

but before he turned from him by his Countenance this deponent thought himself in Danger: but at length this deponent heard several voices behind him saying shoot him, some saying if you shoot him shoot him in the legs, others said damn him shoot him in the Body; then Willey Ran to the Corner of a House cocked levelled and fired the Gun and then Turned round and Walked to his Company upon Which this deponent rode round the Corner of the House, to the place where Willey fired the Gun when this deponent saw the afs^d Outten lying on his Back on the Earth at about twelve yards Distance from the place where Willy shot that this depon^t Immediately Allighted off his horse, and went to Outten and found him with Several Shot in the Lower part of his Belly and about five minuits after which he Expired, when the afs^d Willy Sharp and Welch, With sundry of their Company went up to the Corps, and Expressed great Joy, the Company then With this Deponent being about half the number of the other Company were without Arms the Others Armed with Guns and Clubs Which Obliged this Deponent and the Company with him to be as Calm as Possible, the aforesaid Welch Damming him self if Willy wou'd ever be hurt for What he had done, and advised him to go and deliver himself up to the Court, which was then sitting at Lewes Town in Sussex County, which this Deponent after a Little reflection did also Advise the said Willey to, knowing that he with what persons were with him durst not Attempt to lay hold on him upon Which the afs^d Willey and the Active persons in his Company went away and Some of them said the Corps must remain where it was, and a Sussex Coroner be sent for which this Deponent not thinking well off he with his company did bear the Corps of the said Outten away, and this Deponent further saith, that the aforesaid Willey after Outten lay Deceased on the Ground, went up to the Corps and said that he (Outten) had got his deserts, and that he told him before he undertook the Office of under Sheriff that he would be shot or killed (but which he doth not remember) if he did; and that if he had not undertook the Office no other one would. And further This Deponant saith not.

Lib. J. R.
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Signed thus. I. Dennis Jun^r

Thus Subscribed

on the afs^d 13th day of Feb^r Jurat Coram me

R^s Holt, Capital Jus^t et Just Pacis &c.

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Sussex on Delaware

The Deposition of Pennington Welch of the County aforesaid yeoman of Ceedar Creek Hundred, Taken before me the