September Court 1704

Who being Elected Tried and Sworn to Say ye truth in ye p'misses Doe Say upon their oathes we of ye Jury find ye prisoner att ye Barr not Guilty of ye p'misses —

Which being by ye Court heard and fully understood It is by ye Justices here Considered this 26 Day of 7ber anno Dni 1704 That ye sd John Long as to ye Indictment aforesd Goe thereof without Day and be Discharged and acquitted from ye same paying his fees and ye sd John is Committed to ye Shert's Custody for ye sd fees

The Same } Kent County } ss in Maryland

The Same } The Jurors for our Sovereigne Lady ye Queen ye now is for ye body of ye sd County upon their oathes Doe present John Long alias Dicks John Long of ye same County Carpenter for ye he ye sd John Long ye 8th day of Feb. before his Eyes not having but being Lead by ye Instigation of ye Devill on ye 30th Day of March anno Dni 1704 at Bowne hundred in ye sd County & in ye Jurisdiction of this Court did with force and armes Lead away and Grand ye Culle of ye value of two hundred pounds of Tobo belonging to a Certaine person unknowne being Contrary to her majesties peace and ye act of Assembly in such Cases made and provided

Earle ye Pres Regem

Which Bill was Endorsed as followeth vizt Billa Vera

William Comegys foreman

This Indictment being Continued from ye fourth Tuesday in June last untill this present Court, and now here Comes ye sd John Long and being Called to ye Barr to answer ye sd appears and says ye he is not Guilty of ye p'misses and for Triall puts himselfe upon ye Country

And michael Earle who presentes for ye Lady ye Queen in like manner

Thereupon Command is Given to ye Shert of Kent County ye he Immediately Cause to Come here twelve men by whome ye who neither ye to recognize because as well ye and ye sd Shert Comes and says ye he hath here readily twelve men as by his sd precept he was Commanded to wit Mr Sigary Nutt Clerk Tho: Godwin Sen Godwin Sen Mahane Henry Jackson Mathew Marsey Tho: Hynes John Leyd Jr Meredith Tho Roth Geo: Edwards horne who being Elected Tried and Sworn to Say ye truth in ye p'misses Doe Say upon their oathes we of ye Jury find ye Defdt not Guilty of ye p'misses

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