

Liber B. board had much distempered my head and broke my Sleep,  
 Soe when I was takeing the Same She fell on her knees desire-  
 ing me not to take it reflecting on what I had told her made  
 p. 318 her the more fearfull, but he had told me that it would not  
 hurt me, Soe I believed him for Said he It is but to induce my  
 wife to be willing, Soe I told her what he Said, Soe She told  
 me that She knew him to be a knave to her for he had Said  
 to her face that he never loved her, this I avcr on my Oath to  
 be the very truth and further Saith not

Jurat coram me R<sup>obt</sup> Brooke

The Deposition of Susan Warren widdow aged 21 Sworn  
 & examined 24<sup>th</sup> Aprill Saith

That when Cap<sup>t</sup> Mitchell he perceived She bred Child by  
 him he prepared a potion of Phisick over night unknown that  
 it was for herself in the Morning calls Martha Webb & bids  
 her poach an Egg and bring it to him presently which She did  
 Soe, he put this Phisick into that Egg and came to her as She  
 was in bed, and bid her take this, and She requesting to know  
 for what, he Said if She would not take it he would thrust it  
 down her throat, Soe She being in bed could not withstand it,  
 Soe Shutting all out of the room but himself for all that day  
 but only Martha Webb knew and none of the house else, but  
 they all told her afterwards, that they knew it was her that  
 tooke the Phisick, for all Cap<sup>t</sup> Mitchell Soe dissembled th<sup>t</sup> when  
 any body came to knock, he would take a towell and put it  
 about his neck and Soe lie down as if it had been himself that  
 had taken Phisick, Soe Some two or three days after he told  
 her that if She was with Child, he would warrant that he had  
 frighted it away, Soe when She heard him Say Soe She an-  
 swered him again if She had thought that She would not have  
 took it for a world, for it was a great Sin to get it, but a greater  
 to make it away and further Saith not at present

Susanna Warren

Jurat coram Robert Brooke.

The Deposition of Susan Warren Wid<sup>o</sup> aged  
 21 Sworn and exam<sup>d</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> Aprill— Saith

That when Cap<sup>t</sup> Mitchell came to the Crosse Since his last  
 p. 319 arrival Said to the Said Susan Warren that he heard She had  
 had a Child. I She Said Soe She had and that it was by him  
 and She Said by none else, and he further Said that he heard  
 She had Suffered much disgrace for his Sake, I now if She  
 pleased he would make her amends if Marriage of her would  
 whereto She made Answer She would for She was fittest for  
 him, for being it was through him that her great Misfortune