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Fol. Dic. v. 1. p. 416.

SECT. III.

Landlord's power of Detention in virtue of his Hypothec.

1701. Nov. 11. Lord Salton against Club.

No 18.

THE LORDS found that the offering of caution by the tenant for the year's rent does not take away the master's hypothec of the fruits, so as to warrant or authorise the tenant to carry the corns, at his own hand, off the ground; because, though it may be rigid in a master to refuse caution, yet tutius est rei incumbere quam personæ.

Fol. Dic. v. 1. p. 416. Fountainhall.

** See this case, No 13. p. 1821.

1731. July 2. Sharp of Hoddam against Dr Maxwell.

One having currente termino proceeded to poind a tenant's cattle, who was his debtor, notwithstanding the master interposed, insisting to detain the goods upon the ground, in virtue of his hypothec; in a process of spuilzie at the master's instance, the Lords found the poinding could proceed, the creditor having left sufficiency of goods upon the ground to answer the hypothec; and found that the goods poinded were not liable to the hypothec, so far as extended to the debt in the horning, though the goods retained were afterwards disposed of

1736. June 30. Pringle against Scot of Harden.

No 20.

A Poinding of a tenant's stocking being attempted in October, while the corn crop was wholly in the barn-yard, much more than sufficient for a year's rent; the landlord interposed, and refused to allow the poinding to proceed, unless the creditor would find sufficient caution for payment of a year's rent, which was a greater sum than the debt in the horning. In a process against the landlord for stopping the poinding, the Lords found the defender, in virtue of his hypothec for the current year's rent, did warrantably stop the pursuer's poinding.—See Appendix.

Fol. Dic. v. 1. p. 416.

*** See Rutherford against Scot, No 35. p. 6226.

No 21. 1737. January 21. CRAWFORD against STUART.

by the bankrupt tenant.——See Appendix.

An offer of sufficient security, or consignation of bank notes, to the value of the rent, was found a sufficient answer to a landlord interposing upon his hypothec, to stop a poinding currente termino. Fol. Dic. v. 1. p. 417. C. Home.

*** See this case, No 3. p. 6193.