their Attorney come into Court here and say that they are in no wise Guilty of the Premises above on them imposed but will not contend with the State of and upon the same and submit themselves to the grace of the Court here Whereupon all and singular the Premises being by the Court here seen heard and fully understood It is considered by the same Court that the said George Dent Benjamin Taylor and Thomas Martin do severally forfeit and pay to the said State the sum of One pound two Shillings and six pence Current Money each for their several Offences aforesaid by the Court here adjudged And thereupon they are severally discharged on payment of the same and the Fees accruing to the Officers of the Court here by occasion of the premises.

Test, Thos. P. Hodgkin Clk

LM. The State
a
John Marshall
Ffs. Benjamin Tendall
Bennett Dyson

The said Defendants to wit John Marshall Benjamin Tendall and Bennett Dyson appearing in Court here according to the tenor of Attachments of Contempt against them severally issued for their several appearances here this Court to Answer unto Us of and concerning a certain Contempt by them respectively committed in not attending this Court at May Term last as Jurymen they severally thereunto being legally summoned And upon hearing their several Allegations It is considered by the Judges here that they be respectively discharged paying Fees.

Test, Thos. P. Hodgkin Cl.

LM. The State
a
Ruth Gray
Ffs. Henry Ashpaw

The said Ruth Gray and Henry Ashpaw appearing in Court here according to the tenor of Attachment of Contempt against them severally issued for their several appearances here this Court to Answer unto Us of and concerning a certain Contempt by them respectively committed in not attending this Court to Testify to the Grand Jury on behalf of Us they severally thereunto being legally summoned And upon hearing their several Allegations It is considered by the Judges here that they be respectively discharged paying Fees.

Test. Thos. P. Hodgkin Clk

LM. The State
a
Charles Downes

Indictment for a Riot and Assault on the Body of Thomas Talbot. Which Indictment is ordered by the Court here to be Quashed their being no such person as the Defendant to be found.

LM. The State
a
William Smithson
Ffs. William Bond

State of Maryland. General Court October Term 1779
The Grand Inquest for the Western Shore of said State do present William Smithson and William Bond Justices

(of)

of Harford County for not returning the Bond executed before them by the Sheriff of Harford County contrary to an Act of Assembly made and provided in that Case. J. Weatherburn, Foreman.

Witness George Rankin
John Taylor

And now here at this day to wit the second Tuesday of October Anno Dominii 1779 the said William Smithson and William Bond being called upon appear at the Bar of the Court here in their proper persons and being demanded how they of the premises above on them imposed would acquit themselves saith that they cannot deny but that they are Guilty thereof and submit themselves to the Grace of the Court here It is thereupon considered by the same Court that the said William Smithson and William Bond do severally forfeit and pay to the said State the sum of three pounds Current Money each for their Offence aforesaid by the Court here adjudged And the said William Smithson and William Bond immediately thereupon in Court here pay unto Luther Martin Esquire the State's Attorney General the sums aforesaid and are discharged upon payment of the Fees accruing to the several Officers of the Court here by occasion of the premises.

Test, Thos. P. Hodgkin Cl.

LM. The State
a
William Spear

Indict. This Indictment is Ordered by the Court to be Quashed. And thereupon the Defendant is discharged on paying Costs.

LM. The State
a
William Greenfield
James Weems Junr.
Gilbert Ireland
George Smith
George Swingley
Henry Jamieson
David Rush and
Walter Pye

The said William Greenfield James Weems Junior Gilbert Ireland and George Smith George Swingley Henry Jamieson and David Rush appearing according to the tenor of Attachments of Contempt against them severally issued for their several appearances here this Court to Answer unto Us of and concerning a certain Contempt by them respectively committed in not attending this Court at May Term last as Jurymen And the said Walter Pye appearing in Court here agreeable to Attachment served on him to Answer unto Us for his Contempt in not attending this Court to Testify for Us against a certain John Collins alias John Chapman they severally thereunto being legally summoned And upon hearing their several Allegations It is considered by the Judges here that they be respectively discharged on paying Fees.

Test, Thos. P. Hodgkin Cl.

LM. The State
a
Burdett Hamilton
Ffs.

The said Burdett Hamilton appearing in Court here according to the tenor of an Attachment of Contempt issued against him for his appearance here this Court to answer unto Us of and concerning a certain Contempt by him committed in not attending at May Term last as a Juror after being thereunto legally summoned And upon hearing his allegations It is considered by the Court here that he be fined the sum of One thousand Pounds of Tobacco and he is thereupon discharged on payment of the same and the fees accruing to the several Officers of the Court here by occasion of the premises.

Test, Thos. P. Hodgkin Clk