this was, that one procurator proponed promiscuously a defence for all the defenders, though all of them did not know of the disclamation, but only some:) and therefore the Lords ordained John Callander to depone upon the verity of the haill articles of his account; reserving to themselves to modify the charges expended by him, as they see cause, because he carried on several other causes of his own under the pretence of this. Vol. I. Page 498.

1688. February 22. WALTER GIBSON against CRAWFURD of CARSBURN.

Walter Gibson, Provost of Glasgow, his charge against Crawfurd of Carsburn, on an Admiral-decreet, was reported by Collington. The Lords ordained merchants to give their opinion, whether, if a ship be sold where the buyer undertakes the burden of the outreik, if masts will fall under the notion of outreik, seeing she could not be a complete ship without masts. Vide l. 44 D. de Evict.; Molloy, de Jure Maritimo, p. 194; and Loccenius, lib. 1, c. 2. 2do, To give their advice and report what is the custom of the Carribbee islands, of giving gratifications to the governors, that their ships may be declared free; and if the ship bears all or only a third part of it; for which Molloy was cited, lib. 2, cap. 6. And found no annualrent due for the outreik, and that they were not such impensæ in navem as bore annualrent, as victuals, provisions, and bottomry do.

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1688. February 28. LADY CARLOURY against Her Husband's Creditors.

The young Lady Carloury having given in a bill for an aliment to herself and children out of her husband's estate;—the Lords gave her £50 sterling. Which was thought very hard, where the estate will not pay the creditors' annualrents.

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1688. February 28. SIR ROBERT PRESTON'S CHILDREN against His CREDITORS.

THE Children of Sir Robert Preston of that ilk, upon a bill, got a modification, from their father's creditors, of 600 merks for this year, during the dependence of their count and reckoning.

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1688. February 28. JAMES KER against John Gibson.

JAMES Ker gave in a bill against John Gibson, his wife's father, showing he