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despised and other harmes to the said Isaac than and there'do do to his great Damage and against the peace of the Right Honble the said Proprietary his good Rule and Government whosoever the same Lewin Gale for the said Lord Proprietary prays

Therupon Command was given to the Just. of Somerset County that he should take the said Stephen Wainwright if he to answer the said after words in the same Court come the said Stephen Wainwright in his proper person and hath a hearing of the Defendants and being therupon demanded how he would acquit himself of the premises as above upon him imposed says that of the premises as above upon him imposed he is guilty thereof and is willing to pay his fine for the fact as

Therefore it is considered by the Court how that the aforesaid Stephen Wainwright pay unto his said Lordship the said Proprietary for his fine by the Court how upon him imposed for and by reason of the her paper a fault as whereof in the said he is convict one hundred pounds of tobacco and that the said Stephen Wainwright be taken to satisfy of the fine as, therupon the said Stephen Wainwright is discharged paying the severall Officers their fees due by reason of the premises aforesaid

His Lordship } Somerset. Be it remembered that upon the twentieth day of August and David one
Ann Bright - } thousand seven hundred and thirty came into Somerset County Court how Lewin Gale Esq. of the said Courtments of the said County and for the said Lord Proprietary gives the Court how to understand & be informed that Ann Bright late of Somerset County squiter the tenth day of August and David one thousand seven hundred and thirty at Somerset County within the Jurisdiction of this Court did commit fornication and had born of her body a bastard Child against the peace of the Right Honble the said Proprietary of this Province his good Rule and Government and also against the form of the act of a Assembly in such force made and provided whosoever the said Lewin Gale for the said Lord Proprietary prays advise ment of the Court how in the premises.

Therupon Command was given to the Just. of Somerset County that he should take the said Ann Bright if he to answer the said after words in the same Court come here the said Ann Bright in her proper person and being by the Just. set to the bar is therupon instantly demanded how she would acquit herself of the premises as in manner and form aforesaid above upon her imposed, says that of the premises as above upon her imposed says that she is guilty thereof and made oath that a certain John Wainwright is the father of the Child as, and is willing to pay her fine for the fact as

Therefore it is considered by the Court how that the said Ann Bright pay unto his said Lordship the said Proprietary for her fine by the Court how upon her imposed for and by reason of the premises as whereof in form as she is convict thirty shillings current money, and that the said Ann Bright be taken to satisfy his said Lordship of the fine as, therupon the said Ann Bright is ordered to give security for the severall Officers their fees due by reason of the premises as therupon a certain Wm. Buxton of Somerset County present before Court undertakes for the said Ann Bright to pay the severall Officers their fees due by reason of the premises as

Ann Goddard wife of Thomas Goddard being bound by Recognizance for her good behavior and appearance at this Court, and forasmuch as there is nothing objected against the said Ann whosoever she should continue bound by Recognizance, therupon the said Ann Goddard is discharged from the Recognizance as

Madam Betty Gale } I promise to pay unto Mr Betty Gale on order forty six pounds Sterling upon Demand for
James Gibson - } value of her Red. Interimony whosoever I have hereto put my hand the twentieth day of August 1790
Signed &c in presence of
Lewin Gale.

Memorandum that upon the 18. Day of June 1790 before me John Jones one of the said Lord Proprietary Justices of the Peace for Somerset County appeared the above named Betty Gale and being questioned did solemnly affirm that the above