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pounds Sterling each of their several Lands and Chattells Land, and Tenements to be made and Levied for the use
of his said Lordship the Lord Proprietary, if it happen the said Abernethy Beal do not stand and abide this
Court, and do not from day to day during the whole term, make her personal appearance here in Court, and
do not give such evidence against the said Avery Morgan as she shall know touching the premises
aforesaid her - then his above-mentioned wife to be in full force and virtue - otherwise her -

Thomas } Somerset County }
Avery Morgan }
Be it remembered that the fifteenth day of August
and Dow: One thousand Seven hundred and thirty two comes into Court before the Worship-
ful Robert King Esq: and his associates Justices of the same, Thomas Bluet Gent. who presents for
the Lord Proprietary and gives this Court to understand and be informed that Avery Morgan of the
said County planter the tenth day of August in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Seven hundred
and thirty one in the County aforesaid and within the Jurisdiction of this Court did commit fornic-
:ation with a certain Abernethy Beal of the County aforesaid Spinster and on the body of the said
Abernethy then and there did beget a bastard Child to the high displeasure of Almighty God and
to the evil Example of all others in such case offending and against the form of the act of
act of Assembly in such case made and provided wherefore the said Thomas Bluet prays the advice
of the Court in the premises, and due process of Law thereon against the said Avery to Issue -
Whereupon Command was given to the Just. of Somerset County that he should take the said
Avery Morgan if he be to answer her and in manner here at this Court hold for Somerset County at
dividing Week in the County aforesaid the fifteenth day of August and Dow: One thousand Seven
hundred and thirty two before his Lordships Justices of the same Court. Individually sitting Cometh
the aforesaid Avery Morgan in his proper person according to a certain Recognizance by him
and his pledges in that part ^{before} acknowledged, and hath also aving of the Information aforesaid, and
says that he is not guilty thereof, and of this he puts himself upon the Country, and Thomas
Bluet Gent who for his said Lordship in that part followeth Likewise her -

Whereupon Command is given to the Just. of Somerset County that immediately he cause
to come before his Lordships Justices twelve her by whom her and who neither her to Recognize
and who upon the Oath of that same Jury by the aforesaid Just. to this Impanelled, being called
Came to wit: William Jones manorier, Charles Rawliffe, Wm. Jones Goose Creek, John Full Hutton
Hile, Joseph Wait, John Owen Bonj^{er} Full William Smith Geo: Maglamory, Richard Holland
and George Beuston who to say the truth of the premises being Sworn upon their
Oath did say that the aforesaid Avery Morgan is guilty of the premises in the Information above
against him supposed as in the Information as is specified - Whereupon all and singular
the premises by the Court have been and fully understood - It is found by the Court
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