1681. November 17. Alexander Chaplain, W. S. against brown, Relict of Marjoribanks.

ALEXANDER Chaplain, Writer to the Signet, pursues a general declarator of umquhile Joseph Marjoribanks's escheat, (to which he was made donatar,) against Brown his relict, and John Marjoribanks his brother.

Alleged,—The denunciation was unwarrantable, being after a bill of suspension presented and intimated. Answered,—The stop of execution was

taken off.

This, after a hearing in presence, was repelled, and declarator granted; reserving reduction of the said denunciation as accords of the law.

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1681. November 19. John Inglis, Advocate, against William Chiesly, Christian Tarbet, and William Allan.

In the action John Inglis, advocate, against Mr William Chiesly and Christian Tarbet, and William Allan, servitor to Mr Walter Pringle, advocate; Mr William having deponed on the terms of the depositation of the new bond, the Lords ordained him to be reëxamined if he had any warrant or order from James Tarbet elder to give up the old bond to Sir John Chiesly the debtor, and to take a new one; or to cancel the two daughters' assignations; seeing his son's bringing the bond when his father was in agone mortis, was no presumption of any warrant he had from his father to that effect; which might have been presumed if his father had been in liege poustie.

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1681. November 23. James Sanderson against George Jarden.

The debate betwixt James Sanderson, donatar to the bastardy and ultimus hares of James Monteith, and George Jarden, late bailie in Edinburgh, being reported, the Lords found Fullarton's comprising null, because the execution of the denunciation of the comprising did not bear that a copy or schedule was delivered to the debtor when he was warned: though it appeared, by the execution, that a schedule was left on the ground of the lands; and that he was warned, personally apprehended, and that he was then minor. None of which special circumstances the Lords regarded.

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1681. November 25. Robert Allan against Thomas Allan.

MR Robert Allan pursues Mr Thomas Allan, minister at Wachopdale, his