

A Court held for Kent County in the Province of  
 Maryland at the Courthouse in the Town of Pester in Said  
 County on the Seventeenth Day of March and Continued the  
 Eighteenth & Nineteenth days of the same Month in the Ninth  
 year of the Dominion of Charles absolute Lord and Prop<sup>r</sup> of the  
 Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c  
 Anno Domini 1723 Before

March 17<sup>th</sup> 1723

The Worshipfull

Col<sup>d</sup> Edward Scott  
 M<sup>r</sup> Lamb Wilmer  
 M<sup>r</sup> Marind. Tilder  
 M<sup>r</sup> Simon Wilmer  
 M<sup>r</sup> Tho<sup>s</sup> Ringgold  
 M<sup>r</sup> Abra<sup>m</sup> Redgrave

Commiss<sup>s</sup> of the Peace

M<sup>r</sup> His Lopp<sup>s</sup>

Mary Rayfoot

Kent County ss. The Jurors for the right Honorable  
 the Lord Proprietary that now is for the County of  
 upon their oaths do present that Mary Rayfoot late of  
 S<sup>t</sup> Pauls parish in the County of and spunter the first day  
 of January Anno Domini one thousand Seven hundred and twenty two at  
 S<sup>t</sup> Pauls parish and in Kent County and within the Jurisdiction of this Court  
 did Commit fornication with a certain person to the Jurors and unknown and  
 did permit the same unknown person then and there to have carnal knowledge  
 of her body and to begett then and there a bastard Child on the body of her the  
 same Mary to the high Displeasure of almighty God to the Evil Example  
 of all others in such Case offending contrary to the peace of the said Lord  
 Proprietary that now is his Good rule and Government and against the form  
 of the act of Assembly in that Case made and provided &c.

Testis George Hastings Constable — M Howard Clerk pacd

On the back of the preceding Judgment was Endorsed as follows viz  
 a True Bill by Thomas Pines foreman and