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to wit William Handy, Thomas Sayfield, Wm. Saper, Thomas Lullatt, In presence Benj. Hooks the
Being John Deunij, Senr. Cannon Winwright, James Mansford, Isaac Brillingham Robert Miller who being
Duly Elected tryed and Sworn to say the truth in the premises upon their Oath do say that the said
Negro Jacob is guilty of the felony whereof he stand. Indicted, but ^{knows} of no good goods
or Chattels ^{which} he had at the time of the felony Committed or at any time since —

Wherefore it is Considered by the Justices here that the said Negro Jacob be whipt with
thirty Nine lashes on the Bare back well laid on untill the blood appear and that he stand in
the Gallows One hour; and that he be taken th. and thereupon as to the Corporal punishment of
Command was given to the Sher. of Somerset County that ~~he~~ he do thereof Immediate Execution according
to the Judgm^t. of tendered by whiping the said Negro Jacob with thirty Nine lashes on the Bare back
well laid on untill the Blood appear and by sitting him in the pillory One hour, afterwards
in the same Court the ^{said} Sher. Returns that he has done the Execution of the Judgm^t. of as to
the Corporal Punishm^t. of he was Commanded, thereupon the said Negro Jacob is ordered by
the Court to return home to the ^{service of the} said David Maddox his Master & —

Somerset County, Maryland, I the Subscriber on of his Lordships Justices of the peace
for the County above do here by Certifie & attest that the within Thomas Mitchell
& William Sargin were appointed by me at the Instance of Roger Woolford Esq.
Gardan of Martha Woolford, & Mary Woolford, to Estimate the yearly value of a
certain Plantation to them Belounging lying on Manocan river formerly belonging
to their father Levis Woolford & also to view the said Plantation with the houses out
Houses Orchard fencing & wood land ground which they accordingly did having first
Taken their Oaths on the Holy Evangelist of almighty god as perscribed by an act of
assembly in that case made & provided & accordingly made the within Return —
Given under my hand this 2th day of June and 17th 1726 W. Sloughiton —

Somerset County These are to Certifie whome it doth or may concern that by the
appointment of Wm. Sloughiton Esq. at the Request of Roger Woolford of Dorset County
gardan of Martha & Mary Woolford we the Subscribers mett out the plantation of Levis
Woolford in Manocan in the County above. & their look the Oath perscribed by act of assembly
to view the dwelling houses out houses orchards & fences that are now on the same & and
Inquerey into the same we do find the plantation much out of Repair it is all the houses are
rotten & almost past repair it is a fore house of twenty five foot long quite rotten
a barn wants anew roof & Sill the dwelling house some new ~~part~~ of covering the
(taken)