MJ/SR/1323 Transcription of trial record of Mary Fisher

Entry no 23

[Translated from Latin]

Middlesex Sessions

Memorandum that on the twenty ninth day of September in the Year of our Lord 1666 and the eighteenth year of the reign of Charles the Second King of England Scotland France and Ireland, defender of the faith etc, came before me Charles Pittfield knight, one of the Justices directed to maintain the peace of the said Lord King in the aforesaid County etc John Martin of the City of London mercer Timothy Keyzar his servant and Mary Pope spinster and others on their own behalf [and] made recognizance that they owe to the said Lord King ten pounds to be conceded from their own goods and chattels to be for the use of the said Lord King etc, to be levied if the said John, Timothy and Mary default on the following condition, that is to say

[Transcription]

That the said John Martin Timothy Keyzar his servant and Mary Pope shall p[er]sonally appeare the first day of the next Sessions of [th]e peace to bee held for the said County at Hixs hall in St Johns Streete then & there to p[ro]secute and give the best evidence they can against Mary ffisher the wife of ffranc[is] ffisher for suspicion of stealeing and careing away severall quan[t]ities of virginia Tobaco the goods of the said John Martins in the time of the [last] Dreadfull fier & not to dep[ar]t [th]e Co[u]rt without Licence Ch[arles] Pittfield