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have her body before the Justices of His Lordships County Court of Somerset to be held in the Court house at dividing creek the third Tuesday of June and found one thousand seven hundred and thirty seven to answer unto his said Lordship &c.

And afterwards on with the said third Tuesday of June and found one thousand seven hundred and thirty seven the same term before ~~the~~ His Lordships Justices at dividing creek and came the said Sarah Thompson in her proper person and had a hearing of the Indictment and said that she cannot deny but that she is guilty of the premises and in the Indictment specified in manner and form as by the Indictment aforesaid above against her supposed. and the premises and in the Indictment and expressly acknowledgeth and makes oath that a certain James Lane is the Begetter of the Child she stands Indicted for and puts herself hereof in mercy of his Lordship -- Whereupon all and singular the premises being seen and by the Court here fully understood. It is considered that the said Sarah Thompson pay unto his Lordship the right honorable the Lord Proprietary for her fine by the Court hereupon her imposed for and by Exaction of the premises and whereof in form as she is convicted thirty Sterling Current Money of Maryland (to the use of the County and) and that the said Sarah Thompson be taken to satisfy the said Lordship of the fine and the. Whereupon the said Sarah Thompson is ordered to give Security to save and keep Endorsified the Justices of Somerset County and their Successors from all Costs Charges and Burthens that might arise by means of the birth of the Child and

Thereupon the said Sarah Thompson with Patrick Daley and Isaac Wheeler both of Somerset County planters her securitys all present before Court in their proper persons acknowledged themselves Indebted unto his Lordship the right honorable the Lord Proprietary of the province of Maryland in the full and Just Sum of thirty pounds Sterling good and Lawfull money of England of their bodys good or Estates Lands or tenements Joyntly and Severally to be made and levied to the use of the Justices of the County and their Successors. If it happen that the said Sarah Thompson her heirs Executors or Administrators or any of them do and shall not from time to time and at all times hereafter acquit discharge and safe harmless as well the Justices of Somerset County and their Successors for the being as also the Inhabitants of the said County of and from all Costs Charges troubles and Incumbrances whatsoever for or by reason of the birth maintenance nourishing and bringing up of the said Child and of and from all other Suits Charges troubles and demands whatsoever touching or concerning of the same. Likewise the said Sarah Thompson is ordered to give Security for the payment of their severall Officers their fees or as due by means of the Indictment and

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