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William Hopkins if $\&$ to answer $\&$ and afterward, in the same Court comes the said William Hopkins in custody of the Sheriff, and being by the Sheriff set to the Bar and Information Read, plead guilty and puts himself in Mercy of the Lord Proprietary and is willing to make fine to the Lord Proprietary for the fact aforesaid. Wherefore it is considered by the Justices here that the said William Hopkins be fined to the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary the sum of thirty Shillings for the fact aforesaid, which fine was paid down in Court to Joseph Mynster Sheriff $\&$ and that he be committed for the said $\&$ Whereupon It's ordered by the Court that the said William Hopkins give security for his good behavior during the pleasure of the Court. Whereupon the said William Hopkins present and acknowledged himself to owe and stand justly indebted unto the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary his heirs and Successors in the sum of ten pounds Sterling to be levied on his goods and chattels, Lands and tenements for the use of the said Lord Proprietary In case he is not of the good behavior during the pleasure of the Court and not to depart without ~~by~~ ~~leave~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~Court~~

~~the~~ ~~Right~~ ~~Honourable~~ ~~the~~ ~~Lord~~ ~~Proprietary~~ ~~his~~ ~~heirs~~ ~~and~~ ~~Successors~~ ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~sum~~ ~~of~~ ~~ten~~ ~~pounds~~ ~~Sterling~~ ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~levied~~ ~~on~~ ~~his~~ ~~body~~, ~~goods~~, ~~and~~ ~~chattels~~, ~~Lands~~, ~~or~~ ~~tenements~~ ~~for~~ ~~the~~ ~~use~~ ~~of~~ ~~his~~ ~~said~~ ~~Lordship~~. In case the said William Hopkins is not of the good behavior during the pleasure of the Court, and not to depart without ~~by~~ ~~leave~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~Court~~

And afterward, in the Court comes the said William Hopkins ~~and~~ and prays that his appearance may be免ed to ~~himself~~ and ~~himself~~ from the above recognizance of bail. Whereupon the said William Hopkins Appearance is Recorded and he accordingly discharged $\&$

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Be it Remembered that this day to wit the severall day of August anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred and twenty five came into Court Leon Gale Esq^r of Adderbury for Somerset County Court, into the Lord Proprietary's Court for the County aforesaid, and gives the Court to understand and be informed that Francis Watson late of Somerset County Esquire the tenth day of December at Somerset County aforesaid, within the Jurisdiction of this Court seventeen hundred and twenty four (presented) information with a certain Person against the peace $\&$ and also against the form of the act of Assembly in such cases made & wherefore the same Leon for the same Lord Proprietary pray, adviseant of the Court here in the premises and that due process of Law may be done. Thereupon came and was given to the Sheriff of Somerset County that he should take the said