

by giving her certaine Stroakes or Blowes vpon her body against the peace of his said Lōp. his Rule and Gouvernm^t Being asked whether she was Guylty or not Guilty she pleaded not Guylty and putt her selfe vpon the tryall of God and her Country

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Then were sworne of the Jury John Hammond Foreman together with the rest, who carryed to heare the Examinacōns before they withdrew.

Then was Examined Michaell Farmer on the behalfe of the Lord Proprietary Sayth That he did see Anne Nevell strike Margarett Redfearne with her hand and her Shoe and comāded her to goe in and strip her selfe naked and went together a Rodd at the Peach trees and afterwards the said Margarett went in a doores and her M^{rs} followed her and Shutt to the doore and he further swears that he heard the Stroakes and heard her Crye and at the same tyme the said Margarett had a feauor and Ague every other day And further sayth that at the tyme that her M^{rs} commanded her to goe into the howse she sayd she would be revenged on her.

Thomas Cobham Examined on the behalfe of the Lord Prop^r testifyes noething at all of his owne knowledge but that he heard Margarett Redfearne say that she did lay her death to Anne Nevell her Dame.

Susan Barbary Examined on the behalfe of the Lord Proprietary Sayth That her husband bringing over Margarett Redfearne which he bought of John Nevell and goeing to wash her body and shift her being sick the said Margarett Complayned of her left side which was black from her throate to her breast and soe cross her back and this depon^t askt her how she came by that hurte and she answered that she Gott it by her dame Nevells throweing her over a Logg and that her dame Nevell counselld her to drownd herselfe telling her she should not liue two moneths if two moneths not two moneths and a halfe which Enmity of her dames riss from her discouery of a noate sent from one John Hatton to her Dame but what was in that noate this depon^t never heard off And further sweareth that she did lay her death to her dame if she dyed that she did desire to be carryed ouer to M^r Stanleys carryed over and there did lay her death depon^t did shew her before

Andrew Hinderson examined on the behalfe of the Lord Proprietary Sayth That he was there at the carrying over of Margarett Redfearne to M^r Stanley that he heard her Complayne of her throate and that he sawe she was black aboute the throate which Margarett Redfearne Sayd her M^{rs} pincht her and that she did lay her death to her M^{rs} at M^r Stanleys, The Stripes that he saw vpon her thigh he did belieue was a fortnight before which was with a small twigg

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