

His Lordship } Somerset County

Be it remembered that on the twenty fourth day of April and Dow. Catherine Dogan - One thousand Seven hundred and thirty three came here into Court before the worshipfull Robt. King Esq. and his associates Justices of the same Court Robert Jenkins Henry Gault. who for his said Lordship the Lord Proprietary in this parts presents and gives the Court to understand and be informed that Catherine Dogan late of Somerset County Spinster the twenty second day of October and Dow. One thousand Seven hundred and thirty two at Somerset County within the Jurisdiction of this Court did commit fornication and had born of her body bastard Child against the peace of the Right Honble the Lord Proprietary of this Province his good rule and Government and also against the form of the act of Assembly in which case made and provided whereof the said Robert Jenkins Henry prays advisement of the Court in the premises and that due process of Law thereon against the said Catherine may issue.

Thereupon Command is given to the Just. of Somerset County that he should take the said Catherine Dogan if he can answer &c. and afterwards in the same Court came the said Catherine Dogan in her proper person and had clearing of the Information aforesaid, and thereupon the said Catherine Dogan is instantly demanded how she would acquit herself of the premises aforesaid above upon her Impos. ed. says that of the premises aforesaid above upon her Imposed she is Gilty thereof but hath nothing to pay for fine for the fact aforesaid &c.

Wherefore it is Considered by the Justices here that the aforesaid Catherine Dogan be whipt at the publick whipping post with twenty five Lashes on the bare back well laid on until the blood appear ^{and that she be bound} thereupon Command is given to the Just. of Somerset County that he should do therof for immediate Execution by whipping of the said Catherine Dogan at the publick whipping post with twenty five Lashes on the bare back well laid on until the blood appear &c. and afterwards in the same Court came the said Just. and made return that he had done the Execution of the Judgment aforesaid as to the Corporal punishment aforesaid he was Commanded &c.

Toby Dogan - Toby Dogan son of Catherine Dogan aged one year next October is bound by bound to Samuel Handy. the Court unto Samuel Handy his heirs or assigns until he arrives at the age of twenty one year, the said Toby Dogan to serve his said Master his heirs or assigns in all Lawfull Service that he or they should Employ him in or about during the term aforesaid &c.

In consideration ^{whereof} the said Samuel Handy ^{prays for} undertakes for to find and provide for his said Servant meat drink washing Lodging and Clothing sufficient for his said Servant to have and wear during the term aforesaid &c.

Ordered by the Court that William Bonner apoor Object be allowed four hundred pounds of Tobacco towards his Support and maintenance until November Court Next to be paid next Levy Court &c.