

aftering of the presentment of said that she cannot deny but that she is guilty of the premises in the presentment of specified above upon her imposed in manner and form as by the presentment of above against her supposed and made the Oath that Negro Maria the Slave of certain Elizabeth Water is the father of the child she stands presented for &c. Whereupon all and singular the premises being seen and by the Court fully understood it is considered by the Court here that for as much as there is due to the County of Somerset seven years service from such persons as are guilty of Indenture Copulation and likewise the same by the said Copulation to become a servant until it arrive at the Age of thirty One years whereupon it is further considered that the said Sarah Denslow become a servant for seven years for such Copulation of &c. And that Rhoda the wife of the said Sarah and begot by the Copulation of become a servant until it arrive at the Age of thirty One years &c. Whereupon it is Ordered by the Court here that the said Sarah Denslow Return to her Mistress Abigail Wilfons service and that the said Abigail Return her to the Justice of Somerset County Court immediately after her now servitude expires in order to be sold for the Copulation of &c. And to Reimburse the County for the Expence of the Prosecution of &c. Thereupon the Court made Sale of Rhoda the wife of the said Sarah Denslow and begot by the Copulation of unto James Wilfons for the term of thirty One years to Commence from the time of her Birth for the sum of fifty Shillings &c. Money which he paid to the Sheriff for the use of the County &c.

For the Court here The Jurors for his Lordship the Right Honorable the Lord Proprietor the Justice for the County of Somerset County upon their Oath present that John Anderson Late of Somerset Parish in the County of Somerset on the Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred Sixty and Three with force and Arms at the Parish of in the County of within the Jurisdiction of this Court in and upon a certain Elizabeth Water in the peace of God and the said Lord Proprietor then and there being an absent did Mole and her the said Elizabeth then and there did beat Wound and Ill treat so that her Life it was much endangered and other harm to her the said Elizabeth then and there did to the great damage of the said Elizabeth and against the peace of his Lordship the Right Honorable the Lord Proprietor that now is his Good Rule and Government and the said John Anderson did command the Sheriff of Somerset County that he should take the said John Anderson if he should be found And now to wit a certain of the Lordship he did Cause Announce the third Tuesday of June Anno Domini 1760 before the Justice there of name as well George Heywood Gentles Lordships Attorney who for his said Lordship in the part prosecuteth as the said John Anderson in his proper person and the said John had a hearing of the Judgment of said that he will not Contend with his Lordship but for the saving both to him and his expenses about the premises submit himself at fine with his Lordship and put himself upon favour of the Court &c. Whereupon all and singular the premises being seen and by the Court fully understood it is considered by the Court here that the said John Anderson for the premises of specified to be &c. Which said John Anderson present herein Court was fined to be of One Shilling for &c. Money which he paid to the Sheriff for the use of his Lordship &c.

For the Court here Be it Remembred that George Heywood Gentles Attorney of the Right Honorable the Lord Proprietor that now is who for the same Lord Proprietor in the part prosecuteth doth Cause into the County Court of the same Lord Proprietor held for Somerset County Court at Business Lane Town in the same County the xxth day of June Anno Domini Seven hundred Sixty and Three before the said George Heywood Gentles his Associates the said Lord Proprietor his Justice of the same County Court and for the said Lord Proprietor doth Give the same Justice here to Understand and be informed that Catherine Anster Late of Sturges Parish in the said County of Somerset the xxth day of May Anno Domini Seven hundred Sixty and Three at the Parish of in the County of within the Jurisdiction of this Court did Commit fornication with a certain person unknown and did