

June Court 1731

of a ssembly in that case made and provided *Franklin God Pat.*
on the back of the same bill was Indorsed viz. A true bill *Matthew Howard*
and the said *Catherine Croley* came and in her proper person appeared to
the said Indultment and Jurts that she cannot gain say the Indultment
and so as a defendant brought nor but that she is guilty of the premises
above upon her Imposted as by the said Indultment it is alleged and thereupon
Submits to the Court.

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 Wednesday
June being the first month day of said Month Anno Domini 1731 on hundred
and thirty and that the said *Catherine Croley* pay the sum of Six hundred
pounds of Tobacco as a fine for committing the fornication and also
pay the sum of two hundred and twenty and pounds of Tobacco costs
amounting to the officers of this Court on the premises of

ordered by the Court here that *Surety* be given for the fine and thereupon
one *Thomas Wiatt* and said that he would pay the fine and in
the Judgment of specified amounting to the sum of Six
hundred pounds of Tobacco

ordered by the Court here that the said *Catherine* prove the
person who committed the fornication and with thereupon
she being sworn Jurts that a certain *Thomas Wiatt* was
the person that begot with child of the bastard and
and the said *Catherine* was sworn to the grand Jury

It is to be shew'd that the Jurors for the
Right Honourable the said *Progrty* that
now is for the body of the County of *Regina*
their Oaths do protest that *Thomas Wiatt*

Late of *Throwsbury* Parish in the County and Pleasor the tenth
day of October Anno Domini 1731 on hundred and thirty at
the parish and in the County and within the Jurisdiction of this
Court did commit fornication with a certain *Catherine Crawley*
and then and there did begit a bastard child in the body of her
the said *Catherine* to the high displeasure of Almighty God to