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Which presentment was framed into an Indictment by the Court of Kent as follows viz. The Jurors for our Sovereign Lord King that now is for the Body of Kent County upon their oaths do say that Arthur Gorman a late citizen Arthur Gorman of Kent County pleades for that he y^e said Arthur at the place of Hundred in Kent County within the jurisdiction of this Court upon the tenth day of Aprill anno Domini 1700 was found guilty on the charge of three hundred and pounds of God in the woods there being feloniously he did steal and carry away against the peace of our Lord King and against the forms of the act of assembly in such cases made provided and made and provided

Not guilty of patriam Carc. p. Defend. Martin p. Dom. Regem
and y^e said Richard Macklin who follows for our Lord King says he is guilty Macklin p. Dom. Regem
Command was given to the Justices of Kent County that he cause to come here the said goods and the full men of his bailiwick to try the said goods to which the said goods answer he had the said goods resolved that as by his plea he was demanded viz. Thomas Wyall Gorman Thomas Garia Edward Lifford George Rowell Thomas Ford John Johnson Thomas Brown Nicholas Mosey William Robinson Nathan Estuar John Offley and Jacob Young which Jury being duly tried and sworn having heard the pleadings evidence and allegations on both sides of the Court quitted them the said charge who withdrew to consider on the plea and after some time doo againe returne and being againe called down and being demanded whether y^e said Arthur Gorman was guilty or not guilty as he stands indicted doo say with y^e Jury say he is not guilty as he stands indicted by Thomas Wyall the said foreman all of them doo say and there fore it is considered by the Court here that y^e said Arthur Gorman as to y^e said Indictment goe thereof without day he paying his fees

But y^e said Arthur Gorman by his Att^y Charles the Court that y^e said Arthur Gorman may be cleared by proclamation which was granted
Ordered therefore by the Court that y^e said Arthur Gorman be cleared by proclamation
was performed accordingly
The Court adjourns till 7. of the next morning

Feb 7 p 13. 1700 The Court againe mett according to adjournment
Sib. C. Thomas Smith } Capt. Thomas Kingdome } Justices
Ed. John Hynson } M^r. Phillip Hopkins }
Cap. Jn Whittington }

The Court proceeded to the trying and assessing the rates of liquors and which was assessed as formerly
Ordered by the Court that y^e Clerk of this Court shud out a Sumt. for Jn. Fillicard to appear here at the next Court to answer y^e Complaint of Jn. Wall
Jn. Dowdall

Ed. Fry being Grandjur. Capt. Noxon Court for denying to Creditt. William Sigley and is. John. was signed billa vera
which was framed into a bill of Indictment by the Court of Kent as follows viz. The Jurors for our Lord King that now is for the Body of Kent County upon their oaths doo present Edward Fry of the said County Indictor for that he y^e said Fry having a full license to keep an ordinary or house of entertainment at a place called Langford Bay hundred in said County within the jurisdiction of this Court y^e twenty eight Day of October anno Domini 1700 did deny and refuse to Creditt a certain Wm Sigley against the forms of the act of assembly in such cases made and provided
Macklin. P. Dom. Regem