

Liber K. Together with the foregoing Letter &c^a was at this time produced and read this following Paper (viz^t)

May it please your Excellency

In answer to M^r LLeuellins Letter have inserted the Commsrs Names as well as the Grand Jurors who preferred the petition against M^r Green & M^r Barkstead

Commsrs viz^t M^r Francis Ienkins M^r James Dashiell
M^r Sam^l Hopkins M^r Edm^d Howard
M^r Thomas Iones & Cap^t In^o King

Grand Jurors Viz^t

William Turvile	John Windsor
Roger Philips	Thomas Gordon
Benj ^a Esham	George Lane
William Tomkins	William Lawes
In ^o Townshend jun ^r	Miles Gray
Philip Askue	George Batts
John Holland	Edward Wale
Thomas Quillain	William Wallis
Abraham Emmet	Thomas Beauchamp
John Richins	Paskue Bartlett
Thomas Shiles	& Francis Roberts

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p In^o West Cler Cur Comit. Som:

M^r Francis Ienkins the first of the Commissioners named makes his appearance & alledgeth that he never was summoned in Excuse for not appearing before—

M^r Stephen Luff Sheriff of Somerset County called in & Examined thereof saith that never any præcept to that purpose Came to his hands

However the said Francis Ienkins further humbly offereth himself in mitigation of the crime laid to their charge & alledgeth that it never was the design intent or inclination in the least of that Court to put any Affront upon or shew any disrespect to his Excellencys Commission & if any such Construction can be made of their Letter or proceedings it must of necessity be the mistake or misapprehension of the Clerk in drawing it

John LLeuellin Clerk of the Council being Interrogated & affirming that according to the order of this Board Summons were sent out & directed to M^r Iohn West Clerk of Somerset County Court & it appearing to this Board that the same had been Conceal'd & not duly served Ordered that Summons issue for the said West to appear here next Council day to Answer his Contempt

The honble Coll^o Nea Blakiston & Thomas Tench Esq^r having pursuant to the Order of this Board yesterday made