a rebel at the King's horn, except that he had satisfied the kirk and made repentance, and the sentence had been suspended some way; for any at God's horn should be refused in all things which are refused to a rebel to the King; but the Lords ordained him to find caution to satisfy the kirk, and this was repelled, for he might defend notwithstanding thereof, as a suspender is compted; but the canon law permits not any excommunicated person to pursue.

Act. Craig. Alt. Belshes. Clerk, Gibson.
Fol. Dic. v. 2. p. 84. Durie, p. 812.

1674, January 24.

BLAIR against BLAIR.

GLASCLUN having pursued Ballerd for payment of certain feu-duties, he proponed a defence. The pursuer debarred him with horning. It was alleged, That this horning being but a denunciation at the cross of Edinburgh, where the defender lives not, it was null contrary to the act of Parliament, requiring 'denunciations to be at the head burgh of the jurisdiction where the denounced dwells;' and therefore, upon denunciations at Edinburgh, no escheat falls, nor is any relaxation requisite, and so thereby parties were never accounted as rebels, not having personam standi in judicio. It was answered, That albeit escheats fall not upon such hornings, yet they are not null, for caption is always sustained upon them, and so they watch the person, though not the estate of the denounced. It was replied, That such hornings are truly null, and though long custom hath sustained captions execute upon them, whereby the party being present, is put either to satisfy or suspend, yet that is not to be enlarged or drawn in consequence to put the lieges to the necessity to relax from such hornings.

THE LORDS found that the denunciation at the cross of Edinburgh could not hinder the party denounced to have personam standi in judicio.

Fol. Dic. v. 2. p. 84. Stair, v. 2. p. 256.

1704. June 15. Arnauld and Gordon against Boick.

STEPHEN ARNAULD merchant in Rouen, and Gordon his factor, pursue Wiliam Boick merchant in Edinburgh, for the price of a parcel of hats, and some counterfeit pearl sent home to him. Boick alleged, The Caudebeck hats were disconform to his commission, and not of the size and fineness required; and therefore, by the adilitium edictum, he ought to take them back again, or actione quanti minoris deduct proportionally a part of the price. Answered, He could not reclaim now, seeing he had accepted them without any protestation or complaint, and paid for them at the custom-house at Leith, and had

No 19.

Horning at the cross of Edinburgh against a person not residing in the shire, though

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it is a warrant for caption, does not debar the party from standing in judgment.

No 20. The subjects of countries at war with our's, have no persona standihere.