

June Court ---- 1737 55  
from as by the Judgment of above against her supposed and the premises as in the same Judgment Expressly  
and together. but hath not wherewith all to pay her fine for the fact as. but puts herself upon the favour  
of the Court. Whereupon all and Singular the premises being seen and by the Judges here fully understood. It is  
Considered that the said Mary Bredy be whipt at the Publike whipping post at dividing Creek in the County as  
with ten Stripes on the bare back well Laid on until the blood appear and that the said Mary Bredy be  
taken. And thereupon as to the Corporal punishment as Command is given to the Sheriff of Somerset  
County that he do there of Immediate Execution by whipping of the said Mary Bredy at the publike whipping  
post with ten Stripes on the bare back well Laid on until the blood appear it being adjudged Satisfaction  
for the Offense as. and afterwards in the same Court came the same Sheriff and made Return that he had done  
the Execution of the Judgment as to the Corporal punishment as he was Commanded to  
Whereupon the said Mary Bredy is ordered to give Security for the payment of their severall Officers their  
fee or fees due by means of the premises as upon the Judgment as. but for want thereof the said Mary  
Bredy is committed into the Custody of the Sheriff of Somerset County there to remaine. The said Sheriff to wit  
Joseph Maulster Gent present herein Court took Charge of the said Mary Bredy accordingly &c

His Lordship - Somerset p. Memorandum That at a Session of the peace of this Lordship the Right  
Balm forth Salt. Honourable the Lord Proprietary of the Province of Maryland held at dividing Creek  
in Somerset County on the third Tuesday of June to wit the Twentieth Day of the same  
month and Day One thousand seven hundred and thirty seven before Robert King Gent. and others  
his associates Justices of the said Lord Proprietarys peace in the same County to Conserve and also  
divers Felonys trespass and other Maleservances of the same County committed to hear and determine  
assigned by the Oath of William Holland and twelve others presented that Balm forth Salt late of  
Stepney parish in the County aforesaid Sadler the first day of march Anno Domini seventeenth hundred  
and thirty and six at the parish as in the County as within the Jurisdiction of this  
Court did commit fornication with a certain Mary Bredy and of her body then and  
there had carnal knowledge and a bastard Child on the body of her the same Mary  
then and there did beget to the high displeasure of Almighty God to the wil example  
of all others in such case offending contrary to the peace of the said Lord Proprietary  
that now his good Rule and Government and against the form of the act of assembly  
in such case lately made and provided &c

Thereupon Command was given to the Sheriff of Somerset County that he should take the said Balm  
forth Salt as to answer as. and afterwards to wit the aforesaid third Tuesday of June and Day  
One thousand seven hundred and thirty seven that same term before his Lordship the Right Honourable