

Novemb<sup>r</sup> Court 1719

the Country  
And he who follows for the Lord Proprietaries Says the *ap* Joseph Wright is guilty

There upon Command is given to the Sheriff of Kent County that he immediately cause to come here twelve *li*. By whom *li*. who neither *li*. to Recognize *li*. Because as well *li*. of which said precept the said Sheriff now here at this day to wit the 19<sup>th</sup> day of Novemb<sup>r</sup>. Anno Dom 1719 makes returne that he hath here ready twelve *li*. as by his precept he was Commanded And now here afterwards to wit the day & year last mention<sup>d</sup>. comes again as well the said Lord Proprietarie by his Clarke of Judic<sup>t</sup>. as also the said Joseph Wright and stands at the barre and the Jurors of that Jury being impanelled who being called likewise came to wit John Ellis William Jones Charles Greendidge Joseph Everit John Cleaver John Ward John King Clith<sup>r</sup> Foreman William Spornman William Simcocks Nehemiah Powell Samuel Clarke who being duly elected tryd & sworn to say the truth in the premises upon their Oath do say that the said Joseph Wright prisoner at the barre is not guilty as he stands indicted the said Joseph prays Judgment on the Verdict and therefore it is considered by the Justices here the 19<sup>th</sup> day of Novemb<sup>r</sup>. Anno Dom 1719 and that the said Joseph Wright as to the *ap* Indentment go thereof without day and that he be there from acquitted But that the said Joseph Wright pay the same of fifteen hundred fifty one pound of Tobacco by the Court here adjudged to him for his *ap* and Charges arising on the premises and to the officers of this Court.

Ordered by the Court here that the Sheriff of Kent County keep the said Joseph Wright in safe Custody untill the fees and amounting to fifteen hundred fifty one pound Tobacco he shall satisfy.

There upon Thomas Wini *Sen* and Benjamin Griffiths both of Kent County Planters <sup>here present in Court in their proper persons</sup> and says that they will pay the fees and for the *ap* Joseph Wright amounting to the same of fifteen hundred fifty one pound *li*. to whom the same is due.

Joseph Read an *vid*. for the *ap* Joseph Wright in the *ap* Cause proves he attended this Court two days as an *vid*. in the same cause ordered by the Court here that Joseph Wright *ap* pay unto the *ap* Joseph Read the same of one hundred & fifty pounds of Tobacco.

Francis Read an *vid*. for *ap* Joseph Wright in the *ap* Cause proves he attended this Court two days as an *vid*. in the same cause ordered by the Court here that Joseph Wright *ap* pay unto the *ap* Francis Read the same of one hundred and fifty *li*. of Tobacco.