

Thereupon as to the Corporate punishment and Command is given to the Just. of Somerset County that he do thereupon mediate Execution &c. and afterwards in the same Court the said Just. returns that he had done the Execution of the Judgment and as to the Corporate punishment of he was Commanded &c. Whereupon the said Sarah Gode is ordered to give the several Officers their fees due by occasion of the premises &c. but for want thereof the said Sarah Gode is committed into the Custody of the Just. of Somerset County there to remain till the said Just. with Joshua Giddowall Gent present took Charge of said Sarah Gode accordingly &c.

The Same } Somerset J.  
E. the Bowell.

Be it Remembered that on the twentieth day of June and Dow: One thousand seven hundred and thirty three came here into Court before the worshipful William Tavit and his associates Justices of the same Robert Jenkins Henry Gent. who prosecute for the Lord Proprietary and give the Court to understand and be informed that a certain Esther Bowell did commit fornication and had born of her body a bastard Child on or about the tenth day of March and Dow: One thousand seven hundred thirty one in the County and within the Jurisdiction of this Court contrary to an Act of Assembly in such manner and provided &c.

Thereupon Command was given to the Just. of Somerset County that he should take the said Esther Bowell &c. to answer &c. and afterwards on the twenty first day of June and Dow: One thousand seven hundred and thirty three came here into Court the said Esther Bowell in her proper person and had alsoaring of the Information and being Justly demanded how she would acquit herself of premises and say that of the premises above upon her Imposed she is Guilty thereof and makes oath that a certain Henry Great is the begetter of the Child she stands Informed against but hath nothing to pay her fine for the fact &c.

Wherefore it is considered by the Justices here that the said Esther Bowell be whipped at the publick whipping post with fifteen Lashes on the bare back well laid on untill the blood appear and that she be taken &c. and thereupon as to the Corporate punishment and Command is given to the Just. of Somerset County that he do thereupon mediate Execution by whipping of the said Esther Bowell at the publick whipping post with fifteen Lashes on the bare back well laid on untill the blood appear &c. and afterwards in the same Court the Just. returns that he had done the Execution of the Judgment and as to the Corporate punishment of he was Commanded &c. Whereupon the said Esther Bowell is ordered to give Security for the payment of the several Officers fees due by means of the premises and thereupon a certain Randal Long of Somerset County planter present herein Court undertakes for to pay the several Officers their fees due as &c.

His Lordship } We the Jurors for the Right honorable the Lord Proprietary for the body of Somerset County do present Ann More for bearing of a bastard Child in Country parish some time in November last  
Ann More } Information being given to us by Capt John Smith the 21 day of March: 1732/3  
John Donelson Foreman

Thereupon Command was given to the Just. of Somerset County that he should take the said Ann More if he to answer &c. and afterwards in the same Court came the said Ann More in her proper person here to with Nineteen day of