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Rule and Government and against the form of the Act of Assembly in such Case lately  
made and provided Thereupon it was Comanded the Sheriff of Somerset County

that he should take the said Hannah Goldsmith the Sale of Somerset County Squinter  
if she should be found in his Bailwick and he should safekeep so that he might  
have her body before the Justices of his Lordships County Court of Somerset to be  
held at Dividing Creek the third Tuesday of June ann. Dom. One thousand Seven  
hundred and thirty Eight to answer unto his said Lordship of the Indictment <sup>of</sup>  
for fornication. And now to witt the third Tuesday of June before his Lordships -  
Justices at Dividing Creek came the said Hannah Goldsmith in her proper person and had  
acknowledg of the Indictment <sup>of</sup> and saith that she cannot deny but that she is guilty of  
the premises in the Indictment <sup>of</sup> specified in manner & form as by the Indictment  
<sup>of</sup> above against her supposed and the premises <sup>of</sup> expressly acknowledgeth and  
makes oath that a certain John Griffin is the Begetter of the Child she stands Indicted  
for and is willing to pay her fine for the same &c -

Whereupon all and singular the premises by the Court here seen heard and  
fully understood It is Considered that the said Hannah Goldsmith pay unto his  
Lordship for her fine for and by occasion of the premises <sup>of</sup> by the Court here upon her  
Imposed whereof in form <sup>of</sup> she is Comanded thirty shillings Curr. Money of Maryland  
to the Use of the County <sup>of</sup> and that the said Hannah Goldsmith be taken to satisfy  
his said Lordship of the fine <sup>of</sup> &c. Whereupon the said Hannah Goldsmith is ordered  
to give Security for the payment of the severall Officers fees due on the Indictment by occasion  
of the premises <sup>of</sup> Whereupon a certain William Gray of Manocan in Somerset County  
present here in Court in his proper person undertook for to pay the severall Officers fees  
due on the Indictment <sup>of</sup> In Case the said Hannah Goldsmith doth not pay the same  
&c. Likewise the same Hannah Goldsmith is ordered to give Security for appearance  
before the Justices of his Lordships County Court of Somerset to be held at Dividing Creek  
the third Tuesday of August next following to give Evidence on behalf of his Lordship  
against the said John Griffin &c. Thereupon the said Hannah Goldsmith <sup>of</sup> with  
William Stoughton of Somerset County gave her Security both present here in  
Court