

June Court 1731  
and is defile no cause being shown to the contrary &c.

Health County &c The Jurors for the right Hon. the Lord Proprietor that now is for the  
Body of Health County &c upon their Oath do present that Joan Anderson late of St  
Pauls Parish in the County of Spinkster the Serv. of John Wilton of the same County  
Inholder the twentieth day of February Anno Domini Seventeen hundred and  
thirty at the Parade &c in the County &c within the Jurisdiction of this Court with  
force and Arm one Suit of Cambrick Head cloaths of the Value of two hundred  
pounds of tobacco and one pair cambrick Ruffels of the price of one hundred  
pounds of tobacco of the goods and Chattels of a Certain William Tidmarsh then  
and there being found then and there solemnly did Steak take and bear  
away Contrary to the peace of the said Lord Proprietor that now is his good Rule  
and Government and against the form of the Act of Assembly in such case lately  
made & provided

Wm Tidmarsh

Jest Wm Tidmarsh Martha Tidmarsh Lidia Britton Wm Pearce  
on the back of the Sumo Indubm. was endorsed as follows True bill Matthew  
Howard

Thereupon Command was given to the Sheriff of Health County that he immediately  
by cause to come here twelve L. by whom L. who neither L. to Recognize L. —  
Cause as well L. of which said precept the said Sheriff to wit Joseph Young  
Gent: now here at this day to wit on the third Tuesday in June Anno Domini makes  
Return that he hath there ready twelve L. as by his precept he was  
Commanded and now here afterwards to wit the same day and year last mentioned  
come againe the said Lord Proprietor by Wm Touch Francis his Clerk of the Indictments  
and Joan Anderson in her proper person and the Jurors of that Jury being  
impanelled and called likewise came to wit Robert Dunn George Griffith  
Philip David John Williams John Hunt Thomas Mafsey William Simocks Esq:  
Bellican Sam Tovey John Browning Luker Middleton and Jacob Perkins  
who being duly Sworn by and sworn to say the truth in the promises  
upon their Oath do say that the said Joan Anderson is guilty as she stands  
indicted of the Felony above mentioned and by Robert Dunn therefor man  
all say Therefore it is considered by the Justices here to wit at the  
Court House in the Town of Chester in said County on the third Tuesday in  
June being the fifteenth day of said Month Anno Domini Seventeen  
hundred and thirty one That the said Joan Anderson for the offence  
stand half an hour in the pillory and pay four fold of the Goods &c being  
of the value of fifteen Shillings amounting for the whole to three pounds  
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