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of the premises aforesaid, and then to be discharged requiring Security for the fine aforesaid, and all the Officers fees  
that accrued upon aforesaid by action of aforesaid

His Lordship  
ag<sup>t</sup> } We of the grand Jury do present Mary Ash of Stogney Parish for keeping a Bastard Child now  
Mary Ash - } Servant to Thomas Holbrook ----- Mr. Ellis foreman -  
Benj<sup>d</sup> Colman Justice ----- His Honor Command was given to the Sheriff of Somerset County

that he should take the aforesaid Mary Ash of Stogney Parish if she should be found in his Bailiwick, and he should safe  
keep so that he might have her body before his Lordship's Justice of Somerset County Court the third Tuesday of  
March next (at Dividing Creek) to answer unto his Lordship concerning a certain presentment against her  
found and that thereof he should not fail to do.

At which said third Tuesday of March to wit the  
Nineteenth day of the said month Anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred and twenty two, being the day of  
Return of the said Writ. Comes & Shows of Somerset County and makes Return thereof to the Court viz<sup>t</sup> Copy of the  
Whereupon the said Mary Ash appears and being set to the Bar is thereupon Instantly demanded  
how she would acquit herself of aforesaid presentment. She says that of the premises aforesaid above supposed of on her  
she is guilty thereof, and submits to the mercy of the Court, and for as much as the said Mary Ash hath not  
where withall to pay her fine for aforesaid.

Therefore it is considered by the Justice here that the said Mary  
Ash be led to the Whipping Post and there be whipt on the bare back with fifteen Lashes well laid on while the blood  
appear, and thereupon as to aforesaid Command is given to the Sheriff of Somerset County that he  
do this of immediate Execution according to aforesaid Judgment. And ordered by whipping the aforesaid Mary Ash at the Church  
whipping Post with fifteen Lashes on a bare back well laid on while the blood appear. Afterward, in the  
said Court the Sheriff returns that he has done the Execution of aforesaid Judgment: as to the aforesaid Command aforesaid he was  
Commanded. Whereupon Thomas Holbrook her master acknowledged himself to be and stand  
Justly Indebted unto his Lordship his heirs and Successors in the sum of five pounds Court money to be levied on his  
goods and Chattels. In case he do not deliver the said Mary Ash up to the County Court or the Sheriff of said  
County at the Expiration of her Sentence to be levied of County at fees that accrued by action of the aforesaid  
aforesaid. The said Mary Ash to save the said Thomas Holbrook Nine months of her time  
she is discharged.

Somerset County  
ag<sup>t</sup> } Whereas Somerset County having paid and satisfied four hundred pounds of Debts for a certain  
Moses Silman - } Edward Kelly Servant to the said Moses Silman.  
New Court to wit the Nineteenth day of March Anno Domini One thousand  
Seven hundred and twenty two Comes into Court the said Moses Silman in his proper person  
and confessed Judgment to Somerset County aforesaid for the sum of four hundred pounds of Debts paid as aforesaid for him.

Thomas Dashiell  
ag<sup>t</sup> } Command was given to the Sheriff of Somerset County that he should take James Jones of Stogney  
James Jones - } Parish in County of Somerset if he should be found in his Bailiwick and he should safe keep  
so that he might have his body before the Justice of his Lordship's County Court of Somerset to be held  
at Dividing Creek the third Tuesday of March next and that thereof he should answer unto Thomas Dashiell of  
aforesaid of her part upon the aforesaid. and that thereof he should not fail to do. And whereupon the said  
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