

At a court of assize and terminer held for the county of Southampton
 the 18 day February 1801 for the trial of ^{Thomas a negro man} slave the property of Robert Pinks, of the county of Southampton
^{and Dick the property of Allen Mennel} ~~and Dick the property of Allen Mennel~~
 and keeper of Henry Lygon's estate Dick the property of Allen Mennel
 of the county aforesaid and charged with conspiring
 and plotting with others the murder of the white people of this
 County

Pres^t Sam Calvert John Meguham
 James Millar Ch^s Briggs
 & John Lee

The court being thus constituted the prisoner set to the
 bar by the sh^{ff} and charged the plotting & conspiracy aforesaid
 to which he plead not guilty and ^{was} heard by counsel in his own
 defence and divers witnesses being examined the court in con-
 sideration thereof and the circumstances of the case are of
 opinion that the prisoner is not guilty and it is ordered that the
 sh^{ff} set the prisoner at liberty

Sam Calvert

At a court of assize and terminer held for the county of Southampton the 18 day
 of February 1801 for the trial of ^{John a negro man} slave the property of
^{and Dick the property of Allen Mennel} ~~and Dick the property of Allen Mennel~~
 Drury Cotton. ^{and Dick the property of Allen Mennel} ~~and Dick the property of Allen Mennel~~
 of the county aforesaid and charged with conspiring and plotting with others
 to murder the white people of this county

Pres^t Sam Calvert John Meguham
 James Millar Ch^s Briggs
 & John Lee Gent

The court being thus constituted the prisoners were set to the bar
 by the sh^{ff} of this county and they were each charged with plotting & conspi-
 racy aforesaid to which they plead not guilty and were heard ^{by counsel} in their
 own defence and divers witnesses being examined the court in
 consideration thereof and the circumstances of the case are of opinion
 that the prisoners are not guilty and it is ordered that they be forth-
 with discharged

Sam Calvert