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of there to remain and safely to be kept till what time according to Law and the Custome
of our Lord prop^r he should be delivered he was committed Nevertheless the a^s Charles
Hill in the Goal a^s for the a^s Suspectors of the a^s preense malicious burning of the
Court house a^s So as is set forth under the Custody of the a^s Simon Wilmer Gent. Sheriff
of the County a^s then and then by usual form of Law being the twenty fourth day
of May in the year a^s the Goal a^s P. Lord. Prop^r in Kent County a^s at Easter
thunder m. S. Pauls Parish in Kent County within the Jurisdiction of this Court
feloniously did brake and out of the Goal in the Custody of the a^s Simon Wilmer
Gent. Sheriff of the County a^s then and there last mentioned feloniously did go &
Escape against the peace of our Lord prop^r his Rule and Dignity and ag^t
the form of an act of Assembly of this province now in force in such Case made
and provided

Macbride & P. pp^r

Edw. Simon Wilmer Sheriff.

On the back of the preceding Indictment was Endorsed as follows:

Prima Vera Abram Redgrave foreman

And the a^s Charles Hill here present in Court being ordered to give Security
for his appearance to the next Provincial Court to be held for the Province of
Maryland at the City of Annapolis to answer unto the a^s Indictment sent
the a^s Charles Hill giving no Security this Court here Orders that George
Pearce Gent. present high Sheriff of the a^s Kent County keep the a^s Charles
Hill in safe Custody so that he have him at the a^s provincial Court to be
held as a^s to answer unto the a^s Indictment and until he shall be there-
from discharged according to due Course of Law.

Simon Wilmer of P. County Gent. here present in Court acknow-
ledges himself indebted to his Lordship the Lord prop^r of this province
his heirs and Successors in the sum of five pounds Sterling money to be Levy-
ed on his goods and Chattels Lands and Tenements Conditionally that if he
does not appear at the next provincial Court to be held for the province of
Maryland at the City of Annapolis to give his Evidence on his Lordship's be-
half against the a^s Charles Hill where with he acknowledges himself content

W. His Lordship. The a^s Charles Hill being committed the ninth day
Charles Hill of May last by M^r William Creggs one of his
Lordships Justices of the peace for P. County into the
Custody of Simon Wilmer Gent. high Sheriff of said County on Suspicion of
burning the a^s County Court house and the Grand Jury Impannelled
by the Sheriff of P. County to this Court, The same Grand Jury made pre-
sentment against the a^s Charles Hill for brakeing prison out of the Custody
of the a^s Sheriff which presentment was by David Macbride Clerk of the
Indictments for the same County drawn into a Bill of Indictment which