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P. C. R. But searching it, fownd it to bee putrified, affirming th^t the soare had bene much neglected, Yett hee did promise to heale yo^r Pet^r wth those meanes hee should leaue him, as should make him sownd for a hogshead of Tob, To whom yo^r Pet^r did passe his Bill for the s^d meanes. After this M^r Sharpe came to yo^r Pet^r & engaged before wittnes th^t he would make him a sownd man, wth a month or fwe weeks, or haue nothing for his labo^e. About a month or Two after Cap^t ffuller comming to M^r Sharpe's howse, where yo^r Pet^r lay, tould M^r Sharpe, th^t he did use contrary meanes for the effecting of the cure, prescribing him meanes, w^{ch} he should use, Whose aduice M^r Sharpe following did heale yo^r Pet^r's wound. And sodenly after M^r Sharpe demanded one Thowsand pownds of Tob for the Cure. Yo^r Pet^r uppon this promise did passe his Bill unto the s^d Sharpe (Viz) That the s^d Sharpe should find yo^r Pet^r Bath's & Oyles. Yo^r Pet^r not questioning in the least when he passed his Bill to the s^d Sharpe, but th^t hee would haue restored yo^r Pet^r to the p^efect use of his legge. But soe it is (may it please this hon^{ble} Court, th^t the s^d Sharpe after yo^r Pet^r had passed his Bill, did neglect, & cast of yo^r Pet^r, not any wayes endeououring to helpe him, or performe his promise uppon w^{ch} the Bill was passed, Through w^{ch} yo^r Pet^r was enforced to take a tedious & chargeable iourney to the Manados for his Cure

yo^r Pet^r therefore humbly craueth th^t the s^d Sharpe may make good the Cure to yo^r Pet^r, for w^{ch} yo^r Pet^r passed his Bill, & such dammages as yo^r Pet^r shall make appeare hee hath susteyned, wth costs of suite & yo^r Pet^r shall pray &c:

Vppon the Petⁿ afores^d The dēft (per Attornat Richard Smith) sayth That the Bill passed for one Thowsand six hund^d ninety Three pownds of Tob. was six hund^d & odd pownds for goods, & the Thowsand pownds was for dyett for Ten months in his howse, & nothing att all is charged for the Cure.

p. 120 Stephen Benson aged 32 yeares or thereabouts Sayth th^t in the yeare 1653, Adam Staueley being hurt wth the limme of a Tree, sent for M^r Sharpe, who came and dressd' the s^d Adam two or three times, leauing him meanes for to dresse himselfe, & the s^d Sharpe goeing to Patux^t stayed there eight or Ten dayes, during w^{ch} time the s^d Staueley being in much paine & misery, M^r Pott's ship comming downe from Seauerne, desyred, th^t the Surgeion thereof might bee fetched from aboard, w^{ch} this depon^t & M^r Parker did, yett wth much adoe preueiling wth him, who comming ashoare might but slight of the wound, but searching the same att the Patients importunity, he sayd there had bene in the busines a great neglect, ffurther saying th^t if hee were to stay, hee would not question, but to cure it, & if hee would giue him a hogshead of Tob, hee would giue him meanes th^t wth his directions should wth gods help cure him. Whereuppon the s^d Staueley passed his Bill, & the s^d Chyrurgeon sent him meanes. Now