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His Lordship .. William Kenney appears according to his recognizance entered into for not obeying of Joseph Malester gent. Sheriff of the County of Somerset in giving his aid and assistance with a prisoner to jail when legally required by the said Sheriff & Thos. Thompson the said William Kenney being instantly demanded how he would acquit himself of the premises and above upon him imposed says that he would not contend with ^{the} Proprietary but submits with a protestation of his Insanity and puts himself upon the favour of the Court —

Whereupon all and singular the premises being seen heard and fully understood it is considered by the Court here that the said William Kenney pay unto his Lordship the Lord Proprietary for his fine by the Court here upon him imposed for and by reason of the premises and whereof in first place he is convicted one hundred pounds of tobacco & that the same William Kenney be taken to satisfy the said Lordships of the fine and the same be upon the said William Kenney is ordered to give security for payment of the several officers their fees due by reason of the premises and but for want of the said William Kenney is committed into the custody of the Sheriff of the County and here to remaine —

His Lordship .. } Somerset County p. The Juries for His Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary
Mary Truman } that now is for the body of Somerset County as upon their Oath do present that Mary Truman late of Coventry Parish in this County A^d Widow the sixteenth day of October in the year of our Lord God seventeen hundred thirty four with force and arms at the parish a^d in the County a^d within of Jurisdiction of this Court the lid of one silver tankard of the value of three pounds current money of Maryland of the goods and chattels of M^r Mary Stampton then and there being found then and there feloniously did steal take and bear away contrary to the peace of the said Lord Proprietary that now is his good rule and Government and against the sense of the act of Assembly in such case lately made and provided —

Teste Mary Stampton Ruth Dinkerson J^r. Henry Lufield —

On the backside of the foregoing Bill of Indictment it was thus Indorsed vizt. Ignoramus of Thomas Humpstones foreman —

Whereupon came here into Court the said Mary Truman ^{and} in custody of the Sheriff of Somerset County into whose custody she was committed before this time and being by the said Sheriff led to the bar is instantly discharged from custody as and is ordered to give security for the payment of the several officers fees due by means of the premises as therupon after cause Ralph Willmott