(the said Ann Lewis) at Sittings Court 1712

unto our sovereigne Lady Queen Anne in the Summe of Twenty pounds sterling for her Majesty to be levied on his Body goods or Chattells Land or Tenements to the use of her said Majesty her heirs or Successors in Case the said Ann Lewis doe not Make her personall appearance at the next provll Court to be held for this province to Give Evidence for her said Majesty against the said Richard Lock and Katherine his wife &c

Mem

Her Majesty } Maryland ss. } The Jurors for our Sovereigne Lady the Queen that now is of Great
vs. } Virtue Viole } Britain &c Towitt Jno Bowman John Tenney Molley Maddox Richard Hazey
Wm Denton Arnold Elzey Wm Willoughby Wm Revell James Mowal Henry
Austin Philemon Armstrong Vigale Reeves Joseph Harrison Wm Lockaman James
Heath Joshua Seell Paul Busey Thos Taylor Patrick Dunkin Thos Poly Thomas Turnstone John
Gray Jno Back and Thos Price good and lawfull men Sworn tryed and Sworn to speak the truth upon
their Oath Do present that Virtue Viole of Talbott County Spinster otherwise called Virtue Viole of the
County of Talbott Spinster the nineteenth day of August in the Twelfth year of the reigne of our dread
Lady the Queen that now is of Great Britaine &c at Talbott County aforesaid the feare of God before her eyes not
Weighing but being Seduced by the Divell most wickedly & diabolically did use practise & exercise divers
craft whereby & wherein the said Virtue did wasle Consume and pine the Body of a Certaine Eleanor Moore
of the aforesaid County Spinster then & there in the peace of God and our said Lady the Queen being
wel and lively in health and Diabolicall use practise & exercise of Witchcraft the said Virtue
the said Eleanor Moore did then & there and at divers times before & after the County aforesaid
Creeper Specteless to the great Displeasure of Almighty God against her majesty her peace & her Crown
& dignity of the Statute in that Case made and provided

Wladen att Ind. } Witnesses Eleanor Moore
Capt Jno Nedley Mr Needley
Robt Jadwin Sam Hallon Thos Silvester

On the back of the foregoing Indictment was this Endorsement

Bill ad Vera Jno Bowman foreman

Thereupon Command is given to the Shrid of Annarundel County to fett the said Virtue Viole the prisoner at the Barr of this Court who thereupon appeared and being presently demanded how she would acquitt herself of the premises above imposed upon her saith that she is thereof in wise guilty thereof and thereof for tryall puts herself upon God and her Country and Wladen Her Majtys said attorney who for her said Majty in this behalf prosecutes Says she is guilty & prays it may be inquired into by the Country (which &c) Thereupon Command is given the Shrid of Annarundel County that he immediately Cause to come here twelve good & lawfull men of the County aforesaid by whom the truth may better be the more easily known & inquired of which said precept the said Shrid to wit Thomas Gassaway Gent makes return that he has here ready twelve good & lawfull men as by his precept he was Commanded Towitt Daniel Sherwood Henry Sewell Wm Deaxey Thomas Cox Roger Laddemore Thos Johnson John Lanham Phillip Kersey Sattandine Eagle Jno Hodson Marmaduke Goodland and Charles Jones who being duly Sworn & tryed & sworn to well & truly try and true deliverance make between our Sovereigne Lady the Queen & the said Virtue Viole prisoner at the Barr according to their Lordsme upon their Oaths do Say that the said Virtue Viole is Not guilty of the matter whereof she stands Indicted - Wherefore it is Considered by the Justices that the Seventh day of October Anno Domi 1712 that the said Virtue Viole of the Indictment & premises aforesaid be acquitted and that she go thereof without day &c - And thereupon the said Virtue Viole at her prayer &c discharged by Proclamation & usual form paying fees -