

June Court, 1724

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Six hundred pounds of Tobacco as a fine for his said Crime of Committing fornication in form aforesaid which fine to be applied according to Act of Assembly in that Case made and provided as also the Sum of four hundred and Sixty one pounds of Tobacco Costs accruing on the premises aforesaid to the officers of this Court ~

Ordered that the said Rice Jones Give Security for his fine & fees in the Judgment aforesaid specified ~ Whereupon Benjamin Blackledge of Kent County Farmer comes into Court and undertakes to pay the fine and fees aforesaid amounting to the Sum of one thousand and Sixty one pounds of Tobacco for the said Rice Jones AND thereupon the said Rice Jones is herefrom Discharged ~

The said Rice Jones having entered into Recognizance at last November Court for his appearance to the March Court following the same Rice not appearing it was respited to this present June Court ~ AND now at this present June Court the s<sup>d</sup>. Rice having appeared ~ ordered that his Recognizance and his Surety's Recognizance be ~~discharged~~ Discharged ~

Rice Jones of Kent County planter at last November Court Did acknowledge himself Indebted unto his Lordship the Lord Prop<sup>ty</sup> of this Province his heirs and Successors in the Sum of ten pound Sterling money of great Brittain to be made and Levied of his goods and Chattels Lands and Tenements Conditionally that if he should not make his personal <sup>appearance</sup> at the then next Court to be held for the County aforesaid at the Courthouse in the Town of Chester in the same County on the third Tuesday of March then next ensuing to Answer to the Judgment found against him for Committing fornication and that in the meantime he should be of good Behaviour the s<sup>d</sup>. Rice not appearing at the s<sup>d</sup>. March Court the same Recognizance was respited to this Court. AND now here at this Court the s<sup>d</sup>. Rice having appeared the same Recognizance was Discharged ~

Doct<sup>r</sup>. Richard Simonds and John Wooddall <sup>plant<sup>r</sup> both at last Court</sup> of Kent County acknowledged themselves Indebted unto his Lordship <sup>the</sup>