

March Court 1715
Court came an ord. from William Bladen Esq. Attorney General to John
Johnson Clerk of the Judicment of this Court to Enter a Noli prosecute
on the Indulment as mentioned who says to prosecute the same and the
as William Darby prays that he may come to tryal or some other end
may be made of the same. On which this Court orders that M^r John
Roberts one of the attys of this Court prosecute the same Indulm. ag.
the as William Darby. And that he come to tryal on the same
Immediately the Indulm. sold by Kent County Maryland. The Jurors
for our Sovereign Lord the King that now is & the body of Kent County
upon their Oath say that Will^m Darby of South Parsafras Lower
Hundred in the County as Labourer on the tenth day of December in the
Year of our Lord one Thousand Seven hundred & fiftieen at Parsafras
upper hundred in the County as & within the Jurisdiction of this Court
by force and Arms &c. Sixteen hogs of the price of Nine hundred &
Sixty pounds of Tob. of the Goods & Chattells of a Certain person
unknowne. Men and there being found feloniously did Steale take
& bear away ag. the peace of our Sovereign Lord the King that
now is his Crown & dignity & against the forme of an Act of assent
by of this Province in that Case made and provided Johnson & Dm^r Rog.
Evidences John Jones James Brower John Heading Samuel Wallis
Job^l Darby Nith Gyley — Billa Varay Edward Plesto foroman.
held April the 8: 1715 And the same Indulment being continued
from Court to Court untill this Court And now at this Court the as Will^m
Being Caled came and in his proper person appeared to the as Indulm.
at the Barr M^r Thomas Bowne appears as atty for the as Will^m
And the as Indulment being sold the as William pleads not
Guilty and for tryal puts himselfe on of Country Darby in ^{pro forma} —
And he who follows for our said Lord the King in this Case by the
Court specially appointed saith he is Guilty Roberts & Dm^r Rog.
Whereupon Command was given to the Sher^{iff} of Kent County that
he immediately cause to come here to witte ^{pro forma} by whom &c. who not the
to recognize to because as well &c. And the Sheriff came and made