1st For a defect in the Record, stating the arraignment of the prisoner, the prisoner & Ann Melton were arraigned together whereas the word 'saith' is used in the singular number, thus showing but one of the accused had pleaded to the Indictment.

2nd Objection to Bill of Indictment. It is not specified in the body of the bill ~~of Indictment~~ that the offence is alleged to have been committed in State of North Carolina The name of the State only appears in the Caption

Motion in arrest overruled. Judgment of death pronounced upon the prisoner, from which Judgment he craved and ~~appeal~~ obtained an appeal to the Supreme Court Appeal allowed without security according to act of assembly the prisoner being unable to give security.

Ralph P Buxton
Judge S.C.L & C