

November Court 1737

Attd now here to wit at Kent County and at the Court house in
the Town of Chester in said County on the third Tuesday of Nov^r
being the fifteenth day of said month in the year of our Lord
Seventeen hundred thirty seven cometh the afo^d Lord Prop^r
by John Francis his Attorney and sheweth that the afo^d
Henry to the Indictment afo^d might answer

Attd the afo^d Henry in his proper person cometh and defends
the force and injury whereof and saith that he is in no sort guilty
of the premises afo^d above upⁿ a him Imposed as by the afo^d Indictment
it is alleged and thereupon he putteth himself upon the Country
Attd he who followeth for the afo^d Prop^r in like manner
saith he is guilty & Francis

Thereupon Command was given to the Sheriff of Kent
County that he immediately cause to come here twelve or
by whom he who neither do to nor against do because as well be
of which said precept the said Sheriff to wit William Harris
Gentleman now here at this day to wit the fifteenth day of Nov^r
in the year of our Lord Seventeen hundred thirty seven makes
return that he hath been ready to do so by his receipt
he was commanded Attd now here afterwards to wit this day
of year last mentioned came again the afo^d Lord Prop^r and
Henry Spencer by their Attorneys and the Jurors of that
Jury being impeached and called likewise came to wit
Griffith Jones, Thomas Stachon, Benjamin Picard
William Culand, Joseph Mason, Vincent Blackstone
John Hodges, Robert White, James Ringold, George
Moffett, Edward Rogers, John Burgan, who being
Duly elected being and Sworn to say the truth in the premises
And the same Lord Prop^r by his Attorney appearing to the
Verdict of the Jurors afo^d And upon their Oath do say that
Henry Spencer is not guilty and by Griffith Jones there
foreman all so say