Somerset ss. Whereas Samuel Carter is this day Charged before me the Subscriber
One of his Lordships Justices of the peace for Somerset County for Begetting
Dead a Basted Child on the Body Ann Hardanight

These are therefore in his Lordships Name to Command you to take the Body of the said
Samuel Carter and cause him to be before one or more of the rest of his Lordships
Justices of the peace for the County aforesaid to Answer the Charge aforesaid and this shall be your
Warrant Given under my hand and Seal this 31st day of May Anno Domini
Ephm Thing

Whereupon George Brown Constable of the Hundred aforesaid Returned
to wit, the 31st day of May in the Year of our Lord Anno Dom 1760 at the County aforesaid Returned to
me that he had taken the Body of the aforesaid Samuel Carter, and had him there ready to Answer the Charge
aforesaid against him made Whereupon the said Samuel Carter being by me asked whether he of the
Charge aforesaid was Guilty said that he could not deny but that he was thereof Guilty Whereupon
the said Samuel Carter for his Offence aforesaid was by me fined Thirty Shillings Current
money of Maryland which he paid down to me for the use of Somerset County Whereupon
the said Samuel Carter was by me ordered to give Security to keep the Justices of Somerset
County aforesaid Harmless from all Costs Trouble or Expence that they or their Successors then
or may be put to by means of the Birth and maintainance of the aforesaid Bastard Child
Whereupon the aforesaid Samuel Carter Together with Alexander Lyle Wm Davis Isaac Carter
his Securities did Acknowledge themselves to owe and be indebted unto his Lordship
the Right Honble the Lord Proprietary in the Sum of fifty pounds Current money aforesaid
and each of their Bodies Goods Chattles Lands & Tenements for the use of the said
Lord Proprietary his Heirs and Successors to be made Levied in case the said Samuel
Carter doth not from time to time and at all times hereafter save harmless and keep
Indemnified the Justices of Somerset County from all Costs Trouble & Expence that
they or their Successors shall or may be put to by means of the Birth & Maintainance
of the aforesaid Bastard Child

Taken in and Acknowledged the 10th Day of May in the Year aforesaid

A List of fines for Fornication
Sam. Carters fine for Do } £10.10 — Ephm Thing

June 19th 1760 Then Rec'd of Ephm Thing Thirty shillings for the within fine
By me Dennis Dd

Somerset ss. You Thos Ralph John Cannon and Richard Waller do Conscp Judgment to Daniel
Nelson for the Sum of fifty eight Pounds fourteen Shillings and two hundred and
Eighty eight pounds of Tobo whereof was levied by the said Daniel Nelson of
Thos Ralph on the Eighteenth day of March last in the County Court the said fifty eight
pounds fourteen Shillings and two Hundred & Eighty Eight Pounds of Tobacco to be Levied
of your Bodies Goods or Chattles Lands or Tenements for the use of the said Daniel
Nelson in Case the said Thomas Ralph shall not pay and satisfie to the said Daniel
Nelson the said fifty eight Pounds fourteen Shillings & two Hundred & Eighty pounds
eight pounds of Tobo Cask at the next Court thereon to be held the Tenth Day of February
next Taken & acknowledged before us this 10th Day of June 1760 Joseph Gillis William Winder