In the house also saw the same; when he solicited her on the behalfe of Skipwith to go rather to persuade her to consent he could not thereat nor that he would hurd her out of doore if she would not lye with him. And though she did it not, he would never leave off till she told her husband that she did it. And she being very young had an oyle to Entil her body first. So that at last Skipwith usually lay with her, & it was with her Earles privitie & Consent.

Broadway his Examinacon was then Read.

He Confesseth that he lay at his Lords Bedd & feete & that in the night his lord Called for Tobacco And as he brought it (being only in his shirte) his Lpp raught hold of him. And made him come to Bedd to him And his wife; And he held one of his wrists Legs And both her hands that he might hand the peece her body ye And that at last he lay with her. & had carnally knowledge of her not withstanding her resistance. He further saithe that his Lpp used his body as he body of A woman. But never pertrodit fully he Spent his Seed between his thighes And further that he hate heare the Young Ladie Rudley & Skipwith in Bedd together And when he got upon her the lord stood by and Encouraged him to get her with Child. And made him kiss his Lady and Lye with her, telling him that he himselfe should not like long And it might be his making And he said the like unto Skipwith.

Hereupon the Ld being again Examined upon these Accusations

His Lpp desired to be pdoned for declaring of those things of wch he must Accuse himselfe & said that his own Condemnation should not come out of his owne mouth.

Then spake the Lord Steward And advised his Lpp. not to doing those things wch are Clearely proved for then ye Lds & ye Jurors (said he) will give ye lesse Credit to ye rest ye shall say

Then mr Attorney

Then mr Attorney generall (after he had as before pfed matters very bitterly and in Exalted language Agt the Earle) replyed in this manner, ye have heard my Lords the Peeres of the Proofs And I know ye Lpps intended to be sure as ye will understand that in soe Sarde A business A Clearer Proofe Cannot possibly be had, for said he let A man be now so wicked now so impudent he will not tell without to see his wicked ness yet here ye See this point also proved And he further showed both the Laws of God and Man to be Agt this sinne of Sodomye. And sites to that purpose the 18.th of Leviticus towards the end where it is Quarded that by those Abominations the Land is defiled And therefore the Lord doth visit this Land for the Iniquity there of, And Conclude therupon that God may remove And take from us his Plagues. Let this Wicked man (Saith he) be taken Away from Amongst us.

Then the Earle after the Ld Steward had told him that hee should bee heard in his defence wth as much patience as was pmitted in his Charge Entered into his owne defence.

But the Lord Highe Steward advised him to speake Pertinently.

Whereupon he allegeed that he was A weake man And of an ill memory, And therefore desired that he might not be interrupted And then said as followeth.

May it please ye Grace though I am not ye most wicked of men yet I am ye most unfortunate of the Lindsey for the wife of my Bedd. my natural Child & my nominall Servants did now Conspire Agt my life. Yet their Accusations were grounded upon Justice, And free from Malice Yon were not desirous left for me in my guiltinesse nor cause given me his day to complaine of their unnaturalnesse. But I am soe Conscious of my owne Innocence that I make no question but Almightie God & his Just revenger of all Injuries will in his owne time bring

their malice