

The third Tuesday in March being the twentieth day of said Month Anno Domini one
 Thousand Seven Hundred and thirty two Came John Gresham Esq. High Sheriff
 of said County and made return of said writ to the Court here thereof endorsed as
 follows viz. Copy Letters of J. Gresham Sheriff
 Kent County. The Jurors for the right Honourable the Lord Proprietor
 that now is for Kent County and upon their Oath do present that Martha Davis
 late of St. Pauls Parish in the County of Spingster the tenth day of June Anno
 Domini seven hundred thirty two at the parish afo. in the County afo.
 within the Jurisdiction of this Court did Commit Fornication with a certain
 person to the Jurors afo. unknown and did permit the same unknown
 person then and there to have carnal knowledge of her body and to beget
 thereon and there a Bastard Child on the body of her the said Martha to the high
 displeasure of Almighty God to the dishonour 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 Form of the act of assembly in
 that case made and provided

Francis Cled for.

The same was endorsed viz. A true bill of James Moore for more
 The afo. Martha being called came and in her proper person said that
 she cannot deny the Judgment of the Court against her brought nor but
 that she is guilty of the premises above upon him imposed as by the afo.
 Judgment alleged and thereupon submits to the Court. Therefore
 it is considered by the Justices here to sit at Kent County All the Courts
 House in the Town of Chester in said County on the third Tuesday in March being
 the twentieth day of said Month Anno Domini one Thousand Seven Hundred and
 thirty two That the afo. Martha Davis pay the sum of thirty Shillings
 current money of the Province of Maryland as a fine for committing the
 afo. offence as afo. alleged. And also the sum of two hundred and
 fifty nine pounds of Tobacco Cell answering on the premises afo. to the
 Officers of this Court.

ordered by this Court that Security be given for fees. The fine
 paid viz.
 Therefore John Cooper of said County Plaintiff comes in to Court
 and saith that he will pay the afo. to the Officers of this Court
 and thereupon the said Martha is discharged