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Civit Cestr Ss. The Examination of Unidentified taken before the Mayor of Chester &c.<sup>t</sup> October 3. 1704.

Unidentified Goldsmith upon his Examination confesseth that he was born at Swanburn in Buckinghamshire, serv'd his apprenticeship in S.<sup>t</sup> Pauls Church yard London with Unidentified deceased. about twenty years agoe, and that Since his Apprenticeship he wrought **{illeg}**rneywork in London, for the most part with Unidentified Goldsmith on Ludgate hill, that he was Imprison'd about two years agoe in the Marshallsea Sothwark for debt, and was released by Act of Parliament that he came from Lond.<sup>o</sup> on Satturday last was Sennight, with an Intent to goe for Ireland, went to Park Gate to take Shipping, but wanting the opportunity of a fair wind returned back to Chester, in Order to return fro London, haveing altered his resolution of goeing for Ireland, & this Examinant further saith that he bought 45. false and Counterfeit Lewisd'ors on Munday last at Park-Gate for 12.<sup>d</sup> a peice but cannot tell of whome he bought them, save that the man told him that he came from Ireland. 42. of which Lewis d'ors were found upon this Examinant this day, One other he changed this Morning with the Hostler at the Golden Talbot in Chester for Silver but what is become of the other two this Examinant cannot tell. Unidentified Capt. die et añ Supdict coram Edw.<sup>d</sup> Partington Mayor

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