

Liber B. and soe continued till the 11th of the same month in the
P. R. O. eleventh year of the Dom: of the R^t hon^{ble} Charles &c. Ann:
Dom: 1686.

Commissioners present

M ^r William Dare	M ^r Gideon Gundry
M ^r Richard Pullen	M ^r Edward Jones
M ^r Nicholas Allum	M ^r George Warner
M ^r Edward Blay	M ^r James Wroth.

p. 56 Itt is by the Court ordered that the Sheriff take into his Custody Giles Porter one Ralph and Phillip Burgen which was accordingly done.

Itt is likewise ordered that a Bill of Indictment be drawn on the behalf of the Lord Proprietary against the persons above mentioned for libellous and scandelous words spoken against the present King James the second and M^r John Thompson one of the Attorney of the said Court was by the Court appointed for that very matter only to draw an Indictment thereupon which was accordingly done by the said Thompson in these words foll: Giles Porter one M^r Child one Ralph and one Phillip Burgen stands indicted for that they the said Porter Child Ralph and Phillip Burgen did on the 11th day of July 1686 att the House of the said Burgen and in the yard before the door sitting drinking of a Bowl of Punch they began the Duke of Monmouth's health the said Giles Porter rising up did say utter and speak these reproachfull words against our Sovereigne Lord King James the Second viz^t that the Duke of Monmouth's health he the said Giles Porter would drink butt for York (meaning our Sovereign Lord the King) hath been a bloody Rogue for he hath poisoned his Brother the late King Charles and he began (meaning our said Sovereign Lord King James the Second) the first invention of the burning of London All these words tending to the dishonour of our said Lord the King his Crown & Kingdom.

The Pannell of the Grand Jury
Samuell Wheeler forman

Thomas Peirce	Edward Lademore	Alex: Mackahy
William Drake	Thomas Hitchcock	Walter Meeke
Richard Brown	John Waggett	John Parke.
John Atkins	Humphry Nicholls	
Issack Cask	W ^m Brown	

The Jury returned on the back side of the Bill of Indictment [Ignoramus for want of evidence]

Then itt was ordered by the Court that a warrant issue forth to the Sheriff for the bringing before the Justices of this Court