

August Court 1731

Amo Domini 1731 on the 11th day of August came the said Joan Anderson and  
 forth that notwithstanding her plea of Poth withdrawal the same and was said  
 that she cannot gain any the Judgment of Poth against her brought nor but  
 that she is guilty of the promises above upon her Judgment as by the said Judgment  
 it is alleged and thereupon submits to the Court therefore it is considered by  
 the Justice here to wit at the Court House in the Town of Chester in said County on  
 the third Tuesday in August being the seventeenth day of said month Anno Domini 1731  
 thousand seven hundred and thirty one That the said Joan Anderson do have  
 fifteen lashes on her bare back well laid on with the blood of a punishment  
 for the crime of Poth and also pay the sum of three hundred and fifteen pounds  
 of Tobacco costs accruing on the promises of to the officers of this Court

It also considered by the Court here at this day to wit the day and year  
 last mentioned That the Sheriff of Kent County take the said Joan  
 Anderson into his Custody and execute the punishment in the Judgment of  
 aforesaid and afterwards to bring her into Court again of which process  
 to wit Joseph Young Gent High Sheriff of Kent County make return on the  
 day and year last mentioned that he hath executed the punishment in the  
 Judgment of and also hath here the said Joan Anderson before the Court

By His Honor's Order  
 Benj. Hare }  
 to wit the day of July Anno Domini one thousand seven  
 hundred thirty one Benjamin Hare of the same County  
 personally appeared before me one of the Justices of the right Honorable  
 the Lord Proprietary the peace of the said County to keep a signed and  
 acknowledged himself to stand Justly Indebted to the same Lord Proprietary  
 the sum of twenty pounds Sterling money of Great Brittain on his  
 Lands and tenements goods & Chattels to be made and Leased for the  
 use of the same Lord Proprietary his heirs and Successors upon Condition  
 that if the same Benjamin Hare shall not make his personal application  
 before the Justice of the same County Court at a Court to be held at  
 the Court House in the Town of Chester in the said County on the third  
 Tuesday of August next ensuing and answer unto such things as shall be  
 objected against him on behalf of the same Lord Proprietary and in the  
 mean time to keep the peace and be of good behaviour. That this  
 Recognition to be void  
 C. DYNISON  
 Justice