

22 Punished by whipping upon his or their bare bodies
till the blood doe appear for many stripes not exceed-
ing thirty nine in the number before whom such
conviction shall be shall be judge.

Provided that this Act shall not be construed to
extend as to the fine for Women who has bastard
and do refuse to Discover the father or begotten
of such children but that in such case it shall be
in the Discretion of the Justices before whom such
Woman or women, shall be convicted & either to
take the fine by this Act appointed or to award for-
feiture punish any thing in this Act before
to the contrary notwithstanding. And for
the Ascertaining what Women shall be accounted
and.

Be it Enacted by the Author-
ity aforesaid by and with the Advice and Consent aforesaid
that it shall and may be lawful for the Minister
Vestry and Churchwardens of any parish where
there is a Minister and for the Vestry and Church-
wardens where there is no Minister before any
Admonition by them or any of them given in
pursuance of the Directions aforesaid
to give notice or cause notice to be given to any
person or persons by them or the major part of