

November Court 1732

and there feloniously did Steal take and bear away contrary to the peace of the said Lord Proprietary his good rule and Government and against the form of this Act of Assembly in such case. Lately made and provided The same Indictment endorsed as follows viz A true bill

of D^r W^m Borrell F^romane

A^do at the third Tuesday in August being the fifteenth day of said Month anno Domini Seventeen hundred and thirty two The afo^r Margaret being called came and charged that she afo^r judgment against her might be continued until the third Tuesday in November then next ensuing which was granted to her.

A^do now here at the same third Tuesday in November being the twenty first day of said Month anno Domini Seventeen hundred and thirty two came against her afo^r Margaret Wood in her proper person And the Honourable the Lord Proprietary by Tom^t Francis his attorney to her

and the afo^r Margaret Wood in her proper person cometh and saith that She is in no sort guilty of the premises above upon her imposed as by the afo^r Judgment it is alledged and thereof of the pullets her self upon the Country gas

Margaret Wood in f^ro^r

and he who followeth for the Lord Proprietary in like manner saith of his guilty

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Whereupon Command was given to the Sheriff of Kent County that he immediately cause to come before him to be by whom the who neither K^r J^r T^r or any other K^r J^r beques- as well K^r J^r of which said process the Said Sheriff to wit John Greenham should now come at this day to wit the third Tuesday in November being the twenty first day of said Month anno Domini Seventeen hundred and thirty two next before him that he hath here ready twelve K^r J^r as by his process he was commanded and now here after wards to wit the day and year last mentioned came against the afo^r Lord Proprietary by his attorney afo^r and the afo^r Margaret Wood in her proper person And the Jurors of that Jury being impannelled and called likewise came to wit John Dorrack Samuel Morris Leeks or Middleton John James William Hyson Robert Moore John Carville Thomas Prior Bullock Medford William Smithers William Moore and George Medford who being duly elected by and sworn to say the truth the premises upon their oaths do say Margaret Wood is guilty of the felony whereof she stands indicted and by John Dorrack their foreman all so say . . . Therefore it is CONSIDERED by the Justices here to wit at Kent County Court House in the Town of Chester in said County on the third Tuesday in November being the twenty first day of said Month anno Domini Seventeen hundred and thirty two that the afo^r Margaret Wood stand in the pillory for the space of one hour and that afterwards she receive at the publick whipping post of ten lashes well laid on her bare back till the blood appear and also pay the sum total of the goods and chattels amounting in value to the sum of two hundred pounds of tobacco as a punishment for committing the crime afo^r according to force from end effect of the verdict of the Jurors and ALSO it is CONSIDERED that