

August Court 1730
for the Fee carrying on the promise as to the Officers
of this Court — Thereupon Richard Green of Kent
County Labourer present herein ~~in~~ his proper
person Acknowledgeth himself Indebted unto his Lordship
the Right Honourable the Lord Propy of Maryland in
the sum of five hundred pounds of Tobacco to be made
and Leased on his body goods and Chattels lands and
Tenements for the use of his said Lordship his heirs
and Successors With Condition to this Recognizance
that the said Joan pay the Fee as carrying on
the promise as to the several Officers of this Court
Then this Recognizance to be void And to remain in
full force in Law

James Smith

His Lordship & Wee the grand Jurors for
Joan Edwards & the body of this County of Kent
do present Joan Edwards of
Saint Pauls Parish for having a base born child
Test W. M. H. John Brown form
Kent County & The Jurors for the Right Honourable
the Lord Propy that now is for the body of Kent
County as upon their Call do present that Joan
Edwards late of Saint Pauls Parish in the County
of Spenser the tenth day of November anno Domini
seventeen hundred thirty and seven at the Parish of
in the County of and within the Jurisdiction of this
Court did Commit fornication with a certain person
to the Jurors as unknown and did present the
said unknown person then and there to have
Carnal knowledge of her body and a bastard on the
body