

In a Court of Chancery holden at the City of S<sup>t</sup>. Marys the 28<sup>th</sup> of October in the 3<sup>rd</sup> year of the Dominion of Charles the first Anno 1628  
Ind 1628 Present

The Hon<sup>ble</sup> { Philip Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> Council  
                  { M<sup>rs</sup> Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> private Secy  
                  { Thomas Taylor Esq<sup>r</sup>  
                  { Henry Conroy Esq<sup>r</sup>

Between In<sup>o</sup>. Hafford & Ann his wife Esq<sup>s</sup> of the last Part  
& Defendant of John Avery done Com<sup>rs</sup> Boy: Granger Esq<sup>r</sup>  
This cause coming on in the Dorset this day to be heard & debated in the Court  
of Robert Calvert Attorney for the Com<sup>rs</sup> & Robt. Ridgely Attorney for the  
Def<sup>t</sup> the substance of the Com<sup>rs</sup> Bill appeared to be that the said John  
Avery the former husband of the said Ann in the Month of May in the year  
of our Lord and thousand six hundred six went on a voyage for  
England about his then urgent affairs & did his wife being much  
known to the said Boy: Granger who had married the daughter of the said  
Avery to the said Boy: Granger became an earnest suitor & solicitor  
to the said John Avery that he should with might & main send him the said John  
Avery in that voyage to the said Boy: Granger & sending his wife  
in a separate ship before him in England without the said J<sup>r</sup>. Avery  
affixing in & covering a passage for him & his wife & paying for the  
same he would not go to look after his said estate and that if the said  
John would do him that kindness he the said Boy: Granger would  
to repay what he should pay & disburse for him the said Boy: Granger or  
his wife but also that they would be very serviceable to him in affixing him  
both in his passage aboard the ship as also in England in what should  
concern them and thereupon the said John Avery was persuaded to take the said  
Boy: Granger & his wife along with him into his good ship where the ship  
they were to go in lay at anchor & took them on board & did their passage  
to Cap<sup>t</sup>. Abraham Woodcock Com<sup>dr</sup> of the said ship three pounds  
but the said Boy: Granger could not get to his ports when he came  
for England and further set forth that they being safely arrived in England  
the said Boy: Granger finding himself frustrated in his expectation he the  
said Boy: Granger & his wife desired the assistance of their said father the said  
J<sup>r</sup>. Avery who out of love & kindnes to them did Lodge on for the same for  
the same from the twentieth day of June and thousand six hundred six  
to the twenty eighth day of November following at which time they came  
board the ship for their return to his port & that the said John Avery  
having received a considerable sum of money in England he entrusted the  
said Boy: Granger sometimes with the keeping thereof & laying out several  
sums for him & his wife money to buy him & his wife & servants & clothes & for  
paying of his passage for him & his wife & did & would continue him with  
several sums of a considerable value a particular list of which by affidavit he  
found under the hand of the said Boy: Granger they have ready to receive  
with several other sums of money & goods & a great value & that the  
And they further set forth that the said John Avery died before he came on shore  
leaving all his money & goods in the possession of the said Boy: Granger & his  
the said