

Liber B

The Counstables p^rsentm^t

I p^rsent vnto This Court Mary Hartwell The Now Wiffe of M^r Josiph Wickes for Bringing *vp* A Bastard Vpon The Island And Charging M^r Wickes with The Begiting of the s^d Child

By me Jo: Elles

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I p^rsentt vnto This p^rsent Courtt Cap^t Russell And John Gibson for fighting on The Lords Day

By me Jo: Elles

I p^rsentt vnto This p^rsentt Courtt M^r Ward for want of Planting one Acre of Corne According to An Actt of Assembly And I p^rsentt Will[~] Leeds for falling shortt halfe an Acre And I p^rsentt John Deare for Planting no Corne

By me Jo: Elles

The Courtt Doth order That These p^rsons Aboue s^d Be somond To The Next Courtt Cap^t Russell exsepted Bereson no proufe Appears:

The Depossetion of Tho: South examend in Court sworne saith

That About Octob^r last yo^r Deponant Being p^rsentt when Mathew Reed did villifie M^r Hinson in saying he ether gott his liueing by Cheating & Cossening or by sharking And Cossoning: And further saith not

Tho: South

The Depossetion of Isack Iliue sworne in Court saith

That he Did here Mathew Reed say That M^r Hinson Did gitt his liueing by shifting sharking And Cossoning And furthe saith Nott

Is Iliue

Henery Clay being alsoe Deposed in Court Doth Aferm The same That M^r Iliue hath verbatim

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his signe:

A refence granted in 3 severall Actions Two between M^r Hill & m^r Carlien & one between Hen Ashley & M^r Hill: To The next Court: And alsoe one between m^r Wickes & M^r Hinson

Recorded This 18th of Jenivary 1656

These p^rsence witnesseth That I Robt Martin of The Isl of Kent in The provence of Maryland Doe Bind And Ingadg my silfe my heires Exsecut^{rs} Admenestrat^{rs} or Assignes vnto Maffi Reed his heires Exsecut^{rs} Admenestrat^{rs} or Assignes All my wholl Croop of Tobacco which I Made vpon my land This p^rsent yeare That is now in my Possetion with all my wholl stoke of Cattell And my Planttation And housing with all p^rviledgis There to belonging being all for security: vntell Payment be well And Truly Made by me vnto The s^d Maffi Reed of fower Thousand Two hundred lb of good Marchantable Tob: in leafe And Caske or There abouts: And I doe by