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June Court 1729

Seventeen hundred twenty and Seven at the parish and in the County and within the Jurisdiction of this Court the ears of one pig of ^{the} value of twenty pounds of tobacco of the Goods and Chattels of a certain Charles Goodenage without the knowledge and against the will of the ^{S^d} Charles with force and arms to wit with one knife did cut and mark and other harmes to the ^{S^d} Charles then & there did to the great damage of the Same Charles and against the peace of the Said Lord propriety that now is his good rule & Government &c. wherefore the afd Attorney prayeth the advice of the Court herein the premises for the said Lord Propriety and due process of Law against the afd John in this part to issue to answer to the afd Lord propriety of and upon the Premises &c.

Tost
James Boyer Jun^r

I Francis Ck pacis

And the afd John Alexander in his proper person cometh & saith that he is not guilty in any sort of the premises above upon him imposed as by the Indictment it is alledged and thereof he putteth himself upon the Country

John Alexander ⁱⁿ psona

and he who followeth for the Lord propriety in like manner saith he is guilty

I Francis ^{pro} Propriety

And now at this Court viz the third Tuesday in June being the seventeenth day of ^{S^d} Month anno Domini Seventeen hundred and twenty nine Came against the ^{S^d} propriety by Tench Francis Ck of ^{v^o} Indictments and the afd John Alexander in his proper person and withdraws his plea afd and now saith that he cannot gainsay the Information afd so as afd against him brought nor but that he is guilty of the premises... above upon him imposed as by the afd Information it is alledged & thereupon submits to the Court Therefore it is considered by the Justices here ~~OR~~ the

third Tuesday of June being the seventeenth day of ^{S^d} Month anno Domini Seventeen hundred & twenty nine that the afd John Alexander pay the sum of fifty pounds of Tobacco to the Right hon^{ble} the Lord propriety as his fine for committing the offence afd & also pay the sum of Six hundred ^{& one} pound of Tobacco costs accruing on the premises afd ordered by the Court here that the Sheriff of ^{S^d} County keep the ^{S^d} John in his custody until he shall pay the fine & cost afd thereupon afterwards came into Court Robert Alexander & assumed to pay the fine & costs afd

the afd John Alexander at august Court last being the twentieth