

At a County Court hold for His Royall Ma^{ties} William and Mary King and
 Queen, of England, Scotland France and Ireland &c. This 14th day of January
 in the first year of His Ma^{ties} Reign, and in the year of our Lord God 1689
 Before His Ma^{ties} Justices Sheriffs and appointed for the County of
 Down.

Presidents
 Of the Court.

Cap. David Brown	M ^r James: Round
M ^r Francis: Gordon	M ^r Samuel: Hopkins
Cap. John: Winder	M ^r Edmund: Howard
Cap. Robert: King	M ^r Thomas: Jones
	M ^r Stephen: Luffe

The Court being called, the
 Imprius came before their Wors. Roger Burtham and Sheriff of this County and did openly declare that
 having executed his Office by serving a writ upon Matthew Starbrough, the said Starbrough in the audience of
 sundry persons, viz. Wm. Whittington, John: Webb and Thomas: Oxford, said that he denied the power now
 being and therefore refused to obey. Whereupon the Court ordered summons for the above said Whittington, Webb, &
 Oxford to appear next Court, as Evidence against the above said Starbrough.

The above said Roger Burtham at the said time returned his panel of Jury men viz. Richard: Combers, Randall: Rowell, William: Harris and Alexander: Thomas. for which their
 contempt, the Court orders them to be fined, and summons to appear next Court to show cause if any.
 And then the Sheriff was ordered to summons four other Jury men in their rooms, which was immediately done,
 so the Jury was forthwith called, whose names are as followeth. Charles: Hall, Cap. William: Piper, Samuel:
 Henry: John, Robert: William: Carson, Jeffrey: Mitchell, Thomas: Oxford, Daniel: Hest, John: Carr,
 Richard: Whitty, John: Jones, and William: Round, who being sworn upon the holy Evangelists, attended.

The Court orders the Sheriff to return another Jury, as was forthwith returned, their names
 being as followeth. John: King, William: Hest, John: Parker, Edward: Diber, John: Killam, Matthew:
 Dorman, John: Strawbridge, George: Bayly, Thomas: Dyer, John: Smith, Benjamin: Deards,
 William: Doufon, in stead of Lazarus Maddox, whom the Court ordered to be fined, and summons to
 appear next Court to show cause, if any, for his contempt in not appearing as a Jury man.

There was this following Indictment Read.

Their Masters Cens-
 Jacob: Martin

County of Down
 The Jurors for their Ma^{ties} being sworn upon the holy Evangelists at a Grand Jury hold for the Body of this County
 the second Tuesday in November last past, did present and find that Jacob: Martin of this County Labourer
 hath most wickedly and feloniously stolen and carryed away, One hundred pounds of wool, together with One
 hundred and sixty pounds of Iron to the value of nine hundred ninety and nine pounds of Cobalt, in or about
 the month of August Anno Domini 1689, being the proper goods of Ralph: Milbourn and Richard: Dennis of
 this County Saylor, which said goods were feloniously stolen, and carryed away from a board their Sloop
 Riding in Portmores Bay, and within the Jurisdiction of this Court contrary to the Statute and divine Laws
 of Almighty God, the good Laws and Institutions of this Province and against the publick peace, their Ma^{ties}
 Honourable Laws Judgment may be entered against the said Jacob: Martin, according to Law in that Case
 provided &c. James: Sangster J^{ud}.

The Defendant appeared in his proper person and pleaded in