

Nov Court 1730

Case of St. Pauls parish in the County of Spenser the Servant of William Frisby Esq. the tenth day of April Anno Domini Seventeen hundred and thirty at the Court and in the County of within the Jurisdiction of this Court did Commit fornication with a certain Person to the Jurors of unknown and did permit the same unknown Person then and there to have carnal knowledge of her body and to beget then and there a Bastard Child on her body of her the same Margret to the high displeasure of Almighty God to the evil example of all others in such case offending contrary to the peace of the said Lord Proprietor that now is his good Rule and Government and against the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided as follows

Left George Griffiths.

Francis Alder on the back of the same bill was endorsed as follows:
Alfred H. Foreman

And the said Margret came into Court and in her proper person appears to the said Indictment. And the same Margret Falconer in her proper person comes & saith that she cannot gainsay the Indictment. So as against her brought not but that she is guilty of the premises above upon her impo. as by the said Indictment it is alleged & thereupon submits to the Court. Therefore it is considered by the Justices here to wit at the Court House in the Town of Christ. in said County on the third Tuesday of Nov. being the seventeenth day of said Month Anno Domini Seventeen hundred and thirty that the said Margret receive on her bare back ten lashes with the blood app. as a punishment for her crime and for committing the offense of fornication and as also two hundred and thirty eight pounds of Tobacco Col. & Arming on the premises and all the officers of this Court.

It is also considered by the Court here the Day and Year last mentioned that the Sheriff of Hunt County take the said Margret Falconer into his custody and execute the punishment with the whip and Spouted and afterwards bring her into a gaol of which precinct to wit Joseph Young Gent. by the Sheriff of Hunt County makes return on the day & Year last said that he hath executed the punishment in the Judgment and also hath ready here the said Margret Falconer before the Court. Jo Young Sher.

His Ship
Philip Carroll

That on the seventh day of Octo. last Anno Domini Seventeen hundred and thirty the said Philip Carroll was Security bld into Recog. before William Frisby Esq. one of his Majestys Justices of the Peace for the said County for his appearance to this Court. And now at this Court comes

the said Philip Carroll and in his proper person appears and prays the same Recog. may be discharged. Orderd by the Court here that the same Recog. be discharged. The same Philip Carroll his Recog. in the sum of twenty pounds stand for his appearance to this Court to answer unto what should be objected against at this Court is by this Court here discharged.

George Griffiths of the said County the same day and before the same Justice bld into Recog. in the sum of twenty pounds stand to be levied to be ~~for~~ for the appearance of the said Philip Carroll as afo. and now here at this Court the same is by this Court here discharged.