No 136.

be denied, but he has used horning.—Duplied, If he had immediately prosecute the charge, there might be some pretence to found this reduction; but he was so far in mora that the denunciation and registration was ten or eleven months posterior to the charge, and their rights intervened,—Triplied, Any time within the year was fufficient, no law requiring a denunciation sooner; and, by many decifions, rights after a charge of horning (though prior to the denunciation) have been reduced as in defraud, 12th February 1675, Vietch contra the Executors of Ker and Pallat, No 127. p. 1029.; 18th July 1677, Murray of Keillor against Drummond, No 139. p. 1048.; January 1681, Bathgate contra Bowdoun, No 140, p. 1040,; and in the case of Cockburn's creditors, (infra, b. t.) -THE LORDS confidered, That a charge of horning was a foundation either for affecting the personal or heritable estate of the debtor; and that a charge of horning fatisfied the terms of the act of Parliament; therefore they fuftained Carridden's reduction, he proving Sir William's infolvency at that time, though his condition was not then so propaled as to make him holden and repute a notour bankrupt, the standard being but lately fixed by the act of Parliament containing a notour bankrupt's marks and definition.

Fol. Dic. v. 1. p. 77. Fountainball, v. 1. p. 796.

SECT. V.

What Diligence fufficient to found Reduction upon the act 1621.

1621. December 12. John Richardson against James Eltone.

No 137.

A BANKRUPT post fugam vel in fuga may do no voluntary deed in prejudice of a creditor que habit paratam executionem. A decreet of registration is found to be diligence, quoad concreditorem who has no decreet, but a voluntary assignation.

Kerse, (CREDITOR.) MS. werso of fol. 56.

1623. February 21. James Craw again it David and Thomas Persone.

No 138.

THE LORDS found that bankrupt might b proven by a charge; and that thereafter he was denounced rebel; and that the affignation, made *medio temporis*, was null by the statute, except it be proven that it was upon an onerous cause.

Kerse, (CREDITOR.) MS. verso of fol. 56.