

Monday March the 28th 1804

The Honorable the Superior Court met according
to adjournment.

Present this Honors

Ben^l. Porter

Thos. Fennell

Wm. Sanson

Justices

George W.

Wilkes County

I

James Ford do solemnly swear

that I will faithfully execute all Writs, Mandamus,
Precepts, and Process, directed to me as Deputy Sher-
iff of the County of Wilkes, and true returns make
and in all things well and lawfully and without
malice or partiality perform the duties of the
Office of Deputy Sheriff for said County of Wilkes
during my continuance in Office and to the only
my lawful superior to wit God.

James Ford

Sworn to before me

this 28th March 1804.

in open Court

Wm. Wilkes

Ordered that a Tax be levied on the County of Wilkes
for the present year viz (1804) for the Court House and
Jail, the Poor, Bridges &c. equal to one fourth of the
General Tax and that an additional Tax of one tenth
of the General Tax be levied for paying judges &c.
commissioners of Tax collectors &c. &c. &c.

I my sworn for August Term 1804. at p. 2.
Court adjourned until Court in Court

Just

Wm. Wilkes

B. Porter

Thos. Fennell

Wm. Sanson

jury for August Term 18th Dec 1823.

1 Zachariah Wortham	18 George Harper	35 Elias Yeager
2 Saml. Jones	19 William Green	36 John Houghley
3 Wm. Bradley	20 John Richardson	37 George Bristol
4 George Thurston	21 Shilton Willbourn	38 Roland Williams
5 Wm. Poon	22 Jacob Carleton	39 William Parker
6 Wm. Gammon	23 James Mathews	40 James Robinson
7 Tho. Smith	24 Saml. Nicholson	41 John Dickson
8 John Abington	25 Charles Mattocks	42 John Watkinson
9 Mathew Griffith	26 Nathan Bottingclaw	43 Danl. Gafford
10 Tho. Doster	27 Robert Moon	44 William Gassard
11 Owen Holliday	28 Daniel Gassard	45 Saml. Smith
12 John Sutton	29 Josiah Smith	46 Joshua Agers
13 Dickenson Holliday	30 Saml. Walther	47 William Hay
14 Josiah Callaway	31 Sherwood Liggins	48 John Wynne
15 William Thomson	32 Wylie Davis	49 Jeremiah Harrison
16 Tho. Lindsey	33 Tho. Wortham	50 ———
17 John Chaney	34 Jas. Thurmond	

At a Meeting of their Honors the Justices of the
Superior Court for the County of Wilkes -

Present their Honors

Benjamin Porter
Thomas Turle } Esquires
William Sanson

On the Petition of Thomas Moulton stating that he
is confined in the common Jail of said County at the
suit of James Roberts for a sum of Money which he
is unable to pay and cannot give Bail and that he is
wishing to give up all his Estate both real and personal
for the benefit of his creditors, and therefore requests that
he may be discharged from confinement & agreeable to
the Constitution and Laws of the State -

Ordered that the said Thomas Moulton be brought

up before the said Court - The said Thomas Mounger
appeared in support of the said Petition -

Whereupon it is further ordered that the said Thomas
Mounger, do give notice to his creditors as the law directs
to appear by themselves or Attorneys at the Court
House in the County of Wilkes, on Saturday the
fourth day of August of the present year to
show cause if any they have why the said Thomas
Mounger should not be discharged, in terms of
the Act in such cases made and provided -

On the Petition of Benjamin Branham stating
that he is now confined in the Common Jail of
Wilkes County, at the suit of Thomas Mounger
for a sum of money which he is unable to pay and
cannot give Bail, and that he is willing to give
up all his Estate both real and personal for the
benefit of his creditors and therefore requests that he
may be discharged from confinement agreeable to
the Constitution and Laws of the State -

Ordered that the said Benjamin Branham be
brought up before the said Court -

The said Benjamin Branham appeared in support
of the said Petition -

Whereupon it is further ordered that the said
Benjamin Branham do give notice to his creditors as the
Law directs to appear by themselves or Attorneys at
the Court House in the County of Wilkes on Saturday
the fourth day of August of the present year
to show cause if any they have why the said Benjamin
Branham should not be discharged in terms of the

...of ... in such case made and provided -
May 16th 1804

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B. Porter
Thomas Tonnell
W. Sanson -

Monday August the 6th 1804

The Honorable the Superior Court met according to adjournment and agreeably to the Judiciary Present their Honors

Ben^r Porter
William Sanson
Jonathan Webster
John Parks

} Justices -

The Sheriff returns the following persons as a venire summoned to attend the present Term as Petit Jurors viz.

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3. G. y
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Ordered that Rebecca McKee daughter of Margaret
McKee be bound to Benedict Hammon until
she is twenty one years of age in terms of the Act of
Assembly in such case made and provided and agree-
ably to the standing order of this Court - respect-
ing apprentices (said Rebecca is thought to be about
nine years old -

John Walker Guardian }
Moses Walker — } Benjamin A. Dismissed at
Plaintiffs cost —

On the petition of William McElroy and Robert Cunningham
Admors to the Estate of Patrick Cunningham late of Wilkes
County dec'd. praying an order of this Court for the
sale of four hundred acres of Land, more or less in said
County adjoining Lands of Robert Thigpen for the ben-
efit of the Widow and creditors of said dec'd. And it appearing
to the satisfaction of the Court that a notice of the
application had been regularly advertised in one of the
public gazettes of this State -

It is therefore Ordered that the said Administrators
proceed to sell in terms of the Act in such case made
and provided -

Ordered that Michael Grant Orphan of Thomas Grant
late of said County dec'd. now in his ninth year be bound
to John Chan until he arrives to the age of twenty
one years, to learn the business of a Planter in terms
of the Act of Assembly in such case made and pro-
vided, and agreeably to the standing order of this Court
respecting apprentices -

On the petition of a member of the Probationers of
Fishing Creek praying an order of this Court for
the opening of the road leading from Washington

to Shumers Ferry. It is ordered that the said Road
be again considered a public Road. And that the Boards
in the former year be, the said Road now with thereon
beast is found in till tomorrow morning nine o'clock

To be

Nathl. Willis Clk.

B. Porter

W. Sanson

J. Webster

J. Parker

Tuesday August the 7th 1804.

of the Honorable the Superior Court and according
to adjournment

Present their Honors

Benja. Porter

William Sanson

Jonathan Webster

John Parker.

} Justices

Georgia

Wilkes County }

To their Honors the Judges of the Superior
Court now sitting. The Petition of William Chertam and
Adam Wyble Administrators of the Intestate Estate of
John Chertam late of said County dec'd did signed and
proposed of two Tracts of Land, situate lying and being in
the said County of Wilkes one or being containing two
hundred and fifty Acres, the other two hundred Acres, both
originally granted to Jeremiah Chertam and of our Peti-
tioners further shew that the said Estate was indebted
to amount to above the value of the personal property
belonging to said dec'd. And further that the Heirs of
said Estate, with a sale of said two Tracts of Land, for
their benefit, Wherefore your Petitioners pray an order
or Rule of Court authorizing them to sell said two
Tracts of Land, agreeable to an Act of the General

Upon by in such can made and provided, and as in my
hand will ever stay &c. And Motion of Mr. Cook
Attorney for the petitioners it is Ordered that they
be authorized to sell said two Tracts of Land, for
yearly the m^o has required by Law -
7th of August 1804.

John Roberts & Dimin. Philip Thos. }
John Stewart } Joseph Prather } Settles

William Booker Adm^r
of Obadiah Wynne dec^d } Debt.

Thomas Jones - 7th of August 1804.

13. / 10. 06 I am p^o Judge sent to the Plaintiff for the sum
of sixty dollars, with Interest and cost of suit &
stay of Execution thereon the -
Jude. Thomas Jones -

Jos. Griffin -

Ordered that Isaac Lambert be exempted from working
on Roads, his being rendered unable by a Burn -

Ordered that the Road leading from Solomon Thors
town, to the Fish dam Ford. on Little River be discontinued
as a Public Road -

Ordered that William Prince have leave to dig a Well
in such part of the Public L^o as the Court may
point out, and that the sum of twenty five dollars
be paid to the said Prince on the completion of the
same, and that William Sanson Jos. Griffin &
Thomas Tumble Esq. be and they are hereby appointed
to become witnesses to superintend and check the
means in which it shall be completed -

sent as found on till tomorrow morning nine o'clock

J. C. Wm. W. C.

B. Porter

W. Sanson

J. Webster

J. Parks

Wednesday August the 6th 1804

The Honorable the Inferior Court met according to adjournment & -

Present their Honors

Benja Porter

William Sanson

Jonathan Webster

John Parks

} Justices

Thomas Mowbray & Co.

West Morris -

- } Jury Room N: 1
Jury Wm. W. C. (Wm. W. C.)
- | | | |
|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Charles Matthews | 5. George Bonnell | 9. John Wynne |
| 2. Wm. Davis | 6. Daniel Gofford | 10. B. Washington |
| 3. Shute Willborn | 7. Joseph Calloway | 11. James Whiting |
| 4. Jeremiah Harrison | 8. James Dussac | 12. Jacob Thwin |
- Now the Jury find for the Defendant -

B. B. Washington Terman -

Zachariah Booth

Thomas Mowbray

} Jury N: 2. Sworn

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| 1. Jm. Williams | 5. Wm. Foxworth | 9. Peter Shubert |
| 2. E. Smith | 6. Wm. Milhine | 10. Sam. L. Nicholas |
| 3. Sam. L. Williams | 7. John M. Good | 11. Simon P. Miller |
| 4. Gabriel Colley | 8. Henry Loughton | 12. John L. L. L. |

Now find for the Plaintiff one thousand and fifty
five dollars with the Int. from 3rd Jan'y 1803. and cost of suit
John M. L. L.

47
Pollard Brown

July 1. 2.

We find for Bkft. fifty dollars with the Int. and
cost of suit—
John McLeod Esq.

John McLeod F.M.

Zachariah Williams

Adm^r of Wm. M. Williams

Patrick Jach. -----

Appeal by consent

Expenses of J^{rs} Hias & Co?

Francis P. Thoson

2 Dennis

Jonathan M. Cohen

Charles Turrell

Don't forget to write to me

I have left for the sum of one hundred and thirty eight dollars with the interest from the twenty fifth day of January to two hundred and three & 1/2 cent of interest, on the day of leaving until the first day of January next -

19
Feb.

Charles Terrell -

Spa. the. With. Elk.

George Brigham

L. H. 3

Henry Pope---

Mary Wingfield Exort for
H. W. and Mrs. Darraco to

Mr. L^d Worsham —

G. Butler & Day

G. S. M. Co.

Elizabeth Brownell

John Walker & Co

Letter of John Smith Esq.

Pr. 10 Washburn. Dan. 10.

Wagon & Hauls between

July 4. 1

We the Jury find for

the Plaintiff four hundred and thirty seven Dollars 211
eighteen and one fourth cents with cost of suit against
Richard Worham and Harris Coleman, -

R. B. Washington Foreman.

William & Felix G. West } sworn Jurors on the last week
Bailey Lunsford — } sworn & Nicholson in the place of
Isaac Dorn —

We the Jury find for the Plaintiff the sum of
forty two dollars five & three quarters cents with costs -

R. B. Washington Foreman.

On the Petition of Solomon Thornton Adm'r. Admin-
strator Thornton Adm'r. Thomas Graham, Benjamin
Graham, George Graham & Solomon Thornton Junr.
Heirs and Assigns of William Thornton dec'd.

Praying an Order of this Court for the sale of five hundred
acres of Land, lying in the County of Jackson on the
waters of the Boone River for the Benefit of the Heirs
and Creditors of said dec'd. And it appearing to the satisfac-
tion of this Court, that a notice of this Application had
been regularly advertised in one of the public Gazettes
of this State. It is therefore Ordered that the said Admin-
istrator proceed to sell in terms of the act in such case
made and provided.

George Johnson } Attachment.
John Turnell — }

George Graham being summoned or garnished in
the above case came into Court and being duly sworn
saith that he has in his possession Books of Accounts
for Abraham the executor, against a number of persons.

to the amount of seventy four dollars & forty four
cents, but that he has been informed that the said
Defendant has rec'd a part, but he is not aware of
the Defendant having rec'd, and the Defendant further
swells that he is not in any manner indebted to
the Defendant —

Sworn to in open Court
the 6th Day of August 1804.

A. Willis Clk.

George Brain —

Wherefore it is ordered that the said Garnachin
be directed to proceed to collect said Debt in the most
expedient manner and return the money in the Clerk's Office
of this Court as soon as the same shall be collected
subject to the further Order of this Court —

Executors of J^{rs} W. B. D. die?

for the use of Stephen Martin

Francis Patterson —

Same Jury as the Last

We find for the Plaintiff \$175.00 with the Interest
and cost of suit —

R. B. Washington Foreman

William Wilkins } Attached
Leonard Smith } Settled

John Roberts } Settled at
John Furnell } Defendants
Saml. Patton }

Samuel Watkine

John Carter —

I con fess Judgment in favor of
the Plff. this sum of forty two dollars & twenty four
cents with the Interest and costs, with a stay two months

J^{rs} M. Dooley P.D.

B. p. 190
Smith & Anderson }
vs }
P. B. Washington }
I hereby Judge in to the Plaintiff for two thou-
sand three hundred and twenty dollars & fifty four cents
with cost of suit -
P. B. Washington

B. p. 192
Isaac G. Lef }
vs } same Jury -
William Prince }
We find for the Plaintiff two hundred dollars
with Interest and cost of suit -
P. B. Washington Foreman

B. p. 193
Wm B. Allison }
vs } same Jury -
Edmond Baxley }
We find for the Plaintiff sixty two dollars sixty
one 1/2 cents with the Interest and cost -
P. B. Washington Foreman

Court adjourned until tomorrow morning nine o'clock

B. Porter
W. Sanson
J. Webster
J. Parker

Thursday August the 9th 1804
The Honorable the Superior Court met according to
Adjournment -

Present their Honors
Benjamin Porter
William Sanson
Jonathan Webster } Justices -
John Parker

William & Felix Gilbert } Jury No. 1. Sworn -
Aquila "Barrington"

1. Wylis Davis 5. Jos. Calloway 9. Sam^l. Nicholas
2. Shethen Willborn 6. Jas. Dassaco 10. Parker Dofs
3. G. Brown 7. John Wynn 11. Andrew Ruddell
4. Dan^l. Gafford 8. Jas. Stirling 12. Gabriel Colley

We the Jury find for the Plaintiff fifty
two dollars fifty cents with Interest from the
first of March eighteen hundred and three with
cost of suit -

A. Ruddell Foreman

Wm & Felix Gilbert } Same Jury as the last
Hiram "Barrington"

We the Jury find for the Plaintiff seventy dol
lars seven cents with Interest from the first of
January eighteen hundred and three with cost of suit -

A. Ruddell Foreman -

The Exors of Abnerahe Walker d^o }
Isaac Willborn

Verdict Judgment for thirty eight dollars &
fifty four cents with Interest and cost of suit -

Eliza Clarke & Def.

William & Felix Gilbert } Settled
Benjamin Lantier

William Ror

William J. Holby } Same Jury -

We find for the Plaintiff four hundred and fifty six dollars with the Interest and Cost -

A. Russell Fenniman

William Ror
of John M. Dooley

Edward Moore } Same Jury -

We the Jury find for the Plaintiff the sum of two hundred and eighty dollars with the Interest and Cost -

A. Russell Fenniman

Thomas Fennell

Joel Fennell &

James Gray -

Attachment. Same Jury.

We find for the Plaintiff Thomas Fennell against the Defendants Joel Fennell and James Gray the sum of four hundred and thirty seven dollars and ninety cents & costs -

A. Russell Fenniman

Abraham C. Cole Ap. w.
of John Dixon -

Henry McHabb &

John S. Huntington

} Same Jury

We the Jury find for the Plaintiff sixty four dollars with the Interest and Cost -

A. Russell Fenniman

Pratt Pugh for the
use of Solomon Warpen

James & Obadiah Edge

} I conpose Judgment to the Plaintiff for the sum of one hundred dollars thirty one cents with the Cost of Execution eighty days before the 1st of May 1844.

John Mason } Settled
Henry Dwyer }

William Anglin } Same Jury
Edward Moore }

We find for the Plaintiff the sum of three hundred
and twenty eight dollars with the Interest and cost of suit

A. Reedell Forman.

Jonathan Sawyer & Co.

Chas. to the Jurin. } I am for judgment to the
Plaintiff for the sum of fifty one dollars and fifty
cents and cost of suit -

John Griffin for
Chas. to the Jurin

Sam. C. Watkins

John Carter } John Carter came forward and gave
Edward Moore security for the stay of execution against
to Law -

John
A. H. & W. H. C. H.

Edward Moore
H. H.

William Roe } Appeal
William J. Hobbs }

In this case William J. Hobbs came forward and
prayed an appeal which was granted and gave bonds
for the security for prosecuting the same to effect
paying the over that condemnation money if any
cost being paid.

John
A. H. & W. H. C. H.

Wm J. Hobbs
B. Smith

William Poe of }
 John M. Hooley - } Appeal
 Edward Moore

In this case Edward Moore came forward and gave
 an Appeal which was granted and gave Peter Statton
 full security for prosecuting the same to effect and pay-
 ing the eventual condemnation money if any cost
 being paid -

Edw Moore
 P Statton's

Just
 Nathan Willis Clerk

John Gilpin }
 Robert Harrison } Same Jury

We find for the Plaintiff the sum of one hundred
 and thirty three dollars with interest from the second
 day of February eighteen hundred & four & cost of suit
 J. H. Hulings Foreman.

Richard C Taylor }
 Joseph Moore } Same

Joseph's judgment to the Plaintiff for the sum
 of one hundred and thirty three dollars and twenty five cents
 with interest and cost of suit and stay of execution
 sixty days -

Miriam Hulings Attorney Deft

William Poe }
 James Hulings } Judgment for forty three
 dollars & twenty five cents with stay of execu-
 tion ninety days -

J. H. Hulings

Richard & Taylor &
Joseph "Mcivor & Joseph "Gardner & to the
Plaintiff for the sum of ^{one hundred & thirty nine} ~~forty~~ ^{& twenty} ~~eight~~ ^{four} dollars, with
interest and cost of suit with the stay of execution
sixty days. — Mirajah Mervin D. D.

Section Four Indorse
of Sims & Mayne

Rich^d Worsham

Now the Jury find for the
of them hundred thirty seven dollars
There you take care to write the Interest
for Mr. George Foreman.

William & F. J. G. West

Bachy "Lumpford"

Barth "Lumsford" } In this case the Bail
surrendered the Principal in discharge of his Recognizance.

George Dutton

John Echols Junr. John
Peters & John Echols -

Attachment to same Jury -

We find for the claim to be one hundred and ten dollars
with interest and costs of suit = 9

Gas Hulings Furnace

Luke John Morgan born
of John Brown d. 2 -

Hope Will be a true winged
and Deed Men in the Empire of
John Hardin Foster etc.

Same Jury

(H. W. John Henry)

We find for the Plaintiff the sum of sixty one
 Dollars & costs of suit.

Jas. Buchanan & Thomas

Gas. Hulings, Thomas

Mr Webster returned from the Bench -

Jonathan Webster & Saml Jory -

John Dudley -

We find for the Plaintiff the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars with costs of suit -

Gal. Mudgey Foreman

Thomas Mungler & Co for
the use of William Roe - } Appeal -
West Harris - - - - - }

In this case William Roe came forward and
payed an appeal which was granted and gave Thomas
Willis Security for presenting the sum to effect
and paying the eventual condemnation money if any
cost being paid.

William Roe

Thomas Willis

he and he joined on till tomorrow morning at the Bench.

To be

Nathl. Willis Clk.

B. Porter

W. Sanson

J. Webster

J. Parker

Friday August the 10th 1814

The Honorable the Inferior Court met according to
adjournment -

Present their Honors

Benja. Porter

William Sanson

John Parker

Jonathan Webster

J. J. J.

John Smith

Spencer Harrison } Award.

We the Arbitrators being called on the 21st the 22nd the 23rd the 24th & 25th of August 1802 between the parties after showing their and their Men's depositions & after going through the examination of the witnesses on each side do find for the Defendant
This 5th August 1802.

Richard Harrison
Solomon Thornton
Richard Revere

On Motion it is ordered that the above Award be made the Judgment of this Court in conformity to the Statute in such case made and provided—

William & Felix G. West }
Thomas Green ----- } settled.

Elizabeth Bramham Widow
of Nicholas Garrett
Thomas Jones

William & Felix G. West }
Benedict Moore } settled.

Jane Rutter }
Thomas Dutton & Co. } settled at Dept. Court

John Williams Exor of
George Williams dec'd }
Christopher Brooks &
Zachariah Williams } settled.

John Mendick Exor
of Francis Lottin dec'd }
Benjamin Boddie &
John Goyne } settled.

Thomas A. James
George Walton Exor
of John B. Walton dec'd }
Simpson. dismissed.

On the Petition of Solomon Thornton Exor. of the Estate of
Jefferson Williamson late of Wilkes County dec'd praying
order for the sale of eight hundred acres of Land more

23
" By lying on Little River is said to be well known
by the name of Williams. The Tracts five hundred
acres part of a six hundred been survey granted to John
and says two hundred granted to Andrew Williams. I am bound
to Thomas James Fisher adjoining each other, it being the whole
of the Real estate of said dec'd for the benefit of the
heir apparent of said dec'd - And it appearing to the
satisfaction of the Court that a notice of this applica-
tion had been legally published in one of the public
Gazettes of this State in terms of the act in such
case made and provided. It is therefore Ordered that the
said administration proceed to sell in terms of the act
in such case made and provided -

B. 64/58
William Crocker }
The Commissioners of the }
Washington Academy. } I can give Judge men & to the
Plaintiff for the sum of thirty dollars with the costs -
Jas. Griffin D. ft. atty.

Ordered that Charles R. Barton be and he is hereby nominated
a Justice of the Peace in Capt. Thomas District in the
place of Thomas Porter Esq. resigned. And George Smith
in the place of Evan Rice Esq. resigned for both
Lyons District -

Execution of Jesse Ward dec'd? }
Francis & Thomas Patterson } Ordered that the Sheriff pay
over the money in the above case to the Executors of said
Ward.

Court adjourned until the tomorrow morning 10 o'clock.

Take
Attest William C. H.
B. Barton
W. Sanson
J. M. White
J. Parker

Jonathan Webster August the 10th 1804.

John Dudley - Appraiser -

In the case the Defendant came forward and paid an Appeal by John Baxter, which was granted and you said Baxter security for procuring the same to effect and paying the usual condemnation money if any. Cost being paid \$15.50. -

Done

John Baxter

Attest: J. Willis M.

Saturday August the 11th 1804.

The Honorable the Superior Court met according to adjournment -

Present their Honors

Benjamin Porter

William Sanson

Jonathan Webster

Justices

Ordered that John Griffin, John Darraco, & Thomas Jewell & Gustavus Gaines Esq. Be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners, being first sworn according to Law, to view & inspect the Concessions & inclosures that may attend the laying out of a Road to run with the Mineral Spring Road, as far as Mr Darraco's line runs, Thence along or near the Line between Darraco's and the Town yard, Thence the most convenient and best Way in to it in respect to the main Road leading to Williamsons Mill. And that the said Commissioners or any three of them make their report to the Superior Court.

Upon the Petition of Benjamin Brantham by his Attorney Charles M. Brantham stating that he has completed

with the Order, granted at a meeting of the Justices of
the Superior Court of the County of Wilkes, on the
16th day of May 1854. Between the Honorable Benjamin
Porter, Thomas Turrell & William Sumner Esqrs as more fully
appears by the minutes of said meeting. And also that
he has complied with the Laws regulating the manage-
ment of Insolvent Debtors, and the said Benjamin
having furnished a Schedule of all his Estate real and
personal, and having taken the oath prescribed by Law
and money due appearing to the Court whereby the said
Benjamin should not be discharged.

It is Ordered that the said Benjamin Bramham be
forthwith discharged in terms of the several Acts
regulating the management of Insolvent Debtors
as soon as he delivers the property owing by the sched-
ule rendered by the said Bramham, to the Sheriff of
said County, & owing by the said Act and other pay-
ment of Jail and other fees -

Upon the Petition of Thomas Moulton stating
that he has complied with the Order granted at
a meeting of the Justices of the Superior Court of
the County of Wilkes on the 16th day of May 1854
Between the Honorable Benjamin Porter, Thomas
Turrell & William Sumner Esqrs as more fully appears
by the minutes of said meeting, And also that he
has complied with the Laws regulating the manage-
ment of Insolvent Debtors, and the said Thomas
having furnished a Schedule of all his Estate real
and personal, and having taken and subscribed the
oath prescribed by Law, and money due appearing to
the Court whereby the said Thomas should not be

discharged - It is Ordered that the said Thomas
Morgan be forthwith discharged in terms of the sur-
real Acts regulating the enlargement of Prisoners &
Debtors, as soon as he delivers the necessary agree-
ment to the Schedule Rendered by the said Thomas
to the Sheriff of said County, agreeable to said
Act and upon payment of Jail and other fees
be forthwith discharged until Thursday next then Select.

To be

Nathl. Willis Esq.

B. Porter

Wm. Sanson

J. Webster

J. Parks

Thursday August the 16th 1808.

The Honorable the Inferior Court met according
to adjournment.

Present their Honors

Benjamin Porter

William Sanson

Jonathan Webster } Justices

John Parks

Upon the Petition of Bailey Lunsford stating that he
now confined in the common Jail of Wilkes County
at the suit of William and Felix G. Clark for a sum of
money which he is unable to pay, and cannot give
Bail, and that he is willing to give up all his rights
to the said and personal for the benefit of his Creditors
and therefore prays that he may be discharged from
imprisonment, agreeably to the Laws and Constitution
of this State. Whereupon it is Ordered that the

and saying that he gave notice to his creditors
in the Law there to, to appear by their order or otherwise
at the Court House in the County of Wilkes on Saturday
the third day of October next to show cause if any
they have why the said Bailey Lunsford should not
be discharged in terms of the Act in such case made
and provided - August the 16th 1804.

Ordered that Col^o John Green, John Dyer, and James
Conthery be and they are hereby appointed commissioners
overs, being first sworn according to Law, to let the
land to be sold the building of a Bridge with the Butcher
company across Fishing Creek, near the Widow Low
Plantation, said Bridge to be let for the Term of
five years, from the time of its completion -

July for March Term 1805. out of No^o 2.

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|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. David Whitehead | 13. Aaron Moore | 35. Luke Williams |
| 2. Frederick Green | 14. Lewis Willis | 36. George Hughs |
| 3. James Gooding | 15. Tho ^s Green | 37. Elijah Coars |
| 4. Jeremiah Treg | 16. J ^r Booney | 38. Thomas Reddick |
| 5. Moses Tucker | 17. Wm Barnard | 39. Robert Hammond |
| 6. John Slack | 18. Nicholas Gibson | 40. Thomas Jackson |
| 7. Philip Howard | 19. Wm Bins | 41. Achilles Stephens |
| 8. Benjamin Milligan | 20. John Hammetton | 42. Daniel Stetham |
| 9. Buckner Benson | 21. Sam ^l Whittier | 43. Jas Green |
| 10. Jos. Pullin | 22. Anderson Wheeler | 44. The Deacon Hagan |
| 11. John Obaro | 23. Matthew Moore | 45. Wm. Fenn |
| 12. Lewis Arons | 24. Jos. Phillips | 46. Oliver Roberts |
| 13. Wm. Pullin | 25. Thomas Crain | 47. Barnes Zimmerman |
| 14. J ^r O. Hammond | 26. Bailey Lunsford | 48. Tho ^s Brown |
| 15. Tho ^s Davis | 27. Major Henderson | 49. Wm. Smith |
| 16. Matthew Watkins | 28. Henry Cooper | 50. John Minion |
| 17. Buckner Marshall | 29. Oliver Pinner | |

William & Felix Griffith

Bailey Sumford

The Defendant in this
Case having been summoned by his Bail in the first instance
came into Court and gave Andrew Buddell as his name of
friend of by the Court.

Andrew Buddell

Matthew Wilks clerk of the Inferior Court for
the County of Wilkes rendered his account of monies arising
from the sale of Strays, Towne Lands and a part of
the County Levy toward three hundred and forty four
dollars seventy nine and a half cents together with
eight dollars received as rent for the old Court House
making in the whole the sum of seven hundred and
seventy four dollars and forty three cents. A being the whole
of the money received by the said clerk from the com-
mencement of the year eighteen hundred and thirty to
the end of the said year, and at the same time his
account of the disbursement of the same amounting to the
sum of seven hundred dollars 81 1/4 cents leaving a balance
due the County of seventy three dollars sixty one and three
quarters cents. Whereupon it is ordered that the said
clerk have credit for the same (to wit) seven hundred dollars
eighty one & a quarter cents.

Ordered that the clerk of the Inferior Court apply to
Mr John Griffith to commence an action against Benjamin
Smith for monies which have been paid by the clerk
and Tax collectors over and above the amount due them
for the year.

Ordered that John Donato to give Bond with security
to the clerk of this Court for the collection of the
County Tax of 1802 & for the collection of the County
Tax of the year 1804 or the Law directs. And also that

and Darius W. of in Bond to said Clerk or Under Sheriff
for the Town of Washington & County of Wilkes -
Court adjourned untill Court in Court

Juste
Spencer Willis Clerk

B. Porter
W. Sansom
J. Webster
J. Porter

At a meeting of the Honorable Justices of the Superior
Court for the County of Wilkes on Thursday the 8th day
of September 1804.

Present their Honors

Benjamin Porter

William Sansom

Jonathan Webster

Justices -

On the petition of Lewis Viegut stating that he is
now confined in the common jail of the said County
at the suit of Prosd Taylor for the use of Absalom
Echols for a sum of money which he is unable to pay
and cannot give bail, and that he is willing to give
up all his estate both real and personal for the benefit
of his creditors he therefore prays that he may be
discharged from confinement agreeable to the Laws and
constitution of this State. The said Lewis Viegut being
brought before the Court in support of his petition
it appeared that he was confined as above stated it is
therefore ordered that the said Lewis Viegut do give notice
to his creditors as the Law directs to appear by themselves
or attorneys at the Court House in the County of Wilkes
on the 20th day of November next to show cause if any
they have why the said Lewis Viegut should not be
discharged in terms of the act of Assembly in such case
made and provided -

Juste

Spencer Willis Clerk

B. Porter
J. Webster
W. Sansom

At a meeting of the Justices of the Inferior Court for the County of Wilkes on Tuesday the 4th day of December 1804—

Present their Honors

Benja Porter
William Sansom } Justices
John Parks

Louis Picquet Petitioner for Discharge agreeably to the Act of Assembly for the relief of Insolvent Debtors, and having rendered in a Schedule of his Estate both real and personal and also having taken the oath prescribed by said Act. It is Ordered that the said Louis Picquet be forthwith discharged in pursuance of the several Acts regulating the management of Insolvent Debtors as soon as he delivers the property agreeable to the Schedule rendered by the said Louis Picquet to the Sheriff of Wilkes County agreeably to the said Acts, and upon payment of jail and other fees.

George Gray }
Wilkes County } To the Honorable the Justices of the Inferior Court of the County aforesaid—

The Petition of George Gray Humbly Sheweth that he is confined in the common Jail of Wilkes County at the instance of William W Smith, of said County for the sum of eight hundred and four ten dollars which he is unable to pay, and that your Petitioner is willing to deliver up all his estate both real and personal for the use of his Creditors, Your Petitioner therefore prays that the benefit of the Act agreeable to the seventh section of the fourth Article of the Constitution, providing for the relief and liberation of Insolvent Debtors be extended to him and your Petitioner will ever pray &c—

E H Cummings Atty
for the Petitioner

And it appearing to the Court that the said George is unable to pay. It is Ordered accordingly by that the said

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I might be given notice to his Auditor as the Law directs
to appear by themselves or Attorneys at the Court House
in the second Saturday of February 1805, to show cause
if any they have why the said Joseph should not be
discharged, in terms of the Act of Assembly in such
cases made and provided—

Court then adjourned

Teste

B. Porter

Nathl. Willis Clk. W. Samson

J. Parks

Georgia
Wilkes County

At a meeting of their Honors the
Justices of the Inferior Court of said County on Wednesday
January the 9th 1805—

Present their Honors

Benjamin Porter

John Parks

Adamson Freeman

} Justices

The Petition of Joseph Smith humbly sheweth that
he is now confined in the common Jail of said County, first
Detained by his Bail in the Case brought and presented
to Judgment in the Inferior Court of said County;
Leroy Pope vs. He. against your Petitioner, and since charged
by or with a Case. And your Petitioner further sheweth
that he is unable to pay the amount of the said Debt
by virtue of which he is detained, and that he is also willing
to deliver up all his Estate both real and personal for the
benefit of his Creditors. He therefore prays an Order
in Rule of this Honorable Court to authorize your Petitioner
to take the benefit of the several Acts of the General
Assembly, made for the benefit of Insolvent Debtors
and is in debt bound with our Prayers &c. And a motion of

30 Mr. broker Attorney for the Petitioner. It is Ordered that Monday the first day of April next be appointed for the said Joseph Smith to be brought in to court to enquire in to his insolvency the said Joseph Smith giving all his creditors lawful notice of said day. And also that a copy of this Rule be published in one of the Argonauts or Savannah Gazette at least sixty days previous to the first day of April next -

Court then adjourned -

Just

Nathl. Willis Clerk

B. Porter

J. Parker

Boiman Freeman

At a meeting of their Honors the Justices of the Inferior Court for the County of Wilkes on Saturday January the 9th 1805 -

Present their Honors

Benjamin Porter

William Sanson Esquires

John Parker

Joseph Gray Petitioner for discharge appeared to the acts of Assembly for the relief of Insolvent Debtors being brought in to court, and objections being made to the Jurisdiction of the Court the said Gray was remanded to Jail and the Court adjourned until Saturday next to hear further argument -

Just

Nathl. Willis Clerk.

Georgia }
Wilkes County } I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute all Writs, Warrants, Precepts and Process directed to me as Deputy Sheriff of the County of Wilkes and true returns make and in all other things will and truly and without malice or partiality perform the duties of the Office of Deputy Sheriff of said County during my continuance in Office. And to the

only my law full just or help me God -

Sworn to before me this
11th Day of February 1805

B. Porter J. J. B. W. C.

James M. W. York

Monday March the 4th 1805

The Honorable the Superior Court met according to adjournment and as usually to the Judiciary -

Present their Honors

Benjamin Porter

William Sanson

John Parks

James Lyman

Robert Freeman

Judges -

The Sheriff returned the following Jurors as a venire summoned to attend the Term of June or better Jurors - viz -

The venire being called the following Persons appeared and were Impaneled - viz -

131 / Mr. book Attorney for the Petitioner. It is Ordered that Monday the first day of April next be appointed for the said Joseph Smith to be brought in to Court to answer in to his involvement the said Joseph Smith giving all his creditors lawful notice of said day. And also that a copy of this Rule be published in one of the Augusta or Savannah Gazette at least sixty days previous to the first day of April next -

Court then adjourned -

B. Porter

Just

Nathl. Willis Clerk.

J. Parker

Holmes Freeman

At a meeting of their Honors the Justices of the Superior Court for the County of Wilkes on Saturday January the 9th 1805 -

Present their Honors

Benjamin Porter

William Sanson Esquires

John Parker

Joseph Gray Petitioner for discharge of surety to the acts of a surety for the relief of Insolvent debtors being brought in to Court, and objections being made to the Jurisdiction of the Court the said Gray was remanded to Jail and the Court adjourned until Saturday next to hear further argument -

Just

Nathl. Willis Clerk.

Georgia

Wilkes County

I do so solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute all writs, commands, precepts and process directed to me as Deputy Sheriff of the County of Wilkes and then return same and in all other things well and truly and without making or partaking for or for the Deities of the Office of Deputy Sheriff of said County during my continuance in Office. And to the

only my lawful just & right in God -

Sown to before me this
11th Day of February 1805

James M. W. Gatch.

B. Forten. J. B. W. C.

Georgia. } To all men Inquire the same
Webster County } of the said State Granting
We command you that of the goods & chattels of Josiah Mooner, viz (one Black Horse, one Black Man, eight head of cattle, thirty head of Hogs, three beds & furniture, all and singular the House hold and Kitchen furniture, Plantation tools, & his brother of born (cotton & cotton) if you can to be made the sum of ninety four dollars there one cent, so high is due and owing to the said John Hendrick, by virtue of a mortgage, bearing date the twenty second day of October eighteen hundred and three with the official of the said John Hendrick then in to annexed, which sum he is entitled to receive of the said Josiah Mooner, for his damages and the further sum of four dollars & fifty cents for his costs, by virtue of a writ to be made and provided, Whereof he is concerned as a creditor of the said Josiah Mooner. And that you have the said several sums of money before the justice of the Inferior Court of said County, the first Monday in August next to render to the said John Hendrick the costs and damages aforesaid & have them then this writ. Witness the Honorable

30 / Mr. Cook Attorney for the Petitioner. It is Ordered that Monday the first day of April next he is appointed for the said Joseph Smith to be brought in to answer to in person in to his insolency the said Joseph Smith giving all his creditors lawful notice of said day. And also that

Benjamin Porter Esq one of the Justices
of said Court this 30th March 1844 -
Attest: Willis Elph

(112) 11
August Term 1844
John Hunt Esq
at
Special Attorney
James B. Esq
at
at Court from
Oct 11th 1844
at Court
4:50
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Recd? the Cost of the Levy with the original Cost
Chas. W. Wellborn
at Court 1844
4:50
5:00
1:50
11:00

Particularly for the duties of the Office of Deputy Sheriff
of said County during any continuance in Office. And to the

only my lawful just & lawful God -

Summ'd to before me this
11th Day of February 1805

B. Norton J. J. B. W. C.

James M. B. J. C.

Monday March the 4th 1805

The Honorable the Superior Court met according to adjourn-
ment and as usually to the Judiciary -

Present their Honors

Benjamin Norton

William Samson

John Parker

James G. Graham

Adamson Freeman

} Judges -

The Sheriff returned the following Jurors as a venire sum-
moned to attend the Grand Jurors at this time - viz -

The venire being called the following Persons appeared and
were Impannelled - viz -

232 On the Petition of Lucy Bartlett Admin^r of Henry Bartlett
late of Wilkes County dec^d. Praying an order for the sale of
two hundred and fifty acres of Land in said County adjoining
John Taylor and Amos Waller on the waters of Pistol Creek
being part of the real estate of Henry Bartlett deceased for
the benefit of the Heirs and Creditors of said dec^d. And it
appearing to the satisfaction of this Court that a notice of
this application had been regularly and properly given in one of
the public Gazette of this State. It is therefore Ordered
that the said Admin^r proceed to sell in terms of the act in
such case made and provided—

On the Petition of Jane Bramblett Admin^r and John H. Bramblett
Admin^r to the estate of Ambrose Bramblett late of Wilkes County
deceased. Praying an order of Court for the sale of one hundred
and fifty acres of Land, in said County on the waters of Pistol
Creek adjoining John H. Bramblett, James Green and Sidney
Lybourn Land, it being a part of the real estate of said
Dec^d, for the benefit of the Heirs and Creditors of said dec^d.
and it appearing to the satisfaction of this Court that notice
of this application had been had been regularly and
properly given in one of the public Gazette of this State. It is there-
fore Ordered that the said Admin^rs proceed to sell
the same in terms of the act in such case made and provided

Thompson & Manning }

John Tool } In this case the Bail for the
Defendant came on to open Court and surrendered the Defen-
dant in discharge of his Bail Bond, Whereupon it is
ordered that the said John Tool be considered in the custody
of the Sheriff—

Ordered that Abraham Simon, George Graham & Charles Taylor
Brooks be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners
(being first sworn) To view and report to this on the next Court,
the conveniences and inconveniences that may attend the laying out of a road
the said road to run from Thomas Lee's House to said Taylor's Mill

John Turner petitions to have a small part of the Road leading from Lexington to Lexington, that lands there and Turner Land, Whereupon it is Ordered that Daniel & John Joseph Ellington & Edward Graham be and they are hereby appointed commissioners being first sworn to view and report (the conveniences and inconveniences that may attend such alteration) to this Court -

On the Petition of sundry Citizens praying an order of this Court to appoint commissioners to view and report to this Court the conveniences that would attend the altering of the Road leading from Lexington to Bluecher. The alteration to begin at the end of the Old Road to the lane, and to intersect the present Road at Bluecher station between House, or a McChesons old field? Whereupon it is Ordered that William Maury, to be selected for above Estate, John & Peter Threlkeld or any three of them be and they are hereby appointed commissioners being first sworn, to view and report (the conveniences and inconveniences that would attend the above alterations) to this Court -

Ordered that John Cook be exempted from his Poll Tax

Court adjourned until tomorrow morning ten o'clock

John	B. Porter
Matthew Wilkes	W. Sanson
	John Parker
	James Graham
	Holman Freeman

Tuesday March the 5th 1805

Court met according to adjournment

Present the Honors

Benz ⁿ Norton	} Judges
William Sanson	
James Graham	
Holman Freeman	

On the Petition of sundry Persons it is Ordered that John ...

234 Marshal Martin Nathaniel Bradford & Augustus Edwards
and they are hereby appointed commissioners being sworn
in to view and report the conveniences and inconveniences
that may attend the laying out of a Road to lead from
Nathaniel Bradford's ford on Long Creek into the Peterborough
Road, a little above Robert Leedes, and to report thereon
to this or the next Term —

Court adjourned until Monday next the 10th October —

Justs

Nathaniel Willis Esq.

B. Porter

W. Sanson

John Parker

James G. Jackson

Holman Freeman

Monday March the 11th 1805 —

Court met according to adjournment

Present the Honors

Benjamin Porter

William Sanson

John Parker

Holman Freeman

Justices

Ordered that Micajah Little John Goring Joshua Bell
Lewis Fowler & John Lynch be and they are hereby appointed
commissioners to view and report the conveniences and inconveniences
that may attend the laying out of a Road from said Little
Plantation to the Sand Hill Road being first sworn, and to
make report thereon to the next Court —

Ordered that Thomas Larkin have leave to lay out a new
Road from his House to his Mill and to keep open the
same at his own expense —

George Hammett & William Cole
Exrs of Moses Gordon decd — — —

James Briggs & John May — — —

I hereby certify that the
above is for one hundred and thirty three dollars & ninety nine
cents & no part of said

James Briggs

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Ordered that John Turner have leave to turn the Road
leading from Lyman through to Augusta, as in the case along the
line between said Turner and Josiah Ellington's Lands—

William & Felix Gilbert

Henry Aycock

1. James Brown

2. Robt Hammock

3. Matthias Mauck

4. George Lewis Stephens

5. Anderson Wheeler

6. Thos. Green

7. John Slack

8. William Hutton

9. William Binner

10. John Hammett

11. Michael Williamson

12. Charles H. Prince

we find for the Plaintiff thirty dollars fifty cents with
interest and cost—

C. H. Prince for man

Prufred Shorten

Charles Truell

I confess judgment for the sum of
ninety three dollars fifty six and a quarter cents with interest
and costs—

John Griffin atty for Def

Hammett Wilson

Duncan May

Dismissed by Plaintiff's atty—

Thompson & Manning

Isaac Withers

I confess judgment in favor
of the Plaintiff for the sum of one hundred and seventy
seven dollars & thirty five cents with interest and cost of suit
Eliza black atty Def

Thompson & Manning

Richard Manning

I confess judgment

we find for the Plaintiff thirty five dollars fifty cents with
interest and costs—

C. H. Prince for man

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William Barrett for }
 George Cook — } same jury —
 James Hammond —

We find for the Plaintiff the same with
 interest and cost of suit —
 C. D. Prince Foreman —

B. f. 167

Joshua Schapin }
 Joseph Pollard } same jury

We find for the Plaintiff for the same with
 interest and cost —
 C. D. Prince Foreman

James Prather } " } Parker Pop }	Settled	William & Felix Gilbert } " } Charles Henderson }	Settled
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William & Felix Gilbert } " } Binoni Hensford }	Settled	Felix Gilbert } " } Margaret Head }	Settled at Plaintiff's book
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John H. Dealy } Charles Truell }	Settled at Defendants cost	Charles Morgan for the use of General Gallery } " } William Evans — }	Settled
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William & Felix Gilbert } " } George Allen — }	Settled by Attorney	John Grimes } " } Peter Carr — }	Settled and cost paid to Attorney
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John & William Barrett }
 Charles Henderson — } Settled and cost paid

Court adjourned until the tomorrow morning 9 o'clock
 To be
 Nathl. Wells Clk.
 B. Porter
 W. Sanson
 John Parker

B. f. 169

B. f. 190

B. f. 172

Tuesday March the 13th 1805
Court met according to adjournment
Humble Attend Honors

Benj^r Fortin
William Sanson
Holman Trimmer
James Graham
} Justices -

169 Peter Lundy } debt.
Josiah Matton } I confess Judgment in favor of the
Plaintiff for the sum of forty dollars with the interest
and cost of suit
Jas. Cook D. Atty -

170 Solomon Thornton }
Erasmus Lundy } I confess Judgment to the
Plaintiff for the sum of sixty five dollars with the interest
and cost
Elijah Clark D. Atty

Miriam Wilkinson }
John Nelson & Daniel Clark } Deceased

Benton Williamson for
the use of Manassah Williamson }
William Lunsford } Jury A. I. sworn

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|---------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 1. James Shorter | 5. Mr. Pullin | 9. Edw. Callaway |
| 2. James Boni | 6. Archibald Stoddard | 10. John Hammett |
| 3. Tho ^s Green | 7. Robt Hammock | 11. Mr. Binn |
| 4. Jas. Black | 8. Joshua Callaway | 12. Mr. A. Wheeler |

We find for the Plaintiff thirty five dollars & fifty cents
and cost of suit - James Shorter J. C.

John Henry

John Henry Adm^r
of John Henry sh^c

} can

The parties herein to fit and defend
themselves by mutual consent, agree to refer all matters in dispute
between them to the award of Felix H. Gilbert, John C. Cross,
Nicholas Long, James Corbett & Thomas Tisell whose award on
the award of a majority of them, shall be final and conclu-
sive between the parties and be entered up as the judgment
of the next Superior Court, either party availing themselves
of this rule to give the other five days notice -

John Collier

or

Wm. Davis

} can

The parties by mutual consent agree to refer
all matters in dispute between them to the award of Felix H.
Gilbert, Justus Grimes, C. H. Prince, Thomas Tisell & James
Corbett, in whose award on a majority of them shall be
final and conclusive between the parties, and be entered up
as the judgment of next Superior Court, either party
availing themselves of this rule, to give the other five days notice

Thomas Mooring & Co^sor
Samuel Wellborn

} can

We find for the Plaintiff the sum of one dollar
minimum and he agrees with the Defendant to be
James Peter & Co.

Upon motion of George Matthews Attorney for Sally Worrie
admiratrix of Daniel Davis sh^c. It is ordered that the
said adm^r be authorized to sell that part of the Real Estate
of said Daniel consisting of a Tract of Land lying in Elbert
County on the waters of Broad River & Tallying Creek, ad-
joining to black & others, containing by estimation four
hundred and forty acres, and it appearing to the Court
that legal notice has been given for this purpose & that said
sale will be for the benefit of the said and creditors of said

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Spotts & Milligan } same Jury
Thomas Wilson }

we the Jury find for the Plaintiff the sum of sixty
one dollars twenty cents with cost of suit -

James Shorter J. M.

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Thos Stuart for James Manning }

Stephen Johnson - } I confess judgment
in favor of the Plaintiff the amount of forty Dollars
with interest & costs of suit - J. Griffin Dft. Atty -

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Thompson & Manning }

Stephen Johnson } Debt
I confess judgment in favor
of the Plaintiff the sum of thirty six dollars & sixty
one cents with interest & cost of suit -

J. Griffin J. M. Dft.

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James Manning }

George Johnson } I confess judgment in favor of the
Plaintiff for the sum of eighty seven dollars & thirty two
cents with interest and cost of suit -

J. Griffin J. M. Dft.

John Wendrich } ben. Dismiss.

Thompson & Manning }

Thomas Moringer & Co. } Appeal.
Saml. Willborn -

In this case Saml. Willborn came forward and
gave an appeal which was granted and gave John
Bailey and John Will security for procuring the
to effect and paying the eventual condemnation
money if any
Saml. Willborn
John Bailey
John Will

240 Martin Throck

Josiah Callaway

Plaintiff vs. Defendants

1. Nathan Carter

2. Richd. Bennett

3. John Decker

4. Valentine Throck

vs. the Jurors for the Defendant

I am jury as the last of which Micajah Williamson & Josiah Morrow in the State of Josiah Callaway & Edward Callaway

Defendants Micajah

1. Edward Callaway 5. Micajah Williamson

2. Josiah Callaway 6. James Horton

3. George Bennett of John Barker

4. Mary Bennett 8. Robt. Williamson

James Horton F.M.

John Leonard Minor & Orphan of Thomas Leonard being of the age beyond his Law. came into Court and made oath of Major Henderson as his Guardian. Whereupon it is Ordered that the said Major Henderson enter into Bond with Joseph Henderson for the faithful performance of his Guardianship.

Ann Brinck

Debt.

Philip Thurmond summons

Obligee of F. P. Thurmond

In this case the Bail for the Defendant come into open Court, and surrendered the Defendant in discharge of their Bail Bond. Whereupon it is Ordered that the said Defendant Philip Thurmond be committed in the custody of the Sheriff.

On motion of Mr. Cook Attorney for the Defendant on the above case it is Ordered that he be discharged from confinement, the Plaintiff being out of the Courts and her Attorney refusing to give security for the Bail for and the maintenance of said Defendant.

Robt. Williamson for the
Use of Micajah Williamson

William Lunsford

I am for ward and give
Joseph Henderson full security for the stay of execution in
the above case. Test. Josiah Morrow & Joseph Henderson

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Ordered that John Parks, Charles Carter, John Wingfield
standing before, and William Insell or any three of them
be and they are hereby appointed commissioners being sworn
to view and report the conveniences and inconveniences
that may attend clearing out the old Road, leading from Beck
in Stone to Smyrna Meeting House, from where it
intersects the Wrightsborough Road, to the Point
Road leading from said Stone to the said Meeting House

Given at Savannah on the tomorrow morning 9th Oct 1805

Just
By the Court

B. Porter
W. Sanson
James Graham

Wednesday March the 13th 1805

The Honorable the Superior Court met according
to adjournment

Present the Honors

Bingie Porter

William Sanson

Edmon Freeman

James Graham

} Justices

Ordered that Boling Johnson son of Nancy Johnson now
nine years and six months old be bound to George Chappin
to learn the trade of a carriage maker until he arrives to
the age of twenty one year in terms of the act in such
cases made and provided and agreeable to the standing order
of this Court respecting Apprentices.

On the Petition of Major Anderson stating that he was
proprietor of an Insurrection in writing in the following words
viz. I promise to pay James Gray thirty four dollars six pence
and one half cents, by him from under my hand January 1803
To be paid the first day of November - Thos. Jones Esq

State of Georgia
Wilkes County

Personally came before me Major Anderson

43/ and after being duly sworn deponent and saith that
the above note is a true copy or near as can be stated
is written lost or destroyed so that it cannot be seen at
Loom to be for me
this 4th March 1805

Mag. Henderson

John Patterson J. P.

It is Ordered that a notice of the said note be
published in terms of the Act in such cases made and
provided, in the said Major Henderson's notice being a notice
or otherwise required, and for the sake of six months the in case
of the Public by agents of this State in any case shall
be shown to the Court as then the said six months
or other matter shall be heard to the Court against
the same.

On the Petition of the Bureau of the Bureau of the Bureau
Sister Maria de la, praying an order of the Court for the sale
of the Tract of Land where the said Sister de la should be sold to
contain three hundred and thirty acres, to be sold more or
less, adjoining same, and Thomas Wingfield being the owner
of the said Tract of Land of said de la for the benefit of the said Sister
of said de la. And it appearing to the satisfaction of the
Court that a notice of this application had been regularly
adverted in one of the Public by agents of this State, this
therefore Ordered that the said de la should be sold the same
in terms of the Act of Assembly in such cases made and
provided.

Polley Walker orphan of John Walker de la being of age to
show her Guardian came in to Court and made choice of
Lewis G. Luge as her Guardian who was approved of by the
Court. Ordered that said Lewis G. Luge give bond with Mr
Luce by good security in the sum of two thousand dollars
for his faithful performance as Guardian.

Ordered that the said Lewis G. Luge be appointed Guardian

to Joseph Samuel and Letitia Walker, Orphans and Heirs
of the said Jesse Walker decd. and that he give bond in
the sum of two thousand dollars with William G. Gilbreath
surety for the performance of his guardianship -

On the Relation of Joseph B. Hornum stating that he was
refused a Bond executed by Bernard Thilly to a certain
John Turner to make good and official. After a Trace of
said document of which is contained in the copy of said
Bond and that the same is lost or destroyed so that he
cannot find the same. Called in mention of E. H. Cummings
that the same Bond is contained in Turner's letter to
himself under the heading "Bonds" (copy of the Bond)
I have now my Bond and have refused to give the
note in to John Turner good and official to the to a Trace
on Turner one hundred and thirty one as per bond in Micks
book to on the letter of said book. Agreeing to fully
said on to the said John to Bernard Thilly. In testimony
whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal 15th Oct 1802
Bernard Thilly (H)

Came into the house, found a B. in the house and being chiefly
seen with it with a horse. Collected as many as she can
collect of a B. in which is better as they are, so that this
of them is more of the same.
From the house, Collected
1st 13th March 1805--

John G. Miller & Co.

Royal Arms }
John Phillips

Examination had on our negro Woman by the name of
Fanny, and two Children which are claimed by James H.
whereupon the following Jury were sworn (same continued)

George Johnson & Attachments. Jury of 1. sworn
John "Tunnell"

1. James Shorter 5. Stephen Martin 9. John L. Cross
2. Matthew Maule 6. J. P. Morrow 10. Charles Truitt
3. John Green 7. Wm. Wiley 11. Hiram Bankson
4. Asa Baker 8. John H. Wiley 12. John Leonard

We the Jurors find for the Plaintiff in the above
with cost and interest James Shorter & Co.

By consent of Parties it is ordered that the testimony
of Charles L. Cross in the case of Royal v. Cross & Sons
& Co. be taken by Indagatoria de Bene & Malice, upon
the usual notice of ten days being given to the other parties.

Ordered that the following jurors be and they are hereby appointed
to be sworn for the following districts, viz:
George L. Hall for Capt. Charles Truitt District
Richard W. Hays for Capt. Hiram Bankson District
Philip Jones for Capt. James Shorter District
William Baker for Capt. Cross District
William Parker for Capt. Leonard District

Ordered that the old road leading from Boobers Store to
Smyrna Meeting House be opened from when it intersects
the Wrightsborough Road to the said Boobers Store and
Meeting House -

to be closed again until tomorrow morning at 6 o'clock.

Test
Nathan Willis Clk.

W. Porter
W. Sanson
John Parks
James Graham

Thursday March the 14th 1805

Court met according to adjournment

Present their Honors

Benja. Foster

Mr. Sanson

James Gresham

John Parks

Judges

John McLeod

Settled at Plaintiffs cost

Henry Moody & James Ford

John Hunter In case of Estate of Thomas

Settled

Elizabeth Floyd

George Walton Esq.
of John C. Walton

Dismissed

James H. Hilditch

William W. Smith

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William Carr

Dismissed

Stephen Morgan

Settled

Robert Thurman

James Bratton

Settled

Robert Hughes

at
Deft. cost

Ordered that the Clerk of the Superior Court pay to Sarah
Willhouse the sum of Three hundred and fifty nine cents & 3/4
out of monies arising from fines imposed by said Court

On the Petition of Maria Wilson widow of Andrew Wilson
stating that she was possessed of an Instrument in writing
in the following words viz. Know all Men by these presents
that I Benjamin Hill and Betsey his wife have devised
Lands, stocks and other articles in full of all that we
are obliged to receive of the Estate of Andrew Wilson
Signed and attested

Benja. Hill

in presence of

Saml. Wingfield

Owen H. Mudge

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Wilkes County Martha Wilson came in to open court
& made oath that she found among the papers of Andrew
Wilson her deceased husband, a note given by Benjamin
Bill to the said Andrew in his life time of which the
amount is a copy or near as she can now recollect &
that she has sold the said note to her
sister to in open court.

Martha & Wilson
March

13th March 1805----

Nathan Willis Clerk.

Whereupon it is ordered that a note be given to the
said sister to by the said note should not be taken
in terms of the law in such case made and provided—

Ordered that a Tax be levied on the County of Wilkes for the
sum of one year (1805) for the Court House and Jail, the poor
Bridges &c &c. equal to one fourth of the General Tax, And that an
additional Tax of one eighth of the general Tax be levied for
paying for the Bills Commissions and Clerks &c &c

England Wingfield for Mrs. Mary Foster widow of John Foster
Foster late Tax collector for the County of Wilkes for the years
1796. 1797. 1798. & 1799. came forward and made a settle-
ment with the Court, on which settlement said Foster appears
to be in arrears. The sum of one hundred and twenty eight dollars
and thirty two & a half cents, which sum the said Wingfield
paid to the Clerk of the said Court in full for said Foster
collections for the aforesaid years

Ordered that the Clerk issue execution against John Darnest
Collector of the County Tax for the year 1802. after the expiration
of twenty days from this date, if the said collection does not
bring in to the hands of the Clerk of this Court, the balance
due for the year aforesaid—

Court adjourned until the Court in Court—

Teste

Nathan Willis Clerk.

B. Foster

W. Sanner

John Parks

James L. Smith

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At a Meeting of their Honors the Justices of the Inferior
Court for the County of Wilkes, on Wednesday May the 8th 1805
Present their Honors

Benjamin Porter
William Sanson
John Parks } Justices

The Petition of Francis Willis Humbly sheweth that he is now
confined in the common Jail of Wilkes County at the suit of
Philip H. Gilbert, Ward of the estate of Jacob H. Bay on the
sum of six hundred dollars besides In Debt, so that sum he is unable
to pay and that he is willing to deliver up all his estate both
real and personal for the benefit of his creditors and prays that
he may have the benefit of the Insolvent Act extended to him

Francis Willis
May the 8th 1805—

Wherefore it is ordered that the said Francis Willis do give notice
to his Creditors as the Law directs, to appear by themselves or
attornies at the Court then in said County of Wilkes on the
Friday the first day of August next, to show cause if any
they have in the said Francis Willis should not be discharged
in virtue of the act of Assembly in such case made and passed

Teste
At a Th. C. Willis Clerk. B. Porter
John Parks
W Sanson

Thursday May the 9th 1805—

May shown for August Term next in pursuance of their
Honors —

Benjamin Porter
John Parks
Herman Sumner } Judges

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| 1. Thomas Worthington | 4. Price Owen | 7. James Furman |
| 2. James Jack | 5. Benjamin Hill | 8. John Miller |
| 3. Dancy Williams | 6. Shelton Williamson | 9. Josiah Suddeth |

10. George Billingham
 11. George Goodwin
 12. William Whetman
 13. Lettison Taylor
 14. Owen Holliday
 15. David Ruple
 16. Joseph Walker
 17. Augustin Edwards
 18. Thomas Bridges
 19. John L. Hunt
 20. Robert Morrow
 21. Jeremiah Hawies
 22. Luke John Morgan
 23. Gustavus Cook

24. Charles Smith
 25. Lewis Norman
 26. John Houghly
 27. Stephen Brown
 28. Beel Butler
 29. William Grant
 30. William Calloway
 31. Joshua Agee
 32. William Bin
 33. Abraham Webb
 34. Solomon Yammage
 35. William West
 36. James Walker
 37. Isaac Tye

38. John Landrum
 39. Wylie Saxon
 40. Saml. Willis
 41. Philip Smith
 42. Robert Senior
 43. Solomon Thornton Jr.
 44. Nathan Mills
 45. William Fann
 46. William Cornwell
 47. Spencer Thomas
 48. Joseph Liveritt
 49. John Gibson
 50. Matthias Hoff

John

B. Porter

Spencer Willis Clerk.

John Parks

Solomon Freeman

At a meeting of their Honors the Justices of the Superior Court for the County of Wilkes, Thursday August the first 1805—

Present their Honors

Ben. Porter

Wm. Sanborn

Solomon Freeman

} Esqs.

Col^o Francis Willis who was brought before the Court on Monday May the eighth 1805. Praying to be released from his confinement and it appearing to the Court that the said Francis is legally confined by the Order of this Court, at the suit of the County of St. Mary del^o. And it also appearing to the Court by the oath of sd. Francis Willis that the said Francis has given legal notice to his creditors, and no person gaining the obedience of the said Francis, he the said Francis is permitted to take and subscribe the following oath, We for a Schedule stating that he is not possessed of any property—

I Francis Willis do solemnly swear in the presence of Almighty

William Coats
 " " } Jury of 12 Jurors
 Elijah Reynolds

Plaintiff vs. Mr. McLean, Jas. Ford, Deft. vs. Tanning Robinson
 1. Augustus Edwards 5. Solomon Thornton for q. John Lumbley
 2. William Callaway 6. John Huggins 10. Jeremiah Larrison
 3. Sam. H. Hickey 7. Joseph Walker 11. William Overstreet
 4. Philip Coates 8. Josiah Sawyer 12. Luke John Morgan
 We find for the Defendant bond of suit
 & Edwards Forman.

Lee Atkins Orphan of late Atkins late of Wilkes County dec.
 Being of the age required by Law to choose his Guardian came
 into Court and made choice of his Brother late Atkins as his
 Guardian as he was a friend of his the Court —

Whereupon it is Ordered that the said late Atkins give his
 Bond with Wagon Howard and William Lumsford security in the sum
 of five hundred dollars for the faithful performance of his duties
 as such —

Leahon Jones	} I find	In Accordance with the order of the Court	} Case	B. p. 183
David McLean		Thompson Coleman		
		I certify Judgment for the sum of one thousand & 500 dollars with interest and Cost of suit with stay of execution till 1st of Nov. and give William Martin security for the payment of the money 5th August 1808 Thompson Coleman Judgment		
John Williams Son of Richard White dec.	} I find	Same Jury as the last of which the Court		
Josiah Watton		McLean in the sum of Augustus Edwards —		

Plaintiff vs. John Wise, John Callaway
 We the Jury find for the Plaintiff money from debtors money
 seven dollars fifty three & a half cents with cost of suit
 Wm Callaway Forman.

On the Petition of Lenna River Decent of the Estate of Wyatt the River
 late of Wilkes County dec. Praying in view of this Court for
 the sale of one undivided moiety or half part of the mill sit
 on Fishing Creek late the property of said dec. Including the
 Land lying between the said creek and the fencing from where the
 present corner strikes the mill pond at high-water mark
 and shows the said fencing across the land to afford a large

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