

Current money of Maryland Early and every Year he shall keep such ordinary or house of Entertainment as aforesaid
Likewise the said Thom at Holbrook with Joseph M^r Gester and Thomas Porter his family as
all present here in Court as aforesaid acknowledged themselves indebted unto his said Lordship the Lord Proprietary
in the Sum of forty pounds Current money of Maryland of their goods and Chattells Lands and tenements Joynt
ly to the use of his said Lordship his heirs & Successors to be made and Levied If it happen that the said Tho^s
Holbrook doe not keep good rules and orders, and do suffer Idle Loos or disorderly persons to trifle
game or commit other disorders or Irregularities in his ordinary or house of Entertainment during the
time that he shall keep the same, contrary to the true Intent and meaning of the act of assembly in such
Case made and provided &c

His Lordship } Somerset County Jst The Jurors for the Right honorable the Lord Proprietary that now
Mary Maguire } is for the body of Somerset County aforesaid upon their Oath do present that Mary Maguire
late of Stegely parish in the County aforesaid Spuister the thirtieth day of September and did
One thousand Seven hundred and thirty five at the parish aforesaid in the County aforesaid within the Jurisdiction of
this Court did commit fornication with a certain person to the Jurors aforesaid unknown and did permit the
same unknown person than and there to have carnal knowledge of her body and to begett there and
there abaster a Child on the body of her the same Mary to the high displeasure of almighty God to the
Evill Example of all others in such Case offending contrary to the peace of the said Lord Proprietary that
now is his good rule and government, and against the form of the act of assembly in such Case lately made
provided &c

Justis Dowly Collier

On the backside of the foregoing Bill of Inditment it was thus endorsed Billa Vera Sam^l
Wilson forman

Thereupon Command was given to the Sheriff of Somerset County that he should
take the said Mary Maguire if he to answer &c. and afterward to wit the sixteenth day of March and did one
thousand seven hundred and thirty five before the Justices of his Lordship's County Court of Somerset now here
held at Dwiding Creek in the same County Cause the said Mary Maguire in her proper person and had
a hearing of the Inditment aforesaid and being thereupon Instantly demanded how she would acquitt herself
of the premises aforesaid as by the Inditment aforesaid above upon her is Imposed, says that of the premises
aforesaid as by the Inditment aforesaid above upon her is Imposed she is guilty thereof and thereupon
the said Mary Maguire in due form makes oath that a certain John M^r Gester of Somerset County hath is
the father and begetter of the Bastard Child she stands indicted for

and for as much as the said Mary Maguire hath nothing to pay her fine for the fact aforesaid
Therefore it is considered by the Justices here that the said Mary Maguire be whipt with ten
Lashes on the bare back with Lads on while the blood appear and that she be taken to the said Court
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