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Benjamin Gundry

Edw^d Swettnam

William Nowell

Nathaniel Howell

Edward Beck

George Higginbotham

Joseph Hopkins

William Pearce Liber R.

John James

John Cocks

Richard Nash

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William Mead

Henry Ripsey

A Deposition also taken by Michael Miller before Henry Hosier and Cornelius Comegys Justices of the peace of Kent County then read & ordered to be entred viz.

Michael Miller aged 37 yeares or thereabouts Sworne and Examined

Saith That this Deponent being at Cecil Court the second Tuesday in June last past, where for some misdemeano^r committed by a servant formerly belonging to Thomas King of said County but at that time claimed by Cap^m Jonathan Sibrey, The said servant was by the Court ordered to receive thirty nine Lashes and was committed into the custody of Edward English high Sheriff of the said County to receive the punishment that was by the said Court ordered whereupon the said English did putt in the said Servants hands into the whipping post, and some small Peach tree switches was brought to whip the said person which Captⁿ Sibrey and others found fault with and said th^t they were not fitt to whip the man withall, whereupon the said English went himself to cutt more that might give content, at which time the prisoner was lett loose and did runn away and M^r English Runn after him, at which tyme all the people with M^r James Stavely, M^r Philip Holenger & William Peerce did stand round the whipping post when the prisoner was lett loose and did sett up a greate shoute and William Nowell at that time stood in the Court house Porch makeing a laughter thereat, but M^r James ffrisby one of the Commission^{rs} standing some distance off at the prison doore with your Deponent cryed shame of their Actions, and was much troubled as he did show by his discourse. And this Deponent being an Attorney for an Orphan, (and that being an Orphan Court) did plead the Act of Assembly concerning Orphans Estates which the