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STATEMENT OF EDITORIAL METHOD

(a) This is the reader-facing edition of membrane 003, assembled from the Phase 4D-3 line index (`_WORKING_003_LINE_INDEX.md`), the two deposition baselines this leaf spans (`_WORKING_TOWNELEY_DEPOSITION_001-003L.md` §003L and `_WORKING_LLOYD_DEPOSITION_003R-007.md` §003R), and the ledger — every flag preserved, no new readings. True contests carry both readings in the text; ladder resolutions cite the losing reading in the note. This leaf carries two of the corpus's TOP arbitration cruxes (the examination-date minim and privie/procuringe), both presented as contests.

(b) Conventions per methodology §6 (reprinted on the render's legend page). Declared aid-layer exception: the complainant's surname is normalized to **Lloyd** in the Modernized layer (the leaf's forms — Lloud, Llo[ud?], Ll[o]ud — are preserved per site in the diplomatic layer). ✓eB marks a reading verified in the enhanced render; △△ marks contested/wish-fulfilment-class items, never quoted as readings.

(c) Labels: 003.L7 = left page (Towneley) line 7; 003.R27 = right page (Lloyd) line 27; 003.sig = the autograph. Tile references: **L·b3** = crops/canon/crop_canon_m003_La_b3.jpg | ...Lb_b3.jpg (line-starts ||

line-ends); **R•b5** = ...Ra_b5 || ...Rb_b5 (+_eB). Manifest rows give exact source rectangles on the checksummed master.

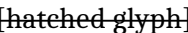
(d) Authorization: quoting authorized with disclosure (2026-07-03); diplomatic layer only; names with a letter-exact verdict from the commissioned professional transcription (returned in full 2026-08-06; CORRECTIONS_LOG #31-#32) are conformed; the rest remain provisional (§1.7).

LEFT PAGE (TOWNELEY) — ANSWERS 5 AND 6, THE FEE — L1-L10 • TILES L•B1-B3

- 003.L1] To the 5o: he cannot say [him?]  more then he L-b1
- 003.L2] hath[e] beffore [de]clared  to the p[re]cedent Interr[ogatorie] L-b1
- 003.L3] To. the 6  Interr th[i]s ex[aminan]t saieth that [he] L-b1-b2 · the pre-stroke genuinely resembles a "1" (16-like), but sequence logic controls (answers run 5→6→13→15→16 and L24 holds the 16); letterform anomaly logged, paired with the two "To the 1[5/6]" headers item (Open Items 8)
- 003.L4] receaved of th[e] s[ai]d Rees ap Jevan Llo[ud?] L-b2 · ✓eB surname conformed to the Lloud/Lloyd family — the earlier "Wo[od?]" disfavored (matches the right-page deponent, R2)
- 003.L5] for a [conueyeng?]  [of?] the s[ai]d Bill th[e?] L-b2 · contested with the baseline's "[his counsel in / continuinge?] the s[ai]d Bill" — all candidates bracketed in both layers (Open Items 9)
- 003.L6] fflowre pownd[e] & [s]even  [sh]illing[e]  & [?] more L-b2 · the "Steven Gilling" misparse DISSOLVED here: long-s "seven" + sh-digraph "shillinge"; no second person on this line; matches 007's £4-7s formula (corrections log #13)
- 003.L7] more to th[i]s ex[aminan]ts best remembraunce  L-b2
- 003.L8] neith[er] did th[i]s ex[aminan]t [re]ceave[d?] anie oth[er] L-b2
- 003.L9] som[e] of monie of some  oth[er] p[er]son touch[inge] L-b2-b3 · "some" leads the baseline's "anie" (Open Items 10)
- 003.L10] that busines . L-b3 · short line; answer 6 ends

Modernized (editorial aid — never quotable): To the 5th: he cannot say more than he has before declared. To the 6th: he received of the said Rees ap Jevan Lloyd, for [conveying / his counsel in — contested] the said bill, four pounds and seven shillings odd, to his best remembrance; neither did this examinant receive any other sum of money of any other person touching that business.

LEFT PAGE — ANSWER ^13^: "OF NO OTHER PERSON" AND THE SCOPE OBJECTION — L11-L20 • TILES L•B3-B5

- 003.L11] To. the ¹³   . Interr th[i]s ex[aminan]t saieth L-b3 · numeral correction event ✓eB: superscript "13" plainly legible; the struck glyph beneath hatched-out beyond identification (candidates "14"/"X")
- 003.L12] that [touch?]inge  [?]  the matters mentioned L-b3 · alt "[conc?]erninge" logged
- 003.L13] in th[i]s Interr he  executed  «or»receaved  the same L-b3 · CONTEST: the eB letterforms lead "he executed"; the baseline reads "he receaved" and the formula favors it — both carried (Open Items 6)

- 003.L14] a[s] he[△] did the rest by the [instrucions/instruments]^{△△} L·b3-b4 · the -cions/-ments crux, instance 1 on this leaf — never silently resolved
- 003.L15] of th[e] s[ai]d Rees ap Jevan L^ho^ud[△] & of[?] L·b4 · ✓eB the name family = Lloud/Lloyd ("Wood" excluded); the STRIKE itself stays [△] (conceivably a descender-flourish from the line above); N-zigzag nota-mark in the far-left margin beside L15-L16 — an examiner's flag at exactly the payment/name passage
- 003.L16] no[△] oth[er] p[er]son , And touchinge the la[st] L·b4 · ✓eB revision ("fro[m]" withdrawn): "of the said Rees ap Jevan Lloud & OF NO OTHER PERSON" — the drawer's flat negation of third-party procurement
- 003.L17] [p[ar]?]te of th[i]s Interr[△] th[i]s ex[aminan]t taketh L·b4
- 003.L18] himselfe not bound by the ord[e]r L·b4
- 003.L19] of th[i]s hono: Courte to make anie L·b4-b5 · ✓eB
- 003.L20] [furth[er]?][△] [aunswere?][△] thereunto . L·b5 · "thereunto" verified by letterform match with L23; answer 13 ends

Modernized (editorial aid — never quotable): To the 13th (the number corrected by the clerk's own hand): touching the matters mentioned in this interrogatory, he [received — contested reading, letterforms also permit "executed"] the same, as he did the rest, by the instructions of the said Rees ap Jevan Lloyd, **and of no other person**; and touching the latter part of this interrogatory, this examinant takes himself not bound by the order of this Honourable Court to make any further answer thereunto.

LEFT PAGE — ANSWERS 15-16 AND THE AUTOGRAPH — L21-L30 + SIG · TILES L·B5-B7

- 003.L21] To. the 15 he saieth as he hath before L·b5
- 003.L22] to the p[re]cedent Interr , And mo[re?][△] L·b5
- 003.L23] [h]e[△] cannot say thereunto L·b5
- 003.L24] To. the 16[△] he saieth as he hath before L·b6 · the same numeral+stroke phenomenon as L3 — supporting L3 = plain "6"+flourish; V-like marginal paraph with ink blot beside this answer-head
- 003.L25] saide[△] to the p[re]cedent — Interr[ogatorie?][△] L·b6 · long filler dash confirmed (not a strike; notated as two em-dashes — the leaf's single long filler stroke)
- 003.L26] And further th[i]s ex[aminan]t taketh[△] , the L·b6
- 003.L27] contents of th[i]s Interr not [in?] anie[△] waie L·b6
- 003.L28] to concerne[△] the matters of the order[△] L·b7 · verb resolved ✓eB — the tall mid-word stroke is the long-s/f descender of "of" from the line above; "controuerte"/"counteruaille" withdrawn
- 003.L29] made in th[i]s ho: Courte whereby th[i]s L·b7 · ✓eB
- 003.L30] ex[aminan]t is nowe ex[a]mined . L·b7 · ✓eB terminal point; the Towneley deposition ENDS
- 003.sig] Townley L·b7 (autograph, distinct hand, bottom-center) · ✓eB letterform census: NO medial e between n and l; the initial is a tall double-looped ascender pair — T-swash vs ff-ligature genuinely ambiguous (contextually T); terminal y-flourish + point. The working files style him "Towneley" — arbitration (ledger A8)

Modernized (editorial aid — never quotable): To the 15th: as he has said before to the precedent interrogatory, and more he cannot say thereunto. To the 16th: as before — and further, this examinant takes

the contents of this interrogatory not in any way to concern the matters of the order made in this Honourable Court whereby this examinant is now examined. (*Autograph: Townley.*) — The two scope objections invoke the Court's own examination order as the boundary of what he is bound to answer.

RIGHT PAGE (LLOYD) — THE CAPTION — R1-R3 • TILES R•B1-B2

- 003.R1] x[v?]j [△] . [J]unij 1607 . R•b1 • ^{△△} THE DATE CONTEST (TOP): this pass reads an extra minim ("xvj" = 16 June); the baseline reads "xj[?]" (11 June, matching 001's Latin heading "[xj?] die mensis Junij") — one minim decides whether the two examinations were same-dated; ledger B6 (Open Items 1)
- 003.R2] [R?]ees [△] ap [J]evan Ll[o]ud nowe p[ri]soner in the R•b1 • ✓eB NAME RESOLVED to the Lloyd family — double-ℓ cluster + "oud"; "Wood" EXCLUDED (no W-form); the "oud/oyd" vowel cluster stays [△] at single-letter level; the deponent = the payer Towneley named (L4)
- 003.R3] ffleete sworne &C R•b1-b2 • ✓eB engrossed ff letter-clear

Modernized (editorial aid — never quotable): [16th or 11th — contested] of June, 1607. Rees ap Jevan Lloyd, now prisoner in the Fleet, sworn etc.

RIGHT PAGE — ANSWER 1: THE REPORT, THE ADMISSION, THE FAIR-TRIAL GROUND — R4-R22 • TILES R•B2-B5

- 003.R4] To the .1. Inter[r] [△] «or» Entred [△] th[i]s ex[aminan]t saieth[e] that ^{to his remembrance} [△] [he?] [△] did R•b2 • "Interr" vs "Entred" genuinely ambiguous at letterform level (a recurring formula-class item); interlineation ^{"to his remembrance"} caret-confirmed ✓eB
- 003.R5] not reporte[d?] [△] to anie p[er]son or p[er]sons [s]ince [△] the [s?]ixt [△] «or» ffirst [△] R•b2 • "sixt" leads (= the instrument's "vjth of October" throughout); "ffirst" likely ff/s-x confusion
- 003.R6] day of October last that ~~Richard~~ Barker esq[ui]er R•b2 • ✓eB STRIKE RESOLVED: the struck token reads letter-by-letter "Richard" under a single horizontal stroke — the judge enters the record with a struck forename; scribal correction event, logged without over-interpretation
- 003.R7] one of his Ma[jes]t[ie]s Justices of his highnes [gre?]at [△] R•b2 • ✓eB
- 003.R8] Sessions of the Co[̄]m [△] [C]ountie of Anglesey [△] in R•b2-b3 • the macron-bearing "Co[̄]m" (Com[itatus]-style doubling) is NEW vs baseline — TNA
- 003.R9] north wales [c?]ould [△] be no ^{more} [△] [?] [Ju?]stice [△] heere [△] R•b2-b3 • interlineation #2 ("say that he[?]") squeezed in this zone, placement unsettled
- 003.R10] But he th[i]s ex[aminan]t did [saie?/swear?/sure?] ^{△△} that hym[?] [△] wished [△] R•b3 • the ADMISSION clause after the R5 denial; verb unresolved both passes
- 003.R11] that the {s?}ame/{s?}ome ^{△△} m[aste]r [△] Barker might {be?} [△] no R•b3 • second Barker mention; strike #4
- 003.R12] [neuer?] [△] [w?/r?]ould [△] to be Justice heere , & that y[t?] [△] R•b3
- 003.R13] he did , that th[i]s ext might not receiue R•b3-b4 • ✓eB
- 003.R14] his triall vnder h[i]m [△] R•b3-b4 • "that this examinant might not receive his trial under him" — the fair-trial objection of a man then under indictment; edge-cut [△]

- 003.R15] so saied△ he doth not [?] now certainlie remēber△, But [sa?]fely△ R·b3-b4 · contested with baseline "doth not now [per]fectly [re]member; But [saieth]" — both carried (Open Items 7)
- 003.R16] a[s] he thinketh, it was [to George Ll[___?]] R·b4 · ✓eB "it was" confirmed; the seam half-row places the HEARER: "it was to George Ll[___?]" (surname △ both passes; ledger A1)
- 003.R17] that the occasion of th[i]s R·b4 · ✓eB
- 003.R18] [~~d~~ay△ vppon his [re?]turne△ R·b4 · strike #5 narrowed to "day"/"they" (baseline concurs "~~day~~"; "vppon his returne" dovetails with "newly come ffrom London"
- 003.R19] London {■} it beinge R·b4-b5 · ✓eB cross-hatch deletion after "London" twice-confirmed — the PLACE of the speech
- 003.R20] whether the s[ai]d m[aste]r R·b4-b5 · ✓eB ("s[ai]d", not "same")
- 003.R21] Leighton [w]ere putt owt R·b4-b5 · ✓eB initial L confirmed — the second Justice of the rumor
- 003.R22] beinge△ Justices of N[orth wales?]△ R·b5 · answer 1 closes. The firmed half-row chain across R18-R22 (✓eB): "th[i]s ex[t]s saienge was ~~vpon~~ ... he the[n] beinge newly come ffrom [London] ... [?]en demaunded of th[i]s ext ... [whether] the s[ai]d m[aste]r Barker & [m[aste]r?] Justice [Leighton] ... [p]utt owt of their places of the Assises w[i]th in that Count[ie]"

Modernized (editorial aid — never quotable): To the 1st: to his remembrance, he did not report to any person or persons, since the sixth of October last, that Richard Barker esquire — one of His Majesty's Justices of his highness's Great Sessions of the County of Anglesey in North Wales — should be no more Justice there. But this examinant did say at that time that Mr Barker might no more come to be Justice there — and that if he did, this examinant might not receive his trial under him. To whom he said it he does not now [certainly/perfectly] remember, but as he thinks it was to George Ll[ewell?]en. And the occasion of his saying was upon his return, newly come from London, it being then demanded of this examinant whether Mr Barker and Mr Justice Leighton were put out of their places as Justices of the Assizes within that county.

RIGHT PAGE — ANSWER 2: THE BROTHER, THE DENIAL TO THE DEATH, THE KINSMAN — R23-R40

• TILES R·B5-B8

- 003.R23] To the 2 . Interr th[i]s ex[aminan]t saieth that he R·b5 · ✓eB
- 003.R24] doth verilie beleee in his conscience that John ap R·b5 · ✓eB
- 003.R25] [J]evan Lloud th[i]s ex[aminan]ts brother was at the last R·b5 · ✓eB — the kinship phrase sits IN-LINE (the earlier raised-interline hypothesis withdrawn); the executed brother NAMED
- 003.R26] Sessions holden for the Countie of Anglesey R·b5-b6 · ✓eB; a horizontal stroke beneath "Countie" persists on eB — underline vs strike undetermined △
- 003.R27] wrongfullie inditted condempned & [so?]△ executed R·b5-b6 · ✓eB verb-by-verb — the core injury, first-hand: wrongfully indicted, condemned and executed at the Anglesey Sessions
- 003.R28] for the supposed [m]urtheringe of h[is?]△ [?]△ wife R·b6 · ✓eB — the cause of execution: the supposed murder of a wife; one token between "his" and "wife" unresolved (= the baseline's struck token, reconciled)
- 003.R29] for [that?]△ th[i]s ext did often [tymes?]△ say[e?]△ that [?] the[?]△ R·b6

- 003.R30] [John ap?]  [J]evan Lloud w[hi]ch he[?] w[i]th that matter {■} to [?]e[?]  that R·b6 · fifth Lloud instance ✓eB; strike #7 = cross-hatch deletion (same idiom as R19)
- 003.R31] he should confesse the same ^{if it were true}, & he still denied R·b6-b7 · ✓eB — interlineation #4 CONFIRMED with caret: "if it were true" inserted above the line
- 003.R32] it to the deathe, And further he saieth R·b6-b7 · ✓eB — "still denied it to the deathe"; the earlier "verie" artifact withdrawn
- 003.R33] that he th[i]s ext wa[s] [vn?]iustlie  & wrongfullie R·b7
- 003.R34] ~~inditted~~  for that [?]  offe[?]  [ch]arged  «or» ^{facte}  for he R·b7 · TWO contested strikes: #8 "inditted" — heavy stroke through the word body on nat AND eB, but the baseline reads it unstruck (strike vs emphatic stroke, TNA); #9 — the baseline reads "offense ^{facte}" and its letterforms fit "facte[s]" better than this pass's "[ch]arged" (baseline leads; "charged" retracted to challenger)
- 003.R35] was not in anie sorte procuringe  «or» privie  or consentinge R·b7 ·   THE FORMULA CONTEST (TOP): the eB letterforms ("-uringe" visible) favor "procuringe"; the baseline reads "p[r]ivie" — both canonical period formulas, juridically loaded either way; ledger C.2 (Open Items 2)
- 003.R36] to the doinge [th]ereof, And further th[i]s R·b7-b8 · ✓eB
- 003.R37] ext saieth that a[s] he taketh it, ~~Willm~~  R·b7-b8 · ✓eB; the edge token ("[w?]illind") = the struck "Willm" — the scribe strikes the name and rewrites it in order
- 003.R38] ap Rees ap w^m that was executed w[i]th  R·b8 · ✓eB — the executed KINSMAN in the three-element form (6th attestation): William ap Rees ap William — the print's "William Price/ap Rice"; not a new person, not the brother
- 003.R39] th[i]s ex[aminan]t[s?]  brother, & he th[i]s ext were R·b8 · "executed WITH his examinant's brother" — the two-executions premise re-confirmed; heavy edge stroke 
- 003.R40] the [C?]o[z?]ens  of [?]  cosin germans removed . R·b8 · "Cozens" leads ("Sonnes" = C/S + minim ambiguity): the deponent and the executed kinsman were "cousins of cousin-germans removed". The leaf ENDS at the torn foot; the answer continues on membrane 004

Modernized (editorial aid — never quotable): To the 2nd: he verily believes in his conscience that John ap Jevan Lloyd, this examinant's brother, was at the last Sessions held for the County of Anglesey wrongfully indicted, condemned and executed for the supposed murdering of his wife; for this examinant did often hear the said John ap Jevan Lloyd urged touching that matter — if it were true — that he should confess the same, and he still denied it to the death. And further he saith that he himself was unjustly and wrongfully [indicted — the strike is contested] for that [fact], for he was not in any sort [privy / procuring — contested] or consenting to the doing thereof. And further, as he takes it, William ap Rees ap William, that was executed with his examinant's brother, and he this examinant were cousins of cousin-germans removed.

REVISION STRATUM AND PHYSICAL RECORD

Census: LEFT page 30 text lines + autograph ("Townley", no medial e  initial) + 2 marginal marks (N-zigzag nota beside the L15-16 payment/name passage ✓eB; V-paragraph with blot beside L24) — answer heads 5, 6, ¹³ (corrected), 15, 16; the deposition ends mid-page, foot blank below the signature. RIGHT page 40 text lines (caption R1-R3; answer 1 = R4-R22; answer 2 = R23-R40, running off the torn foot onto 004). Interlineations (right): ^{to his remembrance} ✓eB (R4) · "say that he[?]"  placement unsettled

(R9/R10) · if it were true ✓eB (R31) · the baseline's ^{facte} over strike #9 (R34). Strikes: L11 hatched glyph under 13 · L15 surname stroke △ · R6 ~~Richard~~ ✓eB · #4 R11 · #5 R18 ~~day~~ · #6 seam ~~vpon~~ · #7 R30 cross-hatch · #8 R34 ~~inditted~~ △ CONTESTED · #9 R34 ~~offe~~[?] · R19 London cross-hatch ✓eB · R26 "Countie" underline/strike △ · R39 edge stroke △. Names on the leaf: Rees ap Jevan Lloud (deponent, LI-cluster ×5 ✓eB) · ~~Richard~~ Barker esq · [Justice] Leighton ✓eB · John ap Jevan Lloud (executed brother) · ~~Willm~~ ap Rees ap W[illia]m (executed kinsman) · George LI[?] (the hearer, ledger A1).

Physical: double opening, gutter fold ≈ x 0.47–0.52; torn foot both pages (right-page text continues onto 004); the left page's far-left margin carries the two examiner-class marks; possible graphite foliation top-right.

OPEN ITEMS ON THIS MEMBRANE

- 1. OPEN** — **the examination date (R1):** "x[v?]j Junij 1607" (16th, this pass) vs "xj[?]" (11th, baseline, = 001's Latin heading) — one minim decides whether the two examinations were same-dated. Ledger B6; △△ TOP TNA.
- 2. OPEN** — **privie vs procuringe (R35):** both canonical formulas, juridically loaded; eB letterforms favor "procuringe", the baseline reads "privie". Ledger C.2; △△ TOP TNA.
- 3. OPEN** — **the R34 double-strike zone:** "~~inditted~~" strike vs emphatic stroke (baseline reads unstruck); "~~offense~~ ^{facte}" (baseline lead) vs "[ch]arged" (retracted to challenger). TNA.
- 4. CONFLICT** — **L13 verb:** "he executed" (eB lead) vs "he receaved" (baseline + formula). TNA.
- 5. CONFLICT** — **R15 wording:** "certainlie remēber , But [sa?]fely" vs "perfectly remember; But saieth". TNA.
- 6. OPEN** — **names class:** the autograph "Townley" initial (T-swash vs ff) and no-medial-e vs the working files' "Towneley" (ledger A8); the hearer "George LI[?]" surname (ledger A1); the R2 "oud/oyd" vowel cluster. TNA, names above all.
- 7. OPEN** — **formula-class items:** R4 "Interr vs Entred"; R5 "sixt" (lead) vs "ffirst" October; R40 "Cozens" (lead) vs "Sonnes"; L14 instructions/instruments (crux instance, unresolved by rule); L5 conueyeng/continuinge. TNA.
- 8. OPEN** — **the paired "To the 1[5/6]" headers (L3/L24 + 003L's fee header):** the fee content answers Art. 15's fee limb but the numeral favors 16 at zoom — one of the two is misread or the clerk mis-keyed (ledger B5). TNA.
- 9. VARIANT** — **minor:** L9 "some" vs "anie"; "Coṛm" before Countie (R8, new); R26 underline. TNA sweep-up.

CROSS-REFERENCES

Line-grain authority: _WORKING_003_LINE_INDEX.md (band records, 20-item eB queue dispositions, 4-part delta log). Baselines: _WORKING_TOWNELEY_DEPOSITION_001-003L.md §003L · _WORKING_LLOYD_DEPOSITION_003R-007.md §003R (both fold-in complete). Ledger: _PRECISION_PASS_LEDGER.md (A1 hearer, A8 autograph, B5/B6 dates, C.2 privie/procuringe).

Companion: READING_COMPANION_STAC_8_203_38.md (003 section + Phase-4 addendum). Method: ../TRANSCRIPTION_AND_ANALYSIS_METHODOLOGY.md (v1.3, §18.5).

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