Now this Day viz.t nov.m ber the 13.th 1699 Coming into
Court the Said Wm Gordon by Jno. Kirk his atty
as also the Said walter Campbell by Charles
Powell his atty and the Said Wm Gordon prayth
that the Said walter Campbell to his Decl. apt may
answere

and the Said Defend.t by Charles Powell
his atty Comes and Defends the force and
Injury when &c and prayth Judg.t of the Decl.
ast be cause he Sayth that the Decl. ast and the
matter therein Contained is not Sufficient in Law
to Compell this Deft to make answer thereunto
neither by the Law of the Land is he bound to make
answer and this he is ready to verify wherefore
For want of a Sufficient Decl. in that behalf
the Said Def.t Doth Demurr in Law and for
Cause thereof Shewth that Pl.ff Subsequent weapon
according to the Course of the Law in that Case
in ad. and Doth &c

First For that in the Decl. is omitted
to Sett Fourth that the apprehth was made
w.th in the Jurisdiction of this Court w.ch ought
For in all Declarations brought in a County
Court to have been expressed that the Court
might thereby know if it was in their Jurisdiction
and Consequently whether the action Could be
tryed before them

Secondly the Deft is a prevledged Peer
and all Peers having Priviledge there ought
to file his bill requiring the said may be answered
w.ch bill is in Construction of Law a Declaration
Setting Fourth the Cause of the Complaint w.ch
must be filed in terms hind and unknown the
Def.t must answere therefore Barred of his

previlledge w.ch Complaint must be by the plaint.t Sett Fo.rth
that such a plaint. Complaining by Such his atty and not in
his own Proper Person un besetting and the plaint in
his bill of Complaint hath Sett Fourth

Thirdly this is it Selfe is imperfect without any reason
in it Selfe to bar the said plaint. in Question tho he
have not Sett Fourth that the thirty Days were expired
when he Demanded of the w.ch in bill and that the said
pag.n and Comp.a after the Expiration of thirty Days pay.n Did
&c Suppose the Same

Lastly he hath not inserted in his said bill of Complaint
the Copy of the said bill of Exch.a as the plaint in his
bill of Complaint will aver and of w.ch pray Judg.t
Pow.ll

And the Said Wm Gordon by his ast atty Sayth
For that he above Declaring hath in his said Decl.
alledged Sufficient matter in Law to maintain his
action ab.r Lad and recovered ag.t the said walter Campbell
w.ch he is ready to aver and w.ch matter the said walter
Doth not nor Can Gainsay nor thereunto at all
answere and this plaint. wholly resting to admit
as matter in bar any of the Def.ts Exceptions in Demurr
pray Judg.t and his Damages by the Occasion
above specified to him to be adjudged &c

The Court having taken into their Consideration
as well the said plaints Decl. as the Def.ts plea
of Demurr &c: Do adjudge that the Def.ts plea
nor any thing therein Contained is Sufficient in Law
nor ought to bar this plaint. his action Good Enough &c
as ast &c:

Mr Clerk is Considered by the
Court there that the said Wm Gordon recover
ag.t the said walter Campbell as well the Summe
of thirty pounds Sterl as ast as also the Summe
of Six pounds the allowed by act of Assembly
Long Sterl as ast by a Jury w.th the Summe