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## CANONICAL TRANSCRIPT — MEMBRANE 005 (TNA STAC 8/203/38)

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### HOW TO READ THIS RENDER (CONVENTIONS LEGEND)

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| <del>strikethrough</del>                 | struck in the manuscript (source: ~~text~~)                                                                                         |
| <sup>superscript</sup>                   | scribal interlineation or raised letters (source: ^text^, m^r)                                                                      |
| serif (Cambria) span                     | diplomatic text quoted inline (source: `text`); the type shift marks the source-text voice; conventions inside are rendered too     |
| boxed serif panel                        | diplomatic transcription block                                                                                                      |
| gray italic [...]                        | pass-annotation — editorial apparatus, NOT manuscript text                                                                          |
| CONFIRM UPGRADE LEAN CONFLICT            | delta-log verdict class: green = confirmed/convergent · blue = upgraded/new · amber = lean/open/variant · red = retraction/conflict |
| [?] / [...] / [ ] · « » ·   · △ ✓ eB ✕ ★ | sigla printed verbatim per methodology §6/§9                                                                                        |

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| <b>Corpus</b>              | TNA STAC 8/203/38 (record copy RC8368179) — catalogued <i>Lloyde v. Lewys</i> , Anglesey, June 1607; the surviving Star Chamber file behind <i>Floyd v. Barker</i> , 77 Eng. Rep. 1305 (1607)                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| <b>Membrane</b>            | 005 of 010 — Rees ap Jevan Lloyd's deposition, continued (double opening): answer 6 (the funding probe — the Bulkeley loan, the Fleet borrowings via Humfrey), answer 7 (Bulkeley's house, the lease, the company/diet admissions), answer 8 (the estate; the post-acquittal finance; the four-forum litigation enumeration, running to a torn foot)                             |
| <b>Master image</b>        | 8368179_STAC_8_203_38_005.jpg · 5109×4227 px · sha256<br>b0ce2627cd6240dd6e0cc9715f958eedad914941c332262a50467bd2ad93d364 (verify: shasum -a 256 -c _FIXITY_SHA256_SOURCES.txt)                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>Canonical tiles</b>     | crops/canon/crop_canon_m005_{La,Lb,Ra,Rb}_b1..b8, nat + eB (64 tiles) · manifest crops/canon/_manifest.jsonl · coverage proven full height, no gaps                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| <b>As-read record</b>      | crops/stac_p4d/crop_p4d005{La,Lb,Ra,Rb}_b1..b8[eB] + the 2026-07-02 re-sweep bands + zoom verdicts — see _WORKING_005_LINE_INDEX.md; the canon series is a deterministic re-derivation for citation, NOT the tiles-as-read (methodology §15.4)                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>Transcription level</b> | strict diplomatic (methodology §6, §18.1); the Modernized layer is an editorial aid and is never quotable                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <b>Authority</b>           | the author's working transcription, first-hand method (methodology §2.1), quoted only with disclosure; professional verification transcription (2026-07-02 TNA-route ask closed by TNA 2026-07-15 — not a TNA service; independent professional commissioned via TNA's researchers list, engaged 2026-07-17) RETURNED IN FULL 2026-08-06 and conformed — CORRECTIONS_LOG #31–#32 |

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| <b>Pass history</b> | first sweep 2026-07-01 · line-by-line re-sweep 2026-07-02 · zoom verdicts 2026-07-02 · Phase 4D-5 line index + 35-item eB queues 2026-07-08 · this transcript assembled 2026-07-09 (assembly only — no new readings)                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
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| <b>Status</b>       | professional return RECEIVED + CONFORMED (2026-08-06/07, CORRECTIONS_LOG #31-#32); letter-exact sites carry in-line <i>[[VERDICT]]</i> annotations; readings without a letter-exact verdict remain provisional (names above all, §1.7); physical-class residue awaits imaging (per ledger/log)                                                                                                                                |

## STATEMENT OF EDITORIAL METHOD

(a) The reader-facing edition of membrane 005, assembled from the Phase 4D-5 line index (*\_WORKING\_005\_LINE\_INDEX.md*), the Lloyd deposition baseline (\$005L/\$005R, fold-in complete), the zoom-verdict file, and the ledger — every flag preserved, no new readings. This membrane holds two of the corpus's user-surfaced delta-variances (the answer-6 SUM and the Rowe toponym) and the file's max-caution token (R31): all presented as contests with both weights, per the assembly-only rule.

(b) Conventions per methodology §6. <x> expanded/normalized letterform · <p> the pre-/per- brevigraph · <f> long s · ∴ struck in the MS · «"» interlineation · △/△△ lean/contested. Declared aid-layer exception: the complainant's surname normalized to **Lloyd** in the Modernized layer.

(c) Labels: 005.L21 = left page line 21; 005.R31 = right page line 31. Tiles: **L·b4** = crops/canon/crop\_canon\_m005\_La\_b4.jpg | ...Lb\_b4.jpg; **R·b6** = ...Ra\_b6 | ...Rb\_b6 (+\_eB).

(d) Authorization: quoting with disclosure (2026-07-03); diplomatic layer only; △△ items — above all R31 — described, never quoted as readings; 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 — ANSWER 6: THE FUNDING PROBE — L1-L23 · TILES L·B1-B5

005.L1] <T>o the 6 . <I>nterrog<s>[?] this ex[aminan]t faieth th[at] <h>e[?] △ L·b1 · numeral ✓eB

005.L2] he did not <r>eceibe[d?] △ nor <h>ad <anie?> △ <f>ume[?] L·b1

- 005.L3] or <S>om[m]es of monie of S[i]r Richard <B>ul[kley] L.b1-b2 · "<S>om[m]es" resolved ✓eB ("Thoms" withdrawn); the formula doublet "fume or fommes"
- 005.L4] [Ow[e]n?/Dan?]△ <B>ulkley or eyther[?] of them nor o[f] L.b2 · the forename before Bulkley unresolved — an "Owen" candidate was ADDED by eB letterforms, not asserted (names class)
- 005.L5] <W>m ap <R>ees <h>is [man?/m[ai]t[er]?/ffre[nd]?]△ nor of <f>uñes omf<th>e[?] L.b2 · the LIVING "W[illia]m ap Rees" (two-element form — the baseline reads "his frend"; eB letterforms lean "his man") — distinct from the executed three-element kinsman
- 005.L6] <p>þ þoþ nor >foþþ by >er or >omþoþ L.b2
- 005.L7] <d>irecōn△ or appointment <d>irectly or indi[rectly] L.b2 · the -c[i]on brevigraph stays △ by crux-class rule
- 005.L8] fithence the <ffi>rft△△«or»ff Sixt△ day of october laft L.b2 · REOPENED CONTEST: the 4D "ffirft" lock is counter-indicated by the baseline's "ff Sixt" (struck ff false-start) AND by this page's own R25 "fixt" + R30 "the fd 6 . day" internal locks — all three dates converge on 6 OCTOBER, the bill-exhibition anchor; the 4D reading may have merged the struck ff with "Sixt" (Open Items 3)
- 005.L9] for or towards th[e] <d>rawinge of <th>e <B>[ill?]△ L.b2-b3
- 005.L10] <B>ill or <p>rofecuōn of cth[at] fuit <th>[e/at]△ L.b3
- 005.L11] in <mar>che[?] laft paft <th>[at] he this ext borro[wed] L.b3 · the March loan
- 005.L12] of the fd <S>[i]r <R>ichard <B>ulkley the fom[e] of L.b3 · Sir-brevigraph ✓eB
- 005.L13] <...VALUE...>△△ that he then gabe <h>im a bill of his ext['s] L.b3 · △△ THE BULKELEY-LOAN AMOUNT: grammar-locked (L12 ends "the fom[e] of"), the token EXISTS but is unread on all passes (candidates tenn/twoe/roman-numeral+li; baseline "[xx?]") ; ledger B2, TOP TNA · "a bill of his hand" = a promissory note — the loan was documented
- 005.L14] <h>and for repaym[en]t thereof, And alfo L.b3 · idiom lock ✓eB ("own?)" withdrawn)
- 005.L15] <fi>nce[?]△ <h>is[?]/<th>is△ «<sup>now</sup>» <I>mprifonm[en]t△ in the <ffl>eete L.b3-b4 · interline "<sup>now</sup>" confirmed ✓eB — the period idiom "his now imprisonment"
- 005.L16] he wantinge monie to beare his neceffarie <ch>ar[ges] L.b4 · ✓eB
- 005.L17] <th>e[?]/<th>en[?]△ this ex[aminan]t fent vnto <W>illm ap <R>ees L.b4 · ✓eB
- 005.L18] him felfe[?]△ to ~~borrowe~~ lend this ex[aminan]t fom[e] L.b4 · strike L#1 RESOLVED ✓eB: the struck word is "borrowe" — the scribe flipped the request-direction (borrow → lend)
- 005.L19] <m>onies at <f>euerall tymes, <E> fo <th>erevpon the <f>d[?] L.b4 · ✓eB
- 005.L20] [<ff>ees?/<R>ees?]△△ <H>umfrey fent this ex[aminan]t at <f>eu[erall]△ tymes L.b4-b5 · "<H>umfrey" CONFIRMED ✓eB — the courier's forename, agreed by both passes; the flanking tokens contested (ffees/Rees); NB the 007 courier interline "<sup>Anthony[?]</sup> Leadman, the Warden of the ffleets Man" — TWO courier-name events to reconcile (ledger A4; Open Items 6)
- 005.L21] the fom of <ff><...>ie[?]△△ pownds <E> <fo>me[?]/<fe>uen[?]△ <fh>ill[inges] L.b4-b5 · △△ THE SUM (user-surfaced delta-variance; ledger B1): the eB-confirmed ff-ligature initial CONTRADICTS the baseline's "thirtie[?] pownds" — and 007's answer-14 re-citation ALSO reads ff-initial ("ffftene"-lean). Four candidate families across four passes (£13 / thirtie / ff—teen / ff—tie). The quoting documents never asserted the figure. TOP TNA (Open Items 1)
- 005.L22] w[hi]ch monies was <b>rought this ext by fome of the L.b5 · ✓eB ("to?)" withdrawn — dative without to)

005.L23] <w>arden of the <ffl>eete <f>[er]v[an]ts L·b5 · ✓eB — the group-genitive is ON the membrane: "some of the Warden of the Fleet['s] servants"; answer 6 closes

**Modernized (editorial aid — never quotable):** To the 6th: he received no sum of money of Sir Richard Bulkeley, [Owen?/Daniel?] Bulkeley, or either of them, nor of William ap Rees himself, nor of any other person, by their direction or appointment, directly or indirectly, since the [sixth — the leading reading] day of October last, for or towards the drawing of the bill or prosecution of that suit. But in March last he borrowed of the said Sir Richard Bulkeley the sum of [amount unread], and then gave him a bill of his hand for repayment thereof. And since his now imprisonment in the Fleet, wanting money to bear his necessary charges, he sent unto William ap Rees [his friend/his man — contested] to ~~borrow~~ lend him monies at several times; and so thereupon the said [Rees], by Humfrey, sent this examinant at several times the sum of [thirty / forty-odd — the contested ff-sum] pounds and some shillings, which monies were brought him by some of the Warden of the Fleet's servants.

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**LEFT PAGE — ANSWER 7: THE HOUSE, THE LEASE, THE COMPANY — L24-L39 · TILES L·B5-B8**

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005.L24] <T>o the 7 . <I>nterr[og] he faieth that he did a L·b5 · ✓eB

005.L25] litle before he was imprifoned <r>eforte to L·b5 · ✓eB

005.L26] the <h>oufe of the <f>d S[i]r[?] △ <R>ichard <B>ulkley L·b5

005.L27] <th>e f<e>t[?] △ in <C>ornwall △△ «or»[Ch]annall △△ <R>owe , & there fpake L·b5-b6 · strike L#2 confirmed (a struck false-start of the location phrase) · △△ THE ROWE TOPONYM (user-surfaced): 4D letterforms read "Cornwall" firmly; the baseline reads "[Ch]annall Rowe" with the Westminster (Cannon Row) identification — the instrument's Art. 7 zoom reads "Channell Rowe". Both carried; TNA (Open Items 2)

005.L28] w[i]th the <f>d <th>e[?] △ <R>ichard about a ten[emen]t of L·b6 · a caret with NO interline content above ✓eB

005.L29] feid w[?]fh, me △△ <th>e[?] <R>ichard <w>[i]th[?] △ «or»w[hi]ch △ a L·b6 · strike L#3: long heavy bar, comma visible mid-stroke; the struck matter's "feid welfh" candidate would be substantive — TNA (Open Items 7)

005.L30] <b>rother of his [?] △ would haue taken o[f] L·b6 · ✓eB — a LIVING third brother's lease negotiation

005.L31] him in the <C>ountrey , And alfo th[i]s ex[aminan]t L·b6 · ✓eB (the phantom strike = the C of Countrey)

005.L32] <b>ecame acq<u>[a]inted w[i]th <th>e <f>d[?] <R>ichard «m[e]e?» △ L·b6-b7 · the bar over "acqu —" resolved-lean as otiose/abbreviation stroke, not a strike; the raised «m[e]e?» interline-candidate unresolved-final (fold shadow)

005.L33] did <f>undrie tymes keepe them companie <E> L·b6-b7 · chain-lock ✓eB

005.L34] dyett where they <d>ietted , <E> alfo fometymes L·b7 · ✓eB (the «do[?]» insertion withdrawn)

005.L35] meetinge the <f>d[?] <W>m <B>ulkley by the fame <th>[?] △ «or»[chaunce?] △ L·b7 · tail contested with the baseline's "[chaunce?]"

005.L36] th[i]s ext <k>ept <h>im[?] in[?] △ [?] <B>ut[?] △ <th>is ext <d>oth[?] / <f>aieth[?] △ L·b7 · the ONE row the eB pass could not firm — the pivot from affirmations to denial; whole-row △, TNA

005.L37] had not anie conference w[i]th the fd <W>illm L·b7 · ✓eB — conference SINGULAR

005.L38] <B>ulkley touchinge the <p>roceed[inge?]s△ w[hi]ch <h>e[?]△ <h>ad L-b7-b8

005.L39] vppon the <f>d <C>aufe[?]△ «or»[Bill]△ L-b8 · final word: 4D leans "Caufe" (C+a+u-minims+f+e; "fame/fute" letterform-incompatible); the baseline supplied "[Bill]" — contested. Page ends; blank foot, NO signature

**Modernized (editorial aid — never quotable):** To the 7th: a little before he was imprisoned he resorted to the house of the said Sir Richard Bulkeley in [Channel / Cornwall — contested] Row, and there spoke with the said Richard about a tenement [lease] which a brother of his would have taken of him in the country. And also this examinant, being acquainted with the said Richard, did sundry times keep them company and dieted where they dieted, and also sometimes, meeting the said William Bulkeley by [chance], kept him company; but this examinant had not any conference with the said William Bulkeley touching the proceedings which he had upon the said [cause/bill — contested].

## RIGHT PAGE — ANSWER 8: THE ESTATE — R1-R20 • TILES R-B1-B4

005.R1] <T>o the 8 . <I>nterr[og?]△ <th>is ex[aminan]t faieth <th>[at]△ R-b1 · numeral "8" ✓eB; the corner blot re-classified as strike R#0, struck matter illegible (torn corner)

005.R2] had aboue <tw>entie pownds «<sup>in monie</sup>» <E> apparrell worth about tenn pownds told[e?]△ R-b1 · THE VALUE ROW ✓eB: "twentie" letter-by-letter; interline "<sup>in monie</sup>" host confirmed; "told" (= counted) lean

005.R3] «<sup>of this ext</sup>» <o>wne goode[s] <Cl>[oathes?]△ <th>at h[i]s ex[aminan]t was R-b1 · interline "<sup>of this ext</sup>" confirmed

005.R4] <n>euer[?]/<f>euer[?]△ at the tyme <th>[?] <W>m <th>[e]lder[?]△ «or»the [s]aid Murder△ <E> alfo <th>is R-b1-b2 · CONTEST: the baseline's "at the tyme [of] the [s]aid Murder" fits both letterforms and sense (the estate dated to murder-time) — 4D's "Wm th'elder" demoted; both carried (Open Items 4)

005.R5] a<cq>u[i]ted△ of the <f>ame△ <tw>o [C]olts△ «or»<t/r>oll[?]△ w[hi]ch were△ «or»w[i]th <w>oll[?]△ R-b2 · the baseline's "acquited" resolves the recurring q-descender verb (the answer dates everything to the ACQUITTAL, not an arrest); "two Colts w[hi]ch were" baseline-favored over 4D's "toll/woll" tokens (Open Items 4)

005.R6] ex[aminan]t then had a <ch>efte for[?] <th>[?]△ <f>o[?]e△ <E> <f>ome pownds by <J>ohn ap <H>ow[ell?]△ R-b1-b2 · NEW NAME "John ap How[ell]" (How firm ✓eB, tail suspended); names class, TNA

005.R7] be<f>o[r]e[?]△ <h>e <p>awned to his brother by <le>ffe/lea>fe[?] <h>is[?] <th>e <f>d te<n>ement△ , And R-b2 · THE PAWN CLAUSE ✓eB ("pawned" letter-clear) + strike R#1 ("the fd tenement" confirmed under the strike)

005.R8] <ff>oud[?]△ «<sup><were/all>[?]</sup> at <th>at tyme remayninge wpp[on?]» to his ext in nol[?]△ <p>auen[?]△ brother△ <th>at[?] left[?]△ R-b2 · strike R#2 + INSERTION COMPLEX R#i3: the interline plus two tiny gutter-script lines — the lower reads "[a]s <th>is ext[is] bro<th>er <h>old[eth?]" (the brother HOLDS the pawned goods); the gutter ink is what the left page's sweep sighted across the fold (structural resolution)

005.R9] <f>uch[?] <th>e[?]△ his ext <ch>e[f]te[?]△ <p>auen[?]△ <th>e[?] <f>ume[?] her[?] was R-b2 · strike R#3 ✓eB

005.R10] fe<a<eq>u[i]nted her[?] borrowed he at <f>eu[er]all <h>ands△ R-b2-b3 · strike R#4 ✓eB (full-row left half)

- 005.R11] ~~of this ext~~ <ff>ather the borrowed at <f>eueral tymes <th>ere[?] △ R·b2-b3 · strike R#5 ✓eB — the FATHER named in cancelled matter (the struck early draft of the R23-R24 clause)
- 005.R12] <ff/p>ownds[?] <&> <f>eaven △ the fom <of>[?] △ he had alfo R·b3 · the redraft topology: struck here, re-entered at R24
- 005.R13] when <h>e was fo a<cq>u[i]ted △ in[?] [?] two or <th>ree <fh>eepe △ R·b3 · seating grammar-locked; "fheepe" lean
- 005.R14] <&> alfo fome houf[e]hold ftuffe w[hi]ch was lefte <th>is ext R·b3 · ("fold" withdrawn — the -fhold of houfhold)
- 005.R15] by his <ff>ather <&> <M>other , And alfo at the fame R·b3-b4 · ✓eB — CORRECTS the baseline's "[grand?]mother": household stuff left him by his FATHER & MOTHER (Open Items 5)
- 005.R16] tyme this ext had an intereft in a <te>nem[en]t R·b3-b4 · ✓eB
- 005.R17] <c>alled <T>y<h>ir[?] △△ <ll>an<th>y[?] △△ lieng in the <p>[ar]ifhe of R·b4 · TENEMENT #1 NAME (Welsh "Ty—" ; a "Tŷ Hir" hypothesis noted, not asserted); baseline "Ty[d]in Lla[y]th[y]n[?]" — identification gold, ledger A15, TOP TNA
- 005.R18] <A>mblowghe in the . <C>o[un]ty of <A><...> △△ R·b4 · the parish "Amblowghe" CONFIRMED letter-train ✓eB and DOUBLE-LOCKED by R20 (modern-ID candidate AMLWCH, Anglesey — hypothesis only); the COUNTY name NOT READ (A-initial lean only) — "Anglesey" is supplied on all passes (Open Items 8)
- 005.R19] <&> alfo «<sup>fome</sup>» <i>ntereft in another tenement called R·b4 · interline "<sup>fome</sup>" ✓eB ("fmale" withdrawn)
- 005.R20] <T>yddgyn[?] △△ lieng in the fd <p>[ar]ifhe of <A>mblowghe R·b4 · TENEMENT #2 NAME ("tyddyn" = smallholding hypothesis); baseline "Tyddyn [K/H]iew[?]" — TNA

**Modernized (editorial aid — never quotable):** To the 8th: he had above twenty pounds in money, and apparel worth about ten pounds told, of his own goods, at the time of the said [murder] and also when he was acquitted of the same; two colts; a chest; [goods] pawned to his brother — the scribe's insertion adding that they remain as his brother holds them; two or three sheep; and some household stuff which was left this examinant by his father and mother. And at the same time he had an interest in a tenement called [Ty—, name contested] lying in the parish of Amblowghe [Amlwch?], in the county of A[n]glesey — supplied], and also some interest in another tenement called [Tyddyn—, name contested] in the said parish.

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## RIGHT PAGE — POST-ACQUITTAL FINANCE — R21-R29 • TILES R·B4-B5

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- 005.R21] <A>nd fur<th>er this ext faieth <th>at fince <th>e R·b4-b5 · ✓eB
- 005.R22] [?] was fo a<cq>u[i]ted △ he <h>ath <h>ad <&> borrowed R·b4-b5 · the q-descender verb resolved-lean by the baseline's "acquited" (post-ACQUITTAL framing); tail locked ✓eB
- 005.R23] of <th>is ext[is] <ff>ather the <f>vm of <...VALUE...> △△ R·b5 · THE SECOND SUM: frame firm ✓eB (father UNSTRUCK here vs his struck naming at R11); the VALUE token not read (candidates thede/three/"fcore" — "three fcore" = 60li noted, not asserted); ledger B3, TOP TNA (Open Items 9)
- 005.R24] <p>ownds <&> <f>eaven[?] △ <fh>illinges <A>nd <f>aieth <th>at R·b5 · pairs with the struck R12 draft
- 005.R25] <fi>thence[?] <th>e <fi>xt △ day of <o>ctober R·b5 · "fixt" resolved-lean (no ff-ascenders; internally locked by R30's "the fd 6 ."); the baseline agrees
- 005.R26] he hath <la>yed owt <f>everall <f>omms of <M>onie R·b5-b6 · ✓eB

- 005.R27] afwell in <f>ute[s] of <la>we as for <th>is ext['s] R·b5-b6 · ✓eB
- 005.R28] owne <exp>en[ce]s[?]△ but <h>ow mu<ch> <th>is ext <h>ath R·b5-b6
- 005.R29] fo <d>ifburfed or <la>[yed?]△ owt <h>e <ca>nnot <d>epofe R·b5-b6 · ✓eB — the cannot-depose formula

**Modernized (editorial aid — never quotable):** And further he saith that since he was so acquitted he has had and borrowed of his father the sum of [value unread] pounds and seven shillings; since the sixth day of October he has laid out several sums of money, as well in suits of law as for his own expenses — but how much he has so disbursed or laid out he cannot depose.

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## RIGHT PAGE — THE FOUR-FORUM ENUMERATION — R30-R43 · TILES R·B5-B8

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- 005.R30] the <f>d 6 . <d>ay[s?] of <...> [exhibi?]ted/[prefer?]red△ <h>is bill into <th>is <H>ono[?]: R·b5-b6 · "6 ." ✓eB + "his bill into this Hono:" CONFIRMED — the bill-exhibition clause anchoring the answer's timeframe to 6 October; the pre-bill verb △ (the baseline's "[pre]ferred" harmonizes); the exhibitor = this examinant per the baseline's frame
- 005.R31] <B>ut <th>is ext <h>athe [the fd M[r?]△△ <M/B>arker△△ <8> o<th>er[s] R·b6 · △△ MAX-CAUTION TOKEN: eB cannot resolve the initial (slight M-lean; B not excluded); the baseline's structural reading — "hath [pre]ferred his bill ... against the fd M[r] [B]arker & others" — elegantly dissolves the M-lean as the M of "Mr". Per the standing wish-fulfilment rule (Floyd-v-Barker resonance): NO reading asserted, NO citation use without professional TNA arbitration (Open Items 10)
- 005.R32] october <p>[ro]fecuted△ for <Co>nspiracie <d>epend[i]nge in <th>e R·b6 · THE CONSPIRACY ROW ✓eB — the deponent's own pending conspiracy suit
- 005.R33] <C>ourt «<sup>hade[?]</sup>»△ againft the <ff/ff[?]△ a <f>ute «<sup>(p)leas</sup>»△ at <W>eftm[infer] R·b6 · carets resolved ("hade"/"a"/"pleas"); the struck token NOT read (guard held)
- 005.R34] <8> alfo «<sup>hade[?]</sup>»△ «<sup>a</sup>» <f>ute <Ll>ewis , <W>m[?]△ <L>ewis <8> <H>ugh[?]△ R·b6 · the party row (the baseline's frame: the Common-Pleas conspiracy suit against Howell Lewis, W[illia]m[?] Lewis & [\_ \_])
- 005.R35] <C>ourte of <C>o[m]mon [pleas?] <...>on[?] in <th>e <C>ourte of <...>△ R·b6 · ✓eB
- 005.R36] againft <H>owall[?]△ <8> <...> <L>ewis , R·b6-b7 · the initial flips to H-lean at eB — CONVERGES with the baseline's "Howell [Lewis]" (the party is a Lewis; the earlier "Hugh Powell" pairing weakens)
- 005.R37] <J>ohn <L>ewis , <8> <R>ees ap <H>ugh[e] R·b7 · ✓eB — the clearest party row on the page; John Lewis = the answering sheriff of O10; the King's-Bench action
- 005.R38] <B/E>[?]<th>egh[?]△ in <th>e <k>inges <B>enche . <A>nd alfo R·b7 · ✓eB; strike R#6 illegible
- 005.R39] <A>nd alfo an <A>cc[i]on in the <C>ourte of <...> <L>ewis , R·b7 · seated ✓eB-lean
- 005.R40] againft <th>e <fu>te/<th>em[?]△ <th>at <t>yyme aforef[ai]d[?]△ R·b7-b8 · ≈ the baseline's "fince that tyme" interline (harmonizes)
- 005.R41] <th>is ext <h>a<th>[e?]△ «<sup>E/B[?]</sup>»△ <p>[ro]fe<cu>ted on <th>e <b>e<h>alfe of R·b7-b8 · ✓eB; two caret contents unread
- 005.R42] his <M>a[jes]ty and <th>e[?] <f>ute[?]△ in <th>e <C>ourte o[f] <—TORN—> R·b8 · "his Ma[jes]ty" ✓eB chain-locked — the crown-prosecution formula; the final court name DEFINITELY tear-lost
- 005.R43] <...> and <th>efe <f>ute[s?]△ <...TORN...> R·b8 · the last surviving ink; the diagonal tear takes everything below — NO signature survives, NO answer-9 boundary sighted

**Modernized (editorial aid — never quotable):** But this examinant has [preferred] his bill into this Honourable [Court] against the said [Mr Barker — the max-caution reading, unarbitrated] and others; and also has a suit for conspiracy depending in the Court [of Common Pleas] at Westminster against [Howell] Lewis, W[illia]m[?] Lewis and [\_\_\_]; and an action against John Lewis and Rees ap Hugh in the King's Bench; and also an action against [Howell Lewis], since that time prosecuted on the behalf of his Majesty, in the Court of [torn away]... — the deponent's own map of a four-forum litigation war with the Lewis parties, running off the torn foot.

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## REVISION STRATUM AND PHYSICAL RECORD

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**Census:** LEFT L1-L39 = 39 lines FIRM (answer 6 = L1-L23; answer 7 = L24-L39); RIGHT R1-R43 = 43 surviving lines FIRM (answer 8 = R1 to the tear; unknown rows lost below). **Membrane total 82 surviving lines.** Interlineations: <sup>now</sup> (L15) · «m[e]e?» unresolved (L32) · <sup>in monie</sup> (R2) · <sup>of this ext</sup> (R3) · the R#i3 insertion complex with gutter overflow (R8) · <sup>fome</sup> (R19) · <sup>hade /a/pleas</sup> (R33-R34) · two unread carets (R41). Strikes: L#1 ~~borrowe~~→lend · L#2 (location false-start) · L#3 ~~leid w[?]h, me~~ △△ · R#0 (torn corner) · R#1 (the ~~id tenement~~ under strike) · R#2-R#5 (the revision zone, incl. the struck father-clause draft) · R#6 (illegible). The answer-8 revision zone (R7-R12) is the heaviest scribal-correction cluster in the file — the estate narrative reworked mid-writing, with the struck draft of the father-sum clause re-entered lower.

Physical: double opening, gutter/fold  $x \approx 0.50$ ; right page's top-right corner torn (R1 partial); the membrane's bottom edge cuts DIAGONALLY through the right page (the court name and any further rows lost); left foot blank + torn; no signature either page; right-page gutter carries the R#i3 insertion overflow.

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## OPEN ITEMS ON THIS MEMBRANE

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1. **OPEN** — the answer-6 SUM (L21; ledger B1, user-surfaced): two independent ff-initial sightings (here + 007's re-citation) vs the baseline's "thirtie"; four candidate families across four passes. The quoting documents never asserted the figure. △△ TOP TNA.
2. **OPEN** — the Rowe toponym (L27; user-surfaced): "<C>ornwall" (4D letterforms) vs "[Ch]annall" (baseline; Cannon Row, Westminster; the instrument's Art-7 zoom "Channell" concurs). △△ TNA.
3. **OPEN** — the L8 October ordinal (reopened): "ffirft" (4D) counter-indicated by "ff Sixt" (baseline) + this page's R25/R30 internal 6-October locks. TNA.
4. **CONFLICT** — baseline-favored pairs (R4/R5): "the [s]aid Murder" over "Wm th'elder"; "acquited" resolves the q-descender verb (post-acquittal framing); "two Colts w[hi]ch were" over "toll/woll". TNA confirms.
5. **UPGRADE** — the parents row (R15): "by his ffather & Mother" ✓eB corrects the baseline's "[grand?]mother"; conform on TNA confirm.
6. **OPEN** — names class: the L4 forename (Owen/Daniel Bulkley); L5 "his man/ffrend"; the L20 courier cluster (Humfrey ✓ agreed; flanking tokens + 007's "Anthonie Leadman" = two courier-name events, ledger A4); "John ap How[ell?]" (R6); "<H>owall" (R36). TNA, names above all.

7. **OPEN** — **strike L#3 "feid w[el]fh[?], me"**: a "said welsh" reading would be substantive.   TNA (multispectral class).
8. **OPEN** — **the toponyms (identification gold; ledger A15)**: tenement #1 "<T>y<h>ir[?] <ll>an<th>y[?]" / "Ty[d]in lla[y]th[y]n[?]" ; tenement #2 "<T>yddgyn[?]" / "Tyddyn [K/H]iew[?]" ; the parish "Amblowghe" double-locked (Amlwch hypothesis); the COUNTY unread (A-initial only — "Anglesey" is supplied everywhere). TNA.
9. **OPEN** — **the second-sum value (R23; ledger B3)**: thede/three/"fcore" candidates; frame firm, value unread. TNA.
10. **OPEN** — **R31 <M/B>arker (MAX CAUTION)**: the baseline's "the fd Mr Barker" structural reading leads; no use of "Barker" from this row without professional arbitration.   TNA.
11. **VARIANT** — **sweep-up**: L36 pivot row (whole-row ); L39 Caufe/[Bill]; L35 "by the fame/chaunce"; R30 pre-bill verb; R33 struck token; R40 fute/them; R8 body cluster; carets' contents (R41, R#i8); "<Cl> [oathes?]" ; crux-class suspensions by rule. TNA.

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## CROSS-REFERENCES

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Line-grain authority: \_WORKING\_005\_LINE\_INDEX.md (native sweeps, 35 eB-queue dispositions, 20-item delta log). Baseline: \_WORKING\_LLOYD\_DEPOSITION\_003R-007.md \$005L/\$005R (fold-in complete). Zoom verdicts: \_WORKING\_REZOOM\_VERDICTS\_2026-07-02.md. Ledger: \_PRECISION\_PASS\_LEDGER.md (B1 sum, B2 loan amount, B3 father's sum, A4 courier, A13–A15 names/tenements). Companion: READING\_COMPANION\_STAC\_8\_203\_38.md (005 section + Phase-4 addendum). Method: ../TRANSCRIPTION\_AND\_ANALYSIS\_METHODOLOGY.md (v1.3, §18.5).

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