

Ordered by the Court here at this Day to wit the Day and year last mentioned that the Sheriff of Thout County take the wife Hannah Lawson into his Custody and execute the punishment in the Judgment aforesaid specified and afterwards to bring her into Court againe of which receipt the Sheriff to wit John ~~prohibens~~ Gent. High Sheriff of Thout County makes Return on y^e Day and year ^{last} ~~last~~ saysed that he hath executed the ~~said~~ Judgment and also hath bore the wife Hannah Lawson before y^e Court

Ordered by the Court here that the wife Hannah ~~provey~~ together of the Child in y^e Judgment aforesaid who Declares on y^e Holy Evangelish of Almighty God that a certain James Moales is y^e Father of y^e said Child

Ordered by the Court here that the Sheriff of Thout County do keep y^e wife Hannah Lawson in safe Custody untille she shall satisfy y^e Law in the Judgment aforesaid mentioned

His Lordship
 Martha Jarvis } A writt having issued at his Lordship's suit against the said Martha to answer into an Judgment for fornication the Sheriff of Thout County lawfully ~~in~~ writt in y^e Action was directed make Return thereof to this Court here on the third Tuesday of June being the twentieth Day of y^e Month Anno Domini Seventeen hundred and twenty seven the Day of Return of y^e writt Endorsed as foloweth

Corpus of Mr. Gresham Sheriff

Thout County sh^h The Jurors for the Right Hon^{ble} the Lord Prop^{ty} of that shire for Thout County and upon their oaths do present that Martha Jarvis late of S^t. Pauls parish in the County of Spirester the tenth Day of June Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and twenty six at the parish and in Thout County and within the Jurisdiction of this Court did commit fornication with a certain person to the Jurors aforesaid unknown and did permit the same unknown person there and there to have carnal knowledge of her Body and there to beget a Bastard Child upon the Body of her y^e same Martha to the high Displeasure of Almighty God by y^e evil Example of all others in such Case offending contrary to y^e Statute of the said Lord Prop^{ty} of that shire his good Rule and Government and against the Form of the Act of Assembly in such Case made and provided

For Dan. Foxills

Francis Cor. Mar.

On the Back of y^e preceding Judgment was as foloweth ~~Ind Bill Law~~
 ~~Ground foreman~~

And the wife Martha Jarvis in her proper person Comes and saith that she