

Jurisdiction of this Court in and upon a certain John Griffith In the peace of God
 of the said Lord property then and there being with force and arms an assault did
 make and kill the said John then and there did great wound and evil hurt
 so that of his life it was much defaced and other harms to him then and
 there did to the great damage of the said John and against the peace of the
 said Lord property That now in his good rules & dignity &c.

Just John Griffith

Francis Goddard

The same endorsed as follows A True bill fine Roger Huke Foreman
 and the said Samuel came and in his property appeared to the
 said Indulment and also in his proper person comes & saith
 that he cannot give way the Indulment as so as against him brought nor
 but that he is guilty of the assault above upon him alledged as by
 the said Indulment is set forth and thereupon submits to the Court
 therefore it is considered by the Justices here to wit All the Court
 House in the Town of Chopt. in said County on the third Tuesday in Nov.
 being the twentieth day of said Month and on seven o'clock in the
 and thirty That the said Samuel Clarke do find two hundred pounds
 of Tobacco for his offence and as aforesaid Confess. to the use of his Lordship
 and also pay the sum of three hundred Sixty three pounds of Tobacco
 according on the promises and to the officers of this Court

ordered by the Court here That Joseph Young Gent Sheriff of Kent
 County keep the said Samuel Clarke in safe Custody until the
 & fees and shall be satisfied

J. Smith

The said Samuel being ordered to give Security for his appearance
 at some time after during this Court sitting The same in his property
 appeared. and acknowledged himselfe Indebted to the Right Honour.
 the Lord property in the sum of four hundred pounds to be levied on his body
 goods & Chattle Lands & Tenem. Conditionally That if he should not app
 at any time hereafter during this Courts sitting to answer unto what
 should be objected against him on his Lordships behalf in relation to
 the said Indulment of assault & also that he was to be of good behav
 and that in the mean timest. and therewith he acknowledged himselfe
 Content and now here of this Court afterwards came the said Samuel in
 his property and appeared and prayed to might from the said Indulment
 be discharged. Ordered by the Court here That the same Recognizance be
 discharged as prayed The said Samuel Recognizance in the sum of two
 hundred pounds for his appearance as aforesaid by this Court here discharged