

Known unto all men by these presents that I Rob^t Smith ^{Liber B.}
 doe give my Daughter Elizabeth Asbeston and her Children ^{No. 3}
 which are at present, and Shall hereafter Issue betwixt my
 Daughter and her husband which is at present all my right
 and Title in this Bill Sale ffarthermore if her husband dye ^{p. 294}
 before her, The Said Cattle Shall be Divided into three parts,
 and my Daughter to have one Share and the Children two
 Shares As Wittness my hand the day and year abov written
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At a Court held at Putuxent th^e 25^{to} die Iulij Anno
 Domini 1657

Present { M^r Richard Preston. M^r William Parratt
 M^r William Euens. M^r Thom[̄]: Thomas

Order agst Alexander King

Whereas it appeareth to this Court that Man named Alex-
 ander King Came into this Province about 3 months Since
 with a woman named Mary pretending that they were man
 and wife, and under that pretence have lived and bedded
 together as man and wife as by testimony appeareth, untill
 upon Good grounds they were Suspected to be fugitives and
 thereupon were apprehended and in the Sheriffes Custode,
 but the Said King[̄] having broke prison is run away, and the
 Said Woman being Conuened before this Court upon her Ex-
 amination Confessing that She is not the wife of the Said King,
 But that She is the wife of one Iohn Butler a Liver in York in
 Virginia and that She Came away with the Said King from
 her husband without his leave or knowledge, and hath kept
 Company with the Said King owning him to be her husband
 The Court doth therefore order that the S^d Mary Butler Shall
 receive twentie Lashes upon the bare back with a whip viz
 ten Immediatly at the Court Door and ten at the River Side
 of Potomock and So to be by the Sheriffe with this order
 passed over the River Potomock and Delivered on Virginia
 Side unto Some of his highness the Lord Protectors officers
 there th^t Course may be taken for her Safe Conveyance to the
 place from whence She Came.

Whereas two fugitive Servants, which run away from York ^{p. 295}
 in Virginia the one Servant as is Supposed to m^r Nathaniell
 Bacon named Peter Key, the other Servant to m^r ffran: Wheeler
 named Huntington Ayes, as the Said Ay^res Confesseth being
 apprehended and brought before this Court The Court doth