* Cro. Car.
141.
Cro. Jac.
397, 484.
1 Rol. Rep.
244.
3 Bull. 75.
Palm. 531.

* special Matter ought to be shewn in which Damage might be apparent, as in the Case of *Gerrard*, 32 *Eliz.* 4 *Co.* 18. *a.* for on such general Words no special Slander can be imposed: As if a Lease for Life be made with Condition of Re-entry, and *J. S.* will say, that he can shew that which will bring him in Reversion to the Possession; this is not any Slander, for the very Lease it self by Indenture, by which the Land was demised will bring him to it, either by the Condition, or by the Determination of the Estate. 2. It appears by the Plaintiff's own Shewing, that *Elizabeth* is Heir at the Common Law, and that the Plaintiff himself has but an Estate Tail, and upon that determin'd, *Elizabeth* will have *Titsley* as general Heir; and the Defendant does not shew any Time certain when *Elizabeth* will have it, but indefinitely, and that shall be taken *in meliori sensu.* *Quod Nota;* *Felverton* of Counsel with the Defendant.

Trin. 4 J A C. B. R.

Higgins *versus* Butcher.

THE Plaintiff declar'd that the Defendant assaulted and beat, &c. one *A.* his Wife such a Day, of which she died such a Day following; to his Damage, &c. And it was moved by *Foster* Serjeant, that the Declaration was not good; because it was brought by the Plaintiff for Beating his Wife; and that being a personal Tort to the Wife, is now dead with the Wife: And if the Wife had been alive, he could not * without his Wife have this Action; for Damages shall be given to the Wife for the Tort offer'd to the Body of

1 Brownl.
205.
Noy 18.
Feme or
Servant kill-
led.

* 1 Rol.
Rep. 360.
Lit. Rep.
235.
Cro. Car. 901

A a

his

Baron or
Master shall
not have an
Action for
Loss of Ser-
vice.

his Wife. *Quod fuit concessum*: And by *Tanfield* Justice, if a Man beats the Servant of *J. S.* so that he dies of that Battery, the Master shall not have an Action against the other for the Battery and Loss of the Service, because the Servant dying of the Extremity of the Battery, it is now become an Offence to the Crown, being converted into Felony, and that drowns the particular Offence, and private Wrong offer'd to the Master before, and his Action is thereby lost: *Quod Fenner* and *Nelson* concesserunt.

Heake *versus* Moulton.

Words.
Barretor.
* Cro. Eliz.
171.
Hob. 140.
Hutt. 104.
Hett. 143.

† Ante 57.
Cro. Jac. 53.
§ Cro. El. 6.

General
Words are
no Slander.

Words ac-
tionable by
Averment.

T *Hou art a common Barretor, and desercest to be hanged*: And, *per Curiam*, no Action on these Words: For the Words * (*common Barretor*) are no Slander; for the Offence is only made finable, and he is to be bound *de se bene gerendo*: And to say that a Man has broke the Peace, or is a common Rogue, or a common Hunter of Deer in Parks, and a Breaker of Forests are not actionable; for they are not Slanders, but found only in Disgrace. The same Law to say, † *J. S. would have killed me*, is not actionable, because no Act is done, but rests merely in Conjecture: Otherwise to say § *He did lie in Wait to kill me*; for the Lying in Wait is punishable, and a Slander, as being an Introduction to a more wicked Intent. The same Law to say, *He prepared Poison to kill J. S.* altho' he never gave the Poison, yet the very Preparation is a Slander. And for the other Words (*He desercest to be hanged*) they are too general and extravagant to ground an Action upon them; because it is not shewn what Act was done to deserve Hanging: And, *per Fenner* Justice, it was adjudged, that to say, *Thou art as cery a Thief as any is in Warwick Goal* will bear an Action, with a particular Averment that such a one by Name at the Time of the Words was a Thief in *Warwick Goal*; but, because the Plaintiff in such Case had alledged the Averment of such a one who was not in the Goal for Felony, but only as Accessory to Felony, for that Reason there was enter'd *Nil capiat per Billam*.

The King *versus* Matthew.

Cro. Jac.
123.
1 Brownl.
166.
Q. Impedit.
Usurpation
on the King.

IN a Writ of Error, on a Judgment given in a *Quare Impedit* against the King in the Common Pleas to the Church of *A.* the Point was only, whether a double Usurpation on the King put him in such a Manner out of Possession, that he should be put to his Writ of Right?

And

And it was adjudged in the Common Pleas against the Opinion of *Anderson*, Chief Justice there, that the King is put to his Writ of Right: But Error being brought on that Judgment, it was reversed in the King's Bench by the Opinion of *Popham*, Chief Justice, *Felzerton*, *Williams* and *Tanfield*; *Fenner* being *contra*. And they alledged two Reasons; 1. that the Right of the Patronage, and of the Advowson it self being an Inheritance in the Crown of Record, the Law so protects it, that it can be devested by no Tort committed by a Subject; for in the King's Case there ought to be the same Means to devest it out of the King, (*viz.* a Record) as there is to intitle him: And here is no Matter of Record against the King; for the Presentation by a Subject is but Matter in Fact, which Act, altho' it is mixt with the judicial Act of the Bishop, *viz.* Institution, yet that does not prejudice the King; forasmuch as it is grounded only on the Tort of a Subject. 2. Reason was; no Man can shew when, and at what Time the Usurpation on the King commences; for there is no Doubt, but that after the six Months past of the Incumbency he may well present; for Plenarty is no Plea against the King, and *nullum Tempus occurrit Regi*: And after such Usurpation, it is not doubted *per Curiam*, but that the Patronage is yet in the King to grant. And *per Popham*, a Confirmation made by the King to such Presentee is good to establish his Possession against a Recovery in a *Quare Impedit* by the King afterwards; but it does not enure to any Purpose to amend the Estate of the Usurper; for he gains no Possession by the Presentation against the King; but the Release to him by the King is merely void for Want of Possession; and during the Life of the first Presentee it is not question'd (by them all) but the King might present, then the Incumbent's Death cannot make that be an Usurpation, which was not so in his Life; for his Death is a Determination of the first Tort, which shall rather aid than hurt the King. And (*per Tanfield*) according to this Resolution was it likewise resolved 23, 24 *Eliz.* in the Common Pleas in one * *Yardley's Case*, altho' there was not any Induction in the Case; which was the Reason that the Opinion of the Judges was not deliver'd in Point of Judgment; but they were all of Opinion, as they in this Court now are; and no Book in the Law is contrary, but only glancing Opinions in 43 *E. 3.* 19 *E. 3.* & 18 *E. 3.* And in this Case *Popham* said, that † *Quare Impedit* was at the Common Law, but that was only on a Presentation without Induction; for on the Disturbance at the Common Law the *Quare Impedit* lay. But if the Incumbent had been inducted, then at the Common Law a Writ of Right of Advowson only lay. *Quod Nota: quia Verum est.*

* 1 And. S.
Owen 43.
Mo. 338.
6 Co. 30. a.
Noy 18.

† Q. Imp.
159.

Armiger Brown *versus* Wentworth.

Prohibition.
Revocation
of a Will
how, and by
what Proof
it shall be
tried.

Post. 135,
173.
Cro. Jac. 269.

Legacy.

6 Co. 23. a. b.
Hert. 120.

Where one,
and where
two Wit-
nesses requi-
re.

Probate of a
Will origi-
nally Tem-
poral.

BROWN Administrator of one *R. Brown* his Uncle, was sued in the Spiritual Court for a Legacy of 300*l.* by one *Wentworth*, who claimed this Legacy by the Will of *R. Brown*. *Armiger Brown*, the Administrator, pleaded a Revocation of all former Wills by *R. Brown*, by Writing under his Hand, and offer'd to prove it according to the Course of the Common Law by one Witness, Comparison of Hands and such like, which Proof the Ecclesiastical Judge would not allow; upon which *Armiger Brown* brought a Prohibition in the King's Bench containing the Matter aforesaid: And upon the Defendant's Motion to have a Consultation, it was well argued by all the Judges there. And by *Popham* and *Williams* strenuously, that a Consultation ought to be awarded: For the Will in this Case is the Principal, of which without Doubt the Spiritual Court has Jurisdiction, and the Revocation is a Thing merely depending and waiting on the Will, and but accessory to it; and therefore shall be there also tried; for in Regard the Suit there is but for the Legacy, which is merely Ecclesiastical, and for which the Party cannot have Relief by the Common Law, there is no Matter contained in the Suggestion to entitle the King's Court either to the Thing demanded in the Spiritual Court, or to Jurisdiction: But if the Will had contained Land and Legacy also, and it had appeared by the Suggestion, there because there might be Crossing in Proof, to prevent this Contrariety, that the Proof in the Spiritual Court might be no Evidence at the Common Law, nor any Inducement to a Jury, it is usual to grant a Prohibition: But *nunquam* where the incire Matter contained in the Suggestion belongs to the Spiritual Court. But *Fenner*, *Yelverton* and *Tanfield* resolved to the contrary: 1. Because the Revocation is merely a temporal Act, which discharges the Spiritual Court from having any Intermeddling with it, and is not in any Sort dependant on the Will; for they are called Dependants which go in Affirmance of the Will, and not they which disannul and disaffirm the Will, as the Revocation does; for this Revocation is an Exemption of the Will, which shall not be ventilated there, by their strict Kind of Proof, where there ought to be two *Testes omni Exceptione majores*; for a Revocation before one Witness is sufficient in our Law. 2. Although the Spiritual Court has Power both of the Will, and of the Thing demanded there, *viz.* the Legacy; yet in its original Nature the Will it self was Temporal: As appears by 2 *R.* 3. *Testament* 4. And a Thing which goes in Abridgment of the Common Law shall

shall be taken strictly, and shall not have any Favour in Construction, so that the Revocation being a Thing merely collateral to the Will, remains at the Common Law as to Proof. As 1 R. 3.—a Man by Will gave an Horse to J. D. and afterwards by Delivery with his own Hand gave the same Horse to J. S. if J. D. sues in the Spiritual Court for the Horse as for a Legacy, and the other pleads that the Testator gave it him in his Life-time, this shall be triable in the Spiritual Court also, for by common Intendment the Judge there will do Right to the Parties. But, *per Yelverton* in that Case, if the Judge will not allow * such Proof as the Common Law allows, a Prohibition shall be granted; and yet the Common Law cannot determine the Thing demanded; yet it prohibits the Judge till he submits himself to the Allowance of such Proof as the Common Law requires: And this Point being precisely put in the Suggestion, *viz.* Refusal of such Proof as the Common Law admits, was, as *Tanfield* said, the chief Ground of his Opinion; for now the Plaintiff complains in a Point certain, and of such Nature as by the Common Law ought to be redressed: Whereas if he had omitted such special Matter, *viz.* Disallowance of the Common Law Proof, a Consultation ought to issue; for so was the Case 29 *Eliz.* in *B. R.* where in a Suit for a Legacy the Party Defendant pleaded a Release, and because the Judge would not allow it, he brought a Prohibition, and suggested nothing but that the Judge would not admit the Release, and did not rely on the Manner of the Proof used there, and for that Reason a Consultation was awarded; for the Court there may try the Release, and by Refusal of the Release only by the Judge, the Party is not grieved in any temporal Sort and Kind; but he may well be relieved by Appeal; but if he had expressed his Grief by Rejecting such Proof as the Common Law allows, then *Stet Prohibitioni. Quod Nota.* *Yelverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

That which abridges the Common Law shall be taken strictly.

* Poph. 58, 59.
Hutr. 22.
Latch 117, 217.
Cro. El. 88, 666.
Mo. 415, 907.
Hob. 188, 247.
1 Rol. Rep. 12.
2 Rol. Rep. 42.
1 Show. 158, 172.
3 Mod. 283.
Salk. 547.
Consultation.

Wildbore *versus* Cogan.

THE Plaintiff declared on three several *Assumpsits*, and laid the first *Assumpsit* 1 *Aprilis Anno* 44 *Eliz.* the second *Assumpsit* 1 *Junii Anno* 44 *supradicto*; and the third *Assumpsit* in this Manner, *Cumque postea, scilicet* 12 *Feb. Anno* 44 *supradicto, &c.* And upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff: But *Nil cap' per Billam* enter'd, because the Promise, which was *prior tempore*, is put by the Declaration to be *posterior ordine & tempore* also, by Reason of this Word (*scilicet*) annexed to this Word (*postea*) for as by the Word (*postea*) the Promise which follows is to be

Assumpsit.
Construction of the Words *Postea, scilicet*.

Cro. Jac. 97,
450, 618.

intended of a Promise after the first *Assumpsit*, so being join'd with this Word (*scilicet*) which makes the Word (*postea*) which of it self is general, to be now special, referring to a Certainty, cannot receive any Construction, but that the third Promise was after the other Promise, which by expressing the Time to be 12 Feb. 44. is repugnant and contrary; for Feb. 44. is before April 44. But by *Popham* Chief Justice, where there is a Certainty expressed in Time, as the Day of the Bill purchased, which is alway *set down*, and afterward the Plaintiff will say in his Declaration, that the Day of the Bill purchased, *scilicet* such a Day in certain, and mistakes the Day, in that Case the (*scilicet*) is idle and void, by Reason of the former Certainty appearing of Record; but in this Case the (*scilicet*) denotes only the Certainty which was not expressed before, and that to be subsequent in Time to the former Promise, which appears otherwise; and therefore the Plaintiff cannot have Judgment, for Damages are intirely given for all three Promises; and it appears that one of them is not well laid. *Quod Nota.* But if (*scilicet*) had not been joined to (*postea*) then the Declaration had been good, and the (*postea*) only *per se* had been void. And *Tanfield* Justice said, that according to this Resolution, it had been adjudged before in the Case between *Drake* and *Younge*.

Mich. 4 J A C. B. R.

Hawkes *versus* Brothwith.

* May be for
a Year, but
not for Years,
without
Deed.

Cro. Jac. 137.
& vide Hob.
176. S. C.

† Cro. El.
188, 249.

IF a Parson grants to a Parishioner his own Tithes by Way of Retainer, altho' it be not by Deed, but only by Parol, it is good; and a Prohibition shall be maintained on this Grant by Way of Suggestion, if it be * for Years; otherwise if it be as long as the Parties live, or such like; for although it does not sound in Interest by Way of Contract, but only by Way of Discharge, yet it is good without Deed; for it is in the Nature of a personal Composition, which may be without Writing, only by Parol. But between † *Nelson* and *Woodward* and *Prettiman* it was ruled, that if a Parson by Way of Contract by Parol agrees that J. S. shall have all his Tithes for three Years, or such Term, by Virtue whereof J. S. takes the Tithes, and is sued for them in the Spiritual Court,

Court, *J. S.* shall have a Prohibition on this Matter; for altho' it does not enure by Way of Interest to make it a Lease of the 'Tithes, because it is without Deed, yet the Contract between them shall bind as to the Perception of the 'Tithes, of which Contract the Temporal Court shall judge; but if he assigns the Benefit of his Contract over to *J. D.* *J. D.* shall not have a Prohibition on a Suit in the Spiritual Court, because no Interest was transferred by the Contract, but only a personal Bond between them, which runs only in personal Privy of the Contract, and does not extend to a Stranger. According to the principal Case was *Rolls* and *Rolls* a *Cornwall* Case, that on the Agreement to retain Tithes, if it be without Deed, a Prohibition will lie.

Deed.
Vide Cro.
Jac. 639.
Where the
Assignee
of the Con-
tract shall
not have a
Prohibition.

Tanner *versus* Small.

NOta, *Pasch. 5 Jac.* between *Tanner* Plaintiff, and *Small* Defendant in a Prohibition, the Plaintiff suggested, that he being a Parishioner compounded with the Defendant to retain his 'Tithes for seven Years, rendring 50*s.* *per Ann.* and it was moved that it was not * good, because it is not alledged to be by Deed: But *tota Curia contra*, and they took a Difference between such Composition, to have for Years, and to have for Life; the First is good without Deed, the Second not. And † so it has been often adjudged.

Noy 121.
Tithes.
Detainer.

* Cro. Jac.
137.

† Cro. Jac.
669.

It hath been since resolved, that no Prohibition will lie upon any Composition, whether for Life or Years, for any Tithes; and therefore the proper Remedy is to appeal to the Arches, if the Consistory Court should refuse a Plea of Composition. *Carthew* 70.

Hill. 4 JAC. B. R.

Parry *versus* Dale.

THE Plaintiff declar'd on a Bond of 500*l.* The Defendant demanded Oyer of the Bond and Condition, which were enter'd *in hæc Verba, &c. Noverint, &c.* The Defendant *teneri & firmiter obligari* to the Plaintiff *in quinquegint' Libr', &c.* and *per totam Curiam, præter* Williams, Justice, *Nil capiat per Billam* enter'd; for altho' false & *Latin* in a Bond will not make it void or vitious, as it will do in a Writ, 10 *H. 7.* because a Man may purchase a new Writ at his Pleasure, but not a new Bond, yet Words which have not any Sense or Signification, or which are not *omnino Verba Latina*, will not bind any Man, and here the Word (*quinque*) with an (*m*) is no *Latin* Word, and altho' in Sound it resembles (*quinque*) which is (five) yet, by the Entry of the Bond *in hæc Verba*, the Court ought to judge of every Letter and Syllable, and it is not like

Cro. Jac 146
Hcb. 119.
Bond.
Falle Latin.
¶ Vide 10
Co. 133. a.
Mo. 864.
Cro. Car.
416, 418.
Cro. Jac.
203, 290,
338, 607.
Comb. 417.
Salk. 462.
5 Mod. 281.
Comb. 60.
Lutw. 423.

* Hob. 116.
Mo. 645.
Cro. El. 896.
Septuagent.

9 H. 6. *Wiginti Libri*, which is taken to be good, because in every (*w*) there is a single (*v*). So here if it had been (*quinque*) with a double (*n*) or, as *Popham* Chief Justice said, (*quijnque*) with two Dashes over the Head, it would be but incongruous *Latin*: But (*quinque*) with an (*m*) is no Word at all: So it is as if *J. S.* is bound *in libris* with a Space, without shewing *quantum*, which is not good. *Quod nota*. Yet *nota* in this Case I vouched a Precedent of a Case between * *Walter* and *Pigot* in the Common Pleas 43 *Eliz.* where the Writ of Debt was brought *pro septingentis libris*, and upon Oyer of the Bond enter'd, the Bond it self was *septuagentis libris*, and a Variance pleaded between the Writ and the Bond, and yet adjudged good; which Judgment was affirmed upon Error, and yet there is no such Word as (*septuagent*) but because (*septua*) is Part of a good *Latin* Word, as (*septuaginta*) for (seventy) therefore (*septua*) joined with (*gentis*) viz. wrote with an (*e*) and not with an (*i*) is good: It was said *per Cur'*, they be not alike; but if it had been *septuamgentis* with an (*m*) *aliter senserunt*.

Bagshaw *versus* Gaward.

i Rol. Abr.
889. p. 1.
Cro. Jac.
147.
Noy 119.
Trespafs.
Departure.
Demurrer.
Trespafs ab
initio.
An Estray
not to be
misused.
Licence in
Law.

† 8 Co. 146.
a.
Perk. Sect.
190, 191.
1 And. 65.

THE Plaintiff declared for an Horfe taken at *B.* 14 *Nov.* 3 *Jac.* The Defendant pleaded, that he the same fourteenth Day, &c. seized it within his Manor of *D.* &c. as an Estray, and shewed that he had Title to Estrays there, and that the Plaintiff the same fourteenth Day, retook the Horfe, and was thereof possessed again: The Plaintiff replied that 16 Day *Novembr'* the Defendant used and rode the Horfe at *B.* &c. and upon that it was demurred, and adjudged for the Plaintiff; for the Matter alledg'd in the Replication is no Departure, but agrees, and is of the same Nature with the Trespafs supposed by the Declaration; for altho' at first by the Declaration in common Intendment the Plaintiff is to recover the Value of the Horfe in Damages, because Trespafs disaffirms Property; and altho' the Defendant shews that the Plaintiff has the Horfe again, yet that is but Mitigation of Damages; for now he recovers only for the Detainer: But when the Defendant by his Demurrer has confessed that he rode the Horfe 16 *Novembr'*, altho' the Taking of the Horfe as an Estray is justifiable, and no Trespafs; yet because by the Seifure as an Estray he has not the Property, but a bare Custody; therefore the Riding is a Misdemeanor, and makes the Seifure tortious *ab Initio*; for it is a † Misuser of the Licence in Law; as if a Man distrains *Corn in Sheafs*, and *threshes* it, 21 *E.* 4. or comes into a Tavern and steals a Cup, 13 *E.* 4. or the Lessor comes to view Wast and breaks the Hedge, in these Cases they are Trespassers

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ab Initio, and the very Entry is punishable, which at first by the Licence in Law was good, 5 H. 7. It is otherwise of a Licence in Fact, as *Yelverton* Justice said, for that excuses the Entry, altho' a tortious Act ensues, and the Party shall be punished only for that in which the Act is tortious, and for nothing more. *Quod Nota.*

8 Co. 146. b.

Harrington *versus* Launfdon.

L *Launfdon* recover'd in the Court of *Shrewsbury* in Trover for Sheep against *Harrington* by Default, and a Writ was awarded to enquire of the Damages, returnable at the next Court, *ad quem Diem* the Plaintiff appeared, and the Writ was return'd served, but *Jurata ponitur in respectu usque ad proximam Curiam*, which is put in certain; and at that Day the Plaintiff appeared again, and the Jury *ponitur in respectu*, and Day given over till 10 *Junii*, &c. and on 10 *Junii* *Jurata* again *ponitur in respectu*; but the Plaintiff did not appear at that Day, nor * had another Day over; and at the Day given to the Jury they appear'd, and gave 20*l.* Damages: Upon which the Plaintiff had Judgment for the 20*l.* Damages, and Costs. And *Yelverton* assign'd for Error, that the Plaintiff not having Day on the last Adjournment over, that the whole Matter was discontinued; for by the first Judgment the Defendant was out of Court, yet the Plaintiff ought to attend from Day to Day, because his Judgment is not perfect 'till the Damages enquir'd: Then when the Plaintiff had Day 'till 10 *Junii*, &c. and did not appear at that Day, the Court *ex Officio*, without the Prayer of the Plaintiff, ought not to have made a Continuance of the Jury; for that ought always to be *ex Petitione* of the Plaintiff. *Yelverton* also assigned another Discontinuance in the Case, *viz.* because the Jury was continued over by a *Ponitur in respectu*, which should never be, but on an Issue to be tried between the Parties; for the Jury on a Writ of Inquiry of Damages is but an Inquest of Office, which has no other Continuance but by a *Non misit breve* by the Officer, or by the Sheriff. *Quod fuit concessum per totam Curiam*, in both: And thereupon the Judgment was reversed.

Noy 120.
Error on
Trover.
Discontinu-
ance of Suit.
Judgment.
Discontinu-
ance of the
Plea by a
Ponitur in
respectu.
Writ of In-
quiry.
* Vide Cro.
El. 144 774.

Martham *versus* Jemx.

IN Debt on Bond, the Condition was to stand to the Award, Arbitrament, &c. of Master *Pooley* of *Grays-Inn* about the Title of a Copyhold Tenement: Mr. *Pooley* awarded, &c. that the Defendant should pay the Plaintiff 6*l.* on 21 *Maii* 3 *Jac.* at such a Place, *viz.* in the Church Porch of *Rattlefen*; and further awarded, &c. that the Plaintiff by his Deed should release to the Defendant *totum Jus. &c. super prædictum primum diem*

1 Brownl. 92.
Cro. Jac.
149.
Debt.
Award re-
pugnant.

C c

Maii,

Award void
in Part.

Deeds con-
strued ac-
cording to
the Intent of
the Parties.

* 5 Co. 77,
78.
Cro. El. 432.
Mo. 359.

† Keilw. 43.
a. 45. b.
3 Leon. 62.
5 Co. 78. a.
Mo. 359.
2 Sand. 337.

Maii at the same Place on the Payment of 6*l.* and in another Clause in the Award he awarded that the Plaintiff should make *further Assurance* to the Defendant for the Extinguishment of his Title, as should be devised, &c. And *Yelverton* moved, that this Arbitrament was void, and that it is in a Manner no Award; for it is repugnant and insensible; for altho' it is certain on what Day the Defendant shall pay his 6*l.* yet *nescitur quando*, nor on what Day the Plaintiff shall release to the Defendant, for there is no such *prædictum primum Diem Maii*, in the whole Award; and it is not bound or tied to any Year of the King, so that it is altogether incertain; and altho' it may be collected that the Arbitrator intended the Twenty-first Day of *May*, by Reason that it is limited to be made *super solutionem* of the 6*l.* which was 21 *Maii*, yet that is but by Way of Inference and Implication; and altho' it was objected, that admitting the Award void in that Point, yet it is good in the Residue, which is to be performed by the Plaintiff, *viz.* the Making of better Assurance: To which *Yelverton* answer'd, that all the Clauses in an Award are material, and this Clause of further Assurance depends on the repugnant Clause of the Release to be made; for the Arbitrator intended that the Release limited to be made *super prædictum primum Diem Maii* (where there is no such Day) should be the first Assurance, and the Assurances which are to be made by the subsequent Clause tend, in the Arbitrator's Intention, only to the Strengthening of the Release. *Quod fuit concessum. Et per totam Curiam* there is a Difference between Wills and Deeds, and between Awards; for Deeds, &c. shall be construed according to the Intent of the Parties, and upon the Words to be collected on the Deeds; but an Award is in the Nature of a Judgment and Sentence, in which there ought to be Plainness, and no Collection of the Intent of the Arbitrator, for it ought to be his Judgment, and not the Judgment of another on the Arbitrator's Words; and therefore by *Tanfield* Justice, it has been adjudged, * where an Arbitrator awards that one of the Parties shall become bound to the other in the Sum of —, and mentions no Sum in Certain, but leaves a Space for the Sum, it is void; and if the Award is void in one Clause, altho' it is good in all the other Clauses, yet it is in Law no Award; for a Judgment ought to be full and perfect *in omnibus. Quod Nota.* But if the Arbitrator awards that one of the Parties, and † *J. S.* a Stranger shall do such a Thing, it is good as to the Party, because within the Submission, and void only for *J. S.* who is a Stranger. *Quod vide 19 E. 4.*

The King *and* Fawcet.

Fawcet, and others, were indicted on the Statute 8 H. 6. for a Forcible Entry on the Freehold of the Earl of *Lincoln*, and it was for an Entry and Force before the last Pardon by Parliament: And *Crooke* moved to have Restitution; and *per Curiam*, *non potuit*; for the Statute 8 H. 6. provides two Means to punish Offenders, one at the Suit of the Party by Way of Action, the other at the King's Suit by Indictment: And in Case where the King is Party, the Force, which is the Offence against the Crown, is the Principal, and the Restitution is but accessory, and depends upon that, then when the King has pardon'd the Force, the Strength of the Indictment is gone; for the Party is not to have Restitution but by Means of the King, and the King has given away his Title (*viz.* his Fine) by the Pardon. And, by *Williams* Justice, so was it ruled before between the Lord *Stafford* and *Thinn* for Lands of the Lord *Stafford*, which *Thinn* was indicted for Entering with Force, but obtain'd the Queen's Pardon of the Force, which Pardon he shewed to the Court, and pleaded it in Bar against the Lord *Stafford* to prevent Restitution: *Et sic fecit, per Opinionem Curie.*

Cro. Jac.
148.
Nov. 119.
Indictment
on 8 H. 6.
Pardon of
the Force
prevents Re-
stitution.

The King *versus* Ford, &c.

FORD, and others, were indicted on the Statute 8 H. 6. for a Forcible Entry, and also for a Forcible Detainer of a Messuage, &c. in *Com' Essex*, being the Freehold of *Richard Harlakenden*; and this Indictment was preferr'd at the Sessions to the Grand Jury; and they returned it in this Manner, *viz.* as to the Entry with Force, *Ignoramus*; as to the Detainer with Force, *Billa vera*: But this Endorsement not being spied, but being taken by the Justices of Peace for a full Indictment in both Points, they awarded Restitution to *Harlakenden*; but afterwards, this Indictment being certified into the King's Bench by *Certiorari*, and the Endorsement returned in Manner *ut supra*, they awarded Re-restitution; yet *Yelverton* moved, that they ought not to regard the Endorsement, for the Court did not send for it, but for the Indictment; and this Endorsement makes it no Indictment at all; so the Clerk of the Peace has done more than he was commanded to do; but, *per Curiam*, the Endorsement is Parcel of the Indictment, and the Perfection of it; and the Court sent for the Indictment *cum omnibus id tangen'*, and the Endorsement touches it principally, for

Cro. Jac.
151.
Indictment
on 8 H. 6.
Ignoramus
to Part,
where it de-
stroys the
Whole.
Re-restitu-
tion.
Indorse-
ment.

for it is the Life of it. And in this Case, *per Curiam*, after such Finding of the Jury, *Harlakenden* ought to have preferr'd a new Indictment for the forcible Detainer only; for now being made one intire Indictment, and the Jury finding only the last, it is no Indictment at all. *Quod Nota.*

Pasch. 5 J A C. B. R.

Baker and the Bishop of Peterborough *versus*
Catesby.

6 Co. 62.
Cro. Jac.
141, 166.
Error in
Q. Impedit.
Tempus se-
mestre.
W. 2. c. 5.
Months.
Co. Lit. 135.
b.
2 Inst. 360.

Foster, Parson of *Whiston in Com. Northampt^s*, was deprived 15 *Jan.* 1604. The Bishop of *Peterborough* as Ordinary gave Notice to *Catesby* the Patron 24 *Feb.* following, and afterwards 12 *August* next collated *Baker*, upon which *Catesby* brought a *Q. Impedit*, and recover'd in the Common Pleas, which Judgment was affirmed on Error in the King's Bench: And the sole Question was, whether *Tempus semestre*, which is limited to the Patron by the Statute *W. 2. c. 5.* should be accounted a full *Half-year*, or six Months, according to Twenty-eight Days in a Month? And it was adjudged that it should not be accounted by Months, but for a full *Half-year*, by dividing the Year into Days, *viz.* 182 for the Patron, and 182 for the Bishop; and for the odd Day in the Year, that the Law does not regard it; and so much also appears by the general Course of the Law, which gives the Lapse to the *Metropolitan* after the Year: Which is a Demonstration that the first Year is to be divided between the Patron and the Bishop. And altho' the Statute *W. 2.* in one Place speaks of the *Tempus semestre*, and in another Place of the *Dimidium anni*; it was held that the one expounds the other, the first being spoke *in verbo artis* concerning Prelates, the other in plain Terms which concerns the common People for the Punishment. But it was held that in some Statutes where (a Month) by Name is mentioned, there the Account shall be by Twenty-eight Days to the Month; as on the * Statute of 27 *H. 8.* of Inrolments: And in this Case *Telverton* Justice vouched *Spilman's* Abridgment 21 *H. 8.* adjudg'd according to this Resolution; and said that *Walmesley* Justice in the Common Pleas vouched a Manuscript of the Time *E. 1.* next to the Statute according thereunto, that *Tempus semestre* should be accounted the full *Half-year*; therefore in the Case *supra* on Computation, it appears that the Bishop's Collation was twelve Days *infra*

* 5 Co. 1. b.
Dy. 218.
pl. 6.

Tempus finestre: Wherefore *Catesby* recover'd in the Common Pleas, and had his Judgement affirmed in the King's Bench; *Nullo contradicente* in either Court.

Ward *versus* Walthewe.

THE Bishop of *Exeter* *Tempore* H. 8. by Deed gave Land, *Ec.* to *Nicholas Turner* and *Sybill* his Cousin, in Consideration of Service done by *Turner*, and other Considerations him moving, to them and to the Heirs of their Bodies; and died; they had Issue *Jo.* and *William*; *Turner* died; *Sybill* married one *Clapham*; they alien the Land, *Ec.* to *Jo.* in Fee; *Clapham* died, *Sybill* enter'd, *Jo.* levied a Fine to *Walthewe*, in Fee of the Land, *Ec.* *Sybill* afterwards enfeoffed *William* the younger Son, who enfeoffed *Ed. Willoughby*; *Jo.* enter'd and demised to *Walthewe*, and afterwards *Walthewe* enter'd; and *Willoughby* to try the Title sealed a Lease to *Ward*, who declar'd of so many Acres of Land, *Ec.* in *Sutton Coefield*; and the Matter *supra* upon *Non Cul'* pleaded was found by Verdict: And that the Bishop *dedit Tenementa predicta per Fac-tum suum, cuius quidem Facti tenor sequitur, Ec.* and by the Deed it appear'd that the Land was in *Parva Sutton infra Dominium de Sutton in Coefield*. And, *per Cur'*, the Plaintiff shall recover; for, 1. It was held, that it was not any Jointure within the Statute 11 H. 7. for it is not any such Gift as is intended by the Statute; for the Bishop was not any Ancestor of the Husband, and the Husband gave nothing for it, but it is only a voluntary Recompence by the Bishop given in Acceptation of past Service; and the Statute intends a valuable Consideration and Gift in Fact; also the Bishop might well intend the Gift for the Advancement of the Wife, who appears to be the Bishop's Cousin; and, *per Tanfield*, if it should be a Gift within the Statute 11 H. 7. it could be but for a Moiety, for the Gift was before the Marriage, when they took by Moieties, and the Husband dying first the Wife does not come to any Part by the Husband, but by Course of Law by Survivor. *Quare* of this Conceit; for the other Justices did not allow it. 2. They all held, that the Fine of *Jo.* the elder Son of *Sybill* levied to *Walthewe* destroyed the Entry of *John* and of *Walthewe*; for altho' in Truth the Fine passed nothing but by Conclusion, yet against the Fine the Son *Jo.* and *Walthewe* his Conussee shall be estopped to claim any Thing by Way of Forfeiture on the Part of the Wife, on any Title accruing after the Fine; for they have no new Right, but *Jo.* being the Son to whom the Land was intailed, is barred by the Fine. 3. Altho' upon View of the Deed made by the Bishop, the Land which by the Declaration is granted in *Sutton Coefield*, by the Deed

Cro. Jac.
173.
Noy 122.
1 Brownl.
137.
Ejectment.
What shall
be a jointure
within 11 H.
7. c. 20.
Fine.
Conclusion.
Who shall
enter for a
Forfeiture
within 11 H.
7.
Where a
precise Ver-
dict makes
the Court
good, which
otherwise
would be ill.

appears to be *in parva Sutton, &c.* yet that is aided by the Finding of the Jury, who find expressly that the Bishop *dedit Tenementa infrascripta*; so that being so precisely found, the Deed is not material. *Quod Nota.*

Mich. 5 J A C. B. R.

Cox *versus* Semor.

Prohibition.
Suggestion.
St. 50 E. 3.
Divers Pro-
hibitions
non obstant'
Consult'.

Cro. Car.
208.
Cro. El. 736.

50 E. 3, 4.

IN a Suit for Tithes of Lambs and Wool, &c. for Sheep depastur'd in a Close call'd *Greenhil in Balking in Com' Berks.* The Plaintiff brought a Prohibition, and suggested, that *Greenhil* had always paid 10 s. in Discharge of all Tithes of Lambs, Wool, &c. And *Telverton* moved for a Consultation, because the same Suggestion had been made before in four several Prohibitions for the same Close, and the same Manner of Tithing alledged, and a Consultation always granted for Want of Proof within six Months; yet, *per Curiam*, it being only for Want of Proof, and not on the Right or Trial of the Custom, and being also for Tithes of another Year, which were not in Demand before, the Suggestion is good; for the Statute 50 E. 3. goes to a Suggestion made upon the same Libel, and to a Consultation duly granted, which is not done in the Case above, but only for Negligence in not having his Proofs ready. *Nota.*

Tanner *versus* Small.

Prohibition.
Where Sug-
gestion need
not be
proved.

SSmall sued for Tithes, and the Plaintiff suggested a Concord and Agreement (he being a Parishioner) for 40 s. yearly to retain his own Tithes, and did not prove it within six Months: And, *per Curiam*, he need not, for such Proof goes only to a *Modus decimandi*, and not to another Suggestion on a Lease or Contract: And so is the Experience in the King's Bench.

Field *versus* Hunt.

HUNT recover'd in *Worcester* Court in Debt on a Contract for twenty Sheep, and had a Verdict there, and Judgment; and afterwards it was removed by Error into the King's Bench, and assigned generally that Judgment ought to have been for the Defendant, where it was enter'd for the Plaintiff. But upon the Opening of the Errors, it was shewn, that there was not any Declaration in *Worcester* Court; for the Declaration was, Raphael Hunt *queritur versus* H. Field *de placito quod reddat ei 20 l. quas ei debet & injuste detinet, & unde idem quer' per M. Attorn' suum quod cum prædict' Def. &c.* And, *per Fenner, Williams and Crook*, this is no Declaration, for there wants the Word (*dicit*) and the Sense is imperfect; and altho' *Yelverton* objected that the Declaration is sufficient, if it is good to a common Intent, and that the Word (*quer'*) *breviter scriptum* may be *queritur*, and then it is (*unde idem queritur*). Yet, *per Curiam*, that will not aid it, for then it is not certain, to whom this Word (*idem*) refers, whether to the Plaintiff, or to the Defendant, and it shall be rather referr'd to the Defendant, because *ad proximum antecedens*; and this, *per Curiam*, is Matter of Substance, which is wanting, therefore it is ill; but if it had been (*unde idem Raphael quer'*) *breviter scriptum*, it had been good, because the Party Plaintiff is certainly named, and then (*quer'*) can have no other Sense than *queritur*. And the Judgment was reversed. *Quod Nota.*

1 Inst. 90.
Noy 123.
Error in
Debt in
Worcester.

Where a
Count shall
be ill for In-
certainty.

1 Inst. 20. b.

Howse *versus* Webster.

IT was agreed by *Yelverton, Williams and Crook* Justices, that if a Man demises Land by Indenture to *J. D.* for Years yielding Rent, and *J. D.* dies, making *A.* his Executor, the Lessor may have Debt against the Executor for the Rent reserved, and Arrear after the Death of the Lessee, altho' the Executor never entered nor agreed; for the Executor represents the Person of the Testator, and the Testator by the Indenture was estopped and concluded during the Term to pay the Rent upon his own Contract, and therefore altho' the Rent is higher than the Profit of the Land, yet the Executor cannot wave the Land, but notwithstanding that he shall be charged with the Rent. *Vide* the Opinion of *Ascue*, 21 *H. 6.* 24. 25. 11 *H. 4. contra*; but it was denied to be Law.

Debt.
Executor.
Where an
Executor
cannot wave
the Land.

Vide Saik.
297.
3 Co. 23. b.

Parkehurst *versus* Palmer.

Assumpsit.
Venue mi-
staken.
16, 17 Car.
2. c. 8.
Ante 77.

AN *Assumpsit* laid at Maidston in Com' Kent, and upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, the *Venire facias* was de *Vis. Villa & Paroch' de Maidston*. And it was adjudg'd Error, and an insufficient Trial; for the Trial ought not to be from a larger Precinct than the Plaintiff himself has supposed the Substance of his Matter to be; and this *per totam Curiam*.

Smith *versus* Turner.

Cro. Jac. 202.
Cro. El. 268,
621, 638.
1 Sid. 132.
Words.

THou art no true Subject to the King; and, *per totam Curiam*, after Verdict against the Defendant, the Action does not lie; for the Words are too general to bear an Action, for they do not touch the Plaintiff any Way in his Loyalty particularly, or otherwise; and no Man is so true or good a Subject as he ought: And if an Accountant deceives the King, or his Lessee is arrear with his Rent, he is not true in that; for he has broke the Trust reposed in him, and therefore is not a true Subject; the same Law, if a Subject does not pay his Subsidy. But if it had appeared by the Declaration, that the Words had been spoke upon any Discourse of the Plaintiff's Loyalty, then the Opinion was otherwise.

Hoddesdon *versus* Grefil.

Cro. Jac. 195.
1 Brownl.
208.
Commoner
cannot kill
Conies.

TRespass for Entering the Plaintiff's Close call'd *B. at Leighton-Bussard*, and taking two Conies: The Defendant to all the Trespasses, except the Entry into the Close, pleaded *Non Cul'*, and to the Entry justified, that he had Common in the Close called *B.* and that he had five Cows ready to put upon the Common *ad utend'* the Common; and because *quamp' plurimi Cuniculi* were there feeding, spoiling the Common, he in Preservation of his Common enter'd *ad fugandum & occidend'* the Conies. And the Plaintiff demurred upon the Bar; and the Justification was adjudged ill; for a Commoner * cannot enter to chase or kill Conies; for altho' the Owner of the Soil has no Property in the Conies, yet as long as they are in his Land he has Possession, which is good against the Commoner: For, if the Lord surcharges the Common with Beasts, the Commoner cannot drive them out, but the Cattle of a Stranger the Commoner may distrain Damage-feasant, or drive them out of the Common, for the Stranger has no Colour to have his Beasts there. And also Conies are Matter of Profit to the Owner of the Soil for House-keeping. Therefore forasmuch as it appears that the Cause of the

* Cro. Jac.
229.
Cro. Eliz.
876.
Godb. 123.
2 Leon. 201.
4 Leon. 7.
2 Bulst. 116.
Ow 114.

Entry

Entry was to chase and also to kill, which is unlawful as to the Lord who is the Plaintiff, therefore the Justification is not good in Matter; for if the Lord surcharges the Soil with Co-nies, the Commoner on this particular Loss * may have an Action on the Case, which is a sufficient Remedy against the Plaintiff. *Quod Nota.* Upon full and considerate Deliberation of all the Judges, they being all on the first Day of the Argument of the contrary Opinion. *P. 43 Eliz. Rot. 134.* between *Bellewe* and *Langden*, & 28 *Eliz.* between *Conny* and others agree, as *George Croke* vouched it, *ex relatione Jo. Walter.*

Action on the Case by a Commoner against the Lord.

* *Lutw. 107. Postea 143.*

Gerry *versus* Davis.

DEBT on Bond; the Plaintiff declared on a Bond *de sexcentis Libris*; the Defendant demanded Oyer of it, which was enter'd, and it appear'd to be, that the Defendant was bound to the Plaintiff *in sexgintis Libris*, and adjudg'd *Nil capiat per Billam*, for *sexgintis* is a Word of no Signification, and therefore the Bond it self does not warrant the Declaration.

Cro. Jac. 196. Sexgintis. Vide ante 96.

Cox *versus* Worrall.

THE Plaintiff declar'd, that whereas he was of a good Reputation, and so had lived free from all Felonies, Rapes, &c. yet the Defendant *false & malitiose* preferr'd an Indictment for the Rape of *A.* an Infant at such Assises, upon which he was arraigned & *legitimo modo acquietat'*; the Defendant justified and shewed, that *A.* was his Daughter, and of the Age of eight Years, and came to him, and with Tears complain'd that the Plaintiff had ravished her, and thereby very much hurt her; whereupon the Defendant went to *J. S.* a Justice of Peace, and took his Daughter with him, and complain'd of it to the Justice, who thereupon sent for the Plaintiff, and upon Examination of the Matter bound the Defendant to appear at the Assises, and to prosecute against the Plaintiff, and bound the Plaintiff to appear there likewise; wherefore the Defendant came to the Assises, and to save his Recognisance preferr'd an Indictment of Rape against the Plaintiff, which was found by the Grand Jury: And shewed that he took his Daughter to the Assises also to give Evidence, *prout ei bene licuit.* Upon which Bar the Plaintiff demurr'd. And it was adjudged against the Plaintiff, and that the Justification was good; for the Plaintiff grounds his Action on the malicious Prosecution of the Indictment by the Defendant, and the Defendant shews how, by Degrees lawful and justifiable, he came to exhibit the Indictment: As, 1. That it was on his Daughter's Complaint, whom Nature obliges him to pity; and the Tendernefs

Cro. Jac. 193. Action on the Case.

Where the Preferring of an Indictment against *A.* shall be justifiable.

¹ Rol. Rep. 439.
³ Bull. 286.
 Cro. El. 900.
 Salk. 15.

of *A.*'s Age proves that there was no Malice in her, and the Defendant being her Father could not do less. 2. On this Complaint the Defendant did not noise it abroad, but took only the Course of Justice, and did nothing but in a Course of Justice, performing the Condition of his Recognisance; and in 6 *E.* 3. — it appears that the Father may justify the Maintenance of his Daughter in Suing of an Appeal. And, 3. The Offence which the Daughter complain'd of, is a Vice committed in Secret, which has no Witnesses; and therefore on the Daughter's Complaint, which is but Conjecture, the Father might well exhibit the Complaint to the Justice, and the Indictment at the Assises; and so it was adjudg'd.

Jennings *versus* Haithwaite.

¹ Brownl. 208.
 Trespafs.
 13 El. of Non-Residence is a general Law.
 St. 21 H. 8.
 1 Mod. 204.
 2 Mod. 56.
 4 Co. 76. a.
 120. b.

IN Trespafs, on Not guilty pleaded, the Jury found the Defendant Vicar of *D.* and that he such a Day, &c. demised his Vicarage to *J. S.* for three Years rendring Rent, which *J. S.* assigned one Acre Parcel thereof to the Plaintiff; and that the Defendant was absent by several Quarters in a Year sixty Days in each Quarter; but they did not find the Statute 13 *Eliz.* yet it was adjudg'd for the Defendant, for the Statute 13 *Eliz.* is a general Law, altho' it extends only to those who have Cure of Souls, by Reason of the Multiplicity of Parsonages and Vicarages in *England*; and being a general Law the Judges ought to take Notice of it. And adjudg'd accordingly. The same Law of the Statute of 21 *H. 8.* of *Non-Residence*.

Drury *versus* Dennis.

¹ Brownl. 209.
 Trespafs.
 Verdict imperfect.

¹ Vent. 93. con.
 Where Baron and feme shall join, and where sever in Action.

Trespafs against Husband and Wife; and declar'd that they beat a Mare of the Plaintiff, and committed several other Trespases, upon *Non Cul* pleaded, the Jury found, that the Wife beat the Mare, and for the Residue they found for the Defendants. And, *per Cur'* *Nil capiat per billam* enter'd; for the Verdict is altogether imperfect, for they have found the Wife guilty of Beating the Mare, and have given no Verdict as to that touching the Husband, either by Way of Acquittal or Condemnation: And the Finding *pro resid' non cul*, or for the Defendants, extends only to the other Trespases contain'd in the Declaration, and not to the Battery of the Mare. And also, by *Williams* and *Crooke* Just. where Battery is brought against Husband and Wife, supposing that they both beat the Plt. or the Plt.'s Mare, and upon *Non cul* it is found that the Wife only committed the Battery, and not the Husband, this Verdict is against the Plaintiff: For now the Plaintiff's Action appears to be false, for

the Husband shall not be join'd in such Case but for Conformity. And there is a special Writ in the Register to such Purpose. And it is not like a Battery charged on J. D. and J. S. for there one of them may be acquitted, and the other found guilty, and good; for they are in Law several Trespassers.

Blanchflower *versus* Atwood.

THE Defendant said of the Plaintiff; *I will hang him, for he hath spoken Words which be High Treason.* And Nelverton moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Words are too general to bear an Action; for *non constat* what the Words were, and the Law does not determine any Words to be Treason. But *non allocatur per Cur'*, for Words * may be Treason; as to say, the King is a Bastard, or that another has a better Title to the Crown, for that may draw Subjects from their Allegiance, and create Mutiny in the Kingdom: And the first Words enforce the Slander, in Saying, *I will hang him*; and then by the subsequent Words he shews the Reason why; *for he hath, &c.* and, by Fleming Chief Justice, it is not safe for the Plaintiff to set forth in Certain what Words he spoke, for Words which are Treason are *Arcana Imperii*, and not to be publickly spoken and utter'd, but are only to be discover'd to the King or his Counsel, or other Magistrate, for otherwise by his ordinary Report of the Words, without discovering them, he may endanger himself.

Godb. 153.
Words which
are Treason
ought not to
be set forth.

* Postea 197.
Cro. Jac. 276.
1 Bull. 148.
Hutt. 75.

Heines *versus* Guie.

ERROR on a Judgment given in *Assumpsit* in the Court of *Tewksbury* on a Verdict given, where the Jury gave 8*l.* Damages, and 2*d.* Costs; and the Judgment was, *Ideo considerat' est quod* the Plaintiff *recuperet damna sua per Jurat' predict' assessa in forma predicta ad 8*l.* necnon 20*s.* pro Misfis & Custag' de Increment' Curie.* And adjudged Error, because no Judgment is given for the 2*d.* Costs given by the Jury, but only for the 8*l.* which was for Damages, and so the Costs assessed omitted, and the other Costs which follow are but the Act of the Court *ex Officio*, without any Reference to that which was assessed by the Jury.

Error.
Damages.
Costs.
Costs omitted
in the Judgment.
2 Show. 56,
33.

Owen *versus* Williams.

Error.
Cognisance
made, and
as Bailiff to
no Person, is
void.

IN Replevin by *Owen* against *Williams*, *Price* and *Laborer*, of an Horse taken, &c. *Williams* avow'd, and the others made Conusance, to take the Horse for 11 *d.* Rent arrear of a Rent-Service due by *Owen* to *Williams*: And it was found for the Defendants, and 2 *d.* Damages given by the Jury to all three Defendants, and the Judgment accordingly, that they three should recover *dampna sua prædicta per Jur' assessa*, &c. and forasmuch as *Price* and *Laborer* made Cognisance generally, and did not make it as Bailiffs or Servants to *Williams*, and the Cognisance is in it self a Title and Justification in another's Right, and Damages given to all three, and they two who make Cognisance have no Cause to recover any Thing; therefore the Judgment reversed.

Dismo *versus* Sherley.

Error in
Debt.
Where Want
of an Original
shall be
Error.
Judgment of
Nihil in Misericordia.

THE Defendant in the Common Pleas appeared the first Day that he had by the Summons, and afterwards the Plaintiff recover'd by *Non sum inform'*, but the Defendant *Nihil in Misericordia quia venit ad primam Summonitionem*, in Error on this Judgment it was alledged, that there was no Original, and thereupon a *Certiorari* issued for the Original in that Term in which the original Action commenced, which is certified that in that Term there is no Original between the Parties; and it was said that the Original might be enter'd of another subsequent Term; therefore the *Certiorari* was too strict to tie it to one Term *in Specie*: But, *per Cur'*, in this Case, if there be any Original of another Term it will not serve, because the whole Matter was begun and ended in one and the same Term, as appears by the Judgment of *Nihil in Misericordia, quia, ut supra*, but where the Defendant does not come the first Day, but by mean Process, there the Judgment is, that he shall be *in Misericordia*, and there an Original certified between the Parties of any Term pending the Plea, is sufficient. *Quod Nota*, by Experience.

Harrison *versus* Fulstow.

Cro. Jac. 185.
1 Brownl. 96.
Error in
Debt.

Fulstow brought Debt of 86 *l.* in the Common Pleas against *Thomas Harrison*, and enter'd his Complaint against *Thomas Harrison*, and the *Capias* continued accordingly against *Thomas*. But the *Plures* was against *William Harrison* (which was the Defendant's true Name) and that was but for 85 *l.* which varied from the first Entry, and upon the Exigent *William Harrison* appeared, and the Plaintiff declar'd against *William*

William, and they pleaded, and were at Issue by the Name of *William*, and there was a Verdict *pro Quer'*, and Judgment accordingly against *William*; and now in Error it was assigned that the Original did not maintain the Proceedings; for that is against *Thomas*, whereas the Proceedings are against *William*, and altho' the Plaintiff's Counsel would excuse it, that this Judgment being against *William*, and the Original against *Thomas*, as it is certified, that that could not be the Original against *William*, and so the first Judgment against *William* is without an Original, which is aided by the Statute after Verdict: Yet, *per Cur'*, it is Error; for there is a Difference between a bad Original and no Original; for the Want of an Original is aided, but not a vitious Original; and if the Original in this Case was not against *Thomas*, then there was not any Continuance, nor *obtulit se omnino*: And also Diminution being alledged, it is certified as the Original in this Suit: And therefore the Judgment was reversed.

Virious Original not aided by the Statute of Jeofails.

Cro. Jac. 479.
1 Saund.
317, 318.
5 Co. 37. b.
Cro. El. 722.
5 Geo. c. 13.

The Ld. Sands and Swayne v. Scullard and Dawby.

TRESPASS was brought by the Plaintiffs against the Defendants for an Entry into their Close: *Dawby* had Judgment against him by *Nihil dicit*; *Scullard* pleaded to Issue *Non cul'*, upon which a *Venire facias* is awarded upon the Roll between the Parties *tam ad triand' Exitum quam ad inquirend' de dampnis*, and the Plaintiffs take their *Venire facias ad triand' Exitum* between the two Defendants and the two Plaintiffs, and the *Hab' Corp' & Distring'* were accordingly; but the Plaintiffs (knowing *Dawby* to be dead) took their Record of *Nisi prius* against *Scullard* only, and he is found guilty: And in Arrest of Judgment *Velverton* shewed, that the *Ven. fac.* was vitious, for there was no Issue to be tried between the Plaintiffs and *Dawby*; for Judgment being given on *Nihil dicit* against *Dawby*, the Writ ought to have made Mention only of the Issue between the Plaintiffs and *Scullard*, and to have been an Inquiry for Damages between the Plaintiffs and *Dawby* according to the Award upon the Roll, which is the Ground of the *Ven. fac.* And it was likewise shewn that the Jury have not done all that for which they were summoned, for they have given their Verdict only against *Scullard*, and no Verdict at all against or for *Dawby*; just as if two Matters had been in Issue, and they give a Verdict for the one, and nothing for the other, it is ill for the whole. And that was the Opinion of the whole Court *prater Williams Jus.* who relied on 9 *El. Dy.* 260. b. Sir *Ant. Cooke* and *Wooton's* Case: Where in Partition against two, one confessed the Action, and the other pleaded to Issue, and yet the *Ven. fac.* was to try the Issue between the Plaintiff and the two Defendants, and by the Opinion it was amended. But *Nota*; there is a Difference, for no

1 Brownl.
209.
Trespas.
Venire facias vitious.
Amendment.

Damages are to be recover'd in Partition; but it is otherwise in Trespass: Therefore in *Cooke's Case* the Court said, it was as if a mere Stranger to the Record had been named in the *Venire facias*.

Holfworth *versus* Sir Stephen Procter.

Cro. Jac. 188.
Amendment.
Statute of
York.

* Cro. El.
310.
Mo. 868.
Vide Cro.
El. 466.
Breve album
cannot be a-
mended af-
ter a Trial
in Pais, o-
therwise on
a Trial at
Bar.

† 3 Bulst.
220.
Noy 115.

A Verdict was found for the Plaintiff at the Assises, and he prayed his Judgment; but in Arrest of Judgment, *Yelverton* shewed that the *Distringas* was *album breve*, without an Indorsement, viz. *Executio istius brevis*, &c. and without the Sheriff's Hand set to it. And, *per Cur'*, it is a good Matter to have a new Trial, for it * cannot be amended: And by the Statute of *York* the Sheriff ought to put his Name on the Back of the Writ. *Quod vide* 8 H. 6. And the Jury being taken on this *Distringas in pais*, they come in without any Warrant at all; and altho' the Writ is made returnable *in initio* of this Mich. Term (*nisi Justic' ad Assisas prius venerint*) and it was objected that the whole Term being but one Day, that the Court might call in the Sheriff to amend it, yet it was answer'd, that the Jury being past *in pais*, the Tenure and Substance of the Writ is past, and that this Court cannot amend it, for that was to make the Trial good which was taken without Warrant, for now upon the Matter there was no *Distringas* at all, and so no Commission to the Justices of *Nisi prius* to take it: But if the Trial had been in Court this Term, the Court might call in the Sheriff to amend it before the Verdict passed, or after in the same Term; because they sit by Patent, and not by Commission. *Vide Rowland's Case*, 5 Co. 41. b. Judgment reversed, because the Sheriff's Name was not put to the † *Venire facias*, and yet the Jury was not taken on that Writ, but on the *Distringas* which is a stronger Case.

The Lord Mordant *versus* Walden.

Error on As-
sumpsit.
Uncertainty.

THE Plaintiff shewed that *Lewes Lord Mordant* the Plaintiff's Father was seised of the Manor of *D.* and of divers Lands, &c. in *D.* in Fee, and in Consideration that the now Plaintiff with his Father *Sigillaret quandam Indenturam per quam* the Lord Mordant barganizaret, &c. the said Manor, and the said Lands and Tenements in *D.* to the Defendant, the Defendant promised to pay the Plaintiff 100*l.* and shewed *in facto*, that the Plaintiff such a Day, &c. *Sigillavit Indenturam predictam*; yet the Defendant had not paid the 100*l.* &c. And upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded

pleaded it was found for the Plaintiff, and he had Judgment accordingly in the Common Pleas; but it was reversed by Error for two Reasons: 1. Because (*diversa Terras & Tenementa in D.*) are uncertain, and do not comprehend all the Lands in *D.* therefore the Plaintiff ought to have shewn in Certain, and particularly what Lands were contained in the Indenture: As if a Man promises to convey to *J. S.* all the Lands descended to him from his Father, he ought to shew *in Specie* (what Lands) and that they are (all). 2. The Plaintiff has not laid the Performance on his Part certain and sufficiently, because (*Indenturam prædictam*) cannot be good because (*prædictam*) ought to refer to some Certainty before, and nothing is certain before, for (*quandam Indenturam*) at first is uncertain; for it is all one as if he had said (*unam Indenturam*) and then the (*prædictam*) which follows could not be good; for that is *incertum per incertius*: But the Plaintiff ought to have shewn in Certain, that he had sealed such an Indenture in Certain; *per quam Lewes Lord Mordant* and the Plaintiff *barganizarent, de Verbo in Verbum, prout* it is laid in the Premises of the Declaration; as if a Man promises to execute *quoddam scriptum obligatorium* whereby he will become bound to *J. S.* in 100*l.* in an Action on this Promise, it is no Plea to say, *quod (fecit scriptum obligat' prædictum)* because no Bond in Certain was mentioned before; but if in this Case it had been a perfect Indenture in Date, in Nomination of the Parties, and Limitation of the Land, then it had been good to say, that he had sealed (*Indent' prædictam*) because by the Premises it appears to be a true and perfect Indenture *in facto*. But here it is but a pretended Indenture. *Quod Nota.*

Vide 2 Leon.
53.
3 Leon. 91.
Where (*prædict'*) refers to a Certainty.

Paine's Case.

NOTA; *per Williams Justice*, that it was resolved by all the Justices of *England* in the Star-Chamber in the Case of one *Paine of Middlesex*, who was sued there for Perjury in the Court of Requests on his Deposition in a Case there depending, where the Conveyance and Title of Land and Freehold came in Question; that this Perjury was not punishable; for it is but a vain and idle Oath, and not a corrupt Oath, because the Court of Requests have nothing to do with, nor can examine Titles of Land, which are real, and are to be discussed and determin'd in the King's Courts. *Quod Nota.*

1 Bulst. 107,
108.
Noy 114.
Perjury in Court of Request, where it shall not be punished.
Authority of that Court.

Tompson *versus* Colier.

1 Brownl.
138.
Where a
Man shall
plead in A-
batement.
Where a
Respondeas
Ouster.

* Lutw. 24.
2 Show. 145.
Salk. 1.

† 2 Inst. 242.

THE Plaintiff declar'd on a Lease made by *Robinson* and *Stone* of a Messuage and 40 Acres of Land, in the Parish of *Stone* in the County of *Stafford*, the Defendant imparl'd to another Term, and then pleaded that within the Parish of *Stone* there are 3 Villis, *A. B.* and *C.* and because the Plaintiff did not shew in which of the Villis the Land lay, he demanded Judgment of the Bill, & *quod ob Causam prædict' Billa prædict' cassetur*: And the Plaintiff demurr'd upon the Plea; and it was adjudged for the Plaintiff: For, 1. The Defendant * cannot plead in Abatement of the Bill after an Imparlance, for he has admitted it to be good by his Entering into Defence, and by his Imparlance. 2. The Matter of the Plea is not good, because the Defendant does not shew in which of the Villis the Messuage and 40 Acres lie; and that he ought to do; for where a Man pleads in Abatement, he ought always to give the Plaintiff a better Writ. *Quod Nota.* But, *per tot' Cur'*, this Plea does not go in Bar, but only a *Respondeat Ouster*. And by *Williams* Just. the Difference is, where the Plaintiff demurs on a Plea in Abatement, and where he goes to Issue upon it; for if they † go to Issue upon such Plea, and it is found against the Defendant, it is peremptory, and he loses the Land: But upon a Demurrer it is not peremptory, but only a *Respondeat Ouster*. *Quod Nota.* Vide 22 H. 6. 55. b. *Foxley's Case*, 5 Co. 111.

Bromley *versus* Littleton.

Error in
Dower.

§ 1 Inst. 32.
b.
Dy. 234. p.
33.

MRS. *Littleton*, the Wife of *Gilbert Littleton*, recover'd her Dower in the Common Pleas by Default, and had a Writ of Seisin to the Sheriff of *Stafford*, and a Writ of Inquiry whether the Husband died seised, and of what Estate, whether in Fee or Fee-tail; the Jury found, that the Husband died seised, but whether in Fee or in Tail, *ignorant*; and found the Value of the Land, &c. and *quantum tempus elabitur*, &c. whereupon Judgment was given, that she should recover, &c. and her Damages to 60*l.* And thereupon a Writ of Error was brought; and after the Record removed, Mrs. *Littleton* the first Plaintiff died, wherefore the Plaintiff sued a *Scire facias* against Sir *Thomas Cornwall*, Mrs. *Littleton's* Executor, against whom two *Nihils* were returned, upon which the Plaintiff proceeded and assigned Errors, viz. that no Judgment ought to be to recover Damages, because the Jury have not found any dying seised of any Estate of Inheritance in *Gilbert* according to the Purport of the Writ; for without a Dying § seised of such Estate the Wife shall not have Damages; as if the Husband aliens and retakes for Life, and dies, the Wife shall have Dower, but no Damages from this Dying seised, for it was only of the Freehold. And it was adjudg'd

adjudg'd Error. Then the Doubt was, if by the Death of Mrs. *Littleton* the Writ of Error was not abated, and that a new Writ should be sued out against the Executors? And, *per Curiam*, the Writ shall not abate. And there is a Difference between the Death of the Plaintiff, and the Death of the Defendant; in the first Case it shall * abate 2 R. 3. but not in the other Case. And it was likewise held, that the Executors, by the *Scire facias* and two *Nihil*s returned, which amount to a Garnishment, are made Parties to the Writ of Error well enough; for because the Damages in the first Judgment are to go to the Executors, therefore they ought to be warned; for although the Plaintiff in the Writ of Error, by the Death of Mrs. *Littleton* is discharg'd of the Title of Dower which lies on the Land, yet he is still to be eased of the Damages, which ought to be against the Executors, who are to be made Parties by this Means of the *Scire facias*. And several Precedents were shewn accordingly in personal Actions, where Damages are to be recover'd, and Error is sued, and the Defendant in Error dies, his Executors have been made Parties to the first Writ of Error by the Suit of the *Scire facias*. *Quod Nota*; *per tot' Cur'*, without Contradiction.

Where Executors shall be made Parties by Scire fac' on Death of Defendant in Error.

* Postea

208.

10 Co. 135. a.

Comb. 263,

441.

Mo. 701.

2 Bull. 231.

Vide 2 Keb.

594.

1 Rol. Rep.

23.

Brinsby *versus* Balgy.

THE Plaintiff shewed, that whereas she was of a good Reputation and a pure Virgin, and fought in Marriage by one *Dunne*, &c. *Dunne interrogavit* the Defendant, why the Plaintiff did not come to Church? The Defendant *respondendo dixit*, *It is no Marvel she comes not to Church, for it is thought she is with Child, and I fear it is too true*: Whereby she lost her Marriage with the said *Dunne*, to her Damage, &c. Upon *Non Cul* pleaded it was found for the Plaintiff: But *Yelverton* moved in Arrest of Judgment. 1. Because the Plaintiff did not shew, that the Defendant was *Sciens* of the Marriage between the Plaintiff and the said *Dunne*, nor doth it appear in the Declaration that the Words were spoken *malitiose*. 2. It appears by the Plaintiff's own Shewing, that the Defendant had not any Intention to slander the Plaintiff; for the Defendant's Words arose not from himself but on a Question propounded by *Dunne* a third Person concerning the Plaintiff's not coming to Church, to which the Defendant answer'd; which Answer does not import any direct Slander, for her Honesty was not question'd, but Absence from Church, which is collateral; and moreover the Defendant affirm'd nothing precisely, but his *Thought* and his *Fear*; which imply that the Defendant *rather wish'd there was no such Cause*: So that the Defendant's Words depend merely upon an Ecclesiastical Cause, *viz.* her Absence from Church: But if *J. S.* asks *J. D.* concerning a Robbery committed, and *J. D.* answers, that he thinks the

Vide 3 Bull.

83.

Robbery was committed by *A.* and he fears it is too true; it is a Slander; for the Inducement, viz. the Question, is circa such a temporal and infamous Act, as the Defendant by his Answer has detected of *A.* wherefore it seems that *A.* may have his Action. *Quod fuit concessum per totam Curiam, præter Fenner.* And *Nil capiat per Billam* enter'd.

Winkworth *versus* Man.

1 Brownl.
210.
Noy 125.
Cro. Jac.
183.
Where Ver-
dict of the
Moiety shall
be good.
Ejectment.
Hab. fac.
poss.

THE Plaintiff declar'd on a Trespass in an Acre of Land in *D.* and abutted it *East, West, North and South*: Upon *Non Cul'* the Jury found the Defendant *Cul' in dimidio Acræ infra-script'*; and it was moved in Arrest of Judgment, that upon the Matter no Trespass at all is found; for there is no such Moiety bounded, as the Plaintiff has declared, for the intire Acre is only bounded, and the Plaintiff confining his Trespass within certain Bounds, the Defendant ought to be found a Trespasser within those Bounds; *aliter* it is not good; and it is impossible for the Moiety of the Acre to be within those Bounds, whether the Acre be taken in Length or Breadth, or what Way soever: But *per totam Curiam, præter Fenner*, the Plaintiff shall have Judgment; for if the Plaintiff lays the Trespass in one Acre, and the Jury find it only in a Foot of that Acre, it is good: And here they have found the Trespass in the Moiety of the Acre bounded, and that is sufficient in this Action where Damages only are to be recover'd; but if it was in Ejectment, the Verdict had been ill; for it is uncertain in which Part the Plaintiff shall have his *Habere facias Possessionem*.

Redhead *versus* Harpur.

Noy 124.
Assumpsit.

THE Plaintiff declar'd, that 12 O^robr' Anno 2. at *Staines* in *Middlesex*, there was a Communication between them about Buying 300 *Ewes* and 14 *Rams*, and that the Defendant affirmed, and warranted and promised them to be found, *£3 tunc bene valere 9l. per Score*, and if they should not be of such Value to the Plaintiff to be sold, the Defendant would make them worth 9l. a Score in ready Money; yet the Defendant *Sciens* them not to be found, nor of such Value, sold them to the Plaintiff the same Day for 130l. paid *ibid'*; yet the Plaintiff said *in Facto* that 100 of the *Ewes* at the Time of the Bargain were rotten, and died before 24 *March* following of the Rottenness, and the other 200 at the Time of the Bargain were not worth 9l. a Score, nor could be sold for more than 4l. a Score, so the Defendant had deceived him to his Damage 100l. The Defendant said that the Bargain was for *Ewes* and *Rams* then going in *Waldmore* in the County of *Lincoln*, which were found and worth 9l. a Score, and might have been sold for that Price;

Price; and that he averr'd, upon which the Plaintiff demurr'd; and it was adjudged for the Plaintiff; for the Defendant has not answer'd the Matter in the Declaration, *viz.* the Warranty and Promise, which is the Cause and Ground of the Action, and the Disceit laid to the Defendant's Charge, and that of Necessity ought to be traversed and denied by the Defendant. The Defendant's Plea is likewise idle and vain; for the Agreement and Bargain for the Sheep, being a Thing transitory and not local, it is not material where the Sheep were at the Time of the Bargain, whether in *Lincolnshire* or in *Middlesex*; and so was the Opinion of the whole Court.

Lathbury and his Wife Administratrix of William Ridges versus Michael Humfry.

DEBT as Administratrix on a Bond of forty Marks dated 4 Apr' 39. made by the Defendant to the Intestate: The Defendant pleaded that *Ridges* the Intestate 1 Octobr' 1 Jac' made his Will, and made the Defendant Executor, and bequeathed the Bond and the Money therein contained to one *Humfry* the Defendant's Son, and died; after whose Death the Defendant took upon him as Executor, and administred several Goods of *Ridges*, and that he is ready to aver: Upon which Plea the Plaintiff demurr'd generally; and it was adjudged for the Plaintiff, for the Defendant's Plea is not good without a Traverse that *Ridges* died Intestate: For the Action being brought as Administratrix, and they declaring on a Dying Intestate, it is such a material Supposal in the Declaration, that it being the Ground of the Action ought to be traversed; as 9 H. 6. 7. Debt against one as Administrator of J. and declared that J. died Intestate, the Defendant pleaded that J. made his Will, and made him Executor, and because the Plaintiff declar'd that J. died Intestate, it was hold no Plea without a Traverse of it. The same Law 7 H. 6. 13. Debt against one as Executor of R. The Defendant pleaded that R. died Intestate at such a Place, and held no Plea; for if the Plaintiff maintains that R. made the Defendant Executor, and the other says that R. died Intestate, that will not make an Issue; and therefore the Defendant ought to traverse, *viz.* that R. died Intestate, *absque hoc*, that he made him Executor. And 4 H. 7. 13. a. this very Case in Question is adjudged, that such Plea in Bar is not good without a Traverse, *viz.* to say, *absque hoc*, that *Ridges* died Intestate. 3 H. 7. 14. agrees. And this *per totam Curiam* without Argument.

1 Brownh. 97,
Debt as Ad-
ministrator.

Traverse of
the dying
Intestate.
Declaration.

Theloall. 98,
6.
Vide Salk.
297, 298.
Lutw. 890.
Cro. El. 102.

Andrew

Andrew *versus* Hundred' de Lewkner in Com'
Oxon'.

Cro. Jac.
187.
Noy 125.
Hue and
Cry.
Stat' Win-
ton 13 E. 1.
Stat. 27 El.

Comb. 160,
161.

The Conclu-
sion should
be contra
formam
Statuti, and
not Statuto-
rum.

THE Plaintiff declar'd on the Statute of *Winton* 13 E. 1. and shewed that he had performed the Limitations and Ordinances in the Statute 27 El. and concluded *contra formam Statuti prædicti*, and the Issue being found for the Plaintiff, it was alledged in Arrest of Judgment, that the Declaration was not good, because he having declar'd on two Statutes, *viz.* the Statute 13 E. 1. and the Statute 27 Eliz. he ought to have concluded *contra formam Statutorum prædictorum*. But *non allocatur per totam Curiam*, because the Action in this Case is given and grounded only on the Statute 13 E. 1. and the Statute 27 Eliz. is rather in Restraint and Hindrance of the Action than otherwise; for whereas before the Statute 27 Eliz. the Party might have had his Action generally to have charged the Hundred on any Robbery, now certain Circumstances are to be performed by the Statute 27 Eliz. before the Party shall have his Action, and before he can charge the Hundred, *viz.* the taking of the Oath before a Justice, that he was robbed, and that he does not know the Felons, &c. So that the Statute 27 Eliz. was made in Ease of the Hundred, and not in Advantage of the Party robb'd; therefore it is sufficient to conclude *contra formam Statuti*, which shall of Necessity have Reference to the Statute 13 E. 1. which gives the Suit: And several Precedents were shewn accordingly in 28 Eliz. & 35 Eliz. And, *per Curiam*, if the Plaintiff had concluded *contra formam Statutorum*, it had not been good, because the Statute 27 Eliz. does not enable the Party to sue.

Arundell *versus* Tregono.

Action on the
Case.

Ante 105.

THE Plaintiff declar'd, that whereas he was of a good Reputation, &c. free from Theft, yet the Defendant at the general Sessions of the Peace, &c. held at *Truro in Comitatu Cornubie* 7 Jan. 3. *co-ram Thoma St. Arwyn & Johanne Arundel & Sociis suis tunc Justiciariis*, &c. *malitiose*, &c. *quandam billam Indisamenti* against the Plaintiff *Scribi fecit*, *continen'* that the Plaintiff amongst others broke and enter'd the House of A. and stole half a Busshel of Wheat; and exhibited it to the said Justices *ibid'*, who caused it to be openly read, and deliver'd to the Grand Jury, and afterwards the Defendant at the same Time affirmed the Matter in the said Bill contained to be true, whereby the Plaintiff is damnified, &c. The Defendant pleaded an insufficient Justification, on which they were at Issue, and it was found for the Plaintiff. And *Telverton* moved in Arrest of Judgment; 1. Because it does not appear that the Justices before whom the Indictment

was preferr'd, were Justices of Oyer and Terminer, but only Justices of Peace, who could not arraign the Plaintiff and put him in any Jeopardy: Who was answer'd by the Court, that as this Case is, the Declaration is good enough, for the Plaintiff has laid it to be *ad generalem Sessionem*, which has such strong Intendment to carry this Circumstance, that it was before Justices, who had sufficient Authority: And the rather, because in this Action their Authority cannot come in Question or Debate. Otherwise if it was on an Indictment, for there such general Stile had not been good, but their Authority ought to appear in Certain, because the Party shall be put to answer to it. Then *Telverton* moved, that the Plaintiff has not shewn sufficient Cause of Action; for the Defendant has done nothing but in a * Course of Justice to prefer an Indictment, and that is lawful; for if Men should be punished for preferring Indictments, it would be a great Hindrance of Justice: And, as 43 E. 3.—is, a Man shall never be punished for bringing a false Action; and the rather here, because *non constat* what was done on the Indictment, whether the Plaintiff was acquitted or arraigned upon it, or not: And if nothing was done upon the Indictment, the Plaintiff will clear himself too soon, *viz.* before the Fact tried, which will be inconvenient; *quod fuit concessum per totam Curiam, & nil capiat per Billam* enter'd.

Where the Authority of the Justice, ought to be shewn, and where not.

* 4 Co. 14 b.
1 Ro. Rep.
61.
Palm. 188,
189.
Mo. 820.
Preferring
an Indict-
ment no
Cause of Ac-
tion till Trial
had.

St. John *versus* Commyn.

*S*aint John brought *Eject' firmæ* in the Common Pleas in Ireland on the Lease of R. G. against *Commyn*, and declared *de Castro, Villa & Terris de Kilbrough* in such a County; and upon Issue pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff, and he had Judgment there; upon which *Commyn* brought his Writ of Error in the King's Bench in Ireland, and assigned for Error the Want of an Original, to which *St. John* rejoined and pleaded, that such a Day an Original Writ was deliver'd to such one, &c. and concluded to the Country, and the Judgment was reversed there for Want of an Original: Whereupon *St. John* brought a Writ of Error of the Judgment of Reversal in the King's Bench here in England; and the Judgment given in the King's Bench in Ireland was reversed here, because the Matter was discontinued; for when the Plaintiff in the Writ of Error in Ireland assigned his Errors, and the Defendant there replied and concluded to the Country (where in Truth the Matter of his Plea should be tried by the Record, *viz.* whether the original Writ was deliver'd or not, for that appears of Record) and then the Plaintiff in Error there did not reply or demur on the Defendant's Plea, the whole Matter was thereby discontinued; for there was no full Record of the Proceedings before the Justices of the King's Bench there, because the Plaintiff

Error in
Ireland.

Discontinu-
ance of Ac-
tion.

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had

had not rejoined to the Defendant's Bar there. And now it was moved to have the Record remanded into *Ireland* with a Certificate of the Judges of their Reversal here, to be made to the Justices of the King's Bench in *Ireland*, that he who first recover'd might have his Execution: For they pretended that by the Reversal of the Judgment in the King's Bench there, the first Judgment in the Common Pleas there was affirmed; to which *Telverton* answer'd, 1. That the Record should not be remanded; for although 33 *E. 3. Error 83.* is, that out of *Ireland* no more shall be certified than the Transcript, and according to that is 34 *Aff.* yet the Law is not so at this Day; for the Writ of Error, which goes out of the Chancery here to the King's Bench there, commands the Record to be sent; and the Return of the Justices there does likewise prove it, which is *in hæc Verba, Record missum*: Also the Reason why at first the Transcript is said to be sent only, is for Fear it should be destroyed by the Sea in the Carriage: But when such Fear is over by the safe Arrival of the Record, and by the Entry of it in the Rolls here, then it ceases to be a Record in *Ireland*, and is a perfect Record here. *Quod fuit concessum per Curiam*; and Mr. *Man* the Secondary shewed Precedents in 9 *H. 6.* that a Record sent out of *Ireland* remains here; and so of another Record in 32 *H. 8.* But if the Judgment had been reversed on the Truth of the Matter, although the Judges here cannot award Execution, because they have no Officer that is subject to their Command, yet they shall make a Mandate to the Chief Justice there, that he sees Execution done; and that is the Course: *Quod fuit concessum.* Then *Telverton* and Mr. *Stephens* moved to have a new Writ of Error here of the first Judgment in the Common Pleas there; for although, as 5 *E. 2. Error 89.* a Writ of Error cannot immediately be brought here of a Judgment in the Common Pleas there, but it ought to come here by Degrees, viz. first into the King's Bench there, and then into the King's Bench here, because such is the Usage there, yet this Record being come by such Degrees into the King's Bench here, it seems they may have, and the Court after great Debate granted that they should have, a new Writ *quod coram nobis residet, de bene esse*; for the Reversal here, as appears before, was upon a collateral Point, because for Want of a Demurrer, or other Replication to the Defendant's Plea in the Writ of Error in *Ireland*, the whole Cause was discontinued; for this Court perceived the first Error, viz. Want of an Original, to be Cause sufficient to reverse the first Judgment in the Common Pleas there, as also for another apparent Error in the Declaration, viz. that the Action is brought *de Casiro, Villa & terris in Kilbrough* * without expressing the Number and Certainty of Acres, which is insufficient; for upon such general Demand

Cro. Jac.
534.

A Record
sent from
Ireland re-
mains here.

Cro. Car. 512.

F. N. B. 22.
E.

* Cro. Car.
573.
Mo. 422,
702.
Ow. 18, 19.
1 Show. 358.
4 Mod. 97.
Salk. 254.
Comb. 198.

Demand no *Habere facias Possessionem* can be awarded and executed.
Quod Nota bene. Per Curiam.

Hill. 5 JAC. B. R.

Cobb *versus* Hunt.

C OBB sued a Prohibition in the Common Pleas against *Hunt*, Parson of *D. in Kent*, and suggested a *Modus decimandi* as to Part of the Tithes demanded against him in the Spiritual Court, and as to the Residue suggested a Contract executed and performed between him and the Parson in Satisfaction of the Residue; and because he did not prove his Suggestion within six Months, *Hunt* the Parson had a Consultation and Costs assessed by the Court to 50s. and Damages 50s. which by the Statute 2 E. 6. shall be doubled, but in Truth there was no Judgment given to recover them, *viz. ideo considerat' est quod recuperet*) was omitted; yet *Hunt* thinking that all was perfect, brought Debt in the Common Pleas for the Costs, &c. and declar'd on the whole Matter *supra*, and that Damages were assessed, *super quo tunc considerat' fuit quod recuperet*, &c. and that the Costs were not paid, *per quod Actio accrevit*, &c. and thereupon he recover'd against *Cobb* by *non sum informatus*: And thereupon *Cobb* brought Error *tam in Recordo & Processu*, &c. of the Prohibition, as of the Debt for the Costs; and assigned generally for Error, that the Judgment in the Common Pleas should be for *Cobb* where it was for *Hunt*. But *Telverton* alledged two Errors in Special. 1. That there was no Judgment in the Prohibition to recover the Costs, but only an Assessment of them, without more, which is not sufficient; for the Assessment alone is but Matter of Office in the Court, but no Judgment of the Court that will bind. *Quod fuit concessum per totam Curiam.* 2. Error, that no Costs at all ought to be assessed or adjudged in the Case *supra*; because the Prohibition is grounded as well on a *Modus decimandi*, which wants Proof, as on a Contract between the Parties, which does not want Proof; and the Suggestion being intire, and Part of it wanting no Proof, they cannot give any Costs at all; for that is only where the whole Matter in the Suggestion wants Proof; so the joining of the Contract with the Manner of Tithing privileges the whole as to Costs: But they may grant a Consultation as to that

1 Brownl. 98.
 Error on
 Debt on St.
 2 E. 6.
 Costs assessed
 and not ad-
 judged.
 Prohibition.
 Where Costs
 shall not be
 given for
 Want of
 Proof of the
 Suggestion.
 Consulta-
 tion.
 Ash. 445.

Ante 102.

Cro. El. 74.
 that

that Part of the Suggestion of the Manner of the Tithing, and *Stabit pro residuo. Quod fuit concessum.* So both the Judgments revert. *Quod Nota.*

Sir Robert Miller's Case.

Noy 128.
Cro. El. 148.
Dalif. 84,
85.
3 Inst. 166.

SIR Robert Miller was Defendant in a Bill in the *Star-Chamber*, and being examin'd on Interrogatories, the Plaintiff supposing that he had committed Perjury on his Examination procured him to be indicted on the Statute 5 *Eliz.* and *per totam Curiam*, he cannot be indicted on the Statute, because he is not *Testis*, but remains Defendant yet, although it be upon Interrogatories, for if he confesses Matter against himself upon the Interrogatories he shall be condemned. *Quod Nota.*

Markam versus Molineux.

1 Brownl. 99.
Error on
Debt.
Where several
Additions
of the De-
fendant will
make the
Suir erro-
neous.
Salk. 6.

Molineux enter'd his Original in the Common Pleas against Markam in an Action of Debt on a Bond, by the Name of *J. Markam Alderman de D.* and all the mean Procefs was continued against him by the Name of *Alderman*; Markam appear'd, and the Plaintiff declar'd against him by the Name of *Markam de D. Esquire*, and the Parties were afterwards at Issue, and it was found for the Plaintiff, and Judgment given; and it was now revert for Error, because *non constat* that this Markam is the same Markam, against whom the Original was enter'd, and the Procefs continued, but rather that he is another Person by Reason of the several Additions of *Alderman*, and *Esquire.* *Quod Nota.*

Fernely versus Fawsett.

Cro. Jac.
203.
Scire facias.
Corpus cum
Causa.
Bail.
Where Bail
shall be dis-
charged not-
withstanding
a Proce-
do.

Fernely brought an Action on *Assumpsit* against Brome in the Court of *Norwich*, and had Fawsett, and *J. S.* for his Bail there; a *Corpus cum Causa* issued 19 *Junii* 3. out of the King's Bench to appear before Popham Chief Justice 9 *Julii* next at *Norwich*; afterwards a *Procedendo* issued the same 19 *Junii*, notwithstanding the first Writ, Popham 9 *Julii* took Bail at *Norwich*, and discharg'd the Sheriffs there of Brome; afterwards 20 *Julii* the *Procedendo* was deliver'd to the Sheriffs of *Norwich*: They proceeded, and Judgment was given there against Brome, who brought Error in the King's Bench, and the Judgment was affirmed, and after two *Nibils* against the Party the Plaintiff sued out a *Scire facias* against Fawsett one of the Bail, who pleaded the Matter *supra*, and the Plaintiff replied and shewed the *Procedendo*, and so a Demurrer upon that; and it was adjudged that

Fawsett

Faxset the Bail is discharg'd; for by the Taking of Bail by *Popham*, the Bail in the inferior Court at *Norwich* is absolutely discharg'd; altho' the Bail taken by *Popham* was not filed in Court; for that could not be till Term: And altho' a *Procedendo* issued, which might have been a *Supersedeas* to the first *Habeas Corpus*, yet that not being deliver'd before 20 *Julii*, which was after the Bail taken by *Popham*, the Body of *Brome* was lawfully discharg'd by the Bail taken at *Norwich*; as if the Body comes by *Habeas Corpus*, and because he cannot find good Bail, the Judge commits the Party to the Marshal, that discharges the Bail. But they all agreed, that if the *Procedendo* had been deliver'd to the Sheriffs before 9 *Julii*, which was the Time in which *Popham* took the Bail, then it had been a *Supersedeas* to the first Writ, and then the Bail in the Court of *Norwich* should stand.

Procedendo.
Supersedeas.
Ante 57.
Vide Bro.
Mainprife
96.
Procedendo
13.
Cro. Jac.
363.

Ashe versus Doughty.

THE Plaintiff shewed that he and the Defendant, and several other Tenants (Copyholders of the Manor of *D. in Norfolk*) were Plaintiffs in Chancery against *R. Wood* Lord of the Manor to have their Fines made certain by Decree, and that in Consideration the Plaintiff at his Costs and Labour should procure a Decree there for the Enjoyment of their Copyholds at a Fine certain, the Defendant promised to pay the Plaintiff after such Decree obtained 3*l.* when he should be requir'd. The Plaintiff shewed in Certain that he at his Costs and Labour obtained the Decree accordingly, and *licet* the Plaintiff such a Day and Place requested the Defendant to pay the 3*l.* yet he denied it, &c. The Defendant pleaded *Non Assumpsit*, and it was found against him: And it was moved in Arrest of Judgment; 1. That the Request was not well laid, for the Request, being Parcel of the Promise, ought to be alledged *in facto*, and not by this Word *licet*, which is but argumentative, and not directly; but it was resolved, that *licet* is a Word affirmative, and being conjoined with Time and Place certain, is as well issuable as the Word *in facto*; as appears by *Buckley's Case Com'*, and by several Precedents in Court. 2. It was moved, that there is no Notice laid to be given to the Defendant of the Decree in Chancery, and the 3*l.* are to be given by the Defendant for and in Recompence of the Decree: But it was resolved, in this Case no personal Notice is necessary to be given the Defendant of the Decree, because it appears by the Declaration, that the Defendant was one of the Plaintiffs in Chancery on the Suit, in which the Decree was granted; so that he himself is Party to the Decree; and it is not like the Case of *Street* and *Wheeler*, lately adjudged in this Court; for there

Assumpsit.
Licet as good
as in facto.
Request.
Where No-
tice shall be
given, and
where not.

Plow. Com.
127. b.

Post. 168. *Wheeler* promised *Street* upon the Marriage of *Wheeler's* Son with denied. *Street's* Daughter, *ad Maritagium* to give 100*l.* to the Son, the Parties intermarried, and *Wheeler* did not pay the 100*l.* and in *Assumpsit* brought by *Street* against him, because it did not appear by the Declaration, that *Wheeler* had Notice of the Marriage, and he being a Stranger to the Marriage could not pay 100*l.* at the Marriage without having Notice of it, therefore there *Street* was barred: But in this Case the Defendant is Party to the first Bill, and therefore might have as good and full Notice of the Success in the Suit, and Decree, as the Plaintiff had: Wherefore Judgment was given for the Plaintiff.

Lane *versus* Alexander.

Cro. Jac.
202.
1 Brownl.
140.
Ejectment.
Traverse.
Day.

THE Plaintiff declared on a Lease made to him by *Mary Planters* for three Years: The Defendant said, that the Land, &c. is Copyhold of the Manor of *Fawkenham* in *Norfolk*, whereof Queen *Eliz.* was seised in Fee, and long before the Lessor had any Thing, viz. such a Day, &c. by *J. S.* her Steward, at a Court, &c. granted the Land to the Defendant by Copy in Fee according to the Custom; and so justified the Entry on the Plaintiff. The Plaintiff replied and said, that long before the Copy granted to the Defendant, viz. at a Court of the Manor held such a Day, &c. *Anno* 43 *Eliz.* the Queen by Copy, &c. granted the Land to the Lessor for Life according to the Custom, by Virtue whereof she entered and demised to the Plaintiff, &c. The Defendant by Way of Rejoinder maintained his Bar, *absque hoc*, that the Queen at the Court of the Manor by *J. S.* her Steward such a Day, &c. granted the Land to the Lessor; and thereupon the Plaintiff demurred in Law generally. And *Telverton* moved, that the Traverse was good in such special Manner, of the Day and of the Steward, &c. wherein the Difference is where the Act done may be indifferently intended to be on one Day or another, there the Day is not traversable; as in Case of a Feoffment by Deed such a Day, the Day of the Feoffment is not traversable, for it passed by the Livery and not by the Deed; and the Livery is the Substance, and the Day but of Abundance, 10 *E.* 4. 6. The same Law of the Day in Trespass, the Day is not traversable; for although it be on another Day it is not material. But where a Man makes his Title by a special Kind of Conveyance, as in this Case the Plaintiff makes his Title by a Copy, there all that is contained in the Copy is material, and the Party cannot depart from it, for he cannot claim this Land by any other Copy than that which is pleaded; as 18 *H.* 6. 14. in an Action against *J. S.* for Taking his Servant, and declares that he by Deed retained his Servant the Monday in such a Week; in such Case it is a good Plea for the Defendant to say, that the

Servant

Servant was retain'd with him the Friday after, *absque hoc*, that the Plaintiff retain'd him the Monday. The same Law, as it seems, of Letters Patent, the Day and Place are traversable, because they are the special Conveyance of the Party, from which he cannot depart. It seems likewise here, that although the Day in this Case be traversed, yet on a general Demurrer the Statute 18 *Eliz.* of Demurrers aids it, for the Day here is not of Substance but of Form. But, *per totam Curiam*, the Day is not traversable here, but whether the Queen granted an elder Copy to the Lessor of the Plaintiff before the Copy granted to the Defendant, so the Traverse should be *absque hoc, quod Domina Regina concessit modo & forma* to the Lessor of the Plaintiff. The same Law in Case of Letters Patents before; the Traverse should be, *absque hoc, quod Dominus Rex concessit modo & forma*, and the Day and Place does not come in the Traverse. *Fenner* Justice contrary, for the Reason given before by *Telverton*. And also (by him and the Chief Justice) it is aided by the Statute 18 *Eliz.* for it is but Form; for if the Jury find an elder Grant by the Queen to the Lessor of the Plaintiff, although it be at another Court, it is sufficient; and by Consequence the Day is not material in Substance. *Quod Nota.* But *Williams* Justice contrary. And by all, but *Fenner*, adjudged, that the Traverse is ill; for the Jury are thereby bound to find a Copy on such a Day and by such Steward, which ought not to be: And also it is Matter of Substance not aided by Statute 18 *Eliz.*

Where the Day and Place are traversable, and where not.
St. 18 El.

2 Mod. 184.
Post. 141.

Darby *versus* Boice.

IN *Ejectment* for an House in *London*, on *non cul'* pleaded, the Jury found a Special Verdict, and the Case was such: Tenant in Tail of several Messuages in *London* 7 *Jan.* 44 *Eliz.* bargained and sold them to *J. S.* and deliver'd the Deed off of the Land: 8 *Jan.* the same Year Indentures of Covenants were made to have a Common Recovery suffer'd of those Messuages, 9 *Jan.* afterwards a Writ of Right was sued in *London* for those Messuages returnable at a Day to come; and 10 *Jan.* the same Year, the Tenant in Tail made Livery of Seisin to *J. S.* of one House in the Name of all, where the other Messuages were in Lease for Years, and the Lessees never attorned. The Question was, if the Messuages passed by the Bargain and Sale, or by the Livery? And it was adjudged, that they passed by the Bargain and Sale. And a Difference was taken by *Telverton* between several Conveyances, both executory, and where one is executed immediately; as in *Sir Rowland * Hayward's Case*, where several Lands were given, granted, leased, bargained and sold to several for Years, the

1 Brownl.
141.

Ejectment.

* Popl. 95.
2 And. 202.
2 Co. 35. a.

Custom of
London that
Land passes
by Bargain
and Sale,
and not by
Livery.
Intent.

the Lessee was at Election, either to take by the Bargain on the Statute 27 H. 8. or by Demise at the Common Law. But it is otherwise, where the one is executed at first; for there the other comes too late; as in this Case, by the very Delivery of the Bargain and Sale the Land it self passed by the Custom of *London* without Enrolment (for, *Nota*, the Custom was found in the Verdict) and so much is expressed by the Statute of Enrolments, which excepts *London*; then being executed, and the Conveyance perfect by the Delivery of the Deed, without any Circumstance, the Livery of Seisin comes too late; for it is made to him who has the Inheritance of the Messuage at the Time; and Possession executed hinders Possession executory. As if a Bargain be of Land, and before Enrolment the Bargainee takes a Feoffment, that hinders the Enrolment, because the Taking of the Livery has destroyed the Use which passed by the Bargain. *Quod fuit concessum*. Another Reason was given, because it appears that the Intent of the Parties was to have the Land pass by the Bargain, because it was to make a perfect Tenant to the *Præcipe*, as appears by the Acts subsequent, as the Indentures of Covenants, the Bringing of the Writ of Right, &c. all which would be frustrated, if the Livery of Seisin should be effectual: And when the Act is indifferent, it shall be taken nearest to the Intent of the Parties; as if a Man has a Manor, to which an Advowson is appendant, and makes a Feoffment by Deed of the Manor *cum pertin'*, and delivers the Deed, but does not make Livery of Seisin; although the Deed *per se* is sufficient to pass the Advowson; yet, because the Party did not intend to pass it in Gross, but as appendant, if the Manor does not pass, the Advowson alone does not pass; as it was agreed 14 *Eliz.* in * *Andrewes's Case*. *Quod Nota*. *Per totam Curiam*. And Judgment given accordingly, that the Defendant, who claimed under the Bargain, should enjoy the Land.

* Dy. 311.
a. b.
1 And. 17.
Mo. 105.
Bendl. 201.

Samford *versus* Cutcliffe.

Covenant.
Concord
pleaded.

Covenant brought by the Heir in Reversion against the Executor of Tenant for Life for a Breach of Covenant in the Testator in not repairing the House demised; the Defendant pleaded, that the Testator, Tenant for Life, died 19 *Martii*, and that 22 *Martii concordat' & agreeat' fuit inter* the Plaintiff and Defendant, that the Defendant should quietly depart and leave the Possession to the Plaintiff, and *in Considerat' inde*, the Plaintiff agreed to discharge him from the Breach *in non reparando*. And shewed that 25 *Martii* he quietly departed and left the House to the Plaintiff; and shewed an Execution of the Concord, as he supposed, and demanded Judgment *si Actio*: Upon which the Plaintiff demurred in Law. And it was adjudged for the Plaintiff; for, *per Fenner*, the Concord is void, for there is not any Recompence, nor *quid pro quo*

quo for the Plaintiff; for the Executor has not any Interest in the House after the Death of the Tenant for Life, but only a Licence in Law, to enter and take away the Goods, &c. then the Accord, that he shall leave the House, is to no Purpose, because he has no Interest in it. And, by *Yelverton* and *Crook*, the Plea is not good; because the Time is uncertain on this Agreement, when he shall depart, and altho' the Defendant shews that he really departed within five Days after, yet that will not aid the first Incertainty; for the Concord is the Foundation of the Whole, which ought to be certain, when it shall be performed; therefore, by them, the Concord ought to have contained a certain Time, in which the Defendant should depart, if he would take Advantage of it. And, by *Williams* Justice, it is not a good Concord as it is pleaded; for the Time being indefinite, when the Defendant should depart, he ought to shew a present Execution of it, *viz.* that he instantly departed: As if a Man comes into a Shop to buy, he ought instantly to pay, otherwise it is no Contract executed. But all three, *prater Fenner*, agreed, that if the Defendant's Plea in the Time of the Departure from the House had been certain, and executed according to the certain Agreement, it had been good; because altho' the Action is grounded on the Deed, yet it is only to recover Damages. And so agrees with * *Blake's Case*, 6 Co. 43. b.

* Cro. Jac.
99.
Noy 110.

Pasch. 6 JAC. B. R.

Ket Plaintiff as Administrator of J. S. versus Life.

IN Trover, after Verdict, and before the Day in Bank, the Defendant pleaded, that the Plaintiff, who brought the Action as Administrator of *J. S.* being cited in the Spiritual Court, had *per debitam Juris formam*, the Letters revoked, and Administration committed to another. And, *per Curiam*, no Plea; for it is a Matter only wherein the Defendant shall be aided by *Audita Querela*, on the Letters of Administration, and not by Plea; no more than in the Case of a Release, &c.

Trover.
Audita Querela.
Letters of Administration revok'd.
Vide supra 83.
2 Ro. Rep. 467.

21 H. 7.

Bury *versus* Wright.

Words.
Palm. 68.

BEAR Witness, Mistress, that he hath stolen my Hair-cloth: And *per Cur'*, Nil capiat *per Billam*; for it is no direct Affirmation to charge him with the *Stealing* of it, no more than if he should say, *Mistress, you will bear Witness that he hath stole my Horse*, for thereby the Party who speaks does not slander the other, but leaves it to the Testimony of others for the Proof of it; as if he should say, *J. S. will prove you stole my Horse*; these Words will not maintain an Action. *Quod Nota.*

Strickland *versus* Thorpe.

1 Brownl.
211.
Cro. Jac. 207.
Error in
Trespas.
Judgment in
Trespas af-
tera Pardon.
16, 17 Car. 2.
c. 8.

5 Co. 49.
a. b.

THorpe brought Trespas against *Strickland, quare Clausum fregit, &c.* 20 Junii Anno 3. with a Continuance till 6 Novembr' after; upon *Non cul'* a Verdict was found for the Plaintiff, and Judgment given: But it was enter'd, *Nihil de Fine quia pardonatur.* And upon Error, he assign'd, that the Judgment ought to be *Capiatur*; because by Reason of the King's Pardon by Parliament Anno 3. which pardons all Offences before 25 Septembr' preceding, he alledg'd, that but Part of the Trespas was pardon'd, *viz.* from 20 Junii to 25 Septembr' following; but that the Trespas from 25 Septembr' to 6 Novembr' is not pardon'd; therefore as to that there ought to be a *Capiatur.* But, *per Curiam*, the Judgment is well enter'd, for the first Entry in Trespas being only *Vi & Armis*, that being pardon'd, all that depends upon it is pardon'd, for the first Entry only makes the Trespas. It appears likewise by the Declaration, that the Continuance of the Trespas is not laid in the Entry, but only *quoad depasturam & Consumptionem herbae*, which is added only to increase Damages to the Party; but not for the King's Fine.

Oliver *versus* Collins.

1 Brownl.
100.
Debt on
2 E. 6.

THE Plaintiff brought Debt on the Statute for not *setting forth* of Tithes, and shewed that he is Parson of the Parish Church of *parva Lavar in Com' Essex*, and that the Defendant had so many Acres *infra Paroch' de parva Lavar* sown with Wheat, whereof the tenth sever'd from the nine Parts came to 28 *l.* And shewed that the Defendant *apud parvam Lavar predict'* took and carried away the Wheat, not setting out the Tithes

Tithes contrary to the Statute, whereby he forfeited 60*l.* which the Plaintiff demanded treble Value, &c. to his Damage 100*l.* and on *Nil debet* it was found for the Plaintiff, and alledg'd in Arrest of Judgment, 1. That the Statute was misrecited; for where the Plaintiff declares, *quod cum* 4 Novembr' 2 E. 6. it was enacted, &c. it was said, there is no such Statute, for the Parliament began 1 E. 6. and continued per *Prorogationem* till 4 Novembr' 2 E. 6. So the Plaintiff is mistaken in it. *Sed non allocatur*; for 1000 Precedents are contrary: And in Respect of the continual Use to lay the Statute in this Form as the Plaintiff has declar'd, the Court said, they would not alter it, for that would be to alter all the Judgments that were ever given in this Court. 2. It was objected, that the Matter was misfried, and there ought to be a new Trial, because the *Venire facias* was *de parva Lavar*, where by their Pretence it ought to be from the Parish *de parva Lavar*: To which *Yelverton* answer'd, that the Trial was good, for by this Action no Tithes are demanded nor recover'd, but the Defendant punished only for the Contempt against the Statute in *not setting forth his Tithe*; and this Wrong, which the Plaintiff complains of, is laid only in the Town of *parva Lavar*, and not in the Parish; for all the Places in the Declaration, where the Parish is named, are but Conveyance to the Action, and not of the Substance of it; because that only is, where the Tort and Grievance to the Plaintiff arises, which is only *in parva Lavar*. *Quod fuit concessum per Curiam*, upon great Debate at several Days: And Judgment was given for the Plaintiff. The like Judgment between *Barnard* and *Costerdam* in an Action on the same Statute, for the last Point of the Venue: *Quod Nota* well adjudged in this Point: But in the Case of *Costerdam*, which concerned the Earl of *Klenrichard* (with whom *Yelverton* was Counsel) it was resolved, that the Issue being on the Custom of Tithing, which is found against the Defendant, he shall pay the Value express'd by the Plaintiff in his Declaration: Because by the collateral Matter pleaded in Bar the Declaration is confessed in the Whole.

Co. Entr.
161. a.
1 Show. 337.
Dy. 171. a.

Precedents.
2 Mod. 241.
Vide Lutw.
140.

Where the
Venue shall
be from the
Vill, and
where from
the Parish.
Ante 63.

Collateral
Matter
pleaded in
Bar confesses
the Declara-
tion.

Trin.

Trin. 6 JAC. B. R.

Pickas *versus* Guile.

Assumpsit.
What shall
be a good
Considera-
tion.

Ante 4, 50.
Cro. El. 883.

THE Plaintiff declar'd, that the Defendant in Consideration the Plaintiff *adtunc & ibidem* at the Defendant's Request *deliberavit* to the Defendant four broad Cloths, and two Packs and a half of Wool of the Plaintiff's to the Value 50*l.* promised the same broad Cloths and Packs of Wool to the Plaintiff upon Request to redeliver: The Plaintiff said *in facto* that he did deliver them to the Defendant; yet the Defendant had not, altho' he was such a Day, &c. requested, redeliver'd them: And on *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff: And *Yelverton* shew'd in Arrest of Judgment, that there is no Consideration laid in the Declaration to draw a Promise from the Defendant, for the Defendant had no Benefit by the Cloths, &c. but *nudam custod'*, which is rather a Charge than a Benefit; for the Defendant could not use them; and therefore it is to be resembled to 9 *E.* 4. where Delivery of the Evidences to the true Owner is no Consideration, for the Owner ought to have them of common Right. *Quod fuit concessum per totam Curiam.* And *Nil capiat per Billam* enter'd.

Croft *versus* Walbanke.

Assumpsit.
Administrator during
Minority,
where it
ought to be
alleged.
5 Co. 29. a.
Hob. 251.

AN ACTION is brought against the Defendant as Administrator of *J. S.* during the Minority of *D.* and Issue join'd, and found for the Plaintiff; and alledged in Arrest of Judgment, that the Declaration is not good, because *non constat*, whether *D.* be at the Time of the Action under 17 Years, at which Time the Authority is determin'd. But it was adjudged, that it need not be shewn: 1. Because the Plaintiff is a Stranger to the Power given the Defendant, and cannot know of what Age *D.* the Infant is. 2. Because the Defendant by joining Issue has admitted that his Power continues: For otherwise the Exception taken by the Defendant should be pleaded by the Defendant in Discharge of himself, for it lies properly in his Notice, and it is for his Benefit to alledge it.

Burges and Dixon *versus* Ashton.

Prohibition.

THE Defendant, Vicar of *A.* libell'd severally against the Plaintiffs in the Spiritual Court for small Tithes, and also for Herbage, Wood, Milk; the Plaintiffs joined in Prohibition, and surmised for all (but for

for small Tithes) a Custom of Tithing. And, *per totam Curiam*, the Prohibition is not well brought in both their Names; for the Suit below being upon several Libels, they cannot join in a Prohibition, for the tortious Vexation of the one does not extend to the other, no more than two can join in an Action for slanderous Words; as appears, *Dyer — Quod Nota*. Yet the Court did not grant any Consultation, because the Matter being on a Custom triable by the Common Law, they of the Spiritual Court were justly prohibited, though not in such due Form as they ought to be; and therefore they awarded that the Plaintiffs should make several Declarations, and so proceed as upon two Prohibitions.

Several Declarations on one Prohibition.

Noy 131.
Dy. 19. a.
Cro. Jac. 647.
Palm. 313.
F. N. B. 192.
K.

Kenrick *versus* Pargiter.

THE Defendant justified the Taking of Cattle Damage-feasant, on Surmise of a Custom, that the Plaintiff being Lord, and enjoying the Place where, &c. solely to himself till *Lammas-day*, after that Day it should be Common for the Tenants, and the Plaintiff should put in but three Horses, &c. and because the Plaintiff after *Lammas-day* put in more Cattle than three Horses, &c. he took them Damage-feasant, as he lawfully might. And they were at Issue on the Custom, and it was found against the Plaintiff. And *Telverton* shewed in Arrest of Judgment, that the Defendant could not take the Cattle Damage-feasant, for it appears the Defendant is but a Commoner, and it likewise appears that the Place where, &c. is the Plaintiff's Soil, and his Cattle cannot be taken Damage-feasant in his own Soil; no more than the Tenant can have Trespass against the Lord *Vi & Armis*, in Respect of his Seignior, as *Lit. & 5 H. 7.* are: But, *per Curiam*, the Matter of the Taking of the Cattle Damage-feasant will not come in Question, because nothing is in Issue but the Custom, which is tried against the Plaintiff. But if the Plaintiff would have taken Advantage of it, he ought to have demurred; and although he had thereby confessed the Custom, yet whether a Commoner might take the Lord's Cattle Damage-feasant had then properly come in Debate: And, by *Fenner, Williams and Crooke*, such taking Damage-feasant is good; for by the Custom, the Lord is excluded from having but his Stint, and the Lord may well be stinted, and the whole Vesture and Benefit of the Soil is to the Commoners, and they have no Remedy to preserve their Interest in Feeding their Cattle but by taking the Lord's Cattle that offend: And the Custom here has made the Lord as mere a Stranger as any other,

1 Brownl.
187.
Cro. Jac. 208.
Noy 130.
Replevin.
The Lord may be stinted in his own Soil.
Where a Commoner may take the Lord's Cattle Damage-feasant.

Lit. Sect.
484.

Con. 2 R. 6.
267.

* 9 Co. 112. and the Cattle of a * Stranger clearly a Commoner may take Damage-feasant, 15 H. 7, &c. the Chief Justice and *Telverton* doubted; and that as the Tenants by Custom have gained a sole Feeding in the Lord's Land, so they ought to alledge Custom and Usage also to distrain the Lord's Cattle, and that had been good. *Quod Nota.*

Ventres *versus* Carter.

Noy 129.
Error on
Covenant.
Inquiry.
Judgments.
Videtur, con-
cessum, li-
quet, are
not Words of
Judgment,
but confide-
raturum.

† Noy 77.
Latch 83,
177, 188.
Poph. 203.
Cro. Car.
442.
Cro. Jac. 386.
3 Bullst. 92,
&c.
16, 17 Car.
2. c. 8.

AN Action of Covenant brought in a base Court, and Judgment given there by *Nihil dicit*, and in Error brought thereon, they assigned two Errors; 1. That on the Writ of Inquiry of Damages, the Jury not appearing, they awarded an *Habeas Corpora*, and upon that the Damages were found. And adjudged Error, for the Law does not give any *Habeas Corpora* in such Case, but only where the principal Matter comes in Debate and in Issue; for if the Jury does not appear at the Day prefixt on the Writ of Inquiry of Damages, there shall issue an *Alias* and *Plures* only, &c. but not an *Habeas Corp^s*. The second Error was, that the Judgment was *Ideo videtur Cur^s*. And that was likewise adjudg'd Error; for it ought to be *Ideo considerat^s*, &c. for that alone is the Word of Effect, which imports the Judgment to be on great Advice: But *videtur*, or *liquet*, or *concessum* is not good. And upon this Word *concessum* another Judgment given in *Norwich* was this Term reversed. But *Nota*, in Fact the Words in this last Case were, *Ideo inconcessum fuit*, where it was said by *Davies* of *Lincolns-Inn*, that the Word *in* was void, and the Judgment good by the Word *concessum*. But, *per totam Curiam*, if *concessum* had been a proper Word, *inconcessum* had made the Judgment erroneous; for that is *Quasi non concessum*. *Quod Nota.*

Smith *versus* Smith.

1 Brownl.
101.
Executor
ought to be
named, tho
Administra-
tion is com-
mitted du-
ring Minori-
ty.

BISSE made *Katherine* his Wife, and *John* his Son (being but of the Age of one Year) Executors; *K.* only proved the Will, and married the Plaintiff, and they brought Debt as Executor against the Defendant omitting *John* the Son: The Defendant pleaded in Abatement of the Bill, that *John* was made Executor with *Katherine*, and is yet in full Life, not named, &c. The Plaintiffs replied, that *John* was but of the Age of one Year, and that *Katherine* proved the Will, and had Administration committed *Durante minore etate*, and that *John* is, and the Day of the Writ purchased was, under seventeen Years. And thereupon *Telverton* demurred; and it was adjudged for the Defendant, *Quod Billa cassetur*, for both really are Executors, and ought

to be * named in the Action: And although by the Administration * Vide
 committed *Durante minore ætate* Katherine had the full Power; yet ¹ Lev. 181.
 the Infant ought to be named, for that affirms him to be Executor. ² Raym. 198.
² Lev. 240.

Reps *versus* Bonham.

THE Case was, a Feoffment was made of three Acres to *A.* and ¹ Brownl.
B. to the Use of *Richard Reps* and *Mary* his Wife for their ^{211.}
 Lives, and afterwards to the first, second, and third Son of the ^{Trespafs.}
 Body of *Mary*, and afterwards to the Heirs of the Body of *Mary*
 by *Richard* to be begotten: They had no Son, but a Daughter
 now Plaintiff; *Richard* levied a Fine of the Land, *Mary* died;
 the Plaintiff enter'd, and the Defendant pleaded the Fine of *Ri-*
chard. And adjudged that the Plaintiff is not barred by the Fine;
 for *Richard* had it but for Life, and the Estate-tail was in the Wife
 only; by all the five Justices; for they said, that the Husband is
 named only to declare what Heir of the Body of the Wife shall in-
 herit, not every Heir, but such Heir only, as *Richard* her present
 Husband shall beget; and if the Limitation had been to the Heirs
 of the Body of the Wife by the Husband, and by *J. S.* begotten, the
 Inheritance would be only in the Wife; but yet it is by the later
 Words enlarged; for if she has no Issue by the Husband, if she after-
 wards marries *J. S.* the Heir she shall have by him shall inherit. And
 they all conceived, that the Inheritance is only in the Wife, because
 the Word [Heir] which makes the Estate of Inheritance, is annexed
 only to the Body of the Wife: But if it had been to the Heirs which
 the Husband should beget on the Body of the Wife, there it is a
 Tail in both. 19 *H. 6.* 75. *a.* The same Law, if it had been to the
 Heirs of the Body of the Wife, and of the Body of the Husband
 begotten, for the Word [Heir] is indifferently limited. *Quære*, if
 it had been to the Heirs *super Corpus* of the Wife by the Husband be-
 gotten; for *Telverton* urged that Case, and they seemed to agree,
 that it is a Tail in both: Then there is a small Difference between
super Corpus and *de Corpore*: *Vide* also *Lit.* 82. *b.* and compare the ¹ Inst. 26. *a.*
 Case there with this Case; and, as *Telverton* thought, *Lit.* is against
 this present Opinion: Yet adjudged *ut supra* by all without any
 Scruple.

What shall
 be an Estate-
 tail, and in
 whom.

Edmonds *versus* Booth.

Booth, Parson of *B.* in *Suffolk*, leased all his Tithes of 200 Acres of ^{Prohibition,}
 Land, whereof *Rabbit* was then seised, to him and his Wife, and
 the Heirs of *Rabbit*, to the said *Rabbit* by Indenture, *Habend'* from
Mich' next to him and his Heirs during the Life of *Booth*: *Rabbit* died,
 and *E.* his Wife had these 200 Acres for her Jointure; she married
Fowler

Tithes cannot be granted for Life to commence at a future Day.

Where a Grant shall enure by Way of Interest, and where by Way of Discharge.

Fowler, who demised the 200 Acres to *Edmonds* the Plaintiff, and the Heir of *Rabbit* granted also to the Plaintiff the Tithes of these Acres at Will, and being sued by *Booth* for Tithes in the Spiritual Court against his own Lease, he brought a Prohibition on the Matter aforesaid; and upon Demurrer it was adjudged for the Defendant, and that he should have a Consultation: Wherein the Point was, whether the Lease was void, because it was to commence at a Day to come, and it was for Life? And *Fleming* Chief Justice, *Fenner* and *Williams* conceived, that it is void; for although Tithes are Spiritual, and are not extinct in the Land, yet in the Conveyance of them, they ought to follow the Nature of the Land, Rent or other Hereditaments, which being *in esse*, as 8 H. 7. 3. is, cannot be granted to commence at a Day to come, if an Estate for Life be limited; and as 21 H. 6. 46. Tithes are always *in esse*. But by *Telverton* and *Crooke* contrary; for here the Lease is made but of those Tithes, which should be due for the Land of which *Rabbit* was then Owner, so that it does not enure by Way of Interest, but by Way of Discharge and Retainer, for *Rabbit* cannot have Tithes of his own Land; and then a Discharge may well commence at a Day to come, as to be discharged from Suit to a Mill, or such like: But by the Chief Justice and *Williams*, as the Lease is pleaded, it cannot be taken to enure by Way of Discharge; for the Plaintiff pleads, by Force whereof *Rabbit* was seised of the Tithes to him and his Heirs for the Life of *Booth*: So that the Plaintiff having pleaded it by Way of Interest, they as Judges cannot intend or construe it otherwise. And, by *Fleming* Chief Justice, this Lease cannot enure by Way of Discharge, for there are no such Words in the Lease; which proves it was not intended by the Parties to operate but by Way of Interest, and that was more beneficial for the Lessee; for if it should enure by Way of Discharge only, it is such a Privilege annexed to the Land, as cannot be granted over; but if by Way of Interest, it may well be granted over. And so much appears also in this Case; for the Wife of *Rabbit* is Owner of the Land, but the Son takes upon him to be Owner of the Tithes, which cannot be, if the first Lease had enur'd by Way of Discharge: And *Telverton* inclined much thereto, that the Pleading of the Lease, and of the Seisin by Force of the Lease, was not good. *Quod Nota.*

Gomerfal *versus* Aske *Administratrix* of her
Husband.

THE Plaintiff brought Debt against the Defendant as Administratrix of her Husband on two former Judgments given in two Actions of Debt against the Intestate, and shewed the Recoveries: The Defendant pleaded, that the Intestate enter'd into a Recognisance *Anno 35 Eliz.* in Chancery to Sir *Hugh Bethel*, and shewed that after the Judgments obtained by the Plaintiff, Sir *Hugh* had Judgment against the Intestate on the Recognisance, and that she had not Assets to satisfy the Plaintiff of the Goods of the Intestate *ultra bona onerabilia* to the Judgment on the Recognisance: And thereupon the Plaintiff demurred. And, by *Fenner* and *Williams* Justices, the Plea in Bar is good; for although the Plaintiff's Judgments in his Actions are prior to Sir *Hugh Bethel's* Judgment, yet the Plaintiff by this Action does not demand Execution of the first Judgments, but only demands his Debt recorded; for this Action is an Original, and in the same Course, as if he had demanded the Debt on the first Bonds. So that, forasmuch as the Plaintiff has not sued his *Scire facias* to execute the first Judgments, but has brought his new Original, the Plea is as well allowable here, as if it had been upon the Bonds themselves. *Fleming* Chief Justice and *Telverton* contrary: For this Plea had not been good by the Intestate himself, and the Executor or Administrator does but represent his Person; and also this Plea is not good, but in Excuse of a *Devastavit*; and they conceived that Payment in *Pais* to the Plaintiff had been a good Bar against Sir *Hugh*, because it trench'd to the Satisfaction of a Judgment on Record, which is equal in Nature with Sir *Hugh's* Judgment. And they were likewise of Opinion, that this Action is in Nature of a *Scire facias*, for he demands the Debt in another Course than it was originally; for the Debt which was on a Matter of Writing, is now by the Judgment become a Debt of Record, and of so high a Nature, that, pending the Judgment in its Force, he cannot resort to have an Action on the Bond: *Quod vide* adjudg'd in *Higgen's Case*, 6 Co. 44. b. *Crooke* Justice doubted: Therefore, because the Defendant was dead, the Court would not resolve.

1 Brownl.
101.
Debt.

Where a
former Judg-
ment shall be
a Bar.

* Cro. El.
608.
Mo. 545.
Ow. 37. con-
tra.

Bettisworth *versus* Campion.

THE Plaintiff, as Executor of J. his Father, declared against the Defendant, that whereas there was a Communication and Agreement, that the Defendant should have all the Iron made in such a Furnace, paying *secundum Ratam* of 40s. per Ton, and that the Testator *assumpsit* to the Defendant, that he should have

Assumpsit.

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Cro. El. 543.
Hob. 88.
Promise against Promise is a good Consideration.

all the Iron made in that Furnace, *in Consideratione inde* the Defendant promised the Testator to pay *secundum Ratam* aforesaid; and shewed that the Defendant had had so many Tons and so many Pounds of Iron, which amounted, according to the Rate aforesaid, to so much Money; and confessed Satisfaction of Part, and 119*l.* to be arrear and not paid to the Testator or the Plaintiff. The Defendant pleaded Payment, and Issue thereon, which was found against the Defendant, to the Damage of 200*l.* And it was shewn in Arrest of Judgment, that the Plaintiff has not shewn the Consideration was performed on his Part, for the Defendant was induced to make the Promise in Hopes and in Consideration that he should have all the Iron made there, and the Plaintiff has not averr'd, that the Iron deliver'd was all; as 13 *H. 7. & 6 E. 4.* A Man is bound to enfeoff *J. S.* of all the Land descended from his Father; it is no Plea, that he has enfeoffed *J. S.* of 100 Acres descended, without an Averment that those 100 Acres are all that descended. To which it was answer'd by the Court, that the Consideration *ex parte Querentis* was not, that Defendant should have all the Iron; but that the Testator promised that the Defendant should have all the Iron; so that the Consideration on each Part was the mutual Promise the one to the other; and altho' the Testator is now dead, whereby the Defendant cannot have an Action against the Plaintiff as Executor on the Testator's Breach, yet the Promise *ex Parte* of the Defendant continues. 2. It was objected, that the Defendant promised to pay for every Ton 40*s.* and the Plaintiff demands for Pounds and Sows of Iron, which is not within the Promise. To which it was answer'd by the Court, that the Promise was to pay *secundum Ratam*, and a Ton amounting to 40*s.* the Defendant must pay for Pounds and Sows according to the Rate, computing how many Pounds or Sows will make a Ton; and Judgment was given accordingly for the Plaintiff.

Mich. 6 JAC. B. R.

Scadding's Case.

Noy 131.
Habeas Corpus.

AN *Habeas Corpus* issued out of the King's Bench to have the Body of one Scadding committed to the Marshalsea by Sir Thomas Crompton Judge of the Admiralty: And upon the Return of it, the Cause appeared to be, for aiding and abetting one Exon, who was indicted

indicted for Piracy, to escape out of Prison, and assisting him with Ropes and other Engines to break the Prison and escape. And, *per totam Curiam*, altho' the whole Fact committed by *Scadding* be upon the Land, and within the Body of the County; yet, because it depends on the Piracy committed by *Heon*, with which the Temporal Judges have nothing to do, but it is delegated by Parliament to the Admiral to try, in Nature of a Felony, for this Reason they remanded the Prisoner; for it is *quasi* an Accessory to the first Piracy, and determinable by the Admiral: As if a Sentence be given in the Court of Admiralty for a marine Cause, the Execution of this Sentence, either for the Body or for the Goods of the Party condemned, extends throughout the whole Realm to the Court of Admiralty, because it depends on the principal and first Sentence. *Quod vide 19 H. 6. Quod Nota. Per Curiam.*

Admiralty,
and its ju-
risdiction.

Cro. El. 685.

Cro. Jac. 267.

Appleton *versus* Doily.

Appleton, as Executor of one *Appleton*, brought Debt against *Doily* for Arrears of several Rents, as well Copyhold Rents, as Free Rents, belonging to the Manor of *D.* whereof the Testator was seised and died seised, and the Rents not paid to him in his Life-time, whereby they belong'd to the Plaintiff as Executor; and the Defendant, altho' requir'd, had not paid, *contra formam Statuti 32 H. 8.* and, *per Curiam*; 1. The Action does not lie for the Copy Rents, for the Statute 32 *H. 8.* does not extend to them, but only to Rents out of free Land. 2. It does not lie for the free Rents, because the Plaintiff has not declar'd, that the Defendant attorned to the Testator in his Life-time; and altho' in Pleading, it is good to alledge a Feoffment of a Manor, without pleading any Livery, or any Attornment of the Tenants, yet when the Rent of any Freeholder comes in Debate, both the Owner of the Manor, and his Executor who demands it ought to convey a Privity, between the Tenant and the Lord, which must be by Attornment, for the Rents and Services do not vest without Attornment. *Quod Nota.*

1 Brownl.
102.
Debt on Stat.
32 H. 8.
Arrears of
Rent.
Feoffment.
Livery.
Attornment.

1 Co. 82. b.
Cro. El. 401.

Peirson *versus* Pounteys.

THE Plaintiff, as Executor of *Nicholas Peirson* brought Debt against *John Pounteys* of London Merchant, *quod reddat ei 303 l. 12 s. pro eo quod cum* the Defendant 8 *Octobr* 1598. at London, &c. *per Billam suam, &c. cognovit se debere* to the Testator 1518 Florence Polish, which *tunc* amounted to 303 l. 12 s. to be paid to the Testator *ad Solutionem*

1 Brownl.
102.
Debt.

Candlemas
a Payment
used among
Merchants
20 Febr.
Averment.
Of what
Things
Judges will
take Notice.
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lish demand-
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Name of
English Mo-
ney.

Solutionem Festi Purificationis, &c. vocat' Candlemas-day next follow-
ing; and to that Payment bound himself by the same Bill: And the
Plaintiff *in facto dicit, quod præd' Solutiones dicti Festi Purificationis, &c.*
next after the making of the Bill, *fuertunt secundum Usum Mercator'*
20 Febr' 1598. yet the Defendant had not paid, &c. the 1518 Flo-
rence Polish, or the 303 l. 12 s. to the Testator, nor to the Plaintiff,
&c. To this the Defendant pleaded *Non est factum*, and it was found
against him. And it was moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the
Declaration is not good. 1. Because the Payment of *Candlemas* is
not known in our Law, *quid intelligitur* by it: But *non allocatur*; for
that, which *prima facie* is unknown in ordinary Intendment, is aided
and manifested by the Averment in the Declaration, that such Pay-
ment among Merchants is known for the 20 Febr', and the Judges
ought to take Notice of that which is used amongst Merchants, for
the Maintenance of Traffick; and the rather, because the Defendant
does not deny it, but pleads *Non est factum*, whereby he confesses the
Declaration to be true in such Averment. 2. It was objected, that
as this Case is, the Use of Merchants is not material, because the
Testator, for any Thing that appears, was no Merchant. But *non*
allocatur; because it appears, that the Defendant, who bound himself
to the Payment, was a Merchant, and the Testator must take the
Bill as the Defendant will make it; and it seems that he chose to
make Payments according to the Use among Merchants, and not ac-
cording to the ordinary Intercourse between Party and Party. *Quod*
Nota. Per totam Curiam. Yelverton of Counsel with the Defendant.

Dromant *versus* Westofer.

Words.

THE Defendant spoke these Words of the Plaintiff; *Dromant's*
Wife (*innuendo uxorem* of the Plaintiff) *pick'd 5s. 6d. out of*
H. Davie's Wife's Pocket, and her Husband (innuendo the Plaintiff)
was consenting to the same. And Judgment was given in the Com-
mon Pleas for the Plaintiff, and also affirmed on a Writ of Error;
for the first Words laid to the Plaintiff's Wife's Charge are flande-
rous; for *to pick a Pocket, &c.* is in common Phrase taken *in pejori*
Sensu, and all one with *Stealing*, especially as this Case is; for she is
charged not only *to pick a Pocket*, but *to take 5s. 6d. out of it*, which
greatly enforces the Slander; and being slanderous to the Wife, so it
is likewise to the Husband, who is Plaintiff; because he is charged
to be *consenting to the same*, which imports that he animated and a-
berted his Wife *in her evil Courjes, and in her Picking and Stealing.*
Quod Nota. Yelverton pro Dyer.

Talbot

Talbot *versus* Godbolt.

Godbolt 28 Eliz. sealed a Bill in such Form: Memorand' *that I have receiv'd of Edward Talbot (who was the Plaintiff's Testator) to the Use of my Master Mr. Serjeant Gaudy the Sum of 40 l. to be paid at Michaelmas following.* In Debt on this Bill the Plaintiff declared *verbatim* as the Bill was, and demanded the 40 l. and the Defendant demurred: And his Pretence was, he supposed, that he received it but as Servant to another's Use, and so was not to be charged as principal Debtor; for the Bill is but a Testimony of the Receipt, as 1 H. 6. & 2 H. 6. in Account, an Indenture testifying the Receipt under his Seal does not alter the Nature of the first Account. But it was adjudged for the Plaintiff; for although the Premises of the Bill mention the Receipt to another's Use, yet in the last Clause of Repayment it does not say, *to be repaid by his Master*; for then it had not charged him. But the Clause is general (*to be paid*) which must of Necessity bind him who sealed; for otherwise the Party would lose his Debt, for he has no Remedy against Serjeant Gaudy: And therefore the Debt appearing to be due, it shall be construed strongly to go in Satisfaction of the due Debt. *Quod Nota.* Yelverton *pro Quer'.*

1 Brownl;
103.
Postea 147.
Bill of Debt;
What Words
in a Bill shall
charge a
Man in Debt;

Vide 5 E. 4;
55. b.

Alexander *versus* Lane. West *versus* Lane.

Alexander brought Debt on a Bond of 40 l. against Lane as Executor of P. The Defendant pleaded, that P. in his Lifetime was indebted to him in 40 l. just Debt, and that Goods to the Value of 10 l. came to the Defendant's Hands, which he retained towards the Satisfaction of his own Debt; and averr'd, that *nulla bona plura* above Goods to the Value of 10 l. came to the Defendant's Hands to be administer'd, &c. The Plaintiff replied, and shewed that the Defendant is Executor *de son Tort* to P. & *quod habet multa alia bona* of P. *administrand' apud S.* in the same County of Norfolk, and concluded, & *hoc paratus est verificare*, &c. The Defendant rejoined, and demanded Judgment, if the Plaintiff should be received to say, that the Defendant is Executor *de son Tort*; forasmuch as by the Declaration he has affirmed him to be *Executor Testamenti*; and thereupon the Plaintiff demurred in Law. And as to the Matter in Law the whole Court was with the Plaintiff; for he may well reply, that the Defendant is Executor *de son Tort*, notwithstanding the Declaration; * for there is no other Form of Declaration, as it is adjudged in *Coulter's Case* 5 Rep. fol. 30. But, *per tot' Cur'*, the whole Plea is discontinued; for the Defendant having pleaded as to Goods to the Value of 10 l. which he retained for a Debt, and that he had not *plura bona administrand'*, that is an Offer

1 Brownl;
103.
Debt.
Executor de
son tort can;
not pay
himself.

* 1 Mod;
208.

Where an ill Conclusion of a Plea discontinues the Whole. Judgment on a Matter confessed notwithstanding the ill Plea of the Party. * Cro. El. 630. Mo. 527. 5 Co. 30. b. 1 Mod. 208. † The Original is hors de liver.

of a good Issue; then when the Plaintiff replies, that he has *plura bona*, &c. and concludes, *Et hoc paratus est verificare*, it is not good; for he ought to have said, *Et hoc petit quod inquirat per Patriam*; for now there is a Surplusage of Goods denied by the Defendant, and urged by the Plaintiff, which ought to come in Issue, but cannot by Reason of the ill Conclusion. But in the same Term between *West* Plaintiff, and *Lane* Defendant, where *West* demanded but 4*l.* Debt against *Lane* as Executor, *ut supra*; and all the Residue of the Plea was, *ut supra*, Judgment was given for the Plaintiff, because the Defendant had confessed Goods in his Hands to the Value of 10*l.* which is more than the Debt demanded; and therefore forasmuch as by Judgment in Law an Executor *de son Tort* * cannot retain to pay himself, altho' the other Proceedings in the Plea are ill, yet all that is out of the † Case, and Judgment shall be given on the Defendant's Confession, and so it was. *Quod Nota. Yelverton* of Counsel *pro Querente*.

Greene *versus* Eden.

1 Brownl. 104. Debr.

Primo deliberat', where it shall be pleaded without a Traverse.

DEBT on a Bond of 200*l.* dat' 3 Septembr' 1 Jac', the Condition was, that if the Defendant 4 Septembr' Anno 2. paid 100*l.* to J. S. at such a Place, and also saved the Plaintiff harmless from any Suit, &c. which might be brought against him by Reason of the Bond in which the Plaintiff, as Surety for the Defendant, *Stat obligat'* to the said J. S. that then, &c. The Defendant pleaded that well and true it is, that he *per scriptum suum obligat' gerens* Dat' 3 Septembr' 1 Jac' acknowledged himself bound in 200*l.* to the Plaintiff: But he further said, that the said Bond was not deliver'd as the Defendant's Deed till 17 Septem' Anno 2. and that then *fuit primo deliberat'*, and pleaded further, that he had saved the Plaintiff harmless, &c. upon which the Plaintiff demurred. And it was adjudged for the Plaintiff: For the Bond in the Declaration is not answer'd; for the Plaintiff supposes in Fact that the Defendant was bound to him, &c. *per scriptum obligat'* bearing Date the same Day, &c. which is intended a perfect Bond at that Day which the Plaintiff has declar'd; then for the Defendant to say, that it was first *deliberat'* 17 Septembr' Anno 2. which is a Year after, is but by Way of Argument and ill, without taking a Traverse, that it was made 3 Septembr' 1 Jac. 2. As the Defendant has pleaded, he has made Part of the Condition idle and vain; for where by the Bond exprest in the Declaration there is a Condition annexed for Payment of 100*l.* at a Day to come, *viz.* 4 Septembr' Anno 2. now the Defendant has made the Day of Payment past before he supposes the Bond to be deliver'd, which rolls in a Manner the Effect of the Plaintiff's Suit. And if the Condition had not stood on two Branches, but on one only, and the Defendant would

plead the Delivery after the Condition impossible to be performed, then is the Bond become single for the whole 200*l.* *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam. Telverton of Counsel pro Quer'.*

Pincombe *versus* Rudge.

Rudge demised the Manor of *D.* to *Hunt* for Twenty-one Years; and afterwards by the Words, *dedi, concessi, dimisi & ad firmam tradidi*, demised the same Manor to the Plaintiff for Life, who entered, and was ousted by *Hunt* the first Termor; upon which he brought Covenant, and supposed the Breach, forasmuch as *Hunt* had expelled him. To which the Defendant pleaded, that before this Writ purchased, the Plaintiff on the same Covenant had brought *Warrantia Chartæ* against him in the Common Pleas, which yet depends, and demanded Judgment if, the *Warrantia Chartæ* indissolved, the Plaintiff should have this Action? Upon which the Plaintiff demurred, and it was adjudged for him. For, 1. It was held, that the Bar is not good; for an Action of Covenant and a *Warrantia Chartæ* are of several Natures, the one is real, *viz.* the Warranty of Charters, and by that he shall bind the Land it felt, which the Lessor has at the Time of the Judgment; the other is personal, *scilicet* the Covenant, and by that he shall only have Damages. Then it was moved that the Declaration was not good, because it appears that the Plaintiff is Tenant for Life, and Tenant for Life shall not have Covenant on a Warranty in Law, but only on a special Covenant, as 26 *H. 6. Covenant 10.* To which it was answer'd, that the Difference is, where the whole Estate for Life is evicted, and where only the Possession for a Time; for if a Stranger enters without Title, be it a Term or a Freehold, no Covenant lies by 26 *H. 8. 3. & 32 H. 6.* But if the whole Estate for Life be evicted under the Title of the Lessor, the Lessee shall not have Covenant, for thereby he is to recover only Damages, which are personal, which are no Recompence for the Loss of the Freehold. But in the Principal Case a Term for Twenty-one Years is only evicted, and the Lessee who is Plaintiff continues seised of the Freehold; and therefore, because it is but a Chattel that is evicted, the Plaintiff by this Action of Covenant may have full Satisfaction. And the Words in the Lease will enure to a double Warranty, *dedi*, for a Warranty of the Freehold, and *dimisi* for a Warranty against an Eviction for Years; for otherwise the Lessee is without Remedy, which is not reasonable, when by any Construction by the Words of the Lease Remedy is given; and therefore 17 *E. 3. 18. a. Thorpe.* If a Man makes a Feoffment of Land by Deed with Warranty, and a Stranger extends a Recognizance of the Feoffor on the Possession of the Feoffee, Covenant well lies on the Deed with Warranty.

Nov 137.
Hob. 2
Covenant.

Warrantia
Chartæ de-
pending is
no Plea in
Covenant.

On what E-
viction Les-
see for Life
shall have
Covenant.

Dedi, a War-
ranty for the
Freehold;
Dimisi for a
Term.

Covenant on
a Warranty.

Warranty. And 18 E. 3. *Statbam. Covenant. Placito ultimo.* T. made a Feoffment by Collusion, and died, the Lord recover'd the Ward of the Land for his Time; adjudg'd that the Feoffee should have Covenant against the Heir when he came to full Age. And that was *concessum per totam Curiam.* And adjudged for the Plaintiff. *Telverton pro Querente.* Nota well this Case, for it is the first adjudged in this Point.

Ewer *versus* Moile.

Cro. El. 771.
Waste.

T Thomas Moile brought Waste against Ewer for Waste done in a Messuage, Land, Meadow and Wood to him demised by the Plaintiff for a Term of Years then past, and declared that he was seised *in Dominico suo ut de feodo* of the said Messuage, &c. and leased to the Defendant for a Term of Years, &c. who had done Waste. The Defendant shewed, that the Messuage, &c. was Parcel of the Manor of *Caverfield*, which came to H. 8. by Dissolution, and so to Queen *Elizabeth*, who by her Letters Patent dated, &c. granted it to R. *Hitchcock* in Fee, who conveyed it to the Defendant in Fee, who regranted it to the Plaintiff and his Heirs, as long as *Hitchcock* had Issue of his Body, by Virtue whereof the Plaintiff enter'd, &c. and demised to the Defendant *prout* in the Declaration: *Et dicit ulterius in facto*, that *Hitchcock* died at D. without Issue of his Body, 20 Jan. Anno 3. (which was after the original Writ of Waste purchased and the very Day of the Return of it) and concluded, *& hoc parat' est*, &c. upon that the Plaintiff demurred generally, and had Judgment in the Common Pleas; whereupon the Defendant brought Error; and in the King's Bench the Judgment was affirmed; for there are two great Faults in the Defendant's Plea; 1. Where the Plaintiff in the Action of Waste declares of a Seisin in Fee in himself, out of which the Defendant's Lease is derived, which ought to be intended a pure and absolute Fee, the Defendant does not disclose any Estate in the Plaintiff, but a Fee determinable, which is another Kind of Estate than the Plaintiff has alledged; and therefore it is not good without a Traverse; for the Defendant's Plea ought either to confess and avoid, or traverse the material Point in the Declaration, which is the Seisin in Fee: And the Defendant by his Plea does not confess it; for Confession is only, where the Plaintiff and Defendant agree in one and the same Thing, which is not here; for the Plaintiff claims an absolute Fee, and the Defendant gives him only a Fee determinable; and therefore he ought of Necessity to traverse; for where the Parties vary in Estate, in the Quantity of it, there a Traverse ought to be taken; as if the Plaintiff had intitled himself to a Fee as long as J. S. had Issue, and the Defendant would derive an Estate in Fee as long as J. D. had Issue, he ought to take a Traverse; for although they agree in the

Where Seisin
in Fee shall
be traversed.

Nature of the Estate, yet they vary in the true Substance, by Reason of the different Limitations. The same Law if the Plaintiff in Waste declares of an Estate to him and the Heirs Male, and the Defendant derives the Estate to the Plaintiff and the Heirs female, &c. it is not good without a Traverse of the Estate furnished by the Plaintiff. So in §2 H. 6. where a Man intituled himself to a Rent-charge by Prescription, and the other would say, that the Grant commenced by Deed after Time of Memory, he ought to traverse the Prescription. 2. The Defendant's Plea is not good, because he alledges the Death of *Hitchcock* without Issue, 20 Jan. 3. and *Non constat*, whether 20 Jan. Anno 3. was before the Writ purchased, or after; and that is very material; for if he died before the Writ purchased, then nothing in Reversion at the Time of the Writ purchased, is a good Plea for the Defendant; and if he died after the Writ purchased, then he ought to alledge the Death without Issue pending the Writ; as in 2 & 3 H. 4. In Waste brought by Tenant in special Tail, the Defendant alledged the Death of the Issue pending the Writ, whereby the Plaintiff was but Tenant in Tail after Possibility. And although the 20 Jan. Anno 3. was after the Original purchased and the Day of the Return of it; yet the Judges will not take Notice of it without the Allegation of the Party: And so agree all the Books, that it ought to be pleaded pending the Writ; for in Pleading a Thing after the last Continuance, it is not good Pleading, *quod post ultimam Continuationem* such a Thing happen'd, but it ought to alledge precisely the very Day, viz. from such a Day to such a Day. So in Error on a Judgment given, the Judges do not inquire for any Errors in the Record, unless the Party first assigns some. And also here the Defendant does not offer the Plaintiff any Issue, for if he takes Issue, that *Hitchcock* did not die without Issue 20 Jan. Anno 3. if he died 10 Jan. Anno 3. nay, if he died without Issue before the Lease made to the Defendant, yet it will be found against the Plaintiff; for Death without Issue any Time before the 20 Jan. Anno 3. destroys the Plaintiff's Action; and therefore the Day cannot be made Parcel of the Issue, as it will, if the Defendant's Plea in Bar shall be good. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam. Tekerton* was of Counsel with *Moile* the Defendant.

Where the Day shall not be Parcel of the Issue.

Plea post ult' continuationem. Lutw. 1139, 1142.

Horne *versus* Widlake.

IN Trespafs, *Quare clausum fregit*, and spoiled his Grass in D. The Defendant pleaded, that in the Close, where the Plaintiff supposes the Trespafs, is and from Time whereof, &c. has been a Foot-way for all the King's Subjects in, per & trans the said Close to such a Place; and that the Plaintiff such a

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Day

1 Brownl. 212. Noy 128. An old Way stopp'd, and a new Way at- signifi.

Where the Defendant may excuse a Tort in himself, by a Tort assigned in the Plaintiff.

Day *ploughed up* the said *Foot-way*, and sowed it with Wheat, and *laid Thorns at the Side of it*; and pleaded, that within the same Close *prope* the antient *Foot-way*, the Plaintiff before the Trespass supposed, *reliquit & assignavit* another *Foot-way* for all the King's Subjects to go over this new Way, which Way from the Time that it was *laid forth*, had been used by all *Foot-Passengers*; wherefore the Defendant *Tempore quo* went in the Way so assigned to such a Place, &c. which is the same Trespass, and demanded Judgment. Upon which the Plaintiff demurred. And it was adjudged against the Plaintiff; for the Defendant's Plea is a good Excuse against the Plaintiff, because the Plaintiff did the first Tort in stopping the antient Way, and also he has assigned this new Way for Passengers, wherefore contrary to his own Agreement he shall not punish the Defendant; as if there had been a *Foot-way* over the Close of J. S. by a Hedge, and J. S. will remove the Hedge into a new Place; if Passengers in using their Way go by the Hedge, where it is newly set and fixed, they shall not be punished for it, because it arises from the Act and Tort of the Plaintiff himself, and *volenti non fit Injuria*, as 8 E. 4. 5. a. if Water runs through the Land of M. and M. stops the Water in its Course, so that it surrounds my Land, I may abate that which stops it, and he shall not have an Action against me for entering into his Close, because the Stopping was his own Act. The same Law in the Principal Case: And although the Defendant pleads generally, that the Plaintiff *assignavit viam*, and does not shew to whom, it is not material; for *quod est commune omnibus* cannot be assigned to any particular Person. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam, præter Telborton Justice.*

Nile *versus* Swanfon.

Godb. 157.
Words.

THE Plaintiff shewed, that 44 Eliz. he was made Town-Clerk to the Mayor, &c. of *Clifton Dartmouth*, and Steward of their Courts, by Patent under their Common Seal for Life, *si se bene gesserit*; and although *continue postea hucusque* he had executed it to his great Profit; yet the Defendant 5 Apr' Anno 5 Jac' dixit of the Plaintiff, *He (innuendo the Plaintiff) hath taken 40s. for a Bribe*. And upon *Non cul'* pleaded it was found for the Plaintiff, and Judgment accordingly; for although the Plaintiff in his Declaration has not shewn, that there was any Discourse had as to his Behaviour in his Office; yet forasmuch as the Plaintiff hath shewn himself to be an Officer of Trust at the Time of the Speaking of the Words, they cannot be taken or construed but in Slandering him in his Office, for he can by no other Colour take a Bribe. The same Law, if such Words

are spoken of a Justice of Peace, or Clerk of Assise. Yet *Yelverton* objected, that these are Officers known, but the Office of a Town-Clerk is not known. But, *per Curiam*, the Plaintiff hath furnished himself *in facto* to be both Town-Clerk and Steward of the Courts; and it is well known, that in both these Places a Man may be bribed.

Challenor *versus* Thomas.

ERROR brought on a Judgment given in Ejectment *in Com' Carmarthen*: And *Yelverton* assigned the Error, because the Ejectment was brought *de Aquæ Cursu*, called *Lochar* in *Llandeby*, and declared on the Lease of *David Rees ap Thomas de quodam Riculo & Aquæ Cursu, ut supra*. And, *per totam Curiam*, the Judgment was reversed; for *Riculus seu Aquæ Cursus* doth not lie in Demand, neither doth a *Præcipe* lie of it, nor can Livery of Seisin be made of it; for *non moratur*, but is ever flowing; nor can Execution by *Habere fac' Seisnam* be made of it; for it is not constant to be put in Possession of it: And it is like a Protection *quia moratur super Mare*, which is not allowable by 35 H. 6. for *Mare non moratur*; but as 12 H. 7. 4. is, the Action ought to be for so many Acres of Land *aqua cooperta*; and Ejectment well lies of a Gorce or Pool, for a *Præcipe* lies for them, and a Wife shall be endow'd of the third Part of a Gorce, as 11 E. 3. is. But if the Land under the River or Water does not belong to the Plaintiff, but the River only, then on a Disturbance his Remedy is only by Action on the Case on any Diverfion of it, & *non aliter*. *Quod Nota*.

1 Brownl. 142.
Error.
Ejectment does not lie for a Water-course.

Protection quia moratur super mare.
1 Inst. 4. b. Pl. Com. 228. b.

Gresill *versus* Sir Chr. Hoddesden.

ROBERT Gresill, the Plaintiff's Father, was seised in Fee of an House and 1000 Acres of Land, &c. and he and all they whose Estate, &c. have had for them and their Farmers Common appurtenant for all Cattle levant and couchant in a Place called the *Heath*, within the Manor of *Leighton Bussard*, as appurtenant to the Messuage, &c. The Defendant, Owner and Lord of the Manor, erected an House on the Common, and also made Cony-boroughs in the said Common called the *Heath*. Robert died, whereby the Messuage, &c. descended to the Plaintiff, and he brought an Action on the Case against the Defendant for erecting the said House, and making the Cony-boroughs in the Time of his Father; and declared, that by the Increase of the Conies in those Boroughs the Plaintiff had lost

Ante 104. Case.
Cony-boroughs, &c. made in the Father's Time, and continued in the Heirs.

his

Cro. El. 402. his Common after the Death of his Father. And, *per Curiam*, the
 3 Leon. 174. Action well lies; for although the Defendant has not made any new
 Salk. 460. Erection, nor new Boroughs in the Plaintiff's Time, yet his suffering
 Lilly Entr. the Conies to increase and the House to stand, is a new Tort to
 82. the Heir, for which he may have an Action, like the Case 15 El.
 Dy. 319. where the Turning of a Cock for the Water and using of
 it, altho' it was set and fixed long before, was adjudged a new Di-
 version. *Telverton* of Counsel with the Defendant.

Tompson *versus* Knott.

Words.

YOU *might have known your own Sheep, and not have stolen mine.*
 And, by *Fleming* Chief Justice and *Telverton*, they are not ac-
 tionable; for there was not any direct Affirmation, that the Plaintiff
 had *stolen any Sheep*, but only by Implication; and a Slander shall
 not be *drawn in* by a strained Construction: And here the first Words
 (*You might have known your own Sheep*) are no Words to beget an
 Action, and the subsequent Words (*and not have stolen mine*) de-
 pend on the former, and divided from them are not any Slander;
 for then they are, *You might have stolen mine, or my Sheep*, which
 do not import any Slander; they are likewise pronounced but by
 Way of Question in a Manner; as if a Man should say, *What need*
you have stolen my Sheep; Which will not bear an Action, for he does
 not affirm any Theft on him directly. *Williams* and *Crooke* Justices
 to the contrary, and that they cannot be taken in another Sense,
 than by a strong Implication and necessary Consequence to charge
 the Plaintiff to have *stolen Sheep*; as if it was, *You could not see your*
own Horse, for Stealing of mine; and the Words being intirely spoken
 ought to receive an intire Construction. *Quod Nota.* And *Quere*,
 for *pendet* without Judgment.

Wilson *versus* Weddell.

1 Brownl.
 143.
 Trespas.

THE Plaintiff's Grandfather being a Copyholder in Fee surren-
 der'd to *Leonard Weddell* in Fee, who surrender'd to the Use of
Margery J. for Life, who is admitted, &c. but *Leonard* himself was
 never admitted, the Grandfather and the Father die, and the Son
 who is Plaintiff is admitted, and enters upon the Land, *Margery*
 then being in Possession, and the Defendant then living as Ser-
 vant with *Margery* in the Tenements: This was the Special Ver-
 dict; and Judgment was given *pro Quer'*. And, 1. It was held,
per Curiam, that the Defendant is found to be a sufficient Tref-
 passer and Ejector, although he is but a Servant of the pretended
 Owner

Owner of the Land, because the Verdict finds that the Defendant *ad tunc commorabat* with Margery; and in such Case he, who has the true Title and enters, may bring the Action against Master or Servant at his Election; and perhaps the Master absconds and cannot be arrested. 2. It was adjudged, that a Surrender to *J. S.* of a Copyhold is not of Effect till *J. S.* is admitted Tenant; and that if *J. S.* before Admittance surrenders to a Stranger who is admitted, that it is nothing worth to the Stranger; for *J. S.* himself had nothing, so could pass nothing; and the Admittance of his Granter shall not be taken by Implication the Admittance of himself, for an Admittance ought to be of a Tenant certainly known to the Steward, and enter'd on a Roll by itself. But it was held, that the Right and Possession remain yet in him who surrender'd, and descend to his Heir, who is the Plaintiff: And a Difference was taken between an Heir to whom a Copyhold descends, he may surrender before Admittance, and well, because in by Course of Law; for the Custom, which makes him Heir to the Estate, casts the Possession upon him from his Ancestor; but a Stranger, to whom a Copyhold is surrender'd, has nothing before Admittance, because he is a Purchaser; and a Copy to him made, upon which he is admitted, is his Evidence by the Custom, and before that he is not a customary Tenant, so he can transfer nothing to any other. Adjudged accordingly 24 *Eliz.* Alderman *Dixie's Case*. *Telverton pro Quer'*.

Vide ante 16.
A Copyholder has nothing, nor can surrender before Admittance.

4 Co. 22. b.
Cro. Eliz.
349.
Poph. 127.

Gold *versus* Robins.

THE Defendant spoke of the Plaintiff these Words; *I (innuendo the Defendant) did meet Thomas Gold (the Plaintiff) Thomas Gifford, Robert Gifford, and Cuthbert Clarke upon Chesham Fair-day at Night upon Whitehil at Chesham Town's End in the Evening, as I (innuendo the Defendant) was going Home; and there they did bid me deliver my Purse, and I (innuendo the Defendant) being afraid, put my Hand into my Pocket, and took out 2s. 6d. and gave it over my Shoulder to one of them, I knew not which.* And it was adjudged by all, *præter Telverton Justice*, that the Action lay; for every Circumstance within the Words import Slander. 1. They are the usual Words of a Thief, *to bid a Man give him his Purse*. 2. For the Time, it was *in the Evening*, which carries a vehement Suspicion of an intended Robbery. 3. By the Usage laid to the Charge of the Plt. and those that were with him, one of them took 2s. 6d. which was given *over the Shoulder*. 4. The Def. himself makes the Slander more apparent, because he says, that he was *afraid*, and his Fear could not be, but on a Suspicion that the Plt. &c. would have robb'd him; so that there is not

Words.

Cro. Jac. 277.

any Constrution strained or by Implication: But in Truth *Lingua* *sunt Flagellum*, as Crooke Justice termed it. *Nota bene*.

Wilshire *versus* —

- Words. JAMES Wilshire *hath forged the late Queen's Writ*. And affirmed upon a Writ of Error, that the Words are actionable; for the Queen's Writ is of an high Nature, and of Record, being the Ordinary Proceſs to bring in the Party to answer, and for Forging of which Writ the Party may be punished both at Common Law, and
- Cro. El. 178. in the Star-chamber. But, by Crooke Justice, to say *J. S.* hath forged his Father's Hand, whereby he procured the Tenants to pay him the Rent due to his Father, is not actionable; as it was adjudged
- Cro. El. 166. 3 *Eliz.* because it refers only to a private Matter, and is rather an Asperſion than a Slander; for the Son by no Law is punishable for it. *Telverton of Counſel pro Querente*.

Sir Anthony Cope *versus* Temple.

- Replevin. THE Plaintiff brought Replevin of his Sheep wrongfully taken in *Cottesmore Common*; the Defendant as Bailiff of the Provost, &c. of *Eaton College*, made Cogniſance, because *Cottesmore Common* belong'd to the Provost, &c. and the Sheep were there Damage-feaſant, wherefore, &c. he took them. The Plaintiff pleaded in Bar to the Cogniſance, that *Cottesmore Common* contained — Acres (without ſhewing how many, but left a Blank for the Number,) and that he himſelf is ſeiſed of 100 Acres Parcel of the Common in Fee, and that he and all thoſe whoſe Eſtate, &c. have had Common for 400 Sheep in the Reſidue of *Cottesmore Common* as appurtenant to 100 Acres of Land, &c. wherefore he put them in to uſe the Common. The Defendant maintained his Cogniſance, and traversed the Preſcription, which was found for the Plaintiff. And it was ſhewn in Arrest of Judgment, that by Reason of the Number of Acres omitted by the Plaintiff in his Bar to the Cogniſance, *Non conſtat* to the Court, *quid* the *Reſiduum* is, and ſo incertain in Matter. But it was adjudged, *per totam Curiam, præter Williams* Juſtice, that the Plaintiff ſhould have Judgment; for in this Action he is not to recover any Land, but only Damages for the unjuſt Taking, and ſo the Title of the Land is not in Queſtion. 2. The Plaintiff ſhews, that he is ſeiſed of One hundred Acres Parcel of the Common, and *non eſt Parcella* but in Reſpect of a *totum*; ſo the Common muſt contain more than the Parcel which the Plaintiff has; and alſo the Parties on both Sides are agreed, *quod eſt reſiduum* of the
- Where by an Acknowledgment of a Reſiduum an Omiſſion of the Number of Acres ſhall not be material.
- Common,

Common, and so is it found by the Verdict; and be that *residuum* more or less, it is all one; for in that, which remains above the 100 Acres the Plaintiff has, the Plaintiff ought to have Common; so that the Omission of the Acres in Number is but Form, which is aided by the Statute. *Quod Nota. Telvorton of Counsel pro Querente.*

Talbot *versus* Godbolt.

DEBT as Executor on a Bill of 40*l.* made by the Defendant, whereby he acknowledged *se recepisse* of Talbot the Testator 40*l.* to the Use of his Master, Mr. Serjeant Gaudy, *resolvend'* at Michaelmas following, and it was dated 28 Eliz. and sealed by the Defendant; and the Defendant demurred upon the Declaration, supposing that it was only a Deed testifying the Receipt to the Use of another, and not to charge himself; * but it was adjudged for the Plaintiff, for although the Bill testified the Receipt to the Use of his Master, yet in the Clause of Repayment it is general, and does not say to be repaid by his Master; and therefore being sealed by the Defendant makes him Debtor; for it does not appear that the Testator had any other Assurance for the 40*l.* but trusted only to this Bill; but if the Bill had recited the Repayment also to be made by Master Serjeant Gaudy, then they all agreed, that the Bill should be but a Receipt only, and merely to the Use of another. *Per totam Curiam*, and that on Conference with all the Justices in Fleet-street. *Telvorton of Counsel pro Querente.*

1 Brownl.

103.

Antea 137.

Debr.

By what Words in a Bill a Man shall be charged.

* Vide 5 E.

4- 55. b.

Witham *versus* Barker.

TRespafs, that the Defendant 1 Aug' Anno 5. the Plaintiff's Close *apud L. in Com' Suff.* broke and enter'd, and spoiled his Grass with his Cattle, &c. The Defendant pleaded, that *tempore quo*, the Freehold of the Land, where, &c. was in Sir John Tyndall, and he as Servant, and by his Command enter'd and put in the Cattle, &c. The Plaintiff replied, *Quod bene & verum est*, that the Freehold was in Sir John T. but said, that long before the Time in which, &c. Sir John T. demised the Close to the Plaintiff at Will, by Virtue whereof he enter'd and was possessed till the Defendant committed the Trespafs, &c. *absque hoc*, that the Defendant by the Command of Sir John T. enter'd and put in the Cattle, &c. Whereupon the Defendant demurred, and it was adjudged against the Plaintiff; for the Bar is good and not avoided by the Replication; for his Replication is ill, in Regard it being by Way of Title he does not intitle himself to any good Lease at Will; for he does not allege in Fact any Seisin in Sir John T. or any Possession in himself,

1 Brownl.

213.

Trespafs.

The Plaintiff in his Replication shall not traverse the Bar, without making a good Title to himself.

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Cro. Car.
571.
Mo. 846.
1 Rol. Rep.
593.
Lutw. 1492.
Comb. 476.

out of which the Lease at Will can be derived; and although a Declaration may be good to a common Intent, and that in Debt on a Lease, as 21 H. 7. is, the Plaintiff may declare *quod dimisit*, and need not alledge Seisin in himself when he made the Lease, &c. yet when a Title is made by a Bar or Replication, as 2 E. 4. 9. is, it ought to be certain to all Intents, because it is traversable; and here, forasmuch as the Defendant has made a good Justification in Law, it ought to be answer'd by the Plaintiff with a good Title, viz. that Sir John was seised and demised to him at Will, which is not done here; but it is all one as if he had replied Robin Whood in Barnwood Stood, *absque hoc*, that the Defendant by the Command of Sir John. *Quod Nota.* Per Fenner, Williams and Crook Justices being only in Court. And Judgment given accordingly. *Tilcorton* for the Defendant.

Goodman *versus* Aylin. Hill. 5 Jac. Rot. 834.

1 Brownl.
213.
Trespafs.

Trespafs, that the Defendant 8 Febr' 4 Jac. *apud P. Dominum* of the Plaintiff broke, and one *Brasse-chaffer* of the Plaintiff's, value 20s. took and carried away, &c. The Defendant pleaded, that the House is Parcel of an half Yard-Land in P. and that it was held of H. Earl of Northumberland, as of his Manor of W. by Homage, Fealty, Escuage incertain, Suit of Court, Inclosing of the Park Pale, and the Rent of a Pound of Cumin, and for the Cumin arrear for three Years, and the Homage and Fealty of Thomas Peller Tenant *inde*, the Defendant, as Servant to the Earl, and by his Command justified the Entry and Taking, &c. The Plaintiff replied, that it was held of R. Stanley as of his Manor of Lee, &c. *absque hoc*, that it was held of the Earl *modo & forma*; and upon that they were at Issue: And the Jury found that it was held of the Earl as of his Manor of P. by Homage, Fealty, Inclosing of the Park, Rent of a Pound of Cumin, & *non aliter*, and *si videbitur Curie*, that it is not held *modo & forma*, they find for the Plaintiff, &c. And it was adjudged for the Defendant; for altho' the Verdict does not agree with the Plea in the Manner and Nature of the Tenure, yet it agrees in Substance in the Point for which the Taking was, viz. that the Land is held of the Earl; and that is sufficient: For there is a Difference between Replevin and Trespafs; for in Replevin, because the Plaintiff is to have a Return, (viz. the Avowant, for the one is Actor against the other) the Avowant ought to make a good Title *in omnibus*; it is otherwise in Trespafs, for there he is only to excuse the Trespafs; and therefore if there be any Tenure at all it is sufficient: For if the Lord, or his Bailiff in his Right distrains for Rent which is not due, yet he is not punishable in Trespafs. *Quod*

Where a
Verdict
which finds
the Tenure
in Substance,
altho' it is
not modo &
forma, shall
be good.
The Differ-
ence be-
tween Re-
plevin and
Trespafs.
Vide 2 Mod.
4, 5.

vide Lit. 114. *pro modo & forma* in Trespass, and 9 *H.* 7. 3. for Replevin. *Quod Nota. Per tot' Cur'.* And *Fleming* Chief Justice vouched 33 *H.* 8. *Dy.* 48. *b.* where the Issue was, if Villain regardant, &c. or free? And the Jury found Villain in Gross, yet good, for the Substance of the Villenage, and of the Issue is found.

Poole *versus* Nedham.

ON a Special Verdict the Matter in Law was; *John Paradine* Tenant in Tail Male, of a Messuage in *London*, the Remainder in Fee to *Tho. Paradine: Thomas* by Deed inrolled granted his Estate and Right in Remainder to *Q. Eliz.* in Fee during the Life of *John Paradine*, and after his Death, as long as any Issue Male of *John* should live; *John* suffer'd a Common Recovery under which the Plaintiff claimed, *John Paradine* died without Issue, and the Defendant as Servant to *Thomas Paradine* enter'd, &c. And it was adjudged, that the Common Recovery barred the Remainder of *Thomas* notwithstanding his Grant to the Queen; for the Grant to the Queen is void; because it can never come in Possession; and a Remainder is *quasi terra remanens*, for by the Death of *John*, Tenant in Tail, without Issue Male, the Estate of the Queen is determined; so that she shall not have any Benefit by the Grant, but it is a dry Remainder without Profit. But if there had been such a Grant of the Reversion made to the Queen, it had been good; because during the first Intail there would be an Attendancy for the Services and Wardship, &c. of the Issue of the Donee. Which Difference *vide* in *Cholmley's Case*, 2 *Rep.* 51. & *vide* 12 *E.* 4. 3. Tenant for Life with several Remainders for Life; he who had the Fee granted that, after the Death of the first Tenant for Life, it should remain to *J. S.* in Fee, it is void; for it cannot take Effect in Possession at the Time appointed. But it was objected by *Davenport* (who argued for the Defendant) that if *John Paradine* in the Case at the Bar had Issue a Daughter, who had Issue a Son, that altho' this Son could not inherit the Tail, yet he might well support the Estate of the Queen; and if also in this Case *John Paradine* be attainted of Treason, that the Queen shall be in of her Remainder granted by *Thomas*, and by this Means she shall avoid Leases made by *John* the Tenant in Tail. To which *Yelverton* answer'd, (who argued for the Plaintiff) that in the first Case, if the Daughter survived the Tenant in Tail, altho' she had Issue male, and died, the Estate of the Queen is determin'd for Want of Issue male; for when she survived, then there was a Failure of Issue male of *John*, and altho' she died afterwards, her Son, who is now Issue male of the first Tenant in Tail, shall not revive it again: No more than where Land is given to *J. S.* in Fee,

Nov. 137.
Ejectment.

2 Co. 15. b.
Mo. 195.
1 And. 141.
Where a
Common
Recovery
shall be good;
notwith-
standing a
Grant to the
King.

Difference
where the
King is in
by Rever-
sion, and
where by
Remainder.

as long as *J. D.* has Issue, &c. if *J. D.* dies without Issue, his Wife pregnant, the Issue born after shall not revive the Estate, for it is a collateral Determination, which being once interrupted, shall never be *set on Foot* again: And as well as in Discent he ought to convey all by Heirs Male; so *Yelverton* apprehended he ought in the Continuance of the Estate. *Quod fuit concessum per totam Curiam.* And to the second Case put by him, *Yelverton* answer'd that where the Queen comes to Possession by the Attainder, she shall not avoid the Lease, but shall be in of the Estate of the Tenant in Tail; because she is not to have any greater Estate nor more beneficial Estate by the Remainder than by the Attainder; therefore it is not like *Walsingham's Case Com.* 560. where Tenant in Tail of the Gift of the Queen was attainted; for there by the Attainder she was in Point of Remainder. *Quod fuit also concessum per totam Curiam;* for it was said by the Court, that where the King comes to Land in Point of Reverter on the Attainder of Tenant in Tail, he shall not avoid Leases, because he has the Remainder only by Purchase, and ought to keep it as a Purchase, and not in Point of Reverter. *Quod Nota.* And Judgment was order'd to be enter'd. But on the Defendant's Motion it was referr'd to *Williams Justice*, who reported, that he could not end it; and therefore Judgment was given for the Plaintiff. *Trin.* 7 *Jac.*

Case of a Slander.

Words.
Nigromancy.
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3 Inst. 45.
Mo. 868.

THE Defendant said of the Plaintiff; *Thou dost work by Nigromancy, and dost work by the Devil.* And adjudged actionable; for although the Word *Nigromancy* is not proper, nor a Word known in Law, yet in vulgar Sense it is known to import *Conjuring*; which Word joined with the others (*working with the Devil*) explains the first Word, and shews Malice in him who spoke, for it imports a Familiarity and an immediate Use of the Devil as an Instrument, which is a great Slander; for although such Working, &c. is not Felony, unless the Death of a Man or Beast ensues, or otherwise that the Party invoked the Devil, yet it touches a Man much in his Credit, in begetting Infamy and Reproach to the Party, that his Neighbours fear his Company. *Per totam Curiam, præter Williams Justice.*

Pasch. 7 JAC. B. R.

Bedell *versus* Lull.

THE Plaintiff declar'd on a Lease made by *Eliz. James* of certain Land, &c. The Defendant pleaded, that before *Elizabeth* had any Thing, one *Martin James* was seised thereof in Fee, and had Issue *H. James*, and died seised, whereby it descended to *H.* as Son and Heir; and *Elizabeth* enter'd and was seised by Abatement, and made the Lease to the Plaintiff; after which the Defendant as Servant to *H. James*, & *per ejus præceptum & in suo Jure* enter'd, as he lawfully might, &c. The Plaintiff replied, and confessed the Seisin of *Martin James*, but said, that he so seised by his last Will in Writing devised it to *Elizabeth* in Fee, and afterwards died seised; wherefore she enter'd by Force of the Devise, and made the Lease to the Plaintiff; *absque hoc, quod Eliz. seisisa fuit per Abatementum modo & forma.* And thereupon the Defendant demurred, and shewed for Cause, that the Traverse is not good: And it was adjudged for the Defendant; for the Plaintiff ought not to confess and avoid, and also traverse the Abatement; for the Plaintiff making a Title to his Lessor by Way of Devise from the Ancestor, that proves she enter'd lawfully and not by Abatement, as the Defendant has supposed: Then besides that, to take a Traverse is trifling, and makes the Plea vitious; for a Traverse should not be taken, but where the Thing traversed is issuable, and here the Devise is the whole Title and only issuable. It was also held *per Curiam*, that the Traverse taken by the Manner is not good, for he ought not to traverse, *absque hoc, quod seisisa fuit per abatementum*, but it ought to be, *absque hoc, quod abatavit*; and also if the Plaintiff intended fully to answer the Defendant, he ought to have traversed in the same Words as the Defendant pleaded against him, *viz. absque hoc, quod intravit & fuit seisisa per abatementum.* Quod Nota. This Case concerned Sir Henry James to whom the Defendant was Tenant. Yelverton of Counsel for the Defendant.

1 Brownl.
144.
Cro. Jac. 221.
Ejectment.
Where Abatement shall be traversed.
Vide 1 E. 4.
9.
Action.

Co. Entr.
505. a.
Lutw. 1558.

Sir Francis Goodwin versus Wellshe & Over.

SIR Francis brought several Actions of Trespass against the two Defendants for Goods taken, and declared to Damages. The Attorney for the Defendants pleaded *Non sum informatus*; and thereupon Judgment

1 Brownl.
214.
Cro. Jac 227.
Trespass

On an Inquiry the Plaintiff need prove only the Value.
 2 Show. 86.

is given severally for the Plaintiff, and Writs of Inquiry of Damages issued, and were returned. And it was moved that the Writs should not be filed, because the Plaintiff at the Time of the Inquiry did not prove that the Goods belong'd to him, but only prov'd the Value of the Goods; for by Serjeant *Nicholls* there is a Difference between an Action confessed and *Non sum informatus*; for in the first Case the Property is likewise confessed to be in the Plaintiff, but it is not so in the other Case; for this Judgment passes without the Defendant's Privity, and only for Want of Pleading, as in the Case of *Nihil dicit*. But, *per tot' Cur'*, it is all one, and the Plaintiff need not prove Property in either of the Cases; and the Reason is, because the Writ commands only the Value to be inquired and no more, and that alone is the Charge of the Jury. And, by all the Justices, they themselves as Judges, if they would, might in these Cases assess Damages, without issuing any Writ; for it issues only *quia nescitur quæ damna*; but if they will trouble themselves with the Assessment of Damages they may: But it is otherwise in the Case of *Non cul'* pleaded, for there the Trespass is denied, which must be tried by the Jury, and there the Property and the Value also ought to be proved. *Nota* also, in the first Case, the Judgment is, *Quod recuperet Querens*: If then upon a Writ of Inquiry of Damages the Plaintiff should be obliged to prove Property, and fail of it, that would go in Avoidance of the first Judgment, which cannot be. *Telverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Higges *versus* Austen.

Words.

THOU hast stolen as much Wood and Timber as is worth 20s. The Jury found the Words, with this Addition, (*off my Landlord's Grounds*) and it was adjudged *pro Querente*; for the Words found by the Jury more than were in the Declaration do not qualify the first Words, for it cannot be Timber as long as it is growing, but *Wood* only; Timber carries this Sense with it to be sever'd from the Soil. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam. Telverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Barret *versus* Fletcher.

1 Brownl.
 105.
 Cro. Jac. 220.
 Debt.

DEBT on a Bond of 500*l*. The Condition was to stand to the Award of *J. S.* and *J. D.* *Ita quod, &c.* The Defendant pleaded *Nullum fecerunt Arbitrium*: The Plaintiff replied, and shewed the Award made *de Verbo in Verbum*, and concluded, *Et sic fecerunt Arbitrium*; but did not assign

assign any Breach. The Defendant rejoined, that the Deed of the Award pleaded was not the Deed of the Arbitrators: And upon Issue joined thereon, it was found for the Plaintiff. And *Velverton* moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Plaintiff should not have Judgment, because in his Replication he has not assigned any Breach of the Award, and then he has not shewn any Cause of Action, for the Bond is not for any Debt, for it is guided by the Condition, which goes in Performance of a collateral Thing, *sc.* of an Award; and though the Defendant had no Answer to the Breach, if it had been assigned, yet the Court ought to be satisfied, that the Plaintiff has Cause to recover, otherwise they will not give Judgment: And although the Verdict is found for the Plaintiff, yet this Imperfection in the Replication is Matter of Substance, which is not aided by the Statute. *Quod Nota.* *Per totam Curiam, præter Williams Justice.* And Judgment was arrested.

If the Plaintiff does not assign a Breach of the Award, he shall not have Judgment, altho' he has a Verdict.
5 E. 4. 108,
109.
Salk. 138.
Ante 78.

Webbin *versus* Mayer.

IT would be proved by many vehement Presumptions, that the Plaintiff was a Plotter and Contriver of the Death of one Powel, because he would not sell him his Land. And, *per Curiam*, they are not actionable; for they affirm nothing of the Plaintiff, but refer to Presumptions, which are uncertain; and Words of Slander ought to be spoke affirmatively. *Quod Nota.* Judgment arrested.

Words.

Pridham *versus* Tucker.

THOU art a Healer of Felony, and hast shewed such Favour to a Horse-stealer in the Time of thy Constable-ship, that thereby both the Horse and Thief were conveyed away, and that it lieth in my Power to hang thee. And adjudged *pro Querente*; for Healer of Felony is a Word known in the County of Devon, where the Action is brought, to be a Concealer or Hider of Felony. As in the County of York to say to one, *Thou hast strained a Mare*, will bear an Action; for it is vulgarly taken to *steal a Mare*: And altho' it is not laid expressly, that the Plaintiff was Constable at the Time of the Speaking of the Words, it is not material; for though he is out of his Office, yet he ought not to be slander'd with any Thing done in his Office; as if a Justice of Peace be put out of Commission, and one will say to him, *When thou wert a Justice, thou wert a bribing Justice*; it is actionable; for although it refers to a Thing past, yet it defames him for ever.

Noy 122.
Words.

Cro. El. 250

Post. 158.
con.

in the Opinion of others, and makes him accounted unworthy to bear an Office for the future. *Quod Nota.*

Newlyn *versus* Fasset.

Words.

THE Plaintiff is a Felon. Take Heed what you say, says a Stranger. Why, says the Defendant, *is not he a Felon, that knew of a Murder and concealed it? He (innuendo the Plaintiff) knew of the Murder of Anne Lanaway, and did not reveal it till long after it was openly known.* And it was adjudged *pro Querente*, for the first Words are actionable; and the subsequent Words increase the Slander; for altho' to conceal a Felony is not Felony, but fineable, and an Offence for which he ought to be bound *de se bene gerendo*, yet it shews Malice in the Defendant, and is a great Imputation to the Plaintiff. 2. There is a Difference between Words utter'd *continuata Voce*, and at several Times, or upon several Occasions: As to say, *Thou art a Felon, for that thou stolest my Apples off my Trees*, is not actionable, for the Reason of the Speaking instantly annexed qualifies the precedent Words; but if a Man says, *Thou art a Thief*, and a Stander-by says, *Beware what you say*, and the other says, *I will justify he is a Thief, for he stole my Evidence*; this is but *inepta Ratio* of the first Words, not voluntarily proceeding from the Party, but as it was forced by another, and therefore spoke too late to qualify the first Words. And although Telverton Justice said, that if a Man says, *J.S. is a Traitor, for he robbed a Man by the Highway*, it will not bear an Action, because the Reason does not concur nor depend on the first Words; yet Fleming Chief Justice denied it, for both the Words are slanderous; and although the Reason of the Speaking does not depend on the Word *Traitor*, yet it shall be construed but greater Malice, because he charges him with two several Matters, which deserve Death: Which seems to be good Law. *Quod Nota.* Judgment *pro Querente.* *Per totam Curiam, præter Telverton.*

Trin.

Trin. 7 JAC. B. R.

Markham *versus* Turner.

NOTA; Markham was Bail for Sir John Skinner in an Action of Debt brought by Turner, and was within Age; Judgment passed against Skinner, and he did not offer his Body: Wherefore on two *Scire fac'* and *Nihil* returned against Markham, Judgment was given against him. And Yelverton and George Crooke moved to have an *Audita Querela*, because Markham was yet within Age; and by Williams Justice it does not lie, but he ought first to have Error to reverse the Judgment, for during the Judgment in Force the Recognisance is affirmed: But to that Yelverton at the Bar answer'd, that then we are without Remedy, and Markham in great Mischief, if he cannot have *Audita Querela*; for perhaps the Judgment has no Error in it, and upon the *Scire facias* Markham the Bail could not have pleaded his Infancy, for that Suit goes in Affirmance of the Recognisance and demands Execution of it; but yet the Error of the Infancy remains, and the Recognisance to be avoided by this Suit by Inspection; and therefore it is like an Affise of Redisseisin, which a Man may have on the first Judgment in the Affise, and thereupon the Recovery in the Redisseisin is reversed. So here by the *Audita Querela* the Recognisance being avoided for Infancy, the Judgment thereon is likewise avoided. *Quod fuit concessum per totam Curiam, præter Williams Justice*: And the *Audita Querela* was allowed *de bene esse*, for to deny it, if it lay by Law, was Injustice.

Audita Querela.
Judgment on Recognisance.
Bail.
Scire facias.
Infancy.

Cro. Jac. 646.
Co. Entr.
87. b. 88. a.

Paston *versus* Lusher.

THree Executors recover'd in the Common Pleas in Debt by Default, the Defendant brought Error and assigned a Discontinuance, *viz.* that the Suit being by three Executors, at the Day which they had by the Roll on a Continuance, two Executors only appeared, and by the same Roll Day given over to all three till another Day: And Yelverton urged that it is not a Discontinuance, but only the Default of the Clerk amendable; for it cannot be intended, when the Court gave Day to all three Executors, but that all appear'd, and that it was the Negligence of the Clerk to omit the Entry of the Appearance of the third

Error in Debt.

Amendment

Three Plaintiffs, two appear, and Day given by the Roll to all is a Discontinuance.

7 E. 4. 10.

third Executor, and upon that *Telverton* vouched 26 H. 6. *Amendment* 33. Writ brought by Husband and Wife, and the Parties appeared and had Day to another Term, but no Appearance was had of the Wife, nor no Day by the Roll given to the Wife, and yet, forasmuch as it appeared to be the Fault of the Clerk, it was amended: But, *per totam Curiam*, in the Case *supra*, it is a Discontinuance, and cannot be amended; for Credit ought to be given to the Roll: And therefore *Non constat*, but that two only appeared, and that the third made Default, which is a Non-prosecution by him at that Day, which goes to the whole Suit and Time after. *Vide* 21 E. 4. 3. And, *per Curiam*, in the Case 26 H. 6. it shall be intended that there was some Remembrance in some By-roll, by which the Court was instructed, that the Wife also appeared, altho' it was not enter'd at the Day in the principal Roll; and thereupon, *per totam Curiam*, the Judgment was reversed.

Belcher *versus* Hudson.

Cro. Jac. 222.
1 Brownl. 15.
Hob. 216.
Assumpsit.

By whom,
and by what
Words a
Promise may
be released.
5 Co. 71. a
Lutw. 249.
Salk. 171.
Mo. 34.
Dy. 217.

BELCHER and Anne his Wife were Plaintiffs in *Assumpsit* against Hudson, and declared that in Consideration *Anna dum sola fuit* would marry one Thomas Mason at the Defendant's Request, the Defendant promised after the Death of Thomas Mason to pay the said Anne 40 s. a Year for her Life; and shewed, that thereupon she married Thomas Mason, who afterwards died; and she took to Husband Belcher the Plaintiff; and shewed that 4 l. were arrear for two Years after the Death of Mason, contrary to the Defendant's Promise, to Damage, &c. The Defendant pleaded in Bar a Release made by Deed to him by the said Thomas Mason during the Marriage with Anne one of the Plaintiffs, whereby he released to the now Defendant all Actions, Quarrels, Controversies, Claims and Demands whatsoever, which he had, or might have against the said Hudson, &c. upon which the Plaintiffs demurred: And it was adjudged *pro Quer'*, that the Release would not discharge this Promise: Because altho' the Promise was present, yet the Execution of the Promise was *in futuro*, and such, that he who released could never have an Action on it; but if he had released by express Words all Promises, or all Actions and Quarrels which he or his Wife had or might have, then it was held, that the Promise had been released; for the Promise, being a special Cause of Action, cannot be released till it comes *in esse*, no more than a Covenant, as 5 *Eliz.* it is adjudged, and 35 H. 8. Dy. 56. b. Wherefore Judgment was given *pro Quer'*, Fleming Justice being absent. *Quod Nota bene.* Telverton of Counsel with the Defendant.

Prowse *versus* Turner, *Bail of* John Skinner.

IN a *Scire facias* against the Bail, who on the second *Scire facias* was condemned for not having the Body of the Principal, Judgment was given that the Plaintiff should recover *super Recuperationem prædictam*, where it should be *super Recognitionem prædictam*; wherefore *Telverton* and *George Crooke* moved to have a Writ of Error. And, *per Curiam*, * no Writ of Error lies in the Exchequer-chamber, because the Judgment is in a *Scire facias*, which is a judicial Writ, and is not expressly named in the Statute 27 *Eliz.* which gives the Error in the Exchequer. And they were likewise of Opinion, that it does not lie in the King's Bench, as upon Error in Process, for there is no Error in the Process; for that is where the Process is mistaken, *scilicet* one Process for another, and here the Process is not mistaken, but issued in due Form of Law; but the Error is only in Point of Judgment, *viz.* *Recuperationem* for *Recognitionem*, which is clearly another Matter, and no Remedy, as it seems, but in Parliament. And also *Williams* Justice conceived, that the King's Bench could not reform the Error in Process, unless in the same Term. *Quod vide* accordingly, *F. N. B.* 22. Then *Telverton* moved that it is a void Judgment, and that the Bail ought not to be vexed thereby; for there is not any Judgment at all upon the Recognisance given by the Court, upon which Execution can be demanded. *Ad quod non dederunt Responsum. Quod Nota, & Quære.*

Scire facias.
Where an erroneous Judgment shall not be reformed in the Exchequer-Chamber.
Stat. 27 *El.*
Error in Parliament.
* *Cro. Jac.*
171, 384.
Hob. 72.
Cro. Car.
300.
1 *Ven.* 38,
169.

Taylor *versus* Markham.

TRESPASS of Battery such a Day, and declared accordingly, &c. The Defendant pleaded that he, *Tempore quo*, was seized of such a Rectory, in the Place where the Trespass is supposed, in Fee, and that *Tempore quo* there was Corn sever'd from the nine Parts at the Place aforesaid, and the Plaintiff came to take away the Corn, and the Defendant in Defence of his Corn, and to keep the Plaintiff from taking it, stood there to defend it, and the Ill that the Plaintiff had was of his own Wrong, &c. The Plaintiff replied, *de Injuria sua propria absque tali Causa*: Upon which the Defendant demurred in Law. And it was adjudged for the Plaintiff: For such general Replication is good, and the Plaintiff need not answer the Defendant's Title, because the Plaintiff by his Action claims nothing in the Soil or Corn, but only Damages for the Battery, which is merely collateral to the Title. But where the Plaintiff makes Title by his Declaration to any Thing, and the Defendant will plead another Thing in Destruction of it, or of the Plaintiff's Cause of Action, there he ought to reply specially, and shall not say

1 *Brownl.*
215.
Cro. Jac. 224.
Trespass.
Replication.
Where de Injuria sua propria absque tali Causa, shall be a good Issue.

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absque tali Causa, as 14 H. 4. 32. b. Trespass for taking his Servant, the Defendant shew'd that the Father of him, whom the Plaintiff supposed to be his Servant, held of him in Chivalry, &c. and died seised, his Heir (*viz.* he who is supposed the Servant) being within Age, wherefore he seised him as his Ward, as he well might; there the Plaintiff replied, *de Injuria sua propria absque tali Causa*; and it was disallow'd by the Court without answering to the Seignior, *viz.* *de Injuria sua propria, absque hoc*, that the Father of him who is supposed Servant held of him in Chivalry; the Reason was, because the Plaintiff by his Action made Title to the Servant, according to 16 E. 4. 4. *Quod Nota.* And Judgment was given accordingly. *Telverton* of Counsel with the Defendant.

Tuthil *versus* Milton.

Cro. Jac. 222.
Words.

19 H. 7. 9.
Capias in an
Action on
the Case.

THE Plaintiff declared, that whereas he is a *Freeman of Wells*, and *exercens Artem sive Mysterium* of a Linen-Draper within the same City for five Years past, and by his Credit, &c. had gained much, &c. *vendendo & emendo*, &c. yet the Defendant 28 Julii Anno 5 at Bristol in *Warda omnium Sanctorum* within the Jurisdiction there, *ad eundem Querentem dixit & ad Franc' Tuthill, viz.* You both (*innuendo* the Plaintiff and Francis Tuthill) are Bankrupts and not worth a Groat; *ad damnum*, &c. and it was found by Verdict there for the Plaintiff by a Venue *de Warda omnium Sanctorum*, and Judgment given there; and it was removed into the King's Bench by Error, and the Judgment affirmed; yet two Exceptions were taken; 1. That after an Attachment awarded in Bristol, a *Capias* issued against the Defendant there, where by the Statute 19 H. 7. it seems, that a *Capias* in an Action on the Case doth not lie but in the King's Bench and Common Pleas. To which *Telverton* answer'd; First, That is an Exception which subverts all Proceedings in inferior Courts, which always use such Process of *Capias* as the second Process in such Actions; but if they commence there with a *Capias*, as the first Process, without Summons or Attachment, it is not good, but is *continuè* adjudged Error: 2. This Judgment is grounded on the Verdict precedent, because the Party has appeared, and the *Capias* is but mean Process, which is *out of Doors* by the Appearance of the Party, *Quod tota Curia concessit.* The second Error, on which they insisted, was, that the Declaration is not good, because it is not laid precisely, that at the Time of Speaking the Words the Plaintiff was a Linen-Draper, but only for the Space of five Years past: To which *Telverton* answer'd; that there is a Difference between Slanders of one in Respect of an Office, and in Respect of a Trade or Profession: For if a Man says of a Justice of Peace, that he is a Briber, &c. he must

must shew in an Action for those Words expressly in his Declaration, that he was a Justice of Peace at the Time of the Words spoke, because they found in Slander of his Person in Respect of his Office only, which Office continues during the King's Pleasure only, being by Commission. But where a Man is slander'd in his Profession or Trade, there it need not be so precisely alledged, that at the Time of the Words spoken he was a Lawyer, Physician, Merchant, or Linen-Dra-
 per; but it is sufficient to shew, that he is of such a Trade, and has exercised it for several Years past, without saying *ultimo* or *jam elaps*; for a Man shall not be intended to alter his Trade or Profession, but by Presumption he continues it during his Life. *Quod fuit etiam concessum per Curiam. Quod Nota.* And the Judgment was affirmed. *Vide Trin. 6 Jac' Rot' 1272.* for the Case. Accordingly *Trin' 38 Eliz. B. R. Rot. 546.* between *Gardynner* Plaintiff, and *Hopwood* Defendant on the same Words, *Thou art a Bankrupt*, the Plaintiff alledging *Quod per multos Annos jam retroactos Artem merchandizandi, vendendi & licite barganizandi exercuit & usus fuit*, and Judgment given for the Plaintiff. It was also agreed, that the Venue was well awarded from a Ward within the City, *melius quam de Civitate*, contrary to 8 H. 5.

Vide Palm;
 566.
 All. 63.

Venue from
 a Ward.

Godley *versus* Frith.

THE Plaintiff declared for a Disturbance in a Way, and declared that he was seised of a Messuage, &c. and that he and his Ancestors, and they whose Estate, &c. have had a Way from his Messuage to such a Place for them, their Servants and Farmers, as well *on Foot*, as with Carts, &c. and so *retrosum*, and that the Defendant had stopped the Way, to his Damage, &c. And upon *Non cul'*, the Jury found the Way as the Plaintiff had declared, but found it to be appurtenant to the Messuage, and if it should be intended the Way which the Plaintiff declared for, they found for the Plaintiff, *aliter non*; and assessed Damages. And, *per Curiam*, the Verdict has not found any Thing against the Plaintiff, but that he shall recover, for the Plaintiff in his Declaration shall never lay the Way to be appendant or appurtenant, because it is only an Eafe and not an Interest; it is otherwise of a Common, for that is an Interest, and may be of several Natures, appurtenant, appendant, or in Gross; but a Way cannot be so. And all the Precedents in the Book of Entries are according to the Declaration here, without laying the Way appurtenant or appendant. And Mr. *Man* Secondary, informed the Judges that a Judgment in the King's Bench was reversed in the Exchequer, because the Plaintiff

1 Bulstr. 47:
 A Way, an
 Easement,
 and not an
 Appurte-
 nant.
 Common.

had

Vide Cro.
Jac. 190.

had alledged a Way appurtenant to an House, because he claimed it in another Manner and Nature, than he ought by the Law: *Quod Nota*. Wherefore Judgment was given for the Plaintiff. *Yelverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Flud *versus* Rumcey.

Prohibition.
A Debtor
made Ex-
ecutor, yet
he shall pay
Legacies.

Salk. 306.

THE Suggestion was, that whereas he was indebted to *J. S.* in 30*l.* which *J. S.* afterwards in his Life-time by his Deed gave all his Goods and Chattels to *A.* and afterwards made the Plaintiff and *B.* his Executors, and devised that the Plaintiff should pay out of the 30*l.* that he owed him 10*l.* to the Defendant for a Legacy, the Defendant had drawn the Plaintiff into the Spiritual Court for the Legacy, where by the Law the 30*l.* Debt is extinguished by making the Plaintiff Executor: And shewed that he proved the Will, &c. And, *per Curiam*, the Defendant shall have a Consultation; for, although the joint Executor has no Remedy to recover this 30*l.* against the Plaintiff his Co-executor, nor no Action can be used for it in the Plaintiff's Life, yet the Debt is not extinguished, but remains as Assets to any other Creditor, as 8 *E.* 4.— is: And by the same Reason that such Debt shall satisfy a Debt, it shall also satisfy a Legacy; and the rather, because the Testator's express Intent was so, having precisely limited the Legacy to be paid out of the Debt. *Quod Nota*. *Per totam Curiam*. And a Consultation was awarded accordingly. *Yelverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Mich. 7 JAC. B. R.

Staverton *versus* Relfe.

Words.

March 19.
Hurt. 75.

I *Will prove thee a perjured Knave*. And it was objected in Arrest of Judgment, that the Words were not spoken *affirmativè*, but doubtfully, and in the future Tense, (*I will prove, &c.*) But, *per totam Curiam*, these Words (*I will prove*) are a vehement Affirmative, which import not only that Perjury was committed, but that the Defendant would openly traduce the Plaintiff for it, in such Sort that it should be openly proved. And, by *Williams* Justice, it is like the Case. *Dy. fol. 72. b.* *Thou wilt be a Bankrupt within few Days*: And adjudged there, that the Action lay; for altho' the Words

in their Signification refer to a Time future, yet they are a present Slander. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam.*

Bell versus Fox & Gamble.

THE Plaintiff declared, that the Defendants *Conspiratione habita* caused the Plaintiff to be indicted at *York, &c.* for a common Barretor, & *ea Occasione* at *York* he was taken and detained in Prison *quousque* before the Justices of Assise such a Day, &c. *secund' Leg' & Consuetud' hujus Regni Angliæ acquietatus fuit, ad damnum, &c.* And upon *Non cul'* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff, and moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Declaration was not good, because there wanted this Word (*inde*) *acquietatus*, or (*de præmissis*) *acquietatus*; so that altho' upon the Indictment the Plaintiff was taken, yet *Non constat*, of what Thing the Plaintiff was acquitted; for he might, for any Thing that appears to the Court, be taken and committed for a Barretor, and yet be acquitted of another Thing as well as of the Barretry: But on View of the Precedents in the Book of Entries and *F. N. B.* Judgment was given for the Plaintiff; for the Writ never has the Word *inde*, and the Precedents are both Ways; and the rather because tis all but one Sentence, and can have none other Reference than to the Indictment of Barretry, for that is *Subjēta Materia* on which the whole depends. *Per totam Curiam* on great Debate. *Yelverton* of Counsel with the Defendants.

Cro. Jac. 230.
Conspiracy.

Inde omitted, and yet good.

Cro. Car. 286.
315; 419.
F. N. B. 114.
G.
Reference of Words.

Stone & al' versus Bromwich.

THE two Plaintiffs declared against the Defendant for diverting an antient Water-course, which Time whereof, &c. *ante talem Diem* ran in & per their Land, which they held in Common, and shewed their several Titles in their Declaration, and that such a Day after the Defendant diverted the Water there running, &c. to their Damage, &c. and upon *Non cul'* pleaded it was found for the Plaintiffs, and moved in Arrest of Judgment; 1. That the Plaintiffs ought not to join in this Action, because they are Tenants in Common, no more than in Assise of Nufance: But *Non allocatur*, for the Assise of Nufance is in the Realty, but this Action is only in the Personalty, and does not concern the Title but only the Possession, whereby the Profits of the Land are diminished; for *concessum fuit*, that in an Action for Slandering their Title, or in Forger of false Deeds, they must sever, and cannot join, because it concerns the Title, which is several, and so is 19 H. 6.—2. Exception was, because the Plaintiffs shew that it was an antient Water-course, which

Cro. Jac. 231.
Noy 135.
Case.

1 Inst. 198. 2.
Where Tenants in Common shall join in Action.

ran *per & trans* the Plaintiff's Land till 1 *Maii* such a Year, which was before the Action laid, and before the Stopping laid in the Declaration, so that it does not appear that the Water-course had Continuance at the Time of the Diversion; but because it appears afterwards in the Declaration, that the Plaintiffs charge the Defendant with the Diversion such a Day after, which is now found by the Verdict, the Court cannot intend but that the Water-course continued. *Per totam Curiam.* And Judgment accordingly.

Bedle versus Morris.

Cro. Jac. 224.
Co. Entr.
347. b.
Case.
Hosteler.
Master
brings Ac-
tion where
the Servant
is robb'd in
an Inn.

Appeal of
Robbery.
Noy 79.
Poph. 178.
Latch 127.
Dalif. 8.

Richard Bedle brought an Action on the Case against *Morris*, and declared on the general Custom of the Realm, that all Inn-keepers, who keep common Inns, shall keep the Goods of their Guests safe, so that in Default of the Inn-keepers or their Servants they shall not be lost; and declared that the Defendant *ante 20 Decembr' Anno 6 ac eodem die custodivit & adhuc custodit & tenet commune Hospitium in Dunchurch in Comitatu War'*, and one *W. Bedle* the Plaintiff's Servant, as his Guest the same 20 *Decembr' in Hospitio suo hospitavit, eodem W. Bedle adtunc & ibidem habente in legitima custodia sua* a Purse, value 3*d.* and 76*l.* *de pecuniis numeratis* in the same Purse *inclusis*, as the Goods and Chattels of the Plaintiff *adtunc & adhuc existen'* a lawful Subject of this Realm, Malefactors unknown to the Plaintiff the same 20 *Decembr' Anno 6 ad Dunchurch predictum* the said Purse and 76*l.* in the same Purse *adtunc & ibidem inclusas*, in Default of the Defendant and his Servants, took and carried away, against the Law and Custom aforesaid: And upon *Non Cul* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff. And it was moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Action did not lie for the Master on a Robbery of the Servant. But *Non allocatur*; for none can have Satisfaction but he who has the Loss, and the Loss is to the Master, and he only shall have an Appeal of Robbery: 2. It was objected, that it does not appear that he was his Servant at the Time of the Money and Purse lost; *sed non allocatur*; for it is alledged expressly that he was the Plaintiff's Servant at the Time he was lodged in the Inn; and moreover it is not material whether he was his Servant or not; for if it was his Friend by whom the Party sent the Money, and he is robbed in the Inn, the true Owner shall have the Action. *Per totam Curiam.* And Judgment given accordingly.

Alban *versus* Brounfall.

THAT the Def. 20 *Febr' An. 5.* the Plaintiff's Close called ^{1 Brownl.} *Sandey-heath* at *Sandey* broke and enter'd, and spoiled his ^{215.} *Grass*, and 100 Conies *ibidem tunc interfecit*, took and carried away: *Necnon* that the Defendant the same Day the Plaintiff's free Warren at *Sandey* aforesaid, &c. enter'd and chased without Licence, and fifty Conies killed, took and carried away, to his Damage, &c. The Defendant to all the Trespafs *prater* breaking and entering the Close called *Sandey-heath*, and treading the Grass, pleaded *Non cul'*, and upon that Issue was joined; and as to breaking the Close, &c. the Plaintiff ought not to have his Action; for he said, that *W. Lord Russel* and *Eliz.* his Wife *fuernnt & adhuc sunt* seised in Fee in Right of *Eliz. in quadam pecia brueræ continen'* 10 *Acras* in *Sandey*, *contigue adjacen'* & *undique Sept'* to the Place called *Sandey-heath*, and that they and all those whose Estate they have in the said Piece of *Heath*, &c. have had and used to have *pro se & Firmariis suis dictæ peciæ brueræ*, &c. & *pro Servien'* *suis Passagium usque eandem Peciam brueræ & ab eadem pecia in, per & trans* the said Close called *Sandey-heath in quo*, &c. all Times of the Year at their Pleasure, *ad capiendum & percipiendum* the Profits *eiusdem peciæ brueræ*. And the Defendant further said, that long before the Trespafs, &c. many Conies in the said Piece of *Heath* were wandring, and several Cony-holes *ibidem fuernnt effossa*, & *in eisdem antris effossis dicti Cuniculi habitare gaudent*, the same Piece of *Heath eodem tempore quo*, &c. *herbam ibidem crescen' depascen' fuernnt*, and the Defendant as Servant to the Lord *Russel*, and by his Command, *tempore quo*, &c. *in, per & trans* the said Close *in quo*, &c. *versus & usque ad prædictam peciam brueræ pedibus ambulando itineravit ad venandum & capiendum prædictos Cuniculos in prædicta pecia brueræ*, &c. *tunc ibidem errantes & depascentes*, prout ei bene licuit, &c. *Quæ quidem Ambulatio in, per & trans Clausum prædictum in quo*, &c. *pro Causa prædicta est eadem Clausi Fractio & Intratio*, &c. of which the Plaintiff complains; and avers that the Place in which the Defendant *ex Causa præd' ambulando itineravit in Sandey-heath prædicto in quo*, &c. was *propinquius Passagium*, ^{Passagium shall not be taken for a Way.} *quo ipse uti potuit usque prædictam peciam brueræ continen'* 10 *Acras*. Upon which the Plaintiff demurred: And *per Curiam* the Bar is not good; for *Passagium* is properly a Passage over the Water, and not over Land, and here the Defendant ought to have prescribed in the Way and not in the Passage, for he ought to observe the usual Words, and those which are known in the Law, as a Prescription and Usage for a Way

1 And. 234.
Jenk. Cent.
142.

Way and not for a Passage. *Quod vide* 32 Aff. 58. & 11 H. 4. 82. b. 2. The Prescription is not good, because it is not shewn *a quo loco ad quem locum* the Passage or Way is, and altho' a Way may be in Grofs, yet it ought to be bounded and circumscribed to some certain Place, *praesertim* when it appears to lie in Usage from 'Time whereof, &c. for it ought to be *in loco certo*, and not in one Place *hodie*, and in another Place *cras*, but constant and perpetual in one Place. *Quod Nota*. 3. The Bar is not good, because it is not shewn, what Manner of Passage it is, whether *on Foot, or Horse, or Cart-way*; so that it is in the whole uncertain. And Judgment given accordingly.

Brand *versus* Lisley.

Assumpsit.

THE Plaintiff declar'd, that whereas one *Williams* was indebted to him in 100*l.* and for the Satisfaction of that Debt deliver'd to the Defendant fundry Goods *in Specie* amounting to the Value of the Debt to satisfy the Plaintiff the said 100*l.* and whereas the Plaintiff came to the Defendant, and requir'd him to satisfy the said 100*l.* with the Goods in his Hands, the Defendant in Consideration the Plaintiff would forbear him for a certain 'Time, assumed and promised by such a Day to pay and satisfy the Debt. The Plaintiff alledged *in facto*, that he did forbear the Defendant accordingly, yet he had not paid the 100*l.* altho' such a Day required, &c. and upon *Non assumpsit* pleaded it was found for the Plaintiff, and shewn in Arrest of Judgment, that there is no Consideration on the Part of the Defendant; for by the Delivery of the Goods by *Williams* to him, he had no Interest in the Goods nor Profit by them, and so no Benefit at all. But it was adjudged for the Plaintiff; for by the Delivery of the Goods to the Defendant to satisfy the Plaintiff the 100*l.* the Plaintiff had an Interest and Property in the Goods, and then by the Plaintiff's Forbearance of the Defendant for a 'Time, the Goods being due to the Plaintiff immediately, the Defendant had a Benefit, and *quid pro quo*. *Telberton* of Counsel with the Defendant.

What shall
be a good
Considera-
tion.
Vide 1 Lev.
222.
1 Sid. 337.

Saunders *versus* Cottington.

1 Brownl.
144.
Ejectment.

EJECTMENT of two Messuages; but the Bill on the File was only *de uno Messuagio*; and the Defendant by his Paper-book pleaded *Non cul'* to two Messuages; and the Roll in Court, and the Record of *Nisi prius* were both of two Messuages; and there was a Verdict for the Plaintiff, and Judgment accordingly; now after Error brought by the Def. and before the Record removed, it was moved that the Bill on the File might be amended and made 2 Messuages; and because the Def. pleaded

pleaded to two Messuages in his Plea in Paper, and the Record of *Nisi prius* and the Roll in Court were accordingly; it was resolved *per totam Curiam*, that the Bill on the File should be amended and made two Messuages; for the Bill which speaks *de uno Messuagio* only cannot be the Ground of all the Proceedings after; but it is as if no Bill at all had been filed, and that shall be supplied, as it has been *sepius* in Experience, before the Record removed. *Quod Nota. Telverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Where the Bill on the File shall be amended by the Roll.

Freiston *versus* Shellito.

MR. *Shellito* of *Grays-Inn*, and seven others, were indicted for a forcible Entry into a Cottage and Croft in an Hamlet of *Heath* in the County of *York* in the West-Riding Com' *præd'*, that they *Manu forti* enter'd on the Possession of *Anne Binnes*, Farmer of *Richard Freiston*, and disseised *R. Freiston*, and *sic disseisitum* him *extraten'* till the Day of the Inquisition. And *Telverton* moved, that the Indictment was insufficient, because they have not found that *Anne Binnes* the Farmer was amoved and expelled, and that is the Force of the whole Matter; for the Possession of the Farmer or Termor is the Possession of the Reversioner, and without ousting the Lessee there can be no Disseisin to him who has the Freehold. *Quod fuit concessum per totam Curiam*, and the Indictment was discharged: But if the Indictment had not expressed *Anne Binnes* to be Farmer, but generally the Cottage, &c. to be in her Occupation, then by *Williams* Justice, the Indictment which found the Disseisin only had been good, because no Title is found in any other but in him who is found to be disseised, but finding the Woman to be Farmer, that is an Estate known and certain, and such Farmer must be ejected, or else he who has the Freehold cannot be disseised. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam.*

Where the Farmer must be ousted, otherwise it is no Disseisin.

Draper *versus* Fulkes.

A Man brought an Action on the Case on Trover against Husband and Wife, and declared that he was possessed of several Goods *in Specie*, till such a Day he lost them, which came to the Possession of both the Defendants, and * they converted them to his Damage, &c. and on *Non cul'* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff, and Judgment given in the Common Pleas, and affirmed in the King's Bench on a Writ of Error: Yet an Exception was taken to the Declaration, because the Conversion is laid to the Charge of the Wife as well as to the Charge of the Husband, and a Feme Covert cannot convert

Trover.
* Vide 1 Ven.
24.
Feme Covert may convert Goods.

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Goods,

Noy 79.
Ow. 48.
Latch 126.

Salk. 114.

Goods, but it shall be said the Conversion of the Husband only, for in Regard she can have no Property, but the whole is in the Husband, therefore the Conversion shall be said the Act of the Husband only. To which *Yelverton* answer'd, that this Action is not grounded on any Property supposed to be in the Defendants, but on the Possession only, and the Point of the Action is the Conversion, which is a Tort with which a Feme Covert may be well charged, as well as she may be charged with a Trespass or Disseisin committed. And if a Feme Covert takes my Sheep and eats them, or other Goods and converts them, I may well have this Action against Husband and Wife, and suppose the Conversion in the Wife only, viz. the Tort. But Husband and Wife cannot have an Action on Trover, and suppose the Possession in them both, for the Law will transfer in Point of Ownership the whole Interest to the Husband, as 21 E. 4. 4. is. *Quod fait concessum per totam Curiam.*

1 Brownl.
145.
Ow. 133.
Cro. El. 13.
Where the
per Nomen
destroys the
Quantity in
the Declara-
tion.

THE Plaintiff declared in Ejectment on a Lease of an House, ten Acres of Land, 20 *Acras Prati*, 20 *Pasturae*, by the Name *unius Messuagii*, 10 *Acr' Prati*, be it more or less: And on *Non cul'* pleaded had a Verdict, but *Nil capiat per billam* was enter'd; for on the Matter disclosed by the Plaintiff himself in the Declaration, he cannot have his Execution of the Quantity found by the Verdict; for in the Lease there are but ten Acres demised, and these Words (*more or less*) cannot in Judgment of the Law extend to thirty or forty Acres, for it is impossible by common Intendment, and the rather because the Land demanded by the Declaration is of another Nature than that which is mentioned in the *per Nomen*; for that goes only to Meadow, and the Declaration to Arable and Pasture. *Quod Nota. Per Curiam.*

Troughton *versus* Googe.

1 Brownl.
217.
Trespass.

TRESPASS for entering into his Close called *Wildmarsh*, and five Loads of Hay there *messuit & defalcavit* to his Damage, &c. the Defendant said, *Quod Clausum predictum continet 12 Acr'*, whereof long before the Trespass, & *Tempore quo*, &c. the Mayor, &c. of *London* were seised in Fee, and so seised demised to the Defendant for Years before the Trespass supposed, by Virtue whereof he enter'd till the Plaintiff claiming by Deed from the Mayor, &c. for Life, where nothing passed, enter'd, and the Defendant *Tempore quo*, &c. re-enter'd, as he well might, &c. The Plaintiff replied, that the Close in which the Trespass is supposed contains an Acre and three Roods, and abutted it *East*,
West,

West, North and South, and one of the Abuttals was on the twelve Acres mentioned in the Bar; and concluded that it is *aliud quam* the Close mentioned in the Bar containing twelve Acres. Upon which the Defendant demurred; and as it seemed to the Court on the first Opening of the Matter, the Replication is not good; because it does not answer to the Title supposed by the Bar, for when the Plaintiff in his Declaration gives the Place a Name certain (as here *Wildmarsh*) and the Defendant by his Plea in Bar agrees to the Place; as here, *viz. Quod Clausum prædictum (id est Wildmarsh)* is the Inheritance of the Mayor, &c. and he, as Lessee for Years to them, makes Title to it, the Plaintiff ought to answer the Title or avoid it, which he does not by the Replication; for the Plaintiff thereby endeavours to assign a new Place, which cannot be, when they are before agreed of the Place: And therefore he ought to have pleaded, that there were two Closes called *Wildmarsh*, the one containing twelve Acres, &c. as the Defendant had alledged, the other containing one Acre and three Roods, whereof the Plaintiff was seised, and that the Close where the Plaintiff supposed the Trespass was in the Close called *Wildmarsh* containing one Acre and three Roods. *Quod Nota.* And *vide 21 H. 4.* and several other Books, which make a *Quære* of this Pleading: And *Curia advisare vult.*

Where the Plaintiff and Defendant agree in the Name of the Place, the Plaintiff ought to traverse or avoid, and not conclude quod est aliud.

Barwicke *versus* Foster.

DEBT for Rent; the Case was such: The Plaintiff demised certain Land to the Defendant at Mich' 1 Jac. for five Years, yeilding Rent *at our Lady-day and Michaelmas yearly, or within ten Days after*; and for the Rent arrear at the last Michaelmas the Plaintiff declared, as for Rent due at the Feast of Saint Michael. And *prima facie* it seem'd to the whole Court, except Crooke Justice, that the Action did not lie, but the Rent for the last Quarter is gone; for it is not due at Michaelmas as the Plaintiff has declared, for by his own Shewing it is payable, and reserved at Michaelmas; or within ten Days after, so that altho' the Lessee may pay it at Michaelmas-day, yet it is not any Debt that lies in Demand by Action till the ten Days passed, and the Reservation, being the Act of the Lessor, shall be construed strongly against himself; so that forasmuch as the End of the Term is at Michaelmas, and before the ten Days, (till which Time the Rent is not due, and at that Time the Term is ended) therefore the Lessor shall lose the Rent; as if the Lessor died the next Day after Michaelmas-day, the Executor should not have the Rent, but the Heir by Discent as incident to the Reversion; and if the Lessee had paid the Rent to the Lessor on Michaelmas-day, and had died before the ten Days, his Heir in Ward to the King, the King should have it again; for it ought

1 Brownl. 105.
Cro. Jac. 227, 233.
2 Brownl. 220.
1 Bulst. 1.
Where Rent reserved at Mich', or within ten Days after, shall be good, and where not.

44 E. 3. 3. b.
10 Co. 127. b.

ought not of Right to be paid till the ten Days, like to 44 E. 3. But this Case being moved *Term. Hill.* after, *Fleming* Chief Justice, *Fenner* and *Yelverton mutata Opinione* held strongly, that the Lessor should have the Rent, for it is reserved *yearly*, and the ten Days added shall be expounded to give Liberty to the Lessee within the Term for his Ease to protract Payment.

Vide 10 Co.
129. b.

But because the ten Days after the last *Michaelmas* are out of the Term, rather than the Lessor shall lose the Rent *yearly* reserved, the Law will reject the last ten Days. *Quod Nota.* A good Reason.

Brenley *versus* Todd.

Cro. Jac. 228.
Noy 135.
What shall
be a good
Considera-
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where No-
rice need not
be given.

THE Plaintiff declared, that in Consideration the Plaintiff at the Defendant's Request would take to Wife *J. S.* the Defendant assumed to pay the Plaintiff 50*l.* on Demand; the Plaintiff shewed *in facto*, that he Trusting to the Defendant's Promise did marry *J. S.* such a Day, yet the Defendant had not paid the 50*l.* altho' he was requested such a Day, to his Damage, &c. And on *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff, and alledged in Arrest of Judgment, that the Plaintiff ought to give the Defendant Notice of the Marriage, because the Defendant is a Stranger to it by Presumption, and cannot have Notice. But it was adjudged for the Plaintiff; and that Notice was not necessary, for the Defendant has bound himself by his Promise as strongly as by his Bond; and moreover the Notice is no Part of the Promise, and therefore need not be alledged: And it was never seen, that Notice was inserted in the Declaration, for the Defendant ought to take Notice at his Peril. And so it was adjudged between *Warley* and *Hodges T.* 44 *El. Rot.* 238. and the Case of *Street* and *Wheeler* now lately adjudged to the contrary was denied *per tot' Cur'*; for if a Man promises on a good Consideration to pay *J. S.* 10*l.* when *J. D.* shall come to *Pauls*, he must do it at his Peril, for it is intended that he has Power over *J. D.* either not to come at all, or not without his Privy. *Quod Nota.*

3 Bulst. 326.
Latch 97.
Cro. Jac. 404.
1 Rol. Rep.
433.
3 Bulst. 235.

1 Brownl.
107.
Cro. Jac. 229.
4 Mod. 245.
3 Lev. 375.
Comb. 228.
Salk. 207.
6 Mod. 93.
94.

IT was adjudged *per tot' Cur'*, where an Executor is Plaintiff for a Thing touching the Will, and is nonsuited, or a Verdict passes against him, that he shall not pay Costs on the new Statute 4 *Jac.* for the Statute ought to have a reasonable Intendment, and no Default can be presumed in the Executor who complains, because it concerns the Act of another, which he cannot have perfect Notice of, and so it was said to be resolved and adjudged now lately by all the Justices of the

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Common Pleas. *Quod Nota.* A settled Judgment by both Courts contrary to some few Precedents, which have been in the King's Bench to the contrary. *Quod Nota.*

Hill. 7 JAC. B. R.

Molineux *versus* Molineux.

IN Debt in the Common Pleas against *Molineux* on a Bond as Heir to his Father, the Defendant there pleaded *Riens per Discent* except twenty Acres in *D.* in such a County. The Plaintiff replied, that the Defendant had more by Discent in *S.* viz. so many Acres: And upon that they were at Issue, and it was found for the Defendant, that he had nothing by Discent in *S.* wherefore the Plaintiff recover'd and had Judgment to have Execution of the twenty Acres in *Dale*: Upon which Judgment the Defendant in the Common Pleas brought Error; and assigned for Error a Discontinuance in the Record of the Plea *a Termino Pasche usque ad Term' Mich'* after. And whether it was aided by the Statute 18 *Eliz.* because it was after Verdict, was the Question? And it was adjudged that it is out of the Statute, and that it is Error; because the Judgment was not founded on the Verdict, but only on the Defendant's Confession of Assets, and the Verdict here was to no Purpose, but made the Defendant's Confession more strong; so the Statute 18 *Eliz.* is to be intended where the Trial by Verdict is the Means and Cause of the Judgment. *Quod Nota.* Wherefore the Judgment was reversed. The Law seems the same, if the Plaintiff brings Debt of 40*l.* and declares for 20*l.* on Bill, and 20*l.* on *mutuatus est*; and on *Non sum informatus* the Defendant as to the *mutuatus* is condemned, and they are at Issue for the 20*l.* on the Bill, which passes likewise for the Plaintiff, whereby he has Judgment to recover the 40*l.* demanded, and the Damages assessed by the Jury, *nonon* for Costs so much; so that the Judgment for the Costs is intire: In this Case, if it be discontinued on the Roll, it seems the whole shall be reversed, notwithstanding the Verdict, because the Verdict alone is not the Cause of the Judgment, but the *Non sum informatus* also, and the Costs intirely assessed for both. *Quare* this.

1 Brownl.
106.
Cro. Jac. 236.
Error in
Debt.

Where a
Discontinu-
ance shall
be notwith-
standing a
Verdict and
the Stat. 18
El.

Vide Cro.
Jac. 211.
Cro. El. 339,
412.

Goddard *versus* Thornton.

Trespafs.

WHereas the Plaintiff 2 Novembr' Anno 6. *apud London*, &c. *in dampno suo, viz. in Shopa sua per Tho. Hugon* his Servant, *three green Fish*, being in the Shop Damage-feasant, caused to be taken, and would have impounded them, the Defendant the same Day rescued them from the Servant, and took them away, to his Damage, &c. The Defendant said, that before the Trespafs, &c. *H. Offley* was seised of the Shop in Fee, and so seised 16 Maii Anno 30 Eliz. demised it to *Sanders*, &c. and derived an Interest to himself under that Lease, giving Colour to the Plaintiff under *H. Offley*, and so justified, &c. The Plaintiff replied, that before *H. Offley* had any Thing, *T. B.* was seised of the Shop in Fee, and 7 E. 6. devised it to *Tho.* his Son in Tail, the Remainder to *Jo.* in Fee, and died: That *Tho.* by Deed inrolled in the *Hustings* bargain'd and sold it to *Eliz.* in Fee, who enter'd, *Jo.* died without Issue, whereby his Remainder in Fee descended to *Tho.*; *Eliz.* devised the Shop to *Tho. Offley* and *R. Offley* in Fee, and died seised, they enter'd and were seised in Fee; *Tho.* died seised of the Remainder in Fee without Issue, whereby the Shop, *protestando* descended to *R. Goddard* as Coſin and Heir, *Tho. Offley*, and *R. Offley* died, after which *H. Offley* named in the Bar enter'd, and so intruded himself into the Shop, and by such Entry and Intrusion was thereof seised in Fee; and he so seised, *R. Goddard* 2 Octobr' 29 Eliz. died, whereby the Shop, *protestando*, descended to *W. Goddard* as Coſin and Heir, *W. Goddard* died without Issue, whereby it descended to *Nicholas* the Plaintiff as Coſin and Heir, and afterwards 16 Maii Anno 30 Eliz. *H. Offley* demised, &c. *prout* in the Bar, and the Plaintiff enter'd, as he well might, &c. The Defendant, *ut prius*, by Way of Rejoinder said, that *H. Offley* was seised of the Shop in Fee, and demised, *ut supra*, in the Bar, *absque hoc, quod H. Offley in Shopam præd' intravit, & se sic intravit modo & forma*, &c. And thereupon the Plaintiff demurred in Law, because the Traverse was not good; for the Intrusion, being the Means to avoid the Title of *H. Offley*, ought to be traversed expressly, and not by Way of Circumstance; as to say, *Absque hoc, quod intravit*, for that had been a full Answer; but it is not so, to say, *Absque hoc, quod H. Offley intravit & sic se intravit*. To which Title. being of Counsel with the Def. answer'd, that, as this Case is, it is not material whether the Traverse be good or not; for the Replication is vicious, and the Title alledged in the Bar not answer'd; for the Def. alledging a Soſin in Fee in *H. Offley*, and a Title under that, the Title alledged in *H. Offley* ought to be avoided directly, and

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it is only by Supposal of an Intrusion in *H. Offley*, which cannot be by Law on an Estate of Inheritance: And *R. Offley* and *Thomas Offley* by the Plaintiff's own Shewing had Fee-simple, so that no Intrusion could be on an Estate in Fee-simple; but in Propriety of Speech in Law, * Intrusion is only after the Death of Tenant for Life, and an Estate of Freehold ended; then if the Title alledged in *H. Offley* is not avoided, but only by alledging his Entry by Way of Intrusion, and by Law no Intrusion can be, then the Bar is unanswer'd; so the Plaintiff cannot have Judgment, but the Defendant shall be acquitted of the Trespass. *Quod fuit concessum per totam Curiam*. And *Nil capiat per Billam* enter'd. *Quod Nota bene*; and that the Traverse in the Rejoinder was really insufficient.

Intrusion cannot be on an Estate of Inheritance.

* Inst. 277 2. F. N. B. 203. Fleta, Lib. 4. c. 30.

Where the Plaintiff shall not have judgment, altho' the Rejoinder is insufficient.

Dalby *versus* Cook.

THAT whereas the Defendant accounted with the Plaintiff 1 *Martii Anno 6 Jac.* touching several Sums of Money due from him to the Plaintiff, and was found in Arrears 6*l.* in Consideratione inde he promised to pay them to the Plaintiff when he should be thereunto required, yet he had not paid the 6*l.* altho' required such a Day, to his Damage 20*l.* The Defendant said, that before 1 *Martii Anno 6.* in which the Account and Promise is supposed, the Defendant accounted with the Plaintiff, and was found in Arrear 6*l.* and that afterwards, and before 1 *Martii Anno 6. viz. 5 Decembr' Anno 41 Eliz.* for the better Security of the 6*l.* the Defendant and another enter'd into a Bond to the Plaintiff in 14*l.* for Payment of 7*l.* at a Day to come, which Bond the Plaintiff accepted for Security of the 6*l.* *absque hoc*, that the Defendant *ante vel post* the Bond accounted with the Plaintiff, &c. and thereupon the Plaintiff demurred. And it was adjudged for the Defendant, and that the Traverse was good; for the Consideration is not merely traversed in this Case; for it was agreed, that is not traversable, but here the Account which makes the Consideration perfect is only traversed; for the Debt is confessed and avoided by the Satisfaction by the Bond, and thereby the *Assumpsit* is also confessed. And here it is as much as if the Defendant had pleaded Payment, and the Plaintiff had demurred; for this Action being to recover Damages for the Money not paid according to Promise, and the Plaintiff by the Demurrer confessing Payment, or other Satisfaction by Bond, as in this Case, it appears now to the Court, that the Plaintiff is not grieved, nor has any Cause of Action. *Quod Nota.* Election of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Cro. Jac. 234. 1 Bull. 16 Assumpsit.

The Consideration is not traversable, but the Inducement to it.

Lee

Lee *versus* Atkinson & Brook.

Cro. Jac. 236.
1 Brownl.
217.
Battery.

What Act
shall be call-
ed an Assault.

THAT the Defendants 1 Octobr' An. 6 Jac. at London assaulted the Plaintiff, viz. in such a Parish and Ward, and beat, wounded, and evil treated him, *Ita quod de Vita ejus desperabatur*, &c. to his Damage 200 l. The Defendants to the Force pleaded *Non Cul'*; to the Residue, that *Atkinson tempore quo*, &c. at *Gravesend in Com' Kent* was possessed of a Gelding, and so possessed the Plaintiff *tempore quo*, &c. came to him to hire the Gelding for four Shillings for two Days, that the Plaintiff might ride from *Gravesend præd' usque Nettlesed* in the same County, & *abinde usque tunc ad Gravesend* within the two Days; wherefore the Defendant for the Consideration afore-said, *tempore quo*, &c. lent the Gelding to the Plaintiff, who had it, and *in recta linea* towards *Nettlesed* by the Space of a Mile rode on the Gelding, *quousque* the Plaintiff *tempore quo*, &c. intending to deceive the Defendant of the Gelding, turned him out of the Way to *Nettlesed*, and rode towards *London*; wherefore *Atkinson* in his own Right, and *Brook* as his Servant came to the Plaintiff, and at the same Time *quo*, &c. required the Plaintiff then riding on the Gelding towards *London* to deliver the Gelding, which he refused; wherefore *Atkinson* in his own Right, and *Brook* as his Servant, and by his Command, *tempore quo*, &c. to repossess him of the Gelding laid Hands on the Plaintiff, and took him off the Gelding, and would have taken the Gelding from the Plaintiff; upon which the Plaintiff with Force assaulted the Defendants, & *manu forti* detained the Gelding; wherefore the Defendants defended the Possession of the Gelding against the Plaintiff *prout licuit*; and said that the Damage, if any the Plaintiff had, was from his own Assault, and in Defence of the Possession of the Gelding; *absque hoc*, that the Defendants *sunt cul' in London vel alibi extra Kent*, &c. and thereupon the Plaintiff demurred; and it was adjudg'd for the Plaintiff, for the Battery is confessed, and to arise on ill Usage from the Defendants, for by their own Bar it appears that the Plaintiff had hired the Gelding for two Days, and that they within the two Days disturbed him in the Possession of the Gelding, and *thrust him off his Back*, which is not lawful, for the Plaintiff had a good *special Property* for the two Days against all the World; and although the Defendants pretend that the Plaintiff misbehaved himself in Riding to another Place than was intended; yet that is to be punished by an Action on the Case, but not to seize the Gelding. *Quod Nota.* *Telerton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff

Starkey *versus* Barton & Gore.

Cro. Jac. 234.
Prohibition.

THE Case was such; *Barton* and *Gore* Church-wardens of *Argiton* in the County of *Lincoln*, libelled before the Ordinary the

the Bishop of *Chester*, for a Tax of 3 s. 4 d. made *Anno 2 Jac.* by the Parishioners against *Starkey* the Plaintiff, in which *Starkey* had Sentence, upon which the Church-wardens appeal'd to the Metropolitan of *York*, and pending the Appeal, *scil' ult' Decembr' Anno 4 Jac'* *Gore* one of the Plaintiffs in the Appeal released to *Starkey* all Actions, Suits and Demands, &c. and afterwards *Barton* in his own Name, and in the Name of *Gore* sued to reverse the Sentence given at *Chester*, and prosecuted the Appeal, whereupon *Starkey* brought a Prohibition, supposing that the Release had discharged the Appeal; upon which *Barton* appear'd and demurr'd in Law; and *Gore* who made the Release made Default, wherefore Judgment was given, that he should not have a Consultation. And now on Argument of the Case in Court all the Judges were of Opinion *una Voce*, that the Prohibition did not lie on this Suggestion of the Release; and that for two Reasons: 1. Because the temporal Court hath nothing to do with the principal Matter, *viz.* the Tax laid for Repairs, for that is merely Spiritual, and to be determined in the Court Christian; then the Ground of this Suit belonging to the Court Christian, all Things * dependant thereon shall be to them also; and whether this Release will bar both the Church-wardens or not, this Court cannot judge, but it shall be determined there: As in the like Case, if a Legacy be given to a Feme Covert, and the Husband releases, and afterwards he and his Wife sue in the Spiritual Court for the Legacy, the Party sued shall not have a Prohibition on the Release of the Husband, because the Temporal Judges cannot meddle with the Legacy, neither can they by Consequence determine, whether the Release will extinguish it; as the Case was 29 *Eliz.* adjudged. 2. The Court held, that the Suit for this Tax is all in Behalf of the Parish, and the Suit maintained at their Charge, and the Costs recover'd in the Spiritual Court shall go to the Parish in Satisfaction of their Expences, and therefore they conceived no Difference between Things in the Possession of the Church-wardens, and Things in Action, for which they are forced to sue: And 13 *H. 7. 10.* is, if Church-wardens release, or give the Goods of the Church, it is nothing worth; for the Law gives them Power to receive a Thing for the Advantage of the Church, but not for the Disadvantage; and therefore although Judgment is given against *Gore* on his Default, that he shall not have a Consultation, yet the Court will give Judgment generally, *quod fiat Consultatio*. And Judgment was enter'd accordingly. *Telverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Legacy.
Baron and
Feme.
Where the
Release of
one Church-
warden will
bar the o-
ther, and
where not.
Consultation.
* Cro. El.
685.
2 Sand. 260.
2 Lev. 25.
1 Ven. 173,
308.
1 Sid. 320

Priestley *versus* White.

THE Plt. declar'd, that 8 *Maii An. 6.* he was possessed at *Lond'* in such Trespass.
a Ward of several Goods (and named them *in Specie*) and them
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* Cro. El.
262. contra.
Vide Salk.
654.

In Trover
The Plain-
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casually lost, which came to the Hands of the Defendant, who 1 Octobr' Anno 6. knowing them to be the Plaintiff's Goods converted them to his own Use, to his Damage, &c. The Defendant pleaded in Bar, that before the Plaintiff had any Thing, one *W. Dickenson* of *New Malton* in the County of *York* was possessed of the Goods, as of his proper Goods; and such a Day Anno 4. for a good Consideration in Law gave them to the Defendant, whereby he was possessed; the Defendant 1 Maii Anno 5. lost them, and 2 Maii the same Year they came to the Hands of *W. Dickenson* at *London*, who the same Day gave them to the Plaintiff, whereby he was possessed, and lost them 1 Oct. An. 6. and they came to the Defendant's Hands, and he converted them to his own Use as his proper Goods, & hoc, &c. Upon this the Plaintiff demurred; and it was adjudged for the Plaintiff, for the Bar is * not good; because it neither confesses, nor avoids, nor traverses the Plaintiff's Title to the Goods alledged in the Declaration, but only gives the Plaintiff Colour of a Possession without Right or Property, and that on an ill and defeasible Gift made to him by *Dickenson*: In which a Difference was taken between this Action and an Action of Trespass *Quare vi & armis*; for in Trespass Colour of a Possession given by the Defendant to the Plaintiff is sufficient, because the Declaration is general on a Supposal without any Title set forth in certain, and therefore it is sufficient to answer a Supposal with a Colour of Possession only; but now in this Action of Trover, and in all other Actions, where the Plaintiff makes Title to the Thing demanded, or to the Thing for which he demands Damages, there the Defendant ought to make a better Title to himself, and to traverse the Plaintiff's Title, or otherwise to confess and avoid it. As 4 Jac. in the King's Bench, it was adjudged in Trover of Goods, where the Defendant made Title to them paramount, and that he deliver'd them to the Plaintiff to keep, whereby the Plaintiff was possessed, and that the Defendant, as he well might, took them as his own Goods, and adjudged no Plea; because it only answer'd the Plaintiff's Title with a Colour of a Possession. The same Law in the Case *supra*. *Quod fuit concessum per totam Curiam*, on Argument. *Nelverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Pasch. 8 JAC. B. R.²⁵⁻_{112.}Johnson *versus* Procter.

A Bond of 300*l.* the Condition was to perform Covenants, Grants, Articles and Agreements in such an Indenture, &c. Cro. Jac. 233. 1 Bull. 3. 2 Brownl. 212. now the Indenture recited, that whereas a Lease had been made by the Bishop of York to Johnson, the Plaintiff in Error, and to one Vavisor of a Mill, certain Land, &c. and that the whole survived to Johnson, as he supposed, now Johnson granted the Mill, Land, &c. and all his Estate, Title, Interest, &c. therein to Procter, and covenanted that Procter should enjoy it for any Act done by him, &c. now Johnson the Defendant in the first Suit pleaded, that the Plaintiff had enjoyed it, *viz.* the Mill, and Land, &c. for any Act done by him, &c. The Plaintiff replied that Vavisor, who was the Jointenant with Johnson, in his Life assigned his Estate, &c. in the Mill and Land, &c. to J. D. who enter'd and expell'd him: Upon which the Defendant in the Common Pleas demurred; and it was adjudged against him, and affirmed upon Error: For it is not like Noke's Case, 4 Co. 80. *b.* for there the Grant was once good for the Whole, and became bad by Eviction after; and therefore there the Covenant subsequent qualified the general Covenant; but here the Grant, according to the Purport of it, was never good; for of the Moiety Johnson had no Power to grant, because it was granted before by Vavisor his Companion; and yet he has in his Conveyance to Procter expressly granted by precise Words the Mill and Land, and therefore the Condition of the Bond being to perform all Grants, &c. the Grant being defective at first, as to a Moiety, which is the Substance of the Agreement of the Parties, is not qualified by the subsequent Covenant. *Per totam Curiam. Quod Nota. Telverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff in Error. Where a particular Covenant shall not qualify the general.

R. Rock *versus* N. Rock.

WHereas the Defendant 10 Febr' Anno 1. at B. in the County of York, in Consideration that he *tunc* was indebted to the Plaintiff in 40*l.* for several Sums *antetunc* lent by the Plaintiff to him, and for divers Wares before receiv'd, and for certain Sums of Money at the Instance of the Defendant paid to J. Anyas for the Debt of the Defendant, he promised to pay 40*l.* *ante Inceptionem* of the Plaintiff of his next Journey to the City of London, and saith *in facto*, that he on 23 Febr' Cro. Jac. 245. Assumpsit.

Where the
Considera-
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cisely al-
leged.

23 Febr' Anno 1. *inceptit Iter suum* towards the City of London, and came there the 28 Febr' in the same Year, yet the Defendant had not paid the 40*l.* to his Damage, &c. and upon *Non Assumpsit* pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff. And *Telverton* shewed in Arrest of Judgment, that it does not appear by the Declaration, that the Journey began by the Plaintiff towards London 23 Febr' was the first and next Journey after the Promise, as it ought to be by the Agreement of both Parties, and that the Plaintiff ought to have averred *in facto*. *Quod fuit concessum per totam Curiam*; for as the Defendant is bound by his Promise, so likewise is the Plaintiff bound to shew the precise Consideration agreed, or of his Part also to be performed; and the Payment on the Part of the Defendant commences on the Plaintiff's first Journey to London, and not on the second or third; and therefore the Plaintiff ought to alledge precisely that it was the first Journey, otherwise no Breach appears to the Court. *Quod Nota*. And *Nil capiat per Billam* enter'd.

Trin. 8 JAC. B. R.

Okeley *versus* Salter, &c.

Noy 137.
43 El. c. 2.
Error in
Trespas.
Overseers of
the Poor.
Costs.
Damages.

Affirmed upon Error in the King's Bench, on the Statute 43 Eliz. for the Relief of the Poor, although the Statute expresses by Name but [Sale and Distress of Goods,] yet if the Plaintiff voluntarily delivers any Money for which he is assessed to the Poor, and afterwards brings Trespas of it against the Overseers, it is within the Statute; for these Words [Sale and Distress] are put in the Act only for Examples, and the Statute shall be construed largely, because it tends to *Opus Charitatis*, and Trespas brought after such voluntary Delivery of the Money is Vexation, which the Statute intended to suppress. And it was likewise there agreed and adjudged *per Curiam*, that Damages in this Action for the Defendants by Reason of their Vexation shall be assessed by the Jury, but shall be trebled by the Court, and that the Court may thereon give Costs *de Incremento*; for no Evidence for Costs can properly be given to the Jury, forasmuch as that depends on the Usage of the Court, in which the Suit is. And according to this Resolution was the Case between *Menial* and *Bell*, Trin. 44 Eliz. Rot. 516. B. R. *Telverton* of Counsel with *Salter*, &c. for whom

Judgment

Judgment was affirmed, they being Overseers for the Poor in *Ipswich*.

Rolls *versus* Yate.

Indenture of Covenants between two of the one Part, and one *Yate* of the other Part; and among other Covenants one was, It is agreed between the Parties, that *Yate* shall enter into a Bond to pay *Rolls* (by Name, who was one of the two of the one Part) 160*l.* by such a Day, which was not paid; *Rolls* died, and *Rolls* the Plaintiff took Administration, and brought Covenant against the said *Yate* for Non-payment of the 160*l.* to *Rolls* in his Life-time. And it was adjudged, that it did not lie; for although the Money was to be paid to *Rolls*, who is dead, yet he who survives, and who is Party to the Indenture ought to have Covenant; for *Rolls*, and he who survives make, as to this Purpose, but one Person. As if a Bond is made to three to pay Money to one of them, all ought to join in the Suit, for they are all as one Obligee; and if he who ought to have the Money dies, the other two who survive must sue, altho' they have no Interest in the Sum contained in the Condition. The same Law here, for the 160*l.* payable to *Rolls* in his Life-time, being to be obtained by Suit on this Indenture, none can have an Action thereon but those who are Parties during their Lives, and after their Death the Executor or Administrator of the Survivor. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam. Telverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

2 Brownl.
207.
1 Bullf. 25.
Covenant.

Vide 5 Co.
19. a.
3 Leon. 161.
1 Sand. 155.
3 Mod. 263.
Where one
shall have
an Action for
a Debt due
to another.

Broxholme *versus* Thorold.

Replevin for taking four Oxen at *Coringham in Com' Lincoln'*, in a Place called *Dowgate Leyes* 29 Septembris Anno 6 Jac'. The Defendant said, the Place contained four Acres of Pasture in *Coringham magna*, which was his Freehold, and justified Damage-feasant. The Plaintiff in Bar of the Avowry said, that the Place where, &c. lay in a Place called *Have-acre-quarter*, Parcel of a great common Field called *Easfield in Coringham prædict'*. Cumque the Plaintiff prædi to tempore quo, &c. & diu antea was seised in Fee of a Messuage and fourteen Acres of Land, Meadow and Pasture, with the Appurtenances eidem Messuagio spectan'; and that the Plaintiff, and they whose Estate he has in the Tenements have had Common, &c. and so prescribed to have Common for himself, his Farmers and Tenants of the Tenements afore said in loco in quo, &c. pro omnibus Averiis suis communicabilibus super Tenementa præd' cum pertinen' levan', &c. tanquam ad Tenementa prædicta pertinen'. And thereupon Issue was taken on the Common: And it was found for the Plaintiff, and alledged in

1 Brownl.
188.
Cro. Jac. 238.
Replevin.

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Arrest

The Land to which, and in which Common is claim'd ought to be certainly shewn.

Venue.

Arrest of Judgment, *quod non constat* by the Bar to the Avowry, in what Place the Messuage and Land, to which the Common belongs, lie, *viz.* whether they lie in *Coringham*, or in any other Town or County; and that of Necessity ought to be shewn in certain, because the Venue ought to be from the Place where the House and Land lie, as well as from the Place where the Land, in which the Common is claimed, lies; and therefore must necessarily be shewn in certain, and shall not be intended of Necessity to be in *Coringham* where the Common is; for Common may be appurtenant or appendant to Land in another County, and then the Trial shall be from both Counties. *Quod Nota.* So Judgment was stayed, and a Repleader awarded. *Telverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Sir John Ratcliff versus Davis.

Cro. Jac 244.
Noy 137.
1 Bulst. 29.
Trover.

When a
Pledge shall
be redeem'd.

TROVER for an *Hatband set with Diamonds*, upon *Non cul'* the Jury found, that the Plaintiff was possessed of the *Hatband*, and pawned it to one *Whitlock* for 25*l.* but that no Time of Redemption was limited: They found that the Wife of *Whitlock* (the Husband being sick) by the Assent of the Husband deliver'd the *Hatband* to the Defendant; *Whitlock* died, the Plaintiff tender'd the 25*l.* to the Wife being Executrix, who refused it; and found that the Plaintiff demanded it of the Defendant, who refused to deliver it, and converted it to his own Use, *Et si, &c.* And Judgment *pro Quer'*; for, *per Curiam*, in Case of a Pawn, he who pledges it has Time to redeem it during his Life; for it is a Condition solely knit by him, and to be performed by him, and the Death of him to whom it was pawned is no Impediment of the Redemption; but it is otherwise of the Death of him who pawned it; for his Executor cannot redeem it, for it is a Condition personal, and being generally pawned extends only to the Person of him who pawn'd it: It was likewise held, *per Curiam*, that although the Defendant had the Delivery of the *Hatband* by *Whitlock*, yet the Tender of the 25*l.* ought to be to the Executrix, and not to the Defendant, for the Delivery makes but a bare Custody of it; and if the Delivery had been on a Consideration, yet it does not alter the Case, for the Defendant is not privy to the first Contract of the Pawning, nor to the Condition; and therefore it is not like a Mortgage, for there he who has Interest ought to have the Money; but in Case of a Pledge it is but a special Property in him who takes it, and the general Property continues in the first Owner. *Per Fleming* Chief Justice. *Quod non fuit negatum.* And all seems to be proved by the Books 13 R. 2. *Pledges* B. 31. § 22 E. 4. 10. § 16 H. 6. *Barr. Fitz.* that if he

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who pawns Goods be attainted, the King by Payment of the Money may redeem them. And it was held, that instantly on the Tender of 25 *l.* and Refusal of it, the Property was intirely reduced to the Plaintiff without Claim: But *per Curiam* the Executrix shall have Debt for the 25 *l.* against the Plaintiff, for on the Redemption it remains a Duty. *Quod querere*, for *mirum mihi* forasmuch as there was no Contract for the Money between the Parties: It was likewise held by the Chief Justice, *Et non dedistum*, that if the Pawn be of a perishable Nature, as Corn, Oil, &c. and no Time of Redemption limited, and the Party stays till it is perished in Nature and spoilt, forasmuch as there is no Default in him who took the Pledge, he shall have Debt for his Money, and the other no Remedy for his Pawn, for the Law of this Part hath dissolved the Contract; for Things in their Nature perishable cannot be preserved. *Quod Nota bene.* Telverton of Counsel with the Defendant.

1 Inst. 209.

a. b.

Where a
Man shall
have Debt
without any
Contract.Goodyer *versus* Junce.

JUNCE recover'd 120 *l.* in the Common Pleas against Goodyer in *Crastino Animar' Anno 6 Jac'*, *Et 28 Novembr'* in the same Term, being the last Day of the Term; the Plaintiff pray'd an *Elegit* against Goodyer to the Sheriffs of London (where the Action was brought) and to the Sheriff of Lancaster returnable *Crastino Purific'* after, which was granted *per Curiam*; afterwards Junce the Plaintiff took an *Elegit Vicecomiti Lancastrie*, which, as the Course is, by *Scire facias* is first directed to the Chancellor of the County Palatine, and this *Elegit* in the End of it appear'd to be grounded on a *Testatum* first made by the Sheriffs of London, that Goodyer had nothing in London, *ubi revera* they never made such Return; and on this *Elegit*, by a Jury taken before the Sheriff of Lancaster, they extended a Lease of a Tithe for fifty-nine Years to come, to the Value but of 100 *l.* which the Sheriff deliver'd to Junce the Plaintiff, as the Chattel of Goodyer for 100 *l.* and returned it, and that Goodyer had not *plura bona*, &c. and thereupon Goodyer brought Error in the King's Bench, and assign'd for Error in *adjudicatione Executionis*, *viz.* that no Return was made by the Sheriffs of London, nor filed in the Common Pleas; and it was adjudged Error; for although according to the Prayer of the Plaintiff in the Common Pleas he might have taken his *Elegit* immediately both into London and into Lancaster, yet when he waives the Benefit of it, and will ground his Execution on a *Testatum* by former Sheriffs of London, which is false, it makes Error in the Execution; for as 18 H. 6. 27. *Et 2 H. 6. 9. a.* a *Testatum* is grounded on a former Return filed, that the Party has nothing in the County

1 Brownl.

107.

Cro. Jac. 246.

2 Brownl.

208.

Error in

Debt.

Elegit in the
County Pa-
latine.

Testatum.

County where the Action is brought; and although the Prayer to have the *Elegits* into *London* and *Lancaster* appears of Record to be 28 *Novembr'* the last Day of the Term, and by the *Testatum* it is supposed that the Sheriffs of *London* had returned *Quinden' Martini*, (which is before 28 *Novembr'*) that he had nothing in *London*, which seems to be contrary to the Record, yet that is not material, but makes the Matter more vicious; for it stands well with the Judgment, which was *Craftino Animar'*, that such Writ might issue *Vicecomitibus London'* returnable *Quinden' Martini*, and it shall be deemed the Plaintiff's Fault that he did not file it; and it shall be presumed there was such Writ, because the Proceſs taken by the Plaintiff himself recites it. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam.* It was also adjudged in this Case, that *Goodyer* should be restored to the Term again, and although it was valued by the Jury but to 100*l.* and deliver'd to *Junce* the Plaintiff to hold *ut bona & catalla, &c.* yet against *Junce Goodyer* shall have it again; for he being the Party himself, it is in Law but a bare Delivery *in Specie*, as it is, which ought to be restored *in Specie* again, and doth not alter the Property absolutely, but attends on the Execution to be good or bad, as the Execution is. And it was adjudged accordingly before in the Case of one *Robotham*, and also in the Case of one *Worrel* (as Master *Noy* told *Telverton*.) But if the Sale had been to a Stranger by the Sheriff of this Term for 100*l.* although the Value was 1000*l.* yet upon the Reversal he should not have the Term again, but the Money, *viz.* 100*l.* according to the Opinion 20 *Eliz. Dy.* for it is the Party's Folly that he does not pay the Judgment; and if such Sales should be avoided none would buy Goods of the Sheriff, whereby many Executions would fail. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam. Telverton* of Counsel with *Goodyer*, the Plaintiff in Error.

Dy. 363. a.
Mo. 573.
Cro. El. 278.

Mich. 8 JAC. B. R.

Moore *versus* Hawkins.

1 Brownl.
145.
Cro. Jac. 261.
1 Bulst. 92.
Lane 81, 86.
Godb. 406.

IN Ejectment after Issue joined, on *Non Cul'* the Cause came to be tried before *Telverton* and *Crooke* Justices of Assises in *Com' Oxon'*; the Plaintiff had declar'd of several Messuages and several Acres of Land in three Villis in the same County; and at *Nisi prius* before the Jurors were sworn, Master *Walter* (of Counsel with the Defendant) put in a Plea; that after the

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last Continuance, viz. such a Day Term' Term' before the Day of Assise, viz. 20 Julii (the Assises being held at Oron' 22 Julii) the Plaintiff had enter'd into such a Close by Name, containing eight Acres *parcell' præmissor' in Narratione specificat'*, &c. and this Plea was receiv'd by the Justices of Assise; and afterwards in this Term, viz. Mich. 8. Mr. Walter and Telverton of Council with the Defendant prayed that they might amend the Plea, *in hoc tantum*, by putting in the true Vill where the Close lay, in which the Plaintiff's Entry was; forasmuch as it was only Matter of Form, and not of Substance, for *parcell' præmissor'* is sufficient. And they conceived, that the Trial of this new Issue ought to be from all the three Villis named in the Declaration. But Telverton Justice, having moved all the Justices of *Serjeants-Inn* in *Fleetstreet*, reported their Opinions openly in the King's Bench (although the Record of *Nisi prius* was returned into the Exchequer) viz. that it is in the Discretion of the Justices of Assise to accept such Plea as before, and such Plea may well be allowed, as 10 H. 7.—is, and it stays the Verdict: But it is otherwise of a Protection, for although they allow a Protection, yet the Justices may take the Verdict *de bene esse*; yet he said, that in 7 E. 3. in a *Præcipe quod reddat* a Release was pleaded at *Nisi prius*, and yet the Jury was taken; but it is in the Discretion of the Justices to allow or disallow. It was likewise held by all the said Justices (as he reported it) that in this Case the Plaintiff could not have replied to this Plea at *Nisi prius*, for the Justices of Assise have no Power either to accept a Replication on the Plea, or to try it, but only to return it as Parcel of the Record of *Nisi prius*. It was also held, that the Plea put in *in Pais* could not be amended by adding the Vill in Certain in which the Close lay, for it is Matter of Substance; and the Court of Exchequer, where the Record is, will not award the Venue from all the three Villis named in the Record, unless it appears to them judicially, that the Close extends into all three Villis; and that does not appear, for *parcell' præmissor'* does not necessarily extend to all the Villis, but may be, and may well be presumed to be in one Vill only; therefore it is Matter of Substance, and the Justices of Assise have no Power, after their Commission determin'd, to amend the Plea: Wherefore Telverton sent the Plea without Amendment into the Exchequer. This Case concerned Sir H. Brown, *ex parte Querentis*, and the Countess of Pembroke, *ex parte Defendantis*.

What Plea:
a Tenant
shall have at
Nisi prius.

2 Ro. 630.

Protection.
Power of the
Justices of
Assise.

Davis *versus* Purdy.

1 Brownl.
146.
Ejectment.
Where
Words in a
Declarat'
shall be void
rather than
the Declara-
tion vitious.

Cro. Jac. 96,
428.
Salk. 325.

THE Plaintiff declar'd on a Lease made by one *Christmas* 6 *Maii* Anno 7. of a Messuage, &c. in *D.* by Virtue whereof the Plaintiff enter'd, and was possessed *quousque postea* the Defendant 18 *Die ejusdem Mensis Maii* Anno 6 *supradicto* ejected him, &c. and upon *Non Cul'* pleaded, a Verdict being found against the Plaintiff, *Telverton* moved in Arrest of Judgment (to save Costs) that the Declaration was insufficient, for this Action is grounded on two Things; 1. On the Lease; 2. On the Ejectment; and these two ought to concur one after the other; and in this Case the Ejectment is supposed a Year before the Lease made; for the Lease is Anno 7. and the Ejectment supposed to be made Anno 6. and therefore the Declaration seems to be ill. And *Telverton* vouched the Case between *Powre* and *Hawkins* Anno 7 *Term' Paschæ*, where the Plaintiff declared on a Lease from *Edward Ewer* 27 *Apr'* Anno 6. and laid the Ejectment to be 26 *Apr'* Anno 6 *supradicto*; and by the Opinion the Declaration was ill, *Causa qua supra*. Yet the Declaration was adjudged good, and the Word *sexto* to be void; for the Day of the Ejectment being 18 *ejusdem Mensis*, it cannot be intended but to be the same Year, in which the Lease is supposed to be made. *Per Curiam*.

Kniveton *versus* Roiley.

1 Brownl.
218.
2 Ro. 613.
Trespafs.

16, 17 Car.
2. c. 8.

TRESPafs for breaking his Close called *G. in Woodthorpe in Com' Derby'* to his Damage, &c. The Defendant pleaded that the Close is known as well by the Name of *D.* as by the Name of *G.* and that it is, and Time whereof, &c. has been Parcel of the Manor of *Wingerworth*; and pleaded his Freehold in the Manor: The Plaintiff maintained his Declaration, and traversed, that the Place where the Trespafs, &c. is not Parcel of the Manor; and upon that they were at Issue, and the *Venire facias* was awarded from *Woodthorpe* only. And it was moved in Arrest of Judgment *ex parte* of the Defendant (the Verdict being for the Plaintiff,) that it is a Mistrial; for it ought to be as well from the Manor as from *Woodthorpe*; for although the Parties are agreed, that the Place where the Trespafs, &c. lies in *Woodthorpe*, yet it being supposed in Fact to be Parcel of the Manor of *Wingerworth*, the Venue of the Manor will by Intendment have a better Conuſance of it than the Vill of *Woodthorpe* only. *Quod fuit concessum per totam Curiam*, and a new *Venire facias* awarded to try the Issue *de novo*.

Aylet versus Choppin.

THE Plaintiff declared on a Lease made by *Jo. Aylet* for a Year of certain Land in *E. in Com' Essex*, by Virtue whereof he entered and was possessed till ejected by the Defendant, &c. The Defendant pleaded that the Land is Copyhold Parcel of the Manor of *D. &c.* whereof *Jo. Aylet*, the Lessor's Father was seised in Fee according to the Custom, and that he surrender'd to the Use of his Will, and thereby devised the Land in Question to *Jo.* the Lessor, and *H. Aylet* his Sons, and to their Heirs Male of their Bodies: And order'd by his Will that they should not enter till their several Ages of twenty-one Years; and further willed, that *W. Barnard* and *H. Barnard* his Executors should have the said Land to perform his Will till his said Sons *Jo.* and *H.* should come to their several Ages of twenty-one Years, &c. To which the Plaintiff replied and confessed the Will *prout*, &c. but he further shewed, that such a Day in such a Year before the Lease *Jo.* his Lessor came to his full Age of twenty-one Years, and enter'd and demised to him *prout*, &c. upon which the Defendant demurred. And it was adjudged for the Plaintiff; for although the Estate to *Jo.* and *H. Aylet* precedes in Words, and the Devise to the Executors follows, yet in Construction the Estate to the Executors precedes in Possession, and is as if he had devised that his Executors should have the Land till his Sons *Jo.* and *H.* should attain their several Ages of twenty-one Years, and afterwards to them and their Heirs Male, &c. to be enjoyed in Possession at their several Ages, so that the Executors have only a limited Estate, determinable in Time, when each Son *separatim* comes to his full Age, for his Part; for so the Intent appears to be, that each of the Sons may enter when he attains to twenty-one Years. And although it was objected by *Williams* Justice, that the two Brothers are Jointenants by the Will; and if one enters when he attains to his full Age, the other Brother being under Age, that will destroy the Intent of the Devisor, for then they will not take jointly. To that the Court answer'd, that the Entry of him who comes to full Age does not destroy the Jointure, but they shall be Jointenants notwithstanding that; for this Entry in the Devisor's Intent was only as to the Perception of the Profits, and as to the Possession, and not as to the Estate in Jointure; and all this is proved by 30 *H. 6. Devise* 12. where a Devise was to four in Fee, and that one should have all during his Life; and it was adjudg'd good, and that is as to the Perception of the Profits only. *Quod Nota.* Per totam Curiam prater *Williams* Justice, who protested against the Judgment. *Relucton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

1 Brownl.

147.

Cro. Jac. 259.

1 Bull. 42.

Ejectment.

Exposition
of Wills.

Cro. Jac. 655.

1 Sand. 180.

186.

Smith *versus* Jones.

Cro. Jac. 257.
1 Bulst. 44.
Ow. 133.
Assumpsit.

What shall
be a good
Considera-
tion.

THE Plaintiff declar'd, that *Gregory Smith* his Father was Possessor of several Goods and Chattels, and by his Will bequeathed 7*l.* as a Legacy to the Plaintiff, and made *Constance* his Wife Executrix and died, and that the Defendant married with *Constance*; and that such a Day in Consideration that Goods of *Gregory Smith* came to the Possession, and were in the Hands of the Defendant sufficient to satisfy Debts and Legacies; and in Consideration the Plaintiff at the Defendant's Request would forbear the 7*l.* till *All-Saints* following, the Defendant promised to pay the Plaintiff the 7*l.* at *All-Saints* next, and shewed *in fact*o that he had forborn the 7*l.* till, &c. yet the Defendant had not paid him according to his Promise, to his Damage, &c. The Defendant pleaded that *Constance* the Executrix of *Gregory Smith* died intestate at such a Place, before the Promise made, upon which the Plaintiff demurred. And it was adjudged against the Plaintiff; for the Demurrer confessing the Death of the Executrix before the Promise, it thereby appears to the Court, that there is not any Consideration sufficient to charge the Defendant; for the Thing, for which the Plaintiff would have Damage by his Action, is for a Legacy, which must be sued for only in the Spiritual Court, and by the Death of the Wife, the Defendant is not chargeable with the Legacy, for he is not Executor nor privy to the Will of *Gregory Smith*; and although he had Possession of the Goods, yet forasmuch as he came to it lawfully by the Intermarriage with *Constance* the Executrix, by her Death the Defendant has but a bare Custody of the Goods, for which he shall not be charged, either in the Spiritual Court, or at the Common Law, without Employment or Conversion of the Goods to his own Use after the Death of the Wife; then there is no Reason to charge the Defendant with any Promise, when it is not grounded upon any Consideration, for the Plaintiff could not charge the Defendant with the Legacy, but he might compel the Defendant to deliver the Goods to the Ordinary, or to take Letters of Administration, to the Intent that he might sue in the Spiritual Court for the Legacy. The Declaration was also held ill, because it does not shew precisely what Person the Plaintiff was to forbear to sue for the 7*l.* for it cannot be intended that he should forbear the Defendant, because it appears by the Law, that he is not chargeable with it. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam. Telverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

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Trulock

Trulock *versus* Rigsby.

R Eplevin for taking six Kyne in a Place called *Brisley-Hill* in *Radley* in Com' Berks, the Defendant as Bailiff of Mr. Reade made Conufance, and faid, that the Place where, &c. contained fifty Acres, and is Parcel of the Manor of *Barton*; and fhewed that *E. 6.* was feifed of the Manor of *Barton*, of which the Place where, &c. is Parcel, and granted it by Letters Patents, &c. to *Richard Lee*, *necnon* feveral other Lands by the Name of *Coxlies*, &c. and among other Particulars in the Patent the King granted *Brisley Hill* in *Barton*, &c. and deduced the Freehold of the Manor, whereof the Place where, &c. is Parcel, to Mafter *Reade*, and he as Bailiff to him took the Kyne Damage-feafant, &c. The Plaintiff replied and fhewed, that one *Hide* is feifed of a Meffuage and feveral Acres of Land in *Radley*, and that he and they whole Eftate, &c. have had for themfelves, their Tenants and Farmers Common in the faid Place called *Brisley-Hill* in *Radley*, when the faid Field called *Brisley-Hill* in *Radley* lay frefh and not fown, for all the Year with their Cattle levant, &c. and when the faid Field is fown with Corn, when the Corn is carried away till *refeminatur*; and fo juftified the putting in of the fix Kyne to ufe the Common, becaufe the faid Field was not fown with Corn. To which the Defendant rejoined and faid, that Part of the Field called *Brisley-Hill*, in the Avowry named, was fown with Corn *Tempore*, &c. wherefore, &c. upon which the Plaintiff demurred. And it was adjudged for the Plaintiff for two Reafons: 1. Becaufe the Defendant in his Rejoinder refers his Plea to another Place than where the Taking is fupposed, and that is not in Queftion, and in which the Plaintiff does not claim Common; for the Plaintiff claims Common only in *Brisley-Hill* in *Radley*, and the Field named in the Defendant's Avowry, to which he refers his Plea, is *Brisley-Hill* in *Barton*, for *Brisley-Hill* in *Radley* is not named in the Avowry by fpecial Name, but only by Implication by this Name, *Locus in quo*; and for this Reafon the Rejoinder does not answer the Matter alledg'd in the Replication: The fecond Reafon was, becaufe the Plaintiff claims Common when *Brisley-Hill* in *Radley* is not fown with Corn, and yet the Defendant, if his Plea had referr'd to the fame *Brisley-Hill*, does not give any full Answer; for he fays, *Quod parcella dicti Campi* was fown with Corn, and *per Curiam*, the Sowing of a fmall Parcel of the Field does not ouft the Plaintiff from uſing his Common in the Refidue, for that may be by Covin to deceive the Plaintiff of his Common; and therefore the Plaintiff claiming Common *quando Campus* (*id eſt totus Campus*) is not fown, ſhall not be barred of Common by Sowing of Parcel of it; for notwithstanding

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1 Brownl.
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that, the Field is not sown, *per Curiam*. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Woodley *versus* Denbaugh.

Ejection.

Postea amended.

THE Plaintiff declar'd on a Lease made to him by *James Woodley*, &c. by Virtue whereof he enter'd, and was possessed till he was ejected by the Defendant; upon *Non cul'* pleaded the Parties went to Trial, and the *Postea* (which is the Warrant for the Justices of Assise) in the End of it was, *Jurata inter Peter Wooley* Plaintiff, & *Alfrid Denbaugh* Defendant *de placito transgr' & eject' firmæ*, &c. and the Verdict being for the Plaintiff, *Telverton* moved in Arrest of Judgment, that the Justices had no Warrant to try the Issue; for no *Jurata* was returned between *Woodley* and *Denbaugh*, but only between *Wooley* and *Denbaugh*: Which *Wooley*, who is supposed Plaintiff by the *Jurata*, is another Person than *Woodley*, who brings the Action, and so a Mistrial: But, *per Curiam* it shall be amended; for all the Proceedings, except this Misprision in the *Postea*, are between the right Parties, and that is but the Default of the Clerk, who had the Record and *Disfringas* before him. *Quod Nota*: And so it was amended, and many Precedents are accordingly: But the whole Court agreed, that it was in the Breast of the Judge at the Assises whether he would proceed on that Record or not, because the *Jurata* is mistaken.

Godfrey *versus* Bullein.

1 Brownl.

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1 Ro. Rep.

32, 73.

1 Bulst. 46.

6 Co. 77. b.

11 Co. 42.

Bullein brought Replevin against Mr. Godfrey for taking six Cattle in such a Place in *Bale in Com' Norfolk*, to his Damage, &c. The Defendant as Bailiff to *Richard Godfrey*, Esq; (the Counsellor) made Conusance, because before the Time, and at the Time of the Taking, the said *Richard Godfrey* was seised of a Court-Leet in *Bale* of all the Inhabitants and Resiants within the Precinct of his Manor of *Bale*, to be held within the Precinct of the Manor, as belonging to his Manor; and shewed that he used to have a Fine of 10s. called a *Leet Fine* of all the Chief Pledges of his Leet; and if they failed to pay it, that the Steward used, &c. to amerce him who made Default in Payment; and shewed that at a Court held within the Manor such a Day, &c. it was presented, that the Plaintiff in the Replevin, being an Inhabitant in *B.* and resiant within the Precinct of the Manor, made Default in Payment of the Fine of 10s. being then one of the Chief Pledges at the Court; wherefore he was amerced

to 5 *l.* for which not paid the Defendant took the Cattle, &c. and the Issue was, whether *Bullein* the Plaintiff was at that Court a Chief Pledge or not? And the Venue to try it was only from the Manor, and it was found for the Plaintiff, and Damage and Costs to 30 *l.* given against *Godfrey*; upon which he brought Error in the King's Bench; and it was adjudged Error, and the Judgment reversed; for the Trial ought to be as well from *Bale*, which is the Vill, as from the Manor, because altho' the Court is held within the Manor, yet the Leet itself is within the Vill of *Bale*, and the Plaintiff an Inhabitant and Reliant within the Vill, which Vill is within the Precinct of the Manor, and altho' (as *Fleming* Chief Justice held) nothing is in Question, but whether the Plaintiff was chief Pledge at the Court held within the Manor, so that nothing within the Vill is in Question, or can come in Question; yet it was resolved *per tot' Cur'* (*prater* the Chief Justice) that they of the Vill of *Bale*, might well have Conufance, whether the Plaintiff being an Inhabitant within the Vill, in which the Leet is, was a Chief Pledge at the Court or not; for to have a Chief Pledge is proper for a Leet, which Leet is within the Vill; and therefore they of the Manor cannot have so good Conufance of this Matter, as they of the Manor and of the Vill also: Therefore the Trial ought to be from both, as in Case of a Common, and a Way in one Vill to an House in another Vill, it ought to be tried from both Vill; so of the Tenure of Lands in *D.* held of the Manor of *Sale*, the Trial ought to be as well from the Vill where the Land is, as from the Manor of which the Land is held, as it was adjudged *H. 45 Eliz.* in the King's Bench, in *Lovelace's* Case. *Quod Nota.* Wherefore the Judgment was reversed. *Vide 6 H. 7. 12. and Arundel's* Case, *Coke. Telverton* of Counsel with *Godfrey* the Plaintiff in Error.

Error on
Replevin.
16, 17. Car. 2;
c. 8.

6 Co. 14. a.
Mo. 494, 495.

Dewclas & Kendall v. Kendall, Besson & Hands.

THE Plaintiffs declared, that the Defendants 21 Jan. 6. *Vi & Armis* thirty Cart-loads of Thorns of the Plaintiffs ready to be carried away, in a Place called the *Common Wast*, or Warren at *Chippingwarden in Com' North'* took and carried away to their Damage 10 *l.* The Defendants pleaded *Non cul'* to all but ten Cart-loads, and to them, that the Place where, &c. contained an Acre of Pasture, and that one *W. Palmer* is seised in Fee of a Messuage, and three Quarters of a Yard-land in *C.* aforesaid, and that he and they whose Estate he has in the said Messuage, &c. from 'Time whereof, &c. have had for them their Farmers, &c. of the said Messuage, &c. all the 'Thorns growing on the said Acre of Pasture to their own Use, to be employed and spent on the said

Cro. Jac. 256.
1 Brownl.
219.
1 Bull. 93.
M. 7 Jac. Rot.
Trespas.
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* Vide
F. N. B. 58. J.
Hob. 43.
9 Co. 112. b.

† Cro. El.
820.
Noy 32.
Mo. 692.
P. 955.

faid Messuage, &c. as appurtenant; and because the ten Cart-loads *fuere crescent & minus rite* cut down by the Plaintiffs on the said Acre of Waste, and ready by them to be carried away, the Defendants as Servants to *Palmer*, and by his Command took, carried away and employed them on the Messuage, &c. as it was lawful: The Plaintiffs (by Protestation that *Palmer*, and they whose, &c. have not had from Time whereof, &c. the Thorns growing on the said Acre, as appurtenant to the Messuage, &c.) for Plea said, that the said Acre of Pasture is Parcel of the said Place called the *Common Waste*, and that Sir *Richard Saltingstone* is seised of the Manor of *Chippingwarden*, whereof the *Common Waste* is Parcel, in Fee, and that he 21 Jan. Anno 6. gave Licence to the Plaintiffs to cut and carry away 30 Cart-loads of Thorns growing on the Waste, by Virtue whereof they the 30 Cart-loads of Thorns, mentioned in the Bar, growing on the Waste, cut down and made ready to be carried away, by Reason whereof they were possessed, till the Defendants took them, &c. And on this Replication the Defendants demurred: And it was adjudged against the Plaintiffs. And a Difference was taken *per Cur'*, where a Man claims reasonable Estovers in another's Soil, and where he claims all the Thorns or Trees in another's Soil; in the first Case, if the Owner of the Soil cuts the Thorns first, he who has Title of Estovers cannot take them; for the Property and Interest of all the Thorns continues in the Owner of the Soil, and the other has but Common there; and if the Owner in such Case cuts * all the Wood, he who ought to have the Estovers shall have an Action on the Case only, and not Assise; for when the whole is destroyed he cannot be put in Seisin, as *Abridgment of Assise*, fol. 21. is. So it appears by Sir Tho. † *Palmer's Case* 5 Co. 25. a. if one grants 100 Cords of Wood to be taken at the Election of the Grantee, if the Grantor or a Stranger fells any Trees, the Grantee cannot take them, but ought to supply his Grant out of the Residue; for the Grantee has but a special Interest in Part of the Wood, and not in the whole, and that in a Place incertain till he himself has cut them: But now in this Case the Defendants in the Right of *Palmer* claim all the Thorns, by Name (*omnes Spinæ*) on the said Acre of Pasture; and if he has all, Sir *Rich. Saltingstone* can have none, and by Consequence cannot license the Plaintiffs to cut any, so that the whole Interest is in *Palmer*; and this is not in Nature of Estovers; for Estovers are but Parcel of the Wood, and that to be taken to a special Purpose. But here it was agreed *per Curiam*, that although the Defendants have alledged an Employment; yet, where the Defendants claim to have *omnes Spinæ & Arbores*, the Employment is not traversable; for he who has the general Interest and Property in Trees by Custom or Prescription

Prescription cannot be restrained, but may use them at his Pleasure. *Vide* according to this Difference taken *per Cur'*, 10 *E.* 4. 2. *b.* and adjudg'd accordingly. *Telcorton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Tho. Smith *versus* Newsam and his Wife.

THE Plaintiff as Son and Heir of *George Smith* his Father, demanded 20 Marks, and declared that his Father 27 *Apr'* 35 *El.* demised to the Defendant a Messuage, &c. *in B. in Com' Bedf.* from *Mich.* next for 21 Years, yielding during the Term, if the Father should so long live, 30*l.* at the *Annunciation* and *Mich.* by equal Portions, and yielding *Heredibus & Assignat'* of the Father after his Death 20 Marks *ad Terminos predictos*; by Virtue whereof the Defendant enter'd and occupied from *Mich.* 35 *Eliz.* *hucusque*, afterwards *George* the Father 4 *Maii* 7. at *B.* died, and because 20 Marks for half a Year from *Mich.* 7. were arrear, he brought his Action. And thereupon the Defendants demurred: And it was adjudged against the Plaintiff; for the Clause, by which the Rent is reserved to the Heirs, gives but 20 Marks for the whole Year, and not every half Year 20 Marks; and therefore the Plaintiff has mistaken his Demand, who sues for 20 Marks for half a Year; for these Words, *ad Terminos pred'*, limit only the Time of the Payment of the 20 Marks, which he intended to be paid as the first 30*l.* were; and altho' in this Clause which reserves the Rent to the Heirs, these Words (*per equales portiones*) are omitted, yet the Law supplies them, as 13 *H. 4.* *Acowry* 240. Rent granted *percipiend' ad duos anni terminos*, naming them, shall be intended by equal Portions, altho' the Deed does not mention it, for the Reservation being the Act of the Lessor shall be taken most strong against him and his Heirs, wherefore he shall have but 20 Marks in all, for the whole Year, no more than *Perk.* 22. two Tenants in Common demise yielding 10*s.* it shall be but 5*s.* to each of them 3 *Mar.* 171. accordingly. The second Reason of the Judgment was, because the Plaintiff brings this Action as Heir to his Father, and does not shew in his Declaration that the Reversion descended to him, and the Rent demanded is incident to the Reversion descended, so the Plaintiff does not make to himself any Title to have the Rent. *Quod nota bene.* *Per Cur'*. And Judgment given, *Quod nil capiat per billam.* *Telcorton* of Counsel with the Defendant.

1 Brownl.
108.
1 Bullst. 48.
P. 8 Jac. Rot.
Debt on
Lease.

Constructi-
on of Reser-
vation of
Rent.

1 Inst. 197. c.

Massam *versus* Hunter.

A Copyholder of a Messuage and two Acres of Land in Fee, the Lord grants and confirms the Messuage and Land *cum pertinenti* to the Copyholder in Fee; if he to whom the Confirmation

1 Bullst. 2.
Noy 136.
1 Brownl.
220.
2 Brownl.
209.

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was Cro. Jac 255.

Mo. 66j.
Salk. 366.

was made had by Usage, as Copyholder, Common in the Wastes of the Lord, yet the Copyhold being by this Confirmation extinct and enfranchised, he shall not have the Common there now: For the Words *cum pertinentiis* will not create a Common; for the Common first used was gained by Custom, and annexed to the customary Estate, and is lost with it, the Common not being of its proper Nature incident to the Copyhold Estate, but a collateral Interest gained by Usage. *Quod Nota. per tot' Cur'* on a Demurrer in Trespass, where the Defendant justified the Trespass by using the Common by Reason of the Confirmation. *Telverton* of Counsel with the Defendant.

Dominus Rex *versus* Staverton.

Cro. Jac. 259.
1 Bull. 54.
Quo Warranto to hold Courts.

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ano. her.
1 Inst. 58. b.
11 Co. 17. b.
Cro. Jac. 327.

QUO Warranto by the King against *Rich. Staverton* for holding a Court-Leet and Court-Baron within the Hundred and Manor of *Warfield in Com' Berks, &c.* The Defendant disclaimed as to the Court-Leet, and as to the Court-Baron pleaded, that Sir *H. Nevill* is seised in Fee of the Manor of *Warfield* within the Hundred of *Wargrave*, whereof the Manor of *Newnams* within the Manor of *Warfield, &c.* is Parcel, and Copyhold *dimiss' & dimissibile, &c.* by the Lord of the Manor of *Warfield*, or his Steward in Fee, &c. and that the Manor of *Newnams* is known *tam* by that Name, *quam* by the Name of one *Messuage, seven Yard-Lands customary, &c.* and 20s. Rent; and by that Name has been demised by Copy according to the Custom of the Manor of *Warfield*; he shewed that Sir *H. Nevill An. 18 Eliz.* demised by Copy the said Manor of *Newnams* to the Defendant by the Name of one *Messuage, seven Yard-Lands, &c.* and 20s. Rent in Fee, by Virtue whereof he enter'd, &c. & *ratione & virtute Concessionis predictæ* he held a Court-Baron within the Manor of *Newnams, &c.* (*Nota*, the Defendant pleaded the same Plea for the Court-Baron held within a Manor of *Lakes*, and Manor of *Aylewards*, the *Quo Warranto* being for holding three Court-Barons, &c.) and upon this Plea the King demurred in Law: And it was adjudged *pro Domino Rege* for several Reasons. 1. It was agreed, that one Manor might be Parcel of another Manor, and held of another Manor; as 32 *H. 6. 9. 13 H. 7. 19. b. & 6 E. 3. Q. Imp. 34.* and that by the Escheat of the Manor it is become Parcel of the other Manor, and then it ceases to be a Manor; for by the Escheat the Services are extinct, and by Consequence the Manor escheated remains only to be a Manor: But two Court-Barons cannot be held after the Escheat, but one Court only, for as without

two Free Tenants it ceases to be a Manor, by 33 *H. 8. Comprise Br.* 31. So also if it wants Services it cannot be a Manor; for it ought to be Parcel in Demesne, and Parcel in Service; but altho' one Manor may be held of another; yet it was agreed, that one Manor cannot be Parcel of another Manor, and both to be *in esse* at one Time; for being Liberties and Franchises of one and the same Nature *non possunt stare insimul*; *a fortiori* this Manor of *Newnams*, which by the Defendant's Confession is Parcel of the Manor of *Warfield*, and held by Copy of it, cannot be a Manor to hold a Court-Baron, for it cannot have any Freeholders, who can hold of it; for a Copyhold Manor is not capable of an Escheat of a Freehold, because that which comes in Lieu of another ought to be of the same Nature, and then the Freehold escheated would be Copyhold, which is repugnant and impossible. Also the Rent of 20*s.* cannot be intended Rent-Service; for it cannot accrue to be Rent-Service by any Estates made by the Lord of the supposed Copyhold Manor; for it is contrary to the Prescription alledg'd by the Defendant, that the Manor of *Newnams* has been alway demiseable, &c. within the Manor of *Warfield*, and not within the Manor of *Newnams*: And if the Lord of the Manor had at first granted by Copy the 20*s.* Rent of his Tenants, it is a void Grant, because it does not appear how much he shall have of the one, and how much of the other, &c. by 9 *H. 6.* 12. and *F. N. B.* Also here the Defendant does not maintain his Manor of *Newnams* but in Reputation only, *viz.* that it has been known *tam* by the Name of a Mesuage, &c. *quam* by the Name of the Manor, &c. but does not shew that it was ever granted as Copyhold by the Name of a Manor, and altho', as *Sir Moile Finche's Case* 6 *Co.* is, Reputation is sufficient to pass a Thing in a Conveyance by the Name of a Manor, which in Truth is not a Manor, yet there must be Truth and not Reputation to challenge and hold the Privilege of a Manor, as to have a Court-Baron, &c. Also this *Quo Warranto* is a Writ of Right in its Nature, which ought to be answer'd in Chief, which this Defendant for the Smallness and Baseness of his Estate cannot do; for, as 14 *E.* 4. 7. is, Tenant at Will of a Manor cannot plead in Disability of a Villein, *multo minus* can he enable himself in his own Right to hold a Court-Baron, which is a Court of Justice. And, by the Book of *Crook Justice*, a Franchise shall be seised, if it is claimed by other than by him who has the Freehold, and here the Defendant claims Part of the King's Justice, and the Distribution of it among his Subjects and therefore it ought to be in the Name and Right of

of him who has the Freehold at least; for in a *Quo Warranto* against him who has for Years in a Manor to shew *Quo Warranto* he holds a Court-Baron, he ought to pray Aid of his Lessor; otherwise, if he pleads in Defence, he shall be ousted of the Liberty by Judgment. *Br. Quo War. 1. & Crooke, f. — Quod Nota*, by *Yelverton, Williams and Crooke*, and Judgment was given that the Defendant should be ousted from holding Court; for by 15 *E. 4. 7.* if the Party has continued Possession of the Liberty by Wrong, the Judgment is that he shall be ousted; but if he had once Title and loses it, the Judgment is, that the Liberty shall be seised. *Quod Nota. Fleming* Chief Justice and *Fenner* agreed, that the Plea in Bar is not good; but they doubted, whether a *Quo Warranto* lay of a Court-Baron, because it is a Court created by Law, as incident to a Manor, and is not derived by any Grant out of the Crown. But that this Writ lies of a Court-Baron, *vide 17 E. 2. Quo War. Br. 4.* In *Quo Warranto* he claimed to hold a Court of his own Tenants in his Manor of *D.* and *vide* there, that it is a good Plea, to say, that he has a Manor there. And *Old N. B.* in the Gift of the Writ *Quo Warranto*, shews expressly that it lies where a Man claims a Court-Baron. *Yelverton* was of Counsel with the King in the Right of Sir *H. Nevill.*

Neale *versus* Sheffield.

T. 8 Jac.
Rot. 742.
Cro. Jac. 254.
1 Brownl.
109.
1 Bulst. 66.

A Bar should
be pleaded
in Discharge
of the Con-
dition, not of
the Bond.

Palm. 111.
2 Ro. Rep.
188.

DEBT on Bond, and demanded 14*l.* The Condition was, that if the Defendant paid 7*l.* to the Plaintiff *upon the Birth-Day of the Child of Jo. Living, which God should send after the Date of the Bond*, that then, &c. The Defendant pleaded, that the Plaintiff, after the Making of the Bond, and before the Birth of any Child of the said *Jo. Living*, *viz. 1 Sept' 7.* was indebted to the Defendant in a Load of Lime to be deliver'd on Request; and the same Day it was agreed between them *apud L.* that if the Defendant would discharge the Plaintiff of the said Load of Lime, that then *in Consideration inde* the Plaintiff would discharge the Defendant of the said Bond, and would accept the said Load of Lime in full Satisfaction of the said Bond; and alledged *in scito*, that he discharged *ad tunc & ibid'* the Plaintiff of the said Load of Lime, which the Plaintiff accepted in Discharge of the Bond, and then acquitted the Defendant of the said Bond; and demanded Judgment of the Action; upon which the Plaintiff demurred. And it was adjudged for the Plaintiff for two Reasons; 1. Because the Defendant has pleaded his Bar in Discharge of the Bond, whereas he ought to have pleaded it in Discharge of the Sum contained in the Condition of the Bond; for it is not a Debt simply by the Bond, but the Performance or Breach of the Condition makes it a Debt,

for the Bond is guided by the Condition, so that if the Condition is not discharged, the Bond remains in Force, and the Matter of the Bar is not pleaded in Discharge of the Condition but of the Bond, and therefore it is not good. *Quod Nota*; a good Reason. 2. It appears that the Condition itself cannot be discharged; for the 7*l.* are not due nor payable till the Birth of the Child of *Jo. Living*, which is a mere contingent and remote Possibility, whether he will ever have any Child or not; and therefore it resting in Contingency, whether it will ever become a Debt or not, cannot be discharg'd; for a Possibility cannot be released, as it has been adjudg'd in *Carter's Case*; and it is not like, where the Condition is to pay Money at a Day to come, that may be discharged presently; for it is a Duty immediately, though it is not demandable till the Day; but here it cannot be known, whether such Day will ever come, that *Jo. Living* shall have a Child; and therefore it is no Debt or Duty, and by Consequence cannot be discharged. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam* on good Advice. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

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A contingent Debt cannot be discharg-
ed.Dodson *versus* Kayes.

DEBT, and demanded 10*l.* because the Defendant 23 Oct. 1608. at *M. in Com' Not. per scriptum suum Obligatorium* acknowledged *se debere* to the Plaintiff 10*l.* &c. to be paid upon Request; yet the Defendant had not paid, &c. The Defendant craved Oyer of the Bond, which was enter'd in *hac Verba*: *Noverint universæ per presents me Tho. Kayes de H. in Parochie W. in Com' Darbie generosæ Tenerie & firmiter obligarie Ed. Dodson de M. in S. in Com' Not. gen' in decem libris bonæ & legal' monet' Ang. solvend' eid' Ed' aut suo certo Att' vel Heredibus suis. Ad quam quidem solutionem bene & fideliter faciend' obligamus me Heredes, Executor' vel assignat' meos per presentes. Sigillo meo sigillato, dat' tres viginti die Octob. an' Regni Regina Domini nostri Jacobie Dei gratia Angliæ, Scotia, Franciæ & Hiberniæ, &c. Rex defensoris suis de Scotia sexto, de Angliæ quadragesimo secundo, 1608.* And thereupon the Defendant demurred; and it was adjudged for the Plaintiff; for there are two principal Things to be contained in a Bond; 1. Parties to it: 2. The Sum in which the one Party is bound: And both these are expressed sufficiently to the Knowledge of the Judges; for both the Obligor and the Obligee are well named, the Sum likewise is well expressed to be 10*l.* then any Words, whereby it may be collected, that the Party intended to bind himself, will serve, and

Cro. Jac. 261.
1 Brownl.
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T. 7 Jac. Rot.
Debt on
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10 Co. 133. a. they are wrote here, altho' in false *Latin*, viz. *tenerie & obligarie*, which Words have but the Letter (e) of Abundance, and false *Latin*, as 10 H. 7.—is, abates a Writ, because the Party may purchase a new Writ, but it will not destroy a Bond; for the Party cannot have a new Bond when he will: And altho' there is not any such Year of the King's Reign, as *Anglie* 42. or *Scotie* 6. that is not material; for it is good, altho' it has no Date, as 13 H. 7.—*Crooke* is, and the Party may surmise a Date in his Declaration, and it is good, and the Party must answer to the Deed, and not to the Date. The same Law, if it has an impossible Date, as 30 Febr', where there are but twenty-eight Days in Febr', yet it is good; and here also it is aided *per Annum Domini* 1608. and that is a Time certain and sufficient, and the Declaration is good, which has omitted the Year of the King, and inserted the *Annum Domini*. *Quod Nota*. *Per totam Curiam*. *Yelverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Gomerfall *versus* Medgate.

TROVER for several Goods *in Specie*; the Defendant shewed that he was Bailiff of the Manor of *Dunstable*, whereof the King is seised, and that a Plaint of Debt was there affirmed by *J. S.* against the Plaintiff, wherefore Process issued to the Defendant being then Bailiff, to distrain the now Plaintiff to be at the next Court to answer to the Plaint aforesaid, wherefore he by Virtue of the Process distrained the Plaintiff by the Goods in Question, which, because he did not come to the said Court, were forfeited to the King, as Lord of the Manor, and the Defendant had accounted for them to the King, &c. and thereupon the Plaintiff demurred. And it was adjudged for the Plaintiff, for in a Court-Baron no Goods can be forfeited for Default of Appearance on the Distress, for a Distress is but in the Nature of a Pledge to be safely kept; and in a Court-Baron a Distress infinite only lies, and not an Attachment; for where a Man is attached by Course of the Common Law by his Goods, there for Non-appearance they are forfeited, as 7 H. 6.—is, but no Attachment lies in a Court-Baron, but a Distress only, by 33, 34 H. 6. therefore the Defendant confessing an Intermeddling with the Goods, which is not justifiable, it is a Conversion. *Quod Nota*. *Yelverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

10 Co. 133. a.
Mo. 864.
Cro. Jac. 203,
208, 290, 338,
607.
Cro. Car. 416,
418.
Hob. 19, 116,
119.
Lutw. 423.
Salk. 462.
Comb. 60.

Cro. Jac. 255.
1 Bulst. 52.
Trover.

Distress in a
Court-Baron.

Vide 2 Ro.
Rep. 493.

Conversion,
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Tatem & Poulter *versus* Perient.

THE Defendant granted to the Plaintiffs 1000 Trees in such a Wood to be cut down within 3 Years after the Grant; and afterwards they agreed, when the Plaintiffs had cut down some of the Trees, that they should not fell any more during the three Years, and that the Defendant would licence them after the three Years to fell as many Trees as amounted to the full Number of 1000, and because the Defendant hinder'd them after the three Years from felling the Trees they brought *Assumpsit*, and declared, and shewed the Grant afore-said: And that in Consideration they would forbear the felling any more Trees till after the three Years, the Defendant promised to give Licence to the Plaintiffs to fell as many Trees there after the three Years as amounted to 1000, and alledged *in facto*, that at the Time of the Promise they had cut down but 800 Trees, and *non amplius*, and that they relying on the Promise had forbore to fell any more within the 3 Years, and that after the 3 Years the Def. hinder'd them from felling the Residue, which made 1000 Trees, to their Damage, &c. The Def. pleaded, that before the Promise supposed to be made by the Def. the Plaintiffs had felled 1000 Trees, *absque hoc*, that at the Time of the Promise they had felled but 800 Trees only, &c. and thereupon the Plaintiffs demurred. And it was adjudged against the Plaintiffs; yet it was objected, that the Traverse was insufficient and idle, for the Defendant's Plea had been good without any Traverse at all; for it was a full Answer, to say, that they had felled 1000 Trees, without more, and that would make an Issue. 2. The Traverse ought to have been, *absque hoc*, that the Plaintiffs at the Time of the Promise had felled but 800 Trees, omitting the (only) for the alledging of that in the Declaration was but to increase Damage, and not Matter of Substance as to the Action. But, *per totam Curiam* the Traverse is good, for the Plaintiffs by alledging the Felling of 800 Trees only in their Declaration, which is a Matter issuable, have given the Defendant Advantage to traverse in the Manner as he hath done; for every Matter in Fact alledged by the Plaintiffs may be traversed by the Defendant, and the Defendant by Way of Traverse may answer the Matter alledged in the same Words the Plaintiffs alledge them, and then the Plaintiffs have by their Demurrer on the Bar confessed the Felling of 1000 Trees, which was their full Bargain at first, and by Consequence there is no Consideration on which to ground the Promise. *Quod Nota.* By all the Justices. *Nelwerton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

Assumpsit.
What shall
be a good
Considera-
tion.

Dy. 225. pl.
6. 365. a. b.
vide 2 Sand.
206.

Hill.

Hill. 8 JAC. B. R.

Hawes *versus* Loader *Administrator of Cookson.*

1 Brownl.
111.
Cro. Jac. 270.

13 El. c. 5.
Fraudulent
Deeds.

Repleader
after Issue.

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T *Thomas Cookson* the Intestate 19 Febr' 2 Jac. for 20*l.* paid before-hand by the Plaintiff granted all his Goods mention'd in a Schedule annexed to the Deed, and gave him Possession by a Platter, and covenanted that they should remain as they were before in his House, on Demand to be carried away by the Plaintiff, and that the Intestate, his Administrators, &c. them safely should keep and quietly deliver, &c. and to perform this Covenant the Intestate bound himself in 40*l.* to the Plaintiff: *Cookson* died, the Plaintiff 16 Martii Anno 6. demanded the Goods of the Defendant being Administrator, and he did not deliver them, wherefore the Plaintiff brought the Action, and in his Declaration shewed *in Specie* what Goods were in the Schedule. The Defendant pleaded the Statute 13 Eliz. of fraudulent Deeds of Gift, &c. and further said, that *Cookson* the Intestate, 12 Febr' Anno 3. was indebted to several Persons, and named them, in several Sums amounting to 100*l.* and so being indebted 19 Febr' An. 2. made the Deed of Gift, *ut supra*, being of them and of other Goods possessed, amounting to 80*l.* & *non ultra*; and that by Fraud and Covin between the Plaintiff and him, and to the Intent to deceive the Creditors named; and shewed how, notwithstanding the Deed of Gift, *Cookson* occupied the Goods all his Life, and afterwards died, and the Administration was committed to the Defendant. The Plaintiff replied that the Defendant had Assets in his Hands to satisfy the Debt demanded; and further, that the Deed of Gift was made for a good Consideration, &c. upon which they were at Issue. And at the Trial at *Huntington* Assises before the Lord *Coke*, he rejected the Trial, because no good Issue was joined: Wherefore, on Motion, the King's Bench awarded a Repleader, upon which the Defendant pleaded *ut prius*, and the Plaintiff demurred thereon. And it was adjudged for the Plaintiff: 1. Because the Defendant did not aver in his Bar that the Debts yet continued unpaid to the Creditors named; for there were four Years between the Deed of Gift to the Plaintiff and the Death of the Intestate who made it, in which Time the Debts may well be presumed to be satisfied. 2. The Defendant does not shew, that the Debts, due to the supposed Creditors were by Specialty, and then the Matter of his Plea is not good; for the Defendant cannot plead this Plea, but in Excuse of himself, to free him from a *Devastavit*, and that cannot be in this Case, for he being

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Administrator is not chargeable with the Debts, unless they be due by Specialty. 3. The Defendant pretends, as it seems, that there would be a *Devastavit* in him, if he should deliver the Goods contained in the Deed to the Plaintiff; and that it cannot be, for those Goods, as to Creditors, are liable in the Hands of the Plaintiff, as Executor *de son Tort*, if the Deed of Gift be fraudulent. 4. Perhaps the Creditors named will never sue for their Debts, and by that Means the Defendant will justify the Detaining of the Goods for ever, which will be inconvenient; but if the Defendant had pleaded a Recovery by any of the Creditors, and those Goods to the Value to be taken in Execution, that had been a good Plea. 5. The Defendant is not such Person as is enabled by the Statute 13 *Eliz.* to plead this Plea; for the Deed is made void against all Creditors, &c. but it is not made void against the Party himself, his Executors and Administrators, but against them it remains a good Deed of Gift. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam. Telverton* of Counsel with the Defendant.

Where a fraudulent Deed shall not be pleaded in Bar. 3 Co. 81. a. Mo. 638.

Martyn *versus* Blithman.

D. *Holman* was in Execution in *Plimouth* for 31 *l.* at the Suit of *D.* which was recover'd there before the Mayor, &c. *Blithman* came to the Gaoler *Martyn*, and promised, that in Consideration he would set and suffer *Holman* to go at large, that the 31 *l.* should be brought into Court there by *Holman* by such a Day to satisfy *D.* and that he would save *Martyn* the Gaoler harmless from this Enlargement, *D.* recover'd against *Martyn* on the Escape, and afterwards *Martyn* brought *Assumpsit* against *Blithman* on the Promise, and declared all *ut supra*; And it was adjudged against the Plaintiff; for the Consideration is against Law, *viz.* to suffer one in Execution to escape, like 19 *Eliz. Dy. Only's Case*; a Promise to pay so much to *J. S.* for his Labour and Pains about the Business of the Lady *Darby*, is not good, for it is Maintenance; the same Law, *per Curiam*, if it had been a Condition on a Bond to save the Gaoler harmless from an Escape, it makes the Bond void, because it is a Condition against Law. *Per totam Curiam. Telverton* of Counsel with the Defendant.

2 Bullf. 213. Godb. 250. Assumpsit. Consideration against Law. 3 Leon. 208. Cro. El. 199. Hetley 175. Dy. 356. a.

Berisford *versus* Presse.

MR. Berisford hath spoken Treason, and that I can prove: And it was adjudged that the Words are actionable: For Treason may be committed as well by Speech, as by Act; for any Thing that discovers the Mind of a Man to be traitorous to his Sovereign is capital to the Party,

Cro. Jac. 275. 1 Bullf. 147. Winch 123. Hutt. 75. Ante 107.

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and therefore scandalous to be affirmed of him by any other. *Per Curiam.* Tolverton of Counsel with the Defendant.

Tuerloote *versus* Morrison.

1 Bulst. 134.
Words.

What Ac-
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1 And. 25.
Mo. 431.
Lutw. 35.
Salk. 46.

THE Plaintiff declared, that whereas 19 *Maii Anno 8 Jac.* and for ten Years past he *fuit & adhuc est Mercator in England and præcipue in London*, and had made true Payment of all his Debts to his Creditors, yet the Defendant 19 *Maii Anno 8.* having Communication with one Roger Twisford of the Plaintiff, spoke of the Plaintiff these Words, *viz. He innuendo the Plaintiff) is a Bankrupt, and he (innuendo the Plaintiff) is fled beyond the Seas for much Money*, to his Damage 500*l.* The Defendant pleaded that the Plaintiff at the Time of the Speaking of the Words was an Alien, and born in *Villa de Courtrick in Brabant in Partibus transmarinis* under the Obedience of the Duke of Brabant, *& extra ligeantiam Domini Regis; Et hoc paratus est verificare, &c.* upon which the Plaintiff demurred. And it was adjudged for the Plaintiff; for Traffick between Merchants Strangers and domestick Merchants is warranted, both by the Law of Nations, and by the Law of the Land; and the Common Law in all Things which merely concern his Trade of Merchandize protects him, and this Protection extends both to his Goods and to his Person; for the Law allows him safe Conduct with his Goods, because it is beneficial to the King in his Customs; and enables him likewise to have within this Realm an Habitation by Lease from any Stranger, and also to have a personal Action as to demand Debt for his Merchandizes, with Damages for them, if they are wrongfully taken. And this Slander here, although it concerns the Plaintiff only in his Person, yet because it impairs his Credit in his Trade by which he is to live, and by which other Subjects of the King have Benefit by their Commerce with him; therefore it is actionable. *Vide Dyer 6 H. 8. 2.* Adjudged *per totam Curiam.* Tolverton was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Kenicot *versus* Bogan.

2 Bulst. 250.
4 Inst. 30.
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TROVER and Conversion of two Ton of Wine: The Defendant pleaded that the King was seised in Fee in the Right of his Crown of the Prifage of all Wines imported by any Person, as well Subject as Alien *a Partibus transmarinis*, and that the Prifage of the said Wines from Time whereof, &c. was answer'd to the King and his Progenitors, their Farmers or Deputies, in Manner following, *viz. out of every Ship or Vessel importing into any Port or other Place of this Kingdom ten Ton of Wine for any Person a Partibus transmarinis.* and thereof, or *de aliquo Vase inde vini predicti* unladen

unladen one Ton; and out of every Ship or Vessel so importing twenty Ton of Wine for any Person *a Partibus transmarinis* into any Haven or other Place of this Kingdom, & *inde seu de aliquo inde Vase Vini prædicti disonerat* two Ton of Wine, *viz.* one Ton of Wine thereof before the Mast of such Ship or Vessel, and the other Ton *vini inde* behind the Mast *eiusdem Navis sive Vasis*; and the King so seised of the said Prisage, before the Time of the Coming of the two Tons to the Hands of the Defendant supposed by the Plaintiff, *viz.* 21 Sept' An. 5. the King by his Letters Patent, &c. shewn to the Court, &c. granted to Sir Thomas Waller the Office of Chief Butlerage of him, his Heirs and Successors *Regni sui Angliæ*, with all Fees, &c. and him made and constituted Chief Butler, *Habendum*, &c. for Life, to be executed by him, or his Deputy; and further the Defendant said, that the Chief Butler for the Time being had used, and been accustomed by himself, or his Deputy to collect and receive to the Use of the King, &c. the said Prisage due; and further, that the said 13 Apr' Anno 7. *quadam Navis* with twenty Ton of Wine *onerat* arrived at the City of Exon aforesaid *a Partibus transmarinis*, *viz.* a *Villa de Burdeaux* in France; and that at the said City nine Tons and a half of the said twenty Tons, being the Wines of the Plaintiff, *adtunc exonerat* fuerunt ex *Navi præd.* whereby two Tons of the Wine aforesaid were due to the King *pro Prisagio* of the said twenty Tons, by Reason whereof the Defendant *Tempore quo*, &c. being lawful Deputy of Sir Thomas *adtunc & adhuc* Chief Butler, &c. & *per ejus præceptum* the said two Tons *Vini prædicti pro Prisagio* the said 13 Apr' Anno 7 *supradicto* at the City of Exon to the Use of the King took and carried away, and them to the Use of the King converted and disposed, as he lawfully might, which is the same Conversion, &c. to the Use of the Defendant as the Plaintiff supposed, & *hoc paratus*, &c. on which the Plaintiff demurred. And four Exceptions were moved to the Plea in Bar. 1. The Defendant shews that the Plaintiff unloaded but nine Ton and a half, and the Defendant pretends the Custom of Prisage to be out of every ten Ton unladen to have one to the Use of the King; therefore of his own Shewing he cannot justify the Taking of two Tons, because he does not shew that twenty Tons were unladen. 2. The Defendant does not shew, that he took one Ton before the Mast, and the other Ton behind the Mast; yet he shews the King's Duty for Prisage to be in such special Manner; and where a Custom prescribes an Order and Form of any Thing to be due to the King, he ought to justify accordingly, otherwise it is not good. 3. The Defendant does not traverse the Conversion supposed by the Plaintiff, for that is a Conversion in the Defendant himself, and he justifies a Conversion to the Use of the King, which is another Conversion than that with which the Def. is charged.

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Salk. 654.

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4 Inst. 30.

4. The Defendant does not shew this Office of Chief Butler to be an antient Office, to which an Usage or Custom may be annexed by Continuance of Time, but shews only the King's Grant of such Office to Sir *Tho. Waller*, which shall be intended a new Office, to which no Custom to collect Prifage can belong; and also the Defendant does not shew how he is made Deputy: But yet it was resolved *per tot' Cur'* that the Plea in Bar was good, and Judgment was given against the Plaintiff; and as to the first and second Exceptions it was answer'd by the Court, that if a Merchant imports Wines, as twenty 'Tons, tho' he unloads but Part, as nine Tons, or four Tons, yet the King shall have his whole Prifage, *viz.* two 'Tons of the twenty 'Tons imported; for if the Bulk (as *Fleming* Chief Justice termed it) be once broke, it is sufficient for the King to take his whole Prifage: And so it appears to be by infinite Precedents in the Exchequer. It was likewise held *per Cur'*, that altho' in Point of Prerogative there is due to the King one Ton before the Mast, and another behind the Mast, yet it is not of Necessity that the King shall take his Duty in such Form, but he may take which two 'Tons he pleases; for two Tons are due by Law, and that is the Substance, otherwise it would be mischievous; for that Ton, which is this Day before the Mast, may by the Subtilty of the Merchant be transposed to be the third or tenth, or the last Ton in the Ship: And therefore, if the Merchant at one Haven unloads but one 'Ton, the King by his Officer shall there immediately seise his Prifage, otherwise the Merchant might by Fraud oblige the King's Officer to follow him from Port to Port throughout *England*, which would be inconvenient. As to the third Exception, it was held *per Curiam*, that he need not traverse the Conversion, nor plead to it in other Manner than he has done. 1. Because the coming to the Hands, and intermeddling with the two Tons supposed by the Plaintiff, is confessed by the Defendant to be to the Use of the King, and that is the Matter in Law on the Plea in Bar, which the Court is to adjudge, and the Matter in Law shall never be traversed. 2. If the Seifure to the Use of the King shall not be adjudged lawful by the Defendant, then he himself shall be adjudged guilty of the Conversion, because he has acknowledged in Point of Judgment a Possession of the Goods, and an Intermeddling with them. As to the fourth Exception, it was resolved, that although it is not shewn, that the Office of the Butlery is an antient Office, yet it is sufficient, for the Defendant has alledg'd the King's Seisin of the Prifage of Wines to be an Estate in Fee *in Jure Corona*, and then *ex Necessitate* as antient as the Duty is, so antient shall the Office to collect it be intended; for it does not consist

with the Royal Dignity to collect it himself; and also in this Case the Title of the Office is not in Question, but an Excuse of the Seizure of another's Goods for the King's Duty: And it is not necessary to shew that the Defendant is made Deputy, viz. by Parol or by Deed, because 1. The Defendant does not claim any Interest, but justifies all in another's Right, viz. in the Right of Sir *Tho. Waller*; and also he has said, that he was *legit' deputat'*, which is sufficient to inform the Court, that the Defendant had a sufficient Privy and Authority to take and seize the Prifage. *Quod vide* in the Reason of *Boiton's* Case 3 Co. 44. b. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

Farmer *versus* Hunt.

TRESPASS for Chasing of Cattle in such a Close: The Defendant justified Damage-feasant in his Freehold: The Plaintiff replied and shewed a Grant of Common in the Place where, &c. by the Defendant to the Plaintiff; and that the Defendant erected there after the Grant a Stack of Corn, and the Plaintiff put in his Sheep to use the Common, and the Defendant chased them out, &c. But *Nota*, the Plaintiff did not say in his Replication (in Pleading the Grant of the Common by Indenture) *prolat' hic in Cur'*. And by all the Justices the Chasing of the Sheep by the Defendant is not lawful, for by such Means he might defeat his own Grant; for by the Grant of the Common in such Place, the Grantee may use the whole Place for Common; and then, when the Grantor erects a Stack of Hay on Part of that Place, now that tends to the Diminution and Weakening of his own Grant, which ought not to be; but the Cattle may range over the whole Place, and eat the Hay without doing any Wrong; for the Wrong began in the Grantor, who is the Defendant, of which he shall not have Advantage, and as well as he erected one Stack of Corn, he may erect twenty, and so the Cattle will have no Liberty to feed there; but because the Plaintiff did not shew to the Court the Indenture of the Grant, which is the Ground of his Title, for that Reason Judgment was given against the Plaintiff.

Cro. Jac. 271.
1 Brownl.
220.
Trespas.

10 Co. 94. a.
What Thing
a Commoner
may do.

4, 5 Annæ,
c. 16.

Sadock *versus* Burton.

1 Bull. 103.
Account.
Factor, and
what he may
do.

2 Mod. 100.

THE Plaintiff demanded an Account of the Defendant *ex quo fuit Receptor* of such a Jewel *in Specie, ad Merchandizandum* to the Profit of the Plaintiff, and an Account *inde reddend'*, and on Issue, never his Receiver, it was found for the Plaintiff, and Auditors assigned, and the Defendant pleaded in Discharge of the Account, that he *apud Barbary in Partibus transmarinis* sold it to one J. S. for 40*l.* (whereas the Plaintiff supposed the Value of it 100*l.*) and upon this Plea the Plaintiff demurred: And it was adjudged for him; for first, when Goods are deliver'd to merchandize, he who receives them ought not only to answer the Value of the Goods, but the Increase and Profit, which might arise thereby, as 21 H. 6. 55. is; and here he does not answer for any Increase and Profit of the 40*l.* Also it is not sufficient for a Factor to say, that he sold the Goods and Jewels to J. S. for 40*l.* generally, but he ought to shew by what Means the Plaintiff can come at the 40*l.* viz. that he took a Bond or other Security of J. S. for the Money; for it would be mischievous to send the Plaintiff beyond Sea to seek J. S. it is likewise contrary to the Trust and Privity reposed between the Merchant and his Factor; for if the Factor sells them to one who is worth nothing, or cannot give Security for them, it shall rest on his Loss, and not in Disadvantage of the Master. Another Reason here was, because he has pleaded such a Plea as is not triable; for he has supposed the Sale to be *apud Barbary in partibus transmarinis*; and if the Plaintiff would traverse this Sale to J. S. the Jury here cannot try it, because the whole Fact is laid to be beyond Sea. *Quod Nota.* Telverton was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Pasch. 9 JAC. B. R.

Sallowes *versus* Girling.

DEBT on a Bond, the Condition was to stand to the Award of *A. B. C.* and *D.* of all Actions, Quarrels and Demands, &c. *Ita quod* the said Award be made in Writing before such a Day by the said *A. B. C.* and *D.* or by any two of them under their Hands, &c. The Defendant pleaded that the said *A. B. C. D.* or any two of them *nullum fecerunt Arbitrium*. The Plaintiff replied, that *A.* and *B.* two of the Arbitrators before the Day by Writing under their Hands, &c. made an Award, and shewed it to the Court in Certain, and assigned a Breach in the Defendant for Non-payment of 3*l.* at a Day past limited by the Award. Upon which the Defendant demurred. And it was adjudged for the Plaintiff; in which the sole Question was, whether the Award made by *A.* and *B.* only, without the others, be good or not; forasmuch as the Submission was to four by Name, and in the Premises of the Condition the Defendant is bound to stand to the Award of four also: But it was adjudged *per totam Curiam*, that on Consideration had of every Part of the Condition the Award made by two only is good; for Arbitrators are made Judges by the Consent and Election of the Parties, and here it appears, that the Parties fixed their Trust not in all four jointly, but *conjunctim & divisim*; so that the *ita quod*, &c. is an Explanation of the whole Condition, that they four or any two of them might arbitrate all Things between them; and so much appears 2 *R.* 3. 18. *b.* where two of the one Part, and one of the other Part submit themselves to the Award of *J. S.* by this Submission *J. S.* may as well arbitrate any Causes between the two Parties of the one Part, as between them and the third, because in the Intent of the Parties the End of their Submission was to have Peace and Quiet. And 4 *E.* 4. 40. *a.* the Condition of a Recognisance was, *Si T. Acton stare & obediret* the Award of four by Name, three or two of them *de omnibus*, &c. that then; and it is all one where the Division of their Power comes altogether, and where it follows the *Ita quod*; for till the *Ita quod*, &c. comes, the Condition is not perfect, for the whole Condition is but one Sentence. *Quod Nota.* *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Cro. Jac. 277.
1 Brownl.
112.
1 Bulst. 123.
Debt on an
Award.

Where the
Power of
the Arbitra-
tors may be
divided.

Vide 1 Lev.
139.
1 Keb. 790,
832, 837.

Bradley *versus* Banks.

Cro. Jac. 283.
1 Bulst. 141.
Appeal.
Discontinu-
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IN an Appeal brought by *Eliz. Bradley* the Wife of *Fr' Bradley* of the Death of her Husband against *R. Banks*, who came in on the Exigent, the Defendant appear'd and crav'd Oyer of the Writ and of all the mean Process, which was enter'd on Record *in hac Verba*: Where it appear'd that the Wound and Death of *Fr. Bradley* were 25 *Octobr' Anno 6.* & 29 *Junii 7.* the Writ of Appeal was brought returnable *Quind' Mich' after*, where in Fact it should be returned *a Die Sancti Mich' in 15 Dies*, which is 16 *Octobr' 7.* the *Capias* on this Writ bore *Teste 23 Octobr' 7.* where it ought to have the *Teste* of the first Writ returned, *viz. 16 Octobr' 7.* And this *Capias* was returned *Oct' Hill' after*, which was 23 *Jan. 7.* the first Day of *Hill' Term*, and the Exigent on this *Capias* bore *Teste 24 Jan'* which ought to have been 23 *Jan'*, *viz. the same Day of the Capias return'd.* Also the Exigent was returned *a Die Sancte Trin' in 15 Dies*, which is 20 *Junii after*, and the *Allocat' Com'*, which issued thereon bore *Teste 21 Junii*, where it ought to have been the *Teste* of the Exigent returned. Then the Plaintiff having declared in her Appeal, the Defendant pleaded that at the general Gaol-Delivery at *York* before Commissioners assigned he was indicted of the Felony comprised in the Appeal, and arraigned and found guilty of Manlaughter, and had his Clergy, *prout patet* by the Record: And further said, that *nullum Judicium* was given on the Premisses, and took all the material Averments, &c. *Et quoad Feloniam & Murdrum prad'* the Defendant said that he was not guilty, and thereof he put himself on the Country, &c. upon which the Plaintiff demurred. And it was adjudged *per tot' Cur' pro Def.* In which it was first agreed, that no Appearance by the Defendant in Appeal will aid any Discontinuance of the Suit, but Error in the mean Process is salved by an Appearance after, as 9 *H. 5. 2.* in Appeal the Sheriff returned on the Exigent *Cepi Corpus*, where it should be *exigi feci*; and the Defendant appeared, and was acquitted, and prayed Damage; and it was moved that he should not have it, because he was not lawfully acquitted by Reason of the Error in the Return of the Sheriff *supra*; yet it was adjudged, that he should have Damage, because the Foundation of the Suit, *viz. the Writ of Appeal*, and all the Process which issued at the Suit of the Party, was good and right. But in the Case *supra* several Discontinuances appear on the Record; for although the Law gives this Writ of Appeal, as a Means to be justly revenged for the Death of the Husband, yet it ought to be instantly pursued, without any Negligence in the Plaintiff; for because this Suit threatens Death to the Party, therefore it ought to be in all Points

strictly pursued, and by the Law there ought to be no mean Time nor Space in an Appeal between the Return of the Writ and the Issuing of the *Capias*, nor between the Return of the *Capias* and the Issuing of the Exigent: Wherefore it appears otherwise here; for there is 7 Days Space between the Return of the Writ and the Exigent awarded, the one being 16 Oct. an. 7. and the *Capias* being 23 Oct. the same Year, where the *Teste* of the *Capias* ought to have been the same 16 Oct. that the first Writ was returned, and where the *Capias* is returned Oct. Hill. 7. which is 23 Jan. the Exigent thereon did not issue till 24 Jan. the same Year; so that there is a Day omitted, for the Exigent ought to have the *Teste* 23 Jan. the same Fault appears in the *Allocat' Com'* which issued on the Exigent return'd, for it bears *Teste* 21 Junii anno 8. where the Exigent was return'd 20 Junii the same Year, so that there appears the Negligence of a Day; for all which Reasons the Court agreed that the Appeal was discontinued, for there was Laches in the Plaintiff in suing forth every mean Process by skipping of Days, where every Process ought instantly, and without any mean Time, to issue the one after the other, and so is Mr. *Stamford*, and all the Precedents in the King's Bench. Then the Plaintiff moved, that the Defendant's Plea was not good, because after the Conviction pleaded on the Indictment, he pleads to the Felony and Murder aforesaid *non cul'*, which is no Answer to the Plaintiff's Declaration, which has supposed the Defendant's Fact to be Homicide only and not Murder; but *per Curiam* the Plea was resolved to be good for three Reasons. 1. Because *ex necessitate Juris* the Defendant need not plead at all to the Country, where he has pleaded a good Special Plea before, for this Plea to the Country added to the other Plea is but *in Favorem Vitæ*, and the Defendant may hazard his Life on the first Plea if he will. *Quod vide* 7 E. 4. 15. & 14 E. 4. 7. and here the Pleading of the Conviction with the Clergy allow'd is a good Bar in this Appeal, as it was adjudged in the like Case 33 El. in an Appeal between *Wrot* and *Wigs*; and 20 El. in an Appeal between *Burgh* and *Holcroft*, *quod vide* 4 Co. 45, 46. and then the Pleading over to the Felony is mere Trifling. 2. The Word [*Murdrum* in the Plea is idle, and the Word (*Feloniam*) is the principal Word, which will make his Plea refer to such Manner of Felony, as the Plaintiff supposes in him. 3. The Word (*Murdrum*) here cannot be taken but for Homicide; for if there be not Malice prepenſe in the Fact committed by the Defendant, altho' the Indictment or the Appeal says, that the Defendant *murdravit* such a Man, if it does not say *Malitia præcogitata*, it is but Manslaughter, so that the Word (*murdravit*) is indifferent to express Manslaughter, as well as Murder, if it has not other Words joined with it. *Quod Nota.* *Tilberton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

Not guilty to the Murder is a good Plea in an Appeal.

Co. Entr. 53. b.
1 And. 68.
Salk. 63.
Comb. 410.
Kel. 89.

Trin. 9 JAC. B. R.

Bristoe *versus* Knipe.

Cro. Jac. 281.
1 Brownl.
113.
1 Bullst. 156.
Debr.
Condition to
perform
Covenants,
Payments,
&c.

2 Mod. 36,
37.
2 Lev. 116.

DEBT on a Bond of 300*l.* the Condition was to perform all Covenants, Clauses, Payments and Agreements contained in a Deed Poll of the same Date, made by the Plaintiff to the Defendant. The Defendant shewed to the Court the Deed Poll *in hæc Verba*, in which was contained a Grant, and Bargain and Sale of certain Land made by the Plaintiff to the Defendant for 100*l.* paid, and 200*l.* to be paid afterwards; in which Deed there was a Proviso, that if the Defendant did not pay for the Plaintiff to *J. S.* 40*l.* to *J. D.* 40*l.* &c. at such a Day, that then the Grant, Bargain and Sale should be void, &c. and on a Plea by the Defendant that he had performed all Covenants, &c. contained in the Deed, the Plaintiff assigned the Breach in Non-payment of 40*l.* at a Day according to the Proviso; on which the Defendant demurred, and it was adjudged *pro Defend' per totam Curiam*: For the Condition of the Bond does not oblige the Defendant to perform other Payments than such which the Defendant is bound by the Deed to perform; for the Bond was made but for the Strengthening of the Deed, and the Deed does not require any compulsory Payment to be made, but leaves it to the Will of the Defendant either to make such Payments comprised in the Proviso, or in Default thereof to forfeit the Land to the Plaintiff; so that the Intent of the Parties was not to make the Bond and the Condition of it repugnant, and contrary to the Deed Poll of Bargain and Sale, as that the Payment of the 40*l.* to *J. S.* which is made voluntary by the Deed Poll, should be made compulsory on the Bond, but the Word (Payments) in the Condition of the Bond shall have Relation only to such Payments comprised in the Deed Poll, which will be compulsory to the Defendant and not otherwise: And because Neglect of Payment of the 40*l.* to *J. S.* which is assigned for Breach, is in its own Nature voluntary, to be paid by the Defendant or not, to which the Condition of the Bond cannot in any reasonable Construction extend; therefore it was adjudged against the Plaintiff. *Quod Nota.* Telverton was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Roffe *versus* Pye.

THE Plaintiff alledged the Consideration to be, that in Consideration the Plaintiff had enter'd into a Recognisance of such a Sum with the Defendant, on Condition, that the Defendant should make his Appearance, &c. at the next Assises to be held before the Justices of Gaol-Delivery for the County of *Suff.* &c. the Defendant promised to appear at the said general Gaol-Delivery, &c. and to save the Plaintiff harmless from his Recognisance, &c. and shewed that the Defendant did not appear, &c. nor had saved the Plaintiff harmless, to his Damage, &c. The Defendant pleaded, that before the next general Gaol-Delivery after the Recognisance made, viz. 12 Febr' such a Year, he sued out of the King's Bench, &c. a *Certiorari* directed to the Justices of Assise in the County of *Suff.* by the Name of Justices of the Gaol-Delivery to remove the said Recognisance, and shewed that at the Assises held in such a County, viz. *Suff.* such a Day and Year, he deliver'd the *Certiorari* to the Lord Coke *aditum* one of the Justices of Assise; and further shewed, that the Plaintiff had not been damnified by the said Recognisance, &c. upon which the Plaintiff demurred in Law: And it was adjudged for the Plaintiff for two Reasons: 1. Because the Defendant does not shew in his Bar, in what Place the Assises for the County of *Suff.* were held, and that is issuable; for if the Plaintiff would reply, that the Defendant did not deliver the *Certiorari* to the Lord Coke, it could not be tried for Want of alledging the Place from whence the Venue to try it should come. 2. The Defendant ought to have shewn expressly, that he did appear at the Assises; for otherwise the Recognisance is forfeited, and the Removal of the Recognisance by a *Certiorari* does not dispense with the Appearance of the Party; for altho' the Writ, by which the Recognisance is to be removed, is the Command of the King, yet the Purchase of such Writ is the Act of the Defendant, and he by no such Slight can save his Recognisance; for if a Man is bound to appear at *Utas Sancti Mich. coram Domino Rege*, altho' at the Day the Term is adjourn'd by the King's Writ, yet the Party at his Peril, in Salvation of his Bond, must appear and procure his Appearance to be recorded, otherwise he forfeits his Bond, 4 E. 4. 21. a. *à fortiori* here, because the Defendant shall not take Advantage of his Subterfuge of Justice: Then *a consequenti sequitur*, that the Recognisance being forfeited, the Plaintiff has Cause of Action; for altho' the Recognisance is never sued, yet the Plaintiff is subject every Hour to be sued thereon: And this was the Opinion of the whole Court. *Nel- erton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Cro. Jac. 281.
1 Bull. 155.
Assumpit.

The Condition to appear is not saved by removing the Recognisance by *Certiorari*.

18 E. 4. 27.
b.
Br. Condit.
165.

Lucas

Lucas *versus* Fulwood.

1 Bulst. 151.
Deb.
Declaration
in Nature of
an Action of
Annuity is
ill.

Cro. El. 3.

THE Plaintiff enter'd his Suit *in Placito Debiti*, and declared that the Defendant *reddat ei 50 l. de annuali redditu quas ei debet & injuste detinet*, and shewed in his Declaration the Deed of the Grant of the said Rent for Years, payable at several Days out of the Land, with a Clause of Distress; and concluded, *quod Def. substraxit* at several Days *annualem Redditum predictum*; and upon *Nil debet* pleaded, the Plaintiff took his *Venire facias in placito Debiti*, and had a Verdict: But it was adjudged, *Quod quer' nil capiat per Billam*; for the Plaintiff's Declaration shews, that he demands an Annuity, which is contrary to the Entry of his Plaint *in placito Debiti*; for in Debt a Man can never declare, *Quod Def. substraxit annualem Redditum*, but this Word (*substraxit*) manifests to the Court, that the Plaintiff does not demand the Rent as a Debt, but as an Annuity, so that he enters his Plaint in Nature of a Debt, and declares in Nature of an Annuity, which is repugnant *in se*; for he ought to have in a Writ of Annuity a several and distinct Judgment otherwise, and in another Sort, than he shall have in a Writ of Debt; for in the Annuity he shall have Judgment of the Arrearages pending the Writ, but in Debt he shall not have such Judgment, but only for the Sum demanded. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam. Yelverton* of Counsel with the Defendant.

Mich. 9 JAC. B. R.

Spenser & Woodward *versus* the Earl of Rutland.

Error.

10 Co. 135. a.
2 Keb. 520,
594.
Comb. 263,
44'.
Ante 113.

THE Earl of Rutland recover'd against Spenser and Woodward in the Common Pleas in an Action on the Case for disturbing the Earl to hold a Court in such a Manor, &c. upon which they brought Error in the King's Bench, and before the Errors discussed Woodward died: And the Question was, whether by the Death of one of the Plaintiffs in the Writ of Error the Writ be abated? For the Earl pray'd Execution of the first Judgment. And it was adjudged, that the Writ of Error is abated, and that the Earl is put to his *Scire fac.* against the Executor of him that is dead. And that for four Reasons; 1. There is a Difference between Death before Judgment and

and after Judgment; as in Trespafs against two or three, one dies pending the Writ, yet the Writ shall not abate, as 4 H. 7. 2. 2 H. 6. 15. 44 E. 3. & 47 E. 3. are; for the Trespafs in itself is several, and their Plea of *Non cul* is several, for the one may be acquitted, and the other may be condemned; otherwise where one of the Defendants dies after Judgment, and a Writ of Error brought, for now by the Judgment, that which was several is made joint; and the Judgment of Restitution ought to be according to the Loss, viz. that both shall be restored to that which they lost, and such Judgment of Restitution cannot be to a dead Person. 2. The Writ of Error is but a Commission between two of the one Part; and the Earl of the other Part; and therefore by the Death of one the Power is determin'd, *quod vide* 2 R. 3. 1. 3. Altho' the Writ of Error is but to discharge the Plaintiffs, yet if the Judgment be affirmed, the Charge will fall on the Executor of him that is dead, and does not survive to the other; and therefore the Executor of *Woodward* must be made Party, that he may plead in Salvation of the Testator's Goods. 4. The Law compels the Defendants to join in the Writ of Error, for the one alone cannot have Error, altho' *Fortescue* 35 H. 6. 19. is to the contrary; then the Law, which obliges their Joining in the Suit, cannot construe, but that by the Death of the one there is an Alteration, and the Difference is between the Death of the one after Error brought, and the Release of the one after Error brought; *quod vide Ruddock's Case* 6 Co. 25. a. but as 11 R. 2. *Brief* 638. in *Audita querela* by two, the one dies, yet the Writ shall not abate; for 1. This Suit does not touch the first Judgment, but is founded on Matter of a later Time. 2. The End of the Suit is to discharge their Bodies, and the Body of the one is not the Body of the other; and therefore his Death will not abate it. *Quod Nota.* *Per totam Curiam, præter Telverton* Justice. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiffs against the Earl.

Where the Death of one of the Plaintiffs in Error shall abate the Writ.

Acce 3. 6.

Cro. Jac. 19.

• Wallop *versus* Darby.

ON *Non cul* pleaded the Jury gave a special Verdict, viz. that *Jo. Browne* was seised in Fee of the Place where, &c. and held it in Socage, and devised all his Lands in *Anglia* to *J.* his Son and his Heirs; and if he died without Heir of his Body, then his Lands in *Culver*, &c. should be to *J. B.* his Nephew in Tail; *Item I give my Land in F. to S. my Nephew in Fee*, the Devisor died, *S.* died, and *Jo.* the Son survived, and died without Issue; and the Question was between the Heir of *J. B.* and the Heir of *S.* And it was adjudged that the Heir of *S.* should have the Land; for when the Devisor gave all to *J.* his Son

Cro. Jac. 190. Trespafs.

Construction of a Devise.

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Vide 1 Inst.
112. b.
Cr. El. 9.
Cr. Jac. 49.
Pl. Com.
541.

in Tail, and afterwards by another Clause in the Will gave the Land in one Vill to *S.* that is an Explanation of his Intent, that *Jo.* should have all *præter* the Land in the Vill appointed to *S.* and in this Case by *Williams* Justice, they are not Jointenants, but several Tenants; but if it had been all given to *J.* and by another Clause in the same Will all had been given to *S.* there they are Jointenants by the Intent of the Devisor; *Quod fuit concessum.* But in this Case by the better Opinion of the Court, *S.* took but by Way of Remainder after the Death of *J.* without Issue; for the Word [*Item*] *I give, &c.* depends on the precedent Words; and *S.* shall be in the same Condition as *J. B.* the Nephew would be; for the Estates limited to *J. B.* and *S.* are intirely conjoined to the Limitation of the Estate of *J.* the Son, *viz.* after his Death without Issue. *Quod Nota.*

Tampian *versus* Newsam and his Wife.

Cr. Jac. 288.
Assumpsit.
Repleader
after Verdict.
Salk. 217.
1 Show. 386.
Lutw. 9,
1594.

Cr. Jac. 530.
2 Ro. Rep.
90.
Cr. Jac. 239.
Heil. 10.

IN *Assumpsit* by the Plaintiff against *Newsam* and *Bridget* his Wife, after an Impar lance taken by both the Defendants, the Record was *ad quem Diem tam prædictus* the Plaintiff by his Attorney, *quam prædicti Jo. & Bridgetta* by their Attorney *veniunt, & prædicta Bridgetta dicit, quod ipsa non assumpsit*; and thereupon they were at Issue, and it was found for the Plaintiff, but he could not have Judgment, but a Repleader was awarded *per totam Curiam*: 1. Because the Defendants do not make any Defence, for the Record ought to have been, *quod prædicti Jo. & Bridgetta veniunt & defendant vim & Injur' quando, &c.* for by the Course of Law, before the Party pleads in Bar, he ought to defend the Tort supposed by the Plaintiff; and this is not a Misprision of the Clerk, but a Failure in Point of Substance. 2. It appears that the Plea pleaded is the Plea of the Wife only, and she alone cannot plead without her Husband, but both of them ought to join in Plea; and therefore the Record ought to be, *Quod prædicti Jo. & Bridgetta dicunt, quod ipsa Bridgetta non assumpsit*; the like Case was between *Chomley* Plaintiff against *Apsley* and his Wife in an Action for Words spoke by the Wife, where the Wife only pleaded *Non cul'*, and the Plaintiff had a Verdict, but he could not have Judgment, but a Repleader was awarded for the Reason aforesaid. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Defendants.

Lilburn *versus* Hern.

IN a Writ of Error to remove the Record out of *Durham*, where Judgment final was given in a Writ of Right, it appear'd that the Demandant in the Writ of Right counted of his own Possession *capiend' expletias Temp' Dom' El' Reg'*; and one Error assigned was, because the Demandant did not say in his Count, within thirty Years last past; for in that the Statute 32 H. 8. of Limitations makes the Law, which limits that a Man shall not demand higher of his own Possession than for thirty Years before; otherwise if he had counted of the Possession of his Ancestors, for the Time limited for that is sixty Years; and the same Law would be, if the Demandant had counted of his own Possession in the Time of this King generally, it had been good; for it appears to the Court judicially, that it is within thirty Years, forasmuch as the King has not reigned so long: But Q. *Eliz.* reigned forty Years and more, and therefore a Difference. The second Error assigned was, because Judgment final was given on the Tenant's Default on an Impar lance taken to a Day certain, where a *Petit cape* only ought to have been awarded; otherwise it is where the Tenant takes a general Impar lance and not to a Day prefixed, for there on his Default Judgment final shall be given, *quia Tenens recessit in Contemptum Curia*; for on a general Impar lance the Tenant has taken upon him to be always ready to defend his Right, so are the Precedents in the Book of Entries: But on a special Impar lance to a Day certain, there the Tenant is not bound to appear till the Day; and there may be Reason why he may excuse his Default, and then no Laches in him, and by Consequence no Reason that he should lose his Land peremptorily, where the Right does not appear to the Court, and where the Tenant has not committed any Contempt. *Quod Nota. Per tot' Cur'.* *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

1 Bulst. 159.
Cro. Jac. 292.
Error on a
Writ of
Right.

1 Show. 20.
65.
Lutw. 860.
1 Lev. 105.

Orde *versus* Moreton.

ERROR on a Recovery *in Eject' firmæ* out of the Court of *Durham*; and the Error assign'd was the Infancy of the Plaintiff in the Ejectment, who appear'd by Attorney, where he ought to have appear'd by Guardian; and upon Issue joined on the Infancy it was found for the Plaintiff in Error, *viz.* the Infancy was found; upon which the Plaintiff pray'd that the Judgment might be reversed. To which it was objected, that the Writ of Error brought was not a sufficient Warrant to the Court to proceed to the Reversal; 1. Because the Writ of Error is directed to the Bishop of *Durham* and others by Name,

Cro. Jac. 254.
1 Brownl.
150.
1 Bulst. 105,
129.
Hob. 138.
Error in E-
jectment.

Name, to remove a Record of an Ejectment between such and such, which was *coram* the said Bishop and seven others by Name, and the Record which is removed appears to be a Record of an Ejectment before the Bishop and eight others, so it is not the same Record specified in the Writ; for a Record before eight, and a Record before nine cannot be intended the same Record, but several; for at *Durham* all that are named in the Commission are joint, and not joint and several; according to the Case 2 *Aff. p. 5.* Attaint was brought on a Verdict which past on Oyer and Terminer, and the Writ supposed that the Verdict passed before four Justices, and the Record removed prov'd that it past but before two; and it was held that they had no Power nor Warrant to take the Attaint, for the Writ is not warranted by the Record; so in Error; for these Suits are to defeat the first Record, and therefore ought to agree, *viz.* the Writ and the Record; but where the Suit is on another collateral Matter foreign, and does not trench to the Annihilation of the Record, there such Misprision shall not be peremptory; as 31 *E. 3. Procedendo 3.* Assise of Rent, on Aid prier of the King there issued a *Procedendo*, which made Mention, that the Assise was arraigned before two Justices, where in Fact it was arraigned before three, and yet awarded good; for the Aid prier is but collateral to the Demand in the Assise. *Quod fuit concessum per Curiam.* 2. This Writ of Error is directed to the Bishop of *Durham* and six others by Name, and the Return of the Writ, *viz. Responso* of the Commissioners is by the Bishop and five others only, without making any Mention of the sixth Commissioner; so the Answer is not so full as is commanded by the Writ, and therefore ill: For the King by his Writ makes their Power to return the Record joint, and puts equal Confidence in them all, and therefore the Answer ought to be by all, unless some of them are dead after the Writ awarded, and then that ought to appear by the Answer of those that are alive: *Quod fuit etiam concessum per totam Curiam*, and the Plaintiff put to his new Writ of Error *de Recordo quod coram nobis residet*; for it was agreed on all Sides, that the Record is well removed, and remains here, notwithstanding the former Misprision; as it hath been often adjudged, where a Writ of Error issues to remove a Record between such Parties, which was *in Curia nostra coram Justiciariis nostris*, although the Record removed was *in Curia Domina Eliz.* and *coram Justic' suis*, yet being brought into the King's Bench, 'tis well removed, and remains there. *Quod Nota.* *Tilberton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

Woolby *versus* Pirley.

DEBT on a Lease for Years; the Plaintiff derived his Title by Grant of the Reversion by Way of Bargain and Sale in Fee, mean from the first Lessor; and declared that by Indenture of such a Date such a Person granted, bargained and sold for Money the Reversion to him in Fee, which Indenture was inrolled such a Day according to the Form of the Statute, and because he did not shew in what Court it was inrolled, and the Statute 27 H. 8. speaks of some special Courts, and there is no Reason to put the Lessee to such infinite Labour to search in all Courts, as well at *Westminster*, as in the Country with the Clerk of the Peace; therefore after Verdict, *Nil capiat per Billam* was enter'd. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

Cr. Jac. 191
1 Brownl.
114.
Bargain and
Sale, and
does not
shew in what
Court in-
roll'd.

1 Geo. c. 10.

Hill. 9 JAC. B. R.

Sir George Savill versus the Lord Candish.

THE Countess of *Shrewsbury* recover'd by Verdict against Sir *George Savill*, and on a Challenge *ex parte* of the Plaintiff to the Sheriff *de Com' Derby*, the *Venire facias*, &c. issued to the Coroners, who returned all the Writs, and at the Assises at the Trial a *Tales* was awarded, the Name of one of which *Tales* was *Gregory Grigson*, &c. and on the *Postea* returned by the Clerk of Assise in *Com' B.* the *Tales* was returned to be by the Sheriff, but in the Enttring up of the Judgment it was made *per Coronatores*, and the Name of the Juror on the *Tales*, which was *Gregory*, was returned by the Clerk of Assise accordingly by his true Name, but in the Roll of the Judgment he was named *George G.* And on this Judgment Sir *George Savill* brought a Writ of Error, which depended ten Years and more, and the first Plaintiff, which was the Countess of *Shrewsbury* died, this Matter being undetermin'd: And the Lord *Candish*, as Executor of the Countess, revived all by *Scire facias quare Executionem habere non debet*. And after Debate several Days, the Judgment was reversed for three Reasons: 1. Because on the Panel of the *Nomina Jurai*, after the twenty-four Jurors named, at the Foot of the Panel two Names were added

1 Brownl.
114.
Challenge to
the Sheriff.

Tales mis-
named.

Error.

Cr. Jac. 207.
Nomina Jur'
de novo ap-
posit' omit-
ted.

Ante 13.

Certificate
of the Clerk
of Assise.

of the Jurors, which really were of the *Tales*, but no Mention made that they were *Nomina Jurat' de novo apposit' secundum formam Statuti*; and that ought to be; for at the Common Law the Justices of Assise could not grant any *Tales* to supply the Defaults of the first Jurors, but it is merely by the Statute 35 H. 8. which ordains, that their Names shall be added to the first Panel; and it cannot be discerned to be accordingly, unless such Stile and Title be made *ut supra*, *Nomina Jurat' de novo apposit' secundum formam Statuti*, to distinguish what is done by the Common Law, and what by the Aid of the Statute. Also the Names of the Coroners ought to be added to the *Tales* in the Foot of the Panel, and in this Case their Names were only *in dorso*, which was on the Return of the first Panel: And altho' several Precedents were shewn, where the *Nomina Jurat' de novo*, &c. was omitted on the Panel, yet the Court did not regard them, because, as it seem'd, they past *sub Silentio*, without Exception. The second Reason was, because it appear'd by the Return of the *Postea*, that the *Tales* were returned by the Sheriff, which is Error, where the first Process issued to the Coroners; and although in the Entry of the Judgment in the Common Pleas it is said to be by the Coroners, yet that does not aid in this Case; for the Warrant of the Roll is the Certificate of the Clerk of Assise, and that is, that the *Tales* were returned by the Sheriff, and the Court cannot intend otherwise than is certified: 3. The Name of the Juror on the *Tales*, which is *Gregory*, is made in the Entry of the Judgment to be *George*; and if the Roll should be amended in this Point according to the Certificate of the *Postea*, then in the other Point before, of the Return of the *Tales* by the Sheriff, it is not amendable; and so every Way it was Error. *Per totam Curiam*. And the Judgment was at last revert. *Yelverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff in Error.

Bridges *versus* Einon.

1 Brownl.
115.
1 Bull. 178.
Cr. Jac. 300.
Debt on an
Award.

THE Plaintiff declared, that he and the Defendant 10 Febr' Anno 7. submitted themselves to the Award of Sir Roger *Bodenham*, who awarded they should be Friends, and that the Defendant should pay to the Plaintiff 100*l.* at Midsummer following at such a Place, and for 10*l.* unpaid he brought the Action. The Defendant pleaded in Bar a Release made by the Plaintiff to him of all Demands, which was made 10 Apr' before Midsummer, when the Debt was to be paid, and it was of all Demands *ab Initio Mundi usq;* 10 Apr', and shewed the Release to the Court; upon which the Plt. demurred. And it was adjudg'd against the Plt. for altho' the Sum of Money given by the Award is not grounded on any precedent Debt or Contract between

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the Parties, yet, *per Curiam*, it lies in Demand immediately, and may be assigned by the Plaintiff's Will to another, and the Executors shall have it, and in the Spiritual Law it is Credit immediately, whereof Administration may be granted before the Day of Payment, if the Plaintiff dies before; although no Action is given for it before Midsummer; for *revera* it is not recoverable before Midsummer, but yet it is a Duty immediately by the Award; and as the Award is perfect immediately when it is pronounced, so are all Things contained in the Award, unless they are made payable on a Condition precedent on the Part of one of the Parties; as if the Award had been, that if the Plaintiff gave the Defendant at Midsummer a Load of Hay, that then on the Delivery thereof the Defendant should pay the Plaintiff 10*l.* in that Case the 10*l.* cannot be released before the Day; for it rests merely in Possibility and Contingency, whether it will ever be paid; for it grows to be a Duty on the Delivery of the Hay only, and not before: And therefore it is like the Case 5 *E.* 4. 42. of the *Nomine pœna* waiting on the Rent, which cannot be released before the Rent is arrear; for the Non-payment of the Rent makes the *Nomine pœna* become a Duty: But the Case in Question is like the Case *Lit.* 117. where a Man is bound to pay Money at a Day to come, a Release of Actions before the Day cuts off the Duty, because by 7 *H.* 7. 6. it is a Duty immediately; *a fortiori* here, because the Release is of all Demands. *Quod Nota.* *Per tot' Cur.* *Teloerton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Poph. 136.
Cr. Jac. 171.

Ante 193.
Cr. Jac. 623.
Cro. El. 586.
5 Co. 70. b.

Release of
all Demands.
1 Inst. 292. b.

Hughes *versus* Keme.

THE Plaintiff declares, that he is possessed of an House in *London* by Lease from such a Person, in which House there had been three Lights from Time whereof, &c. by which wholesome Air had been receiv'd; and that the Defendant is possessed of an House, and of a void Piece of Land or Yard, which void Piece *contigue adjacet & conjungit* to the Plaintiff's House on that Side of the House where the three Lights are, which Lights are towards the Defendant's Yard, and so have been of antient Time, and that the Defendant had built a new House so much on the void Piece of Ground, *quod totaliter obscuravit* the Plaintiff's antient Lights, to his Damage, &c. The Defendant confesses, that he is possessed of an House for Years, and shews by whose Lease, and that he is bound by Covenant to pull it down and rebuild it, and shews that that Part of the Plaintiff's House, in which the Lights are, *contigue adjacet* to the Soil and House of the Defendant, and pleads a Custom in *London* which warrants the Rebuilding of any House on the same Foundation, where the antient House stood

Co. Entr. 20.
1 Bulstr. 115.
Godb. 183.
Calth. 1.

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in Height at the Pleasure of the Party, and that it is lawful by the Custom, though by the Rebuilding his Neighbour's Lights are stopped, unless there be some Writing to the contrary; and so justifies the Rebuilding of his House on the same Foundation higher than before, whereby the Plaintiff's Lights were stopped, as he well might; upon which the Plaintiff demurred. And it was adjudged that the Custom pleaded by the Defendant is a good Custom, for it might arise on a lawful Commencement or Reason in Cities or Burroughs; for if a Tradesman has settled himself in a commodious Part of the City, where he increases in his Trade, and his House becomes too small for his Company, he may build it higher for his better Habitation, and it is well allowable, for it tends to the Peopling of Cities, and to the Encouragement of Tradesmen in such Places, and as well allowable as the Custom of *London* 27 H. 6. 10. which allows Covenant to be brought by the Lessee against the Lessor for not repairing the House demised, altho the Lease be not by Indenture or other Writing; for it will encourage Tradesmen to take Houses in Lease, when they know they shall be repaired by the Lessors; and by Intendment, by this Custom the Rents reserved in *London* are the higher by Reason of such Burden and Charge which falls on the Lessors: But the Custom of a City which enables Men to build on a void Piece of Land, where there was no House before, and thereby to stop up his Neighbour's Lights, was held void *per totam Curiam*; for by that Means Men may lose all their Lights, which any Way come into their Houses, if they may be environ'd on every Side with new Houses, and by this Stratagem live *in tenebris*, which the Law will not allow. And so it was adjudged 39 Eliz. between *Mosely* and *Ball*, that such Custom alledg'd in the City of *York* to stop Lights by Building on new Foundations, where no House was before, was adjudged void. But in this Case Judgment was given against the Defendant by Reason he did not answer the Offence laid to his Charge, which is the Building on the void Piece of Ground, and by that Means stopping the Plaintiff's Lights; for the Defendant justifies only by Building on the old Foundation, and thereby stopping the Plaintiff's Lights, which is not the Matter wherewith the Plaintiff charges him, but merely another Matter; so the Point of the Plaintiff's Action not answer'd. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam. Yelverton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

Durrant *versus* Child.

TRESPASS for Chasing his Cattle, and shews what, *apud B.* to his Damage, &c. The Defendant justifies the Chasing in a Close call'd *M.* in *S.* which is his Freehold, and the Cattle Damage-feasant: The Plaintiff replies and shews that one *B.* is seised of a Close call'd *Catley* in *D.* in Fee, and demised it to the Plaintiff for Years, and that the Defendant is seised of a Close called *Fursy* in Fee, which *contigue adjacet* to the Close call'd *Catley*, and that the Defendant and all they whose Estate he has in *Fursy Close*, have used from Time whereof, &c. to repair the Fence and Hedges *inter Catley Close & Fursy Close*, which *Fursy Close proxime adjungit* to the Close call'd *M.* where the Cattle were chased; and shews that the Plaintiff put his Cattle into *Catley Close* to feed, which for Want of Enclosure escaped into *Fursy Close*, & *abinde* into the Close called *M.* &c. The Defendant rejoins, and confesses the Plaintiff to be possessed of *Catley Close*, *ut supra*; and he himself to be seised of *Fursy Close*, *ut supra*; but says that between *Catley Close* and *Fursy Close* there is a small Brook, which Brook at the Side of *Catley Close* hath a Bank *contigue adjacen'* to it, which Bank the Lessee of the Plaintiff, and they whose Estate, &c. have used Time whereof, &c. to repair; and that the Brook at the Side of *Fursy Close* hath another Bank *contigue adjacen'*, which the Defendant, &c. have used, &c. to repair; and because the Plaintiff had not repaired the Bank on the Side of *Catley Close*, the Cattle escaped into *Fursy Close*, and *abinde* into the Close called *M.* wherefore the Defendant chased them, as he lawfully might, &c. upon which the Plaintiff demurred. And it was adjudged *pro Quer'*; for the Defendant has made a good Bar, and the Plaintiff a good Replication, whereby the Plaintiff has removed the Fault from himself, and laid it upon the Defendant for his Neglect of Enclosing between *Catley & Fursy*; and now the Rejoinder does not confess and avoid the Replication, but perplexes the Matter by adding a Point of Prescription on the Plaintiff's Part, that he ought to repair a Bank between *Catley* and *Fursy* on which Issue cannot be taken; for then two Prescriptions will be at Issue together, which cannot be any more than two Affirmatives; as 5 *H.* 7. 12. and also the Matter contained in the Rejoinder does not answer the Matter comprised in the Replication but only by Way of Argument; and if it be true, it is good Matter in Evidence against the Plaintiff, who is bound to prove his Replication true; for the Plaintiff says, that *Catley & Fursy contig' adjac'*, *id est*, without any mean Space between them, and the Defendant in his Rejoinder says, that there is a Brook between *Catley & Fursy*; and if so, then *non contigue adjacent*.

1 Brownl.
221.
Trespas.

Two Pre-
scriptions
shall not be
in Issue.

adjacent. But the Defendant ought to have traversed the Prescription alledged by the Plaintiff, and that would make an End of the whole. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam. Yelverton* of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Musgrave versus Wharton Admin. of L. Musgrave.

Scire facias.
Scire facias
in one County on a
Judgment in
Debt in another.

THE Plaintiff Sir *Ed. Musgrave* recover'd on a Bond of 200*l.* against *Leonard Musgrave*, and the Action of Debt was laid in *Com' Cumberland*, afterwards *Leonard* the Defendant died intestate, and *Wharton* took Administration, and afterwards Sir *Ed'* the first Plaintiff sued a *Scire fac'* to execute the Judgment against *Wharton*, and laid this Action in *Com' Westmerl'*, and upon *plene administravit* pleaded, the Jury found 160*l.* Assets in the Hands of *Wharton*: And *Yelverton* moved in Arrest of Judgment that this *Scire fac'* ought to have pursued its Original; forasmuch as he demands Execution of the first Judgment on the Action laid in *Cumberland*; and forasmuch as the *Scire fac'* was brought in *Westmerland*; for this Reason the Action is misconceived, for it ought also to be brought in *Cumberland*, according to the Book 18 *E. 4. 5.* and it was lately adjudg'd in *Rolls's Case*, where *H.* recover'd against him 300*l.* by Action of Debt brought in *Middlesex*, and afterwards he brought Debt on the Record, and laid the Action in *Cornwall*, and Issue was joined, and found against *Rolls*; yet for the Reason aforesaid the Judgment was reversed; for Debt on the Record ought to have been brought in *Middlesex* where the Record is, and where the first Recovery was; which was adjudged *Mick. Anno 7.* But, *per Cur'*, there is a Difference between Debt on the Record and *Scire fac'* on the Record; for Debt on the Record recites the former Action and Place where the Recovery was, *viz. cum A. nuper in Cur' Dom' Reg', &c. apud Westm' in Com' Midd', &c.* So that there appears within the Record a material Variance in the Proceedings: But the *Scire fac'* recites only, *quod cum A. recuperasset* such a Debt, *quod quidem Judicium adhuc restat, &c.* So that no Place, where the first Recovery is, appears; and the Court cannot take Notice that the *Scire fac'* is grounded on the Record of the Judgment in *Cumberland*, because the *Scire fac'* is a distinct Record of itself, not yet annexed to the first Judgment; and the Truth being, that this *Scire facias* was to execute the first Judgment, the Defendant ought not to have pleaded *Plene administravit*; for he has thereby admitted the *Scire fac'* good, but he ought to have pleaded in Abatement of it, by shewing the first Action to have been brought in *Cumberland*. Wherefore they gave Judgment for the Plaintiff, and advised the said *Wharton* to bring Error, and shewed their Opinions clearly, that it would be

Error;

* Error; because now after Judgment in the *Scire fac'*, the first Judgment, and this Execution on the *Scire fac'*, make but one Record, whereof the Judges in the Exchequer-Chamber must take Notice. *Quod Nota.* A good Case of Experience.

* Cro. Jac.
331.
Hob. 4

Pasch. 10 JAC. B. R.

Morgan *versus* Sock.

SOCK brought Debt on a Bond of 14*l.* made by *Arthur Morgan Anno 1.* to him, against *Tho. Morgan* his Administrator; the Defendant pleaded, that after the Death of *Arthur*, and after Administration committed, *viz. 16 Septembr' Anno 6.* the Plaintiff sued this Original against him, of which he had not Notice till 24 *Febr' Anno 6.* before, which Day the Defendant was put to *Exigent* for Non-appearance, which *Exigent* was returnable a *Die Pasche in 3 Sept'* after; and that 17 *Febr' Anno 6.* which was before the Notice, his Letters of Administration were revoked *legitime* by the Archbishop, and granted to *Rich. Morgan* Brother of *Arthur*, which *Rich.* is yet Administrator; and said that he at the Time of the Letters revoked had several of the Goods of the Intestate in his Hands, and shewed what *in Specie*, to the Value of 200*l.* and that he after the Administration revoked, and before Notice of this Suit, had † deliver'd them over to *Richard*, *viz. 22 Febr' Anno 6.* and that he at the Time of the Letters revoked had fully administer'd all the Goods of the Intestate *præter* the Goods deliver'd to *Richard*, &c. The Plaintiff replied, that this Administration was revoked by Covin between the Defendant and *Richard*. And upon that Issue was joined, and it was found to be by Covin; wherefore the Plaintiff had Judgment to recover the Debt and Damages *de bonis & catallis prædicti Arthuri tempore Mortis suæ in manibus prædicti* the Defendant *levand' existen', &c.* and upon this Judgment a Writ of Error was brought, and it was assigned for Error, that the Judgment ought to be conditional, (*viz.*) to recover the Debt of the Goods of the Intestate (*si tanta in Manibus* of the Defendant *existunt, &c.*) and not absolutely. But the Judgment was affirmed *per tot' Cur'*; for where the Judgment may be final and certain, it shall never be conditional; and because it appears here by the Defendant's Plea, that he has 200*l.* in his Hands of the Intestate's Goods, it will be in vain to give Judgment

1 Brownl.
116.
1 Bullst. 187.
Error on
Debt.

† Vide Cro.
El. 565.
Cro. Car. 88,
89.
Salk. 313.

Dy. 210. 2.

Where Judgment against Administrator shall be conditional.
Anno 158.

. against

against him (if he has in his Hands) when he himself has confessed, that he has more in his Hands than will satisfy this Debt; and in that Case if the Sheriff could not levy the Debt in the Hands of the Defendant, he might on the Defendant's own Shewing, without any Danger, return a *Devastavit. Quod Nota. Per tot' Cur'*. And *Telverton* shew'd them a Precedent 1 *Jac. C. B.* to the same Purpose. And he was of Counsel for the Defendant in the Writ of Error.

Coveney *versus* Wooden.

2 Bulst. 37.
Assumpsit.

THE Plaintiff declared, that in Consideration he would suffer the Defendant to occupy such an House of his from such a Day till *Mich.* following, the Defendant promis'd to save the Plaintiff harmless from all Losses which he should sustain by his Habitation there in the said House, and also that for every Farthing-worth of Damage which the Plaintiff should sustain by such Habitation of the Defendant there, the Defendant would give the Plaintiff 2*d.* on Request. The Plaintiff alledged that the Defendant occupied and inhabited in the House by his Permission, and that the said House during the Time that the Defendant inhabited there, and before *Mich.* after, was burnt by Fire by the Defendant's Negligence, and yet the Defendant had not saved the Plaintiff harmless from the Damage which he had sustain'd by Reason of the Defendant's Dwelling there, nor paid the Plaintiff 2*d.* for every Farthing-worth of Loss which he had sustained, to his Damage 40*l.* The Defendant pleaded *Non Assumpsit*, and it was found for the Plaintiff, to his Damage 40*l.* and yet *Nil capiat per Billam* was enter'd, because the Plaintiff did not shew in his Declaration, *how many Farthings Loss he sustained* by the Burning of the House, and that is material; for the Court cannot intend but that the Jury have given Damage, as well for not saving the Plaintiff harmless, as for the Farthing-worths of Loss which the Plaintiff sustained; and that the Jury ought not to do without the Plaintiff shew'd to *how many Farthings* his Loss amounted. *Quod Nota. Per tot' Cur'.* *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

Sir Walter Chetwynd *versus* Meeson.

Cr. Jac. 308.
Words.

THE Plaintiff shewed, that by the King's Letters Patent *Anno* 8. he was made Justice of Peace *in Com' Staff'*, and that at such Sessions, &c. held before him and other Justices by Name, the Defendant was call'd on his Recognisance to the King, and appear'd, and one *Hickman* *adtunc* complain'd to the Justices of the Defendant's ill Behaviour, and on his Oath voluntarily, without any Subornation or Procurement of the Plt. swore that the Def. against his Will had taken his Wife, and pray'd Remedy against the Def. which Thing the Def.

not excusing, he was by the Justices *ad tunc* bound *de se bene gerendo*, and to appear at the next Sessions, yet the Defendant *machinans* to slander the Plaintiff in his Office, as Justice of Peace, and to make the Plaintiff incur the Penalty of the Statute 5 *Eliz.* for Subornation of Perjury spoke of the Plaintiff, being Justice of Peace, these Words 2 *Apr*' 9. *By your Means I had Wrong at the Sessions, and there you did cause Hickman to swear that which was untrue against me*, to his Damage 100*l.* And upon *Non cul*' pleaded, it was found for the Plaintiff, and 30*l.* Damage assessed by the Jury: And *per Cur*' the Plaintiff had Judgment; for the Words tend to a direct Scandal of the Plaintiff in his Office, as Justice of Peace; for to cause *Hickman*, and to procure *Hickman*, to swear falsely, is all one, and a great Imputation to the Plaintiff, and punishable, if it be true. *Quod Nota.* *Telborton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Rice *versus* Harrison.

THE Plaintiff declar'd on a Lease from *Jo. Bull, &c.* 1 *Brownl.* 147.
The Defendant pleaded that the Land is Copyhold, Parcel of such a Manor, whereof the King is seised, and was seised, Cr. Jac. 299.
and that the King by his Steward at such a Court granted the Land in Question to him in Fee, to hold at Will according to the Custom, by Virtue whereof he was admitted, and enter'd, 2 *Bulst.* 1.
and was seised till the Lessor enter'd upon him, and ousted him Trover.
and demised to the Plaintiff, upon whom he re-enter'd and ejected him, &c. The Plaintiff replied, that before the King had any Thing in the Manor, Q. *Eliz.* was seised thereof in Fee in *Ture Corone*, and, before the Ejectment supposed by the Defendant, by her Steward at such a Court granted the Land in Question by Copy to the Lessor in Fee, to hold at Will according to the Custom, who was admitted and enter'd, and shewed the Discent of the Manor to the King, and that the Lessor enter'd and demised to the Plaintiff, who enter'd and was possess'd, till ejected by the Defendant: Upon which the Defendant demurred, because he supposed that the Plaintiff ought to traverse the Grant by Copy alledg'd by the Defendant in the Bar: But, *per Curiam*, the Replication is good, for the Plaintiff has confessed and avoided the Defendant's Title by a former Copy granted by Q. *Eliz.* under whom the King that now is claims, and then the Plaintiff ought not to traverse the Grant to the Defendant, for such Traverse would make the Plea vitious; *quod vide* * *Hilliar's Case*, 6 *Rep.* & 14 *H. 8.* *Putkin's Case*, & 2 *E. 6.* *Dy. & Br. Tit.* † *confess and avoid*; for as no Man can have a Lease for Years without Assignment, no more can a Man have a Copy without a Grant made in Court. *Quod Nota.* *Per totam Curiam.* *Telborton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Where a Man shall not traverse, and also confess and avoid.

Cro. Car. 581.

* Cro. El. 650.
Mo. 551.
6 Co. 24 b.
† Pl. ult.

Slocomb *versus* Hawkins.

Cr. Jac. 318.
1 Brownl.
148.
Ejectment.

Power to
make Leases.

Cro. El. 5.

IN Ejectment on a Special Verdict, the Case was; Mrs. *Lut-terel* Tenant in Fee of the Manor of *D.* levied a Fine to the Use of herself for Life, and after to the Use of *J.* the elder Son in Tail, &c. with Power for herself at any Time to make Leases for twenty-one Years, or for three Lives, rending the antient Rent, &c. and demised two Parts to *B.* for twenty-one Years, and before that Lease expir'd she made another Lease to *B.* for twenty-one Years, to commence after the former determin'd; and as to the third Part of the Land, she made a Lease of that for twenty-one Years after the Death of one *Carne* (who in Fact never had any Estate in the Land) and died, the first Lease expir'd, and *J.* the Son enter'd, and demised to the Plaintiff, and the Defendant claimed under *B.* the Lessee. And it was adjudg'd *pro Quer'*; for on such Power she could not make a Lease to commence at a Day to come, but the Lease ought to be in Possession, and not in Interest to commence *in futuro*, nor in Reversion after another Estate ended; but the Law will adjudge on the general Power to make Leases, without saying more, that they ought to be Leases in Possession; for if she might by such Power make Lease upon Lease, she might by making infinite Leases detain them in Remainder from the Possession for ever, which is contrary to the Intent of the Parties, and contrary to Reason. Accordingly adjudged *Trin. 30 Eliz.* The Earl of *Suffex's* Case 6 Co. 33. a. And *Williams* Justice said, when he was Serjeant, it was adjudged accordingly in the Earl of *Essex's* Case in C.B. on a Power reserv'd by *Walter* Earl of *Essex*. *Quod Nota.* *Per totam Curiam* thrice adjudged. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

Trin. 10 JAC. B. R.

Brasier *versus* Beale.

Cr. Jac. 305.
1 Brownl.
149.
Ejectment.

ON a Special Verdict in Ejectment, the Case was; that a Copyholder in Fee of the Manor of *Blackthorn in Com' Oxon'*, by Licence from the Lord demised the Land for sixty Years to *M.* if he should so long live, yielding Rent on Condition of Re-entry: The Copyholder surrender'd to the Lessor of the Plaintiff in Fee, who demanded the Rent on the Land, which was not paid

paid; wherefore he enter'd and demised to the Plaintiff. And without any Argument by the Court, it seems the Entry of the Lessor is not congeable; for Copyhold Land is not within the Statute of Conditions, neither is the Lessor such an Assignee as the Statute means; for at the Common Law a Copyhold Estate is but an Estate at Will, and Custom has only fixed his Estate to endure; which Custom does not trench to such collateral Things, as Entries for Conditions; for such Assignee of a Copyhold being in but by Custom only, is not privy to the Lease made by the first Copyholder, nor in by him, but may plead his Estate immediately under the Lord. *Quod Nota.* *Per totam Curiam*, on the first Opening of the Matter. *Yelverton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

32 H. 8. c.
34.
Vide 1 Show.
284.
4 Mod. 80.
3 Lev. 326.
Salk. 185.
Comb. 185.

Sutcliffe *versus* Constable.

Christ. Constable Anno 32 Eliz. seised in Fee of the Manor of *East Hatfield in Com' York*, enfeoffed *H. Remington* by Indenture, rendring for certain Closes, Parcel of the Manor, 60*l.* at two Feasts, with Clause of Distress, if arrear by 14 Days; *Chr.* Anno 43. by Indenture bargained and sold the 60*l.* to the Plaintiff for all his Estate; which was enrolled, by Virtue whereof she was seised of the Rent for the Life of *Chr.* and so seised lost the Part of the Indenture sealed by *Remington*, which the same Day, viz. 24 Nov. Anno 44 came to the Hands of the Defendant by Trover, who *Vi & armis* teared the Seal of the said Indenture, *contra Pacem, &c.* to her Damage 400*l.* The Defendant pleaded that *Chr. non concessit* the Manor of *E.* to *Remington*, rendring the Rent, &c. *modo & forma*; and thereupon the Plaintiff demurred. And altho' it was objected, that the Bar was good, because it is a direct Traverse to the Plaintiff's Title, and destroys the Ground of the Plaintiff's Action; for if no Rent was granted, then the Indenture whereof the Plaintiff complains does not belong to the Plaintiff; for it passes to the Plaintiff but as incident to the second Grant for Necessity to make Title, as the Lord *Buckhurst's* Case is, 1 *Co. Rep.* & 7 *E.* 4. 30. in Assise of Rent, the Demandant made Title by Deed of a Rent-charge, the Tenant may say he did not grant by the Deed; because the Issue is taken on a Specialty, and not on a Generalty. *Pigot.* But in an Assise of Office it is no Plea, that there is no such Office, for that amounts to no more than that he did not disleise him. *Fairfax.* The same Law 45 *E.* 3. 1. In Trespas of Charters taken, it is no Plea, that he never had such Charters, but he ought to plead *Non cul.* So in Trespas of Goods, it is no Plea that the Property was to a Stranger, and not to the Plaintiff, because he does not thereby deny that the Plaintiff was in Possession, which is sufficient for that Action 20 *H.* 6.

1 Brownl.
222.
1 Bullst. 214.
Trespas.

An Action
does not lie
for the
Counterpart
of an Indenture
without
a special
Grant.

1 Co. 1. b.

28. which Books prove, (*per Curiam*) that the Plea in Bar is not good; for the Defendant destroys the Plaintiff's Action but by Argument, and the Rent is not demanded by this Action, but Damages for Tearing the Indenture: So that the Title to the Rent is not in Question. Then *Telwerton* took Exceptions to the Declaration; 1. That the Action is brought for Tearing the Counterpart, by which the Rent was not created, and the Indenture is not granted expressly to the Plaintiff, but the Rent of 60*l.* only bargained and sold, then this Counterpart which belong'd to *Remington* did not pass to the Plaintiff as incident, for it is not the original Deed by which the Rent was at first reserved. *Quod fuit concessum* by all but the Chief Justice; for he said, that this Counterpart waits upon the Interest, and is a good Evidence for it. 2. It is not averr'd by the Plaintiff, that *Christopher*, for whose Life the Rent was reserved, was alive at the Time of the Tearing of the Deed; and if *Christopher* was dead the Deed belong'd to the Defendant *de Jure*, as *Christopher's* Heir, for so much appears by the Plaintiff's own Shewing, *quod fuit concessum per Curiam*. 3. The Plaintiff does not shew any Possession in Fact of the Deed but by Way of Argument, *viz.* that she casually lost it, which is not sufficient; for none shall have Trespas but he who is in actual Possession, *quod fuit concessum per Curiam*. 4. The Counterpart whereof the Plaintiff complains contain'd as well a Warranty as the Rent reserved: And therefore without a special Gift thereof made by *Christopher* to the Plaintiff, this Deed does not pass by Law to the Plaintiff, as it is adjudg'd in the Lord *Buckhurst's* Case. 5. If *Christopher* the Father be dead the Indenture has lost its Force as to the Rent; for by his Death the Rent is determin'd, and therefore the Plaintiff ought to have averr'd the Life of *Christopher*; for of a Deed determin'd no Action lies. For which Reasons the Plaintiff discontinued her Suit. *Telwerton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

Mich. 10 JAC. B. R.

Odingfall *versus* Jackson, &c.

Cr. Jac. 306.
1 Brownl.
149.
2 Bulst. 35.
Ejectment.

Ejectment; the Declaration was, that the Defendants *intraverunt, & ejecit, expulit & amovit* the Plaintiff (in the singular Number) and after Verdict for the Plaintiff, on *Non cul'* pleaded, the Defendants shewed the Matter aforesaid in Arrest of Judgment; for the

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Declaration is incertain in the Point of the Action, *quia nescitur* which of the Defendants ejected the Plaintiff; for the Ejectionment by his own Shewing appears to be but against one; and on this Declaration also the Jury cannot find all the Defendants guilty; because by the Plaintiff's Supposal, one only ejected him. But, *per Curiam*, the Plaintiff shall have Judgment, and the Declaration shall be mended in this Point, for it is but Amendment the Default of the Clerk; and so it was. *Quod Nota.* *Nelberton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

Newhall versus Barnard.

THE Plaintiff declared for the Stopping of three Lights by a Building in the Yard of the Defendant, &c. to his Damage, &c. The Defendant by Way of Bar justified the total Stopping of two Lights by Reason of a Custom in *London* from Time whereof, &c. and the Stopping of the third Light in Part, and that also by the Custom of *London*; and concluded, *absque hoc*, that he *est cul' aliter vel alio modo*; and thereupon the Plaintiff demurred, and it was adjudged for the Plaintiff; 1. Because the Justification in Part of one of the three Lights is incertain, for the Court cannot know in what Part of the Light, (*viz.*) Eastward, Westward, &c. without the Defendant's own Shewing. 2. Because the Plaintiff's Declaration is not answer'd as to this third Light; for the Plaintiff has supposed *totum Lumen & Aer* to be stopped in three several Lights, and the Defendant does not answer the Stopping of the third Light but in Part, and so for the others he confesses himself guilty, and his Traverse is idle, for if he does not justify the whole, he is guilty in the whole, as this Case is: And therefore he ought to have pleaded *Non cul'* to Part, and shewn what Part, and made it certain by Bounds, and to have justified for the Residue. Wherefore the Plaintiff recovered by the Opinion of the whole Court. *Nelberton* was of Counsel with the Plaintiff.

1 Bulst. 116.
Action on
the Case.

1 Sand. 26.
2 Sand. 127.
Lutw. 1492.
1 Lev. 16.

Loggins versus Titherton.

DEBT; the Bond on which the Plaintiff declared was, that the Defendant acknowledg'd himself to owe to the Plaintiff, and to be bound *in trigintata libris*, &c. but it appear'd on Oyer demanded of the Bond; for the Plaintiff declared for 30*l.* *viz.* *triginta libris*: And, *per Curiam*, *Nil capiat per billam*; forasmuch as there is no such Word as *trigintata*, and *per consequens* the Party bound in no Sum, and if a Man is bound in a Bond *in (Libris)* without saying *how many*, it is a void Bond. *Per totam Curiam.* *Quod Nota.*

Cr. Jac. 309.
con.
M. 2 Rot.
626.
No Latin
Words a-
bound.
Vide supra
193, 194.

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Doughty

Doughty *versus* Fawn.

1 Brownl.
117.
2 Bull. 19.
Debt on
Bond.

* The Original is pour
Payment des
Portions les
dit fits-en
le Pl', &c.
ceant & a-
voit Subpœ-
na return
que fut ser-
vie, sur que.

† Mo. 23.
1 Ro. R.
408.

THE Plaintiff declar'd on a Bond of 120*l.* 2 Nov. 43 *El.* the Condition was, that whereas *Ed. Ash* by his Will in Writing of such Date, had disposed of the Guardianship of the Defendant, whereof the Testator was possessed, *viz.* that Tender of a Marriage should be made by such Persons whereof the Plaintiff was one, which was done accordingly; *if therefore the Defendant, &c. do save and keep harmless* the Plaintiff, &c. from all Charges and Troubles, &c. which may happen to the Plaintiff, &c. *for or by Reason* of the last Will of the said *Ed. Ash*, or any Thing mentioned in it, *touching or concerning* one Margaret Fawn, or any Legacy or Bequest to her given or bequeathed, or thereby, or otherwise from *Ed. Ash* to her Due, then the Bond shall be void. The Defendant pleaded *Non damnificat*, &c. The Plaintiff replied, that after the Bond made, one *Martha Smith* in the Behalf of *Jo. and Ed. Ash*, Sons of *Ed. Ash* named in the Condition, exhibited a Bill against the Plaintiff, &c. as Administrators of *Ed. Ash* in Chancery, * for Payment of the Portions of the said Sons; whereupon the Plaintiff, &c. by Way of Answer pleaded fully administer'd, and in Proof thereof shewed several Payments by them made, and among other Payments that the Plaintiff, &c. had paid to *Margaret Fawn* named in the Condition 60*l. pro Legatione* by the Will of *Ed. Ash* to her Due, the Payment of which 60*l.* was disallowed by the Judgment of the Court, and by the Order of the Court 65*l.* in Default of Allowance of the first 60*l.* the Plaintiff, &c. paid to *Ed. Ash* the Son, which 60*l.* &c. the Defendant had not repaid tho' requested, and so said *quod damnificat existit*, &c. upon which the Defendant demurred. And the Opinion of the whole Court, after great Debate, was against the Plaintiff; for the Plaintiff in his Replication has alledged two Things to inforce his Damnification. 1. That the Plaintiff, &c. in his Answer in Chancery *allegavit* the Payment of 60*l.* to *Margaret Fawn* for a Legacy due to her by the Will. 2. That this Allegation was rejected by the Judgment of the Court of Chancery: And neither of these Matters is certainly alledged, but by Way of Argument and Implication, and not expressly; for he ought to have shewn that a Legacy of 60*l. in facto* was given to *Marg. Fawn* by the Will of *Ed. Ash*; for altho' in the Condition the Will of *Ed. Ash* is recited in the Date, † against which Recital the Defendant cannot say, that he made no Will, yet this special Legacy to *Margaret Fawn* is not recited in the Condition, but in Generalty, against which the Defendant might have taken a Traverse, *quod Ed. Ash non legavit*, &c. to her the

60*l.* and upon that a good Issue might be taken: 2. The Plaintiff says, that this Payment of 60*l.* was rejected by Judgment of the Chancery, and it does not appear in the whole Replication, * where the Chancery at that Time was, *viz.* at *Westminster*, or in another Place, and that likewise is issuable and triable by Jury, whether there was such Order of Chancery or not; for their Orders are but in Paper, and are not of Record to be tried by the Record, but by Jury, as 38 *H. 6.* is. And therefore the Plaintiff seeing the Opinion of the Court against him, pray'd that he might discontinue the Suit. *Quod fuit concessum per Fleming* Chief Justice, and the other Justices would not cross him in it. *Telverton* was of Counsel with the Defendant.

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Term. Hill. 10 JAC. B. R.

Girling *versus* Baker.

A Man recover'd in C. B. in Debt on an *Infirmul computasset*. The Defendant brought a Writ of Error in B. R. and he who recover'd pray'd, that he might (according to the Statute 3 *Jac.*) put in Sureties by Recognisance to pay the Condemnation, if the Judgment should be affirmed. And, *per Curiam*, this Case is out of the Statute; because the Debt recover'd did not accrue by any Contract or other Duty certain at first, but merely on an Account between the Parties, which Account has reduced several uncertain Sums to a Certainty; so that, because the original Cause of the Action is founded on the Account, which is wholly uncertain, for that Reason it is out of the Statute. The same Law in Debt on an Award, when the Arbitrators have reduced several Controversies to be recompensed by one Sum, it is a Debt, but not such Debt as is intended by the Statute. *Quod Nota.*

2 Bullst. 53.
What shall
be a Debt
within 3 Jac.
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Comb. 105.

Gill *versus* Glasse.

IN Debt, the Plaintiff declar'd on a Lease for Years made to the Defendant of Land in *E.* rendring such Rent, and for so much arrear at such Feast, he brought the Action. The Defendant (the Lease not being by Indenture) pleaded, that the Plaintiff *Tempore Divisij nihil habuit in*

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2 Bullst. 41.
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Any imper-
fect Issue
aided by
Verdict.

*tenementis prædictis, unde Dimissionem prædictam facere po-
tuit.* The Plaintiff replied and said, *Quod Tempore Dimissio-
nis habuit bonum & sufficientem statum in Tenementis præ-
dictis, unde* he might make the Demise, &c. And upon that
they were at Issue, and it was found for the Plaintiff, who
had his Judgment accordingly. The Defendant brought Er-
ror, and assigned a Fault in the Replication; for the Plaintiff
ought to have shewn specially what Estate he had, so that it
might appear to the Court, that he had sufficient in the Land,
whereof to make the Lease. *Quod fuit concessum per Cur'.*
But yet the Judgment was affirmed; for this Defect is aided
by the Verdict by the Statute of Jeofails; for although the Is-
sue is not so formally joined as it ought, yet it is an Issue
tried, which may make an End of the Matter; for it is found
that the Plaintiff had an Estate in the Land, of which he
might make the Demise. *Quod Nota.*

Deuce *versus* Deuce.

Ejectment.

An incertain
Verdict aid-
ed by In-
tendment.

Ejectment *de 8 Acris terræ, 4 Prati, 4 Pasturæ in B. & C.
in Com' Kantix;* upon *Non cul'* pleaded, the Jury found
the Defendant guilty *in tertia Parte 4 Acr' terræ*, and assessed
Damages, & *quoad resid' non cul.* And it was moved in Ar-
rest of Judgment, that the Verdict is incertain, because *Non
constat* in which of the Vills the third Part lies. But *non allo-
catur per Curiam*, for it shall be intended, that every Acre
of Land named in the Declaration lies in both Vills; for so
much is presumed by the Declaration, and by the *Venire fa-
cias* from both Vills. *Quod Nota. Per totam Curiam.* And
Judgment accordingly. *Yelverton* was of Counsel with the
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