5016 Elisha Sedgwick and Charles and Richard Gibbs
who being Warned to appear and Sworne well &
truly to try and true Deliverance make
between our Sov. Lord the King and the Prisoner
James Gurley prisoner at the Barr and having
heard the Indictment and what the Witnesses
Could say in the premises upon their oaths do
say that the Said James Gurley is Guilty of
manslaughter but have no Goods or Chattles
Lands or tenements to their knowledge

Afterwards viz: the Same day
and year Last mentioned the Said James
Gurley was again Called to the Barr and in
war Demanded of him what he had to
say for himself why Sentence of Death
should not passe on him according to Law
whereupon the Said James Gurley prayed
the benefitt of Clergy and it was granted

And thereupon Rev. Joseph Mintern
one of the Chaplins being appointed Ordinary for
this Island Readed unto the Book and the Said
Ordinary Says that he Craves

Wherefore it is Considered by the Justices here
that the Said James Gurley be burnt in the left
hand according to Form of Statute in Cases made & provided