

Marty  
 Jacob Faulk
 

 The Same  
 John Hamner
 

 These being laws and bills  
 read and put in use of Court
 
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The Purvis for our Sovereign Lady the Queen now  
 is for the body of Kent County upon their oaths do p<sup>re</sup>nt  

 W. Holmsworth  
 Kent County
 
 Holmsworth at die d<sup>omi</sup>n<sup>ic</sup> Holmsworth of  
 Kent County p<sup>re</sup>nter for that the said W. Holmsworth  
 with the twenty day of October Anno D<sup>omi</sup>n<sup>ic</sup>i 1702 at  
 Town hundred in Kent County within the Jurisdiction of this Court  
 with force and arms one great gelding horse of the price of eight  
 hundred pounds of tobacco the proper horse of a person unknown  
 then and there feloniously he did take and Car away  
 ag<sup>st</sup> the peace of our Sovereign Lady the Queen and ag<sup>st</sup> the form of  
 the Act of Assembly in y<sup>e</sup> said Acts made and provided  
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The above was thus ended in the Hall before the said Justice  
 And the said W. afterwards being called to the barre appeared  
 and for plea to the above indicted says he is not guilty of the  
 Matter herein charged ag<sup>st</sup> him And for the trial thereof puts  
 himself upon the Country and the Sh<sup>er</sup>iff of Indictm<sup>en</sup>t in the manner  
 thereof is given the Sh<sup>er</sup>iff of Kent County y<sup>e</sup> immediate  
 cause to come hereunto by whom he is to be tried  
 that he has been tried by a by his precept it was  
 Comanded by Edward Waller Esq<sup>r</sup> Justice Mich<sup>l</sup> Green Nath<sup>l</sup>  
 Marshey John Bowles Sam<sup>l</sup> Perry John Green and Harris  
 Nath<sup>l</sup> Pease Thomas Scotkin John Winters Thos<sup>l</sup> Bayly who  
 being sworn to say the truth in the premises do  
 say upon their oaths and of the Jury find the Defendant not guilty  
 of the Matter whereof he stands indicted

which being by the Court heard and understood it is by  
 them considered y<sup>t</sup> the said W. Holmsworth do to the p<sup>re</sup>nter  
 go thereof without day and be absolutely discharged therefrom  
 paying his fees  
 Whereupon y<sup>e</sup> W. Holmsworth prays clearance by  
 procd. which by order of Court is solemnly performed according to  
 former forms

Dec. Fry c  
 W. Davison