

His Lordship of Somerset County p.

Betty Game.
Be it Remembred that on the twenty third day of November
James Dowd: one thousand seven hundred and thirty two came into Court before the worshipfull
Robert King Esq. and his associates ^{Justices} of the same, Thomas Bluet Gent: who prosecutes for the Lord
Proprietary and gives this Court to understand and be Informed that Betty Game late of the said County
In the first day of September in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and thirty two in
the County aforesaid and within the Jurisdiction of this Court did Commit Fornication with a certain person unknown
and him the said person on the body of the said Betty Game a bastard Child did begett to the high Displea-
sure of Almighty and to the Curious Example of all others in such Case Offending and against the form of
the act of Assembly in such Case made and provided wherefore the said Thomas Bluet prays Advice
of the Court in the premises &c.

Thereupon Command was given to the Just. of Somerset County that he should take the said Betty Game
if he to answer &c. and afterwards in the same Court before with the twenty third day of November and did one
thousand seven hundred and thirty two take the said Betty Game in her proper person and had clearing of the
Information aforesaid, and being justly demanded how she would acquit herself of the premises aforesaid
above upon her Injured, says that of the premises aforesaid as aforesaid upon her Injured she is guilty
thereof, and the premises in the Information aforesaid Et profely Confesseth &c.

Whereupon all and Singular the premises by the Court has been heard and fully understood
It is Considered by the Court here that the aforesaid Betty Game punished at the Barber's shop in the
County of Somerset with ten Lashes well Laid on while the blood appear, and afterwards in the same Court
and made return that he had done the Execution of the Judgment aforesaid as to the corporal pun-
ishment aforesaid he was Commanded. Thereupon the said ^{Betty Game} is ordered to give Security for the payment
of the several Officers their fees due upon the Information aforesaid, whereupon a certain Stephen Winn
right of Somerset County Bailayer present here in Court undertook for the said Betty Game to pay the
several Officers fees due as aforesaid &c.

His Lordship
James Blackwell } Whereas the aforesaid James Blackwell being bound by Recognizance for his good
behaviour and appearance at this Court, whereupon came into this Court the said James Blackwell
and prays that his appearance may be received to save himselfe and Security from the above
Recognizance of bail. Thereupon the said James Blackwell appearance is received and he and his Security
are mightily discharged &c. whereupon came into Court a certain Richard Hugnate and acquainted the
same Court that the aforesaid Blackwell was his servant and had run away from him, for fear of being taken
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