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Comly that he doe thereof Immediate Execution by Whipping the said Ann Bullingale at the  
English whipping post with fifteen Lashes on the Bare back well said On until the blood  
appear, and afterwards in the same Court the said Sherd. Returns that he has done the  
Execution of the Judgment as to the corporal Punishment as he was commanded ----

Whereupon it is Ordered by the Court that <sup>the</sup> said Ann Bullingale give Security for the paymt of the  
Severate Officers their fees due by Quasion of the premises as, but for want thereof the said  
Ann Bullingale is committed into the custody of the Sherd of Somerset County there to remain &  
the said Sherd. being present took Charge of the said Ann Bullingale accordingly ----

And afterwards the said Ann Bullingale being discharged from Out of Custody of the said  
Sherd. comes into Court and voluntarily and freely of her own accord, binds herself a servant unto  
a certain John Filman of said County of Somerset Planter, to serve him the said John Filman his heirs  
and assigns in all such Employments or Law full service as the said John Filman his heirs or  
assignes should Employ her in and about the full term of time of seven Years to commence from  
the date of these presents - In consideration of which said service by the said Ann Bullingale  
the said John Filman undertakes to pay for her unto Joseph M<sup>r</sup>ester high Sherd. of the  
County as the Sum of twenty five pounds Curr<sup>t</sup> money or the Value thereof, being in full for  
the said Ann Bullingales Imprisonment fees Over the pay and Likewise for fees due by  
Reason of her being Count of having a bastard Child in said County of Somerset &c ----

The same

Francis Comiter. We of the grand Jury do present Francis Comiter of all the above Parish Spinster  
for bearing a bastard Child on or about January last - W<sup>m</sup> Jane foreman ----

Thereupon Command was given to the Sherd. of Somerset County that he should take the  
said Francis Comiter if he to answer &c. afterwards in the same Court comes the said Francis Comiter  
in custody of the <sup>said</sup> Sherd. <sup>whose before that time</sup> <sup>was</sup> committed for the cause as - and the said Francis Comiter  
being by the Sherd. sett to the Barr is thereupon Instantly demanded how she would acquit herself  
of the premises as she says that of the premises she is guilty thereof and Makes oath  
that a certain William Hutton is the begotter of the Child she stands presented for - and is  
willing to make fine to the Lord proprietary for the fact as - Wherefore it is considered  
by the Court that the said Francis Comiter be fined to his Lordship the Sum of Six hundred pounds  
of t<sup>r</sup> for the fact as to be appropriated toward the defraying of the County charge &c ----

Whereupon it is Ordered by the Court that the said Francis Comiter give Security for payment of  
fine as & all the Officers fees due by Quasion of the premises as &c ----

Whereupon a certain Thomas Comiter son of W<sup>m</sup> Comiter present in Court undertakes for said  
Francis Comiter to pay the fine as and all the Officers their fees due by Quasion of the premises &c ----