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to the high displeasure of Almighty God to the Evil Example of all others in such case offending contrary to the Statute of the said Lord Prop^{ty} his good rule and Government against the form of the Act of Assembly in this case made & provided by **Francis**

On the Return of the said Indictment was thus Endor'd

A True Bill of the Justices for man

And now here at this Day to wit the fifteenth day of June in the year of our Lord God Seventeen hundred thirty and six cometh the said Lord Prop^{ty} by John Francis his Attorney and prayeth that the said Mary to the Indictment aforesaid might Answer

And the said Mary in her proper person comes & Defends the good and injury whereof and saith she is in no sort guilty of the promise as above upon her it is imposed as by the said Indictment it is alleged and therefore she puts herself upon the Country **Mary Norris**

And he who followeth for the Lord Prop^{ty} in like manner says she is guilty **Francis**

The return Command was given the Sheriff of Kent County that he immediately cause to come here twelve by whom he who neither be to recognize or be sworn as well as of which said Sheriff the said Sheriff to wit William Harris Gent now here at this Day to wit the fifteenth Day of June in the year of our Lord Seventeen hundred thirty and six makes return that he hath here ready twelve by his Sheriff he was commanded And now here afterwards to wit the Day and Year last mentioned and again the said Lord Prop^{ty} by his Attorney aforesaid and the said Mary Norris in her proper person aforesaid and the Jurors of that Jury being summoned and called before them to wit Thomas Bradley, William M. Cam, Jonathan Woodland, Robert Mootre Robert Green, Henry Gordon, Wm. Wether, Jos. Vandersamp Samuel Thomas, Charles Miller, Robert White, James Moore who being duly elected tried and sworn to say the Truth in the promises and the said Lord Prop^{ty} by his Attorney aforesaid appearing to the Verdict of the Jury aforesaid and upon their Oath do say that the said Mary Norris is guilty as she stands Indicted and by Thomas Bradley their foreman they all do say **Therefore**