

Novemb. Court --- 1727 --- 45
feloniously did steal take and carry away against the Peace of the Right Honorable the Lord
Proprietary of this Province his good Love and Government and against the form of the
Act of Assembly of this Province in such Cases made and provided. Dashed prosecutor
Testes, Charles Low and John Shiles
On the backside of the foregoing Bill of Indictment. it was Endorsed by J. Billa Vera

Thereupon Command was given to the Sheriff of Somerset County that he should take
the said Isaac Reynolds if he should be found to answer the said Indictment and afterward in the same Court (and the said
Isaac Reynolds in custody of the said Sheriff, into whose custody before that time was committed for the
Cause aforesaid, and being by the said Sheriff. Sett to the Barr, and Indictment. Read is thereupon
Instantly demanded how he would acquit himselfe of the felony aforesaid, says that of the felony
aforesaid as by the Indictment above upon him Imposed he is nowise guilty thereof; and for try-
all there of he putt himselfe upon the Country, and George Daskie who for his said Lordship
in this behalf prosecutes Likewise

Thereupon Command is given to the Sheriff of Somerset County that Immediately he
Cause to come here twelve by whom to recognize because as well of which said
Breveight the said Sheriff. to wit Francis Allen Gent Now heretofore to wit the twenty first Day of
Novemb. and Dord. One thousand seven hundred and twenty seven makes return that he hath
hereby twelve as by his said Breveight he was Commanded and the Jurors of that Jury
Herein Impanelled being called came to wit, William Handy, Thomas Bullett, Daniel Long
Peter Frazer, Wm. More Thomas English, Wm. Law, Christopher Glap, Abraham Smith, Peter
Raywell Robert Jones Thomas Humphrys, who being duly Elected tryed and Sworn to say
the truth in the premises upon their Oath do say that the said Isaac Reynolds is guilty of
the felony whereof he stands Indicted, but hath no goods or Chattell &c
Whereupon the Court here valued the hogg's jaw in the Indictment mentioned to be stolen to
four pounds of tobacco - Wherefore it is considered by the Court that the said Isaac Reynolds
pay unto the said Charles Low the Party deprived four fold of the value of the hogg's jaw
aforesaid amounting in the whole to sixteen pounds of tobacco (the said hogg's jaw being by the Court
valued to four pounds of tobacco according to Law) and that the said Isaac Reynolds be whipt
with twelve Lashes on the bare Back well laid on until the Blood appear and that he
stand in the Pillory a quarter of an hour, and that he be taken thereupon as to the
corporal punishment. and Command is given to the Sheriff of Somerset County that he do thereupon immedi-
ately Execution according to the Judgment. and ordered by whiping of the said Isaac Reynolds at the
publick whiping post with twelve Lashes well on the bare back until the Blood appear
by sitting him in the Pillory a quarter of an hour, afterwards in the same Court the Sheriff re-
turns that he hath done the Execution of the Judgment. and as to the corporal punishment aforesaid
Commanded whereupon it is ordered by the Court that the said Isaac Reynolds should give
Security for the payment of the four fold and fees due by occasion of the premises aforesaid. (But the
said