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Order? that James Caddle shoud be exempted from paying a Poll Tax for the year 1786.

Thomas Graham was sworn to attend on the Grand Jury this Term.

Order? that Nathan Smith be Appointed Overseer of the road in the room of Geo Brogesselle the ensuing year.

Order? that William Davis Apphan of — be bound unto Hardy Davis to learn the Trade of Weaver untill he comes to lawfull age he being now adjudged to be nine years of age.

Order? that James Hill be exempted from paying a Poll Tax for the year 1786.

A Deed from John Peterson to John Michens duly proved by the Oaths of John Waiganeer and Order? to be registered.

A Deed from Peter Blue and wife to John Washon was duly proved in Open Court by the Oaths of Walter McNeil and Order? to be registered.

A Bill of Sale from Catharine Black to John Black was duly Acknowledged in Open Court and Order? to be registered.

A Deed from Archibald Black and Catharine Black was duly Acknowledged in Open Court and Order? to be registered. — Archibald Black

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A Deed from Archibald Black and Catharine Black was duly Acknowledged in Open Court by Archibald Black and Order? to be registered.

A Bill of Sale from Jacob Mathen to John Gatten was duly proved in Open Court by the Oaths of John Dunlop and Order? to be registered.

A Deed from Archibald Black and Catharine Black to Archibald Black was duly Acknowledged in Open Court and Order? to be registered.

Open Court Adjourns? till tomorrow 9 o'clock.

Tuesday 27th Next Adjourns? to Adjourns?

Present?

John Cox

John Jackson { Justice

William Barrett.

Order? that Findly McDaniel be Appointed Overseer of the road in the room of John Black the ensuing year &c.

Order? that Christy? You be Appointed Overseer of the road in the room of Peter Sumburger the ensuing year, &c.

James Caddle son

vs
Denise Jones { Love Plea Gentleman

Jury sworn to wit, James Muro, Peter Sumburger, John Maden, John McBoty, Findly McDaniel, Archibald Black, James Peterson, Isaac Niclen, John Blue, David Richardson, Henry Long and Geo. Graham, and Verdict for Plaintiff - 7 - 5 - 11.

A Deed from John Pate to David Lewis was duly proved in Open Court by the Oaths of Henry Long and Order? to be registered.

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A Bill of Sale from Abner Sanderson to Abner Chapman duly
proved in Open Court by the Oath of John W. Dugan & C. D. to be
valid.

Order that John Cottle have leave to have an Order for his Attendance
on the Jury or in running the County line he have lost the former one

Order that John Cottle be appointed Overseer of the road on the corner
of the Long the ensuing year &c.

7709. John Bonanza { Case Plea Gen^l issue
Jesse Miles -
Jury sworn to wit, William Cole Sen. John Cottle, Sam^l Jackson
Amos Chubb, John Black, Matthew Cogger, Henry Stephens the
Nephew, Jesse Miller, John Burton Sen. Ralph Davis the
Collins Sen. and paid for the Defendants

Order that the same Jury which was last Court appointed to lay
out a Road from Moore Court House to Chatham County line to
cross the Galph on Deep River be left to the said Jurors to lay out
the best and convenient way and make report to the next Court
accordingly

Then Court Adjourns till Tomorrow 9 O'clock

Wednesday 22^d Next Reading to adjourn

Present
John Jackson
William Meers { Justices
William Barrett

Order that Owen Colchester be excused from buying a Poll
tax for the year 1786

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James Abbotson former Clerk of this Court came into Court and
acknowledged that he received the fees in the following suits
to wit Phill^l Abbotson vs William Harvey - James vs William Patten
James vs Em^l and William Hodges and gave a receipt dated May
15th 86 - The same written by Nathaniel Wood and signed by said Abbotson Aug²³ 1786

Agreeable to an Order of last Court to lay out a road from surrounding
Couch see Order that the same be done and that Peter Blue be App^l
ointed Overseer of the same and all the lands contiguous thereto
with in the same

A Deed from Nathan Smith to Lawson Melton duly proved in Open
Court by the Oath of Jesse Brown and Order to be registered

7710. Rick^l Whiston { 1000 Plea Gen^l issue
Matthew Davis
Following Jury sworn to wit
Samuel Napier, John Martin, Shilka Jackson, the Collins Sen.

John Nelson, Chas Sheering, John Blue, Leonard Burr, Amos
Chubb, Peter Sumbugger, James Moore, & William Dean and
paid for the Plaintiff of 10 - the Defendants being aid App^led on filed
vernon, and granted him the giving Ralph Davis and the Nephew
surety &c

A Deed from Lawrence Patten to William Patten duly proved
in Open Court by the Oath of Matthew Patten and Order to be
registered

7711. Order that ^{Amos} Robert Petherson and Robert Brouder be excused from
buying a Poll tax for the year 1786

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Order? that John McDaniel be exempted from paying a Poll Tax for the year 1786 -

Order? that John Penning be allow'd an Indentment for Henry Poffey

Order? that the County Surveyor Survey John Poy's land adjacent to Platt and make return to next Court &c

Jack Madlen
Jacob Darden
Jury sworn to wit - John Deloympfle, Stephen Cato, John Martin, Archibald Deloympfle, Jacob Garter, Zach^o ~~Stewart~~, William ~~Stewart~~, Puckin Childs, Geo. Graham, Shadrich. Elhens, Wm. Miller, John Davis, and find for the Plaintiff £20 - - - & Cost - - -

Order? that Bedoncoe Prolocution issue to layme Cooney to take the Deposition of John Hance in the suit John Caddle vs. John Hance in the behalf of Defendant?

Order? that Bedoncoe Prolocution issue to take the Deposition of John Caddle vs. in the suit John Caddle vs. John Hance in the behalf of the Plaintiff -

Order? that Henry Lyvon be Appointed Overseer of the road in the room of John the Lyvon the ensuing year - and that he keep the same in good repair -

Order? that the Order be allow'd the different Persons for Apportioning in running the County line be allow'd the same only allow'd half pay &c - ~~hereafter~~ -

Order? that the road to be laid out beginning at Morgans Mill both end thence to Morgans Mill into the old garden road be run?

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Order? that Archibald Johnson be allow'd four pounds for his services in running the County line and that the Sheriff pay the same -

Order? that the Sheriff be allow'd four pounds for his services in running the County line and that the Sheriff pay the same -

Order? that James Matthews be allow'd four pounds for apportioning in running the County line and that the Sheriff pay the same -

Order? that John Matthews be allow'd two pounds fifteen shillings for apportioning in running the County line and that the Sheriff pay the same -

Order? that James Matthews be allow'd three pounds twelve shillings for apportioning in running the County line and that the Sheriff pay the same -

Order? that John Overton, the Overton, William Overton and John Overton be appointed to lay off and divide the estate of Matthew Johnson

Dee 2 between Mary Johnson and Catherine Johnson children of the Deed, and Sarah Johnson widow of said Matthew both sole and jointly that is the lands, goods and Chattels all the Estates now in possession of the widow or any other Person that can be hold to be produced at the day appointed for the Division? &c -

Henry Caddle
Solomon Cox
{ JWA Plea Gen^l issue &c

Jury sworn as No 11 - and find for the Defendant,

Order? that every Person who shall produce a certificate of killing an old wolf off - young ones of and wild Cats &c for the year 1786 -

Order that the Collectors collect the taxes on every town and two towns on each Hundred town of land to repay the same of the roads &c for the year 1796

A Mortgage from Bennett Brownson to James Green that day was duly brod in Open Court by the Oath of Geo. Glover and Peter the const

A Deed from Tophy Butler and wife to Nathaniel Green was duly brod in Open Court by the Oath of William Durr and Peter the const

A Deed from Isaac Saunders to Lewis Small was duly brod in Open Court by the Oath of William Durr and Peter the const

A Bill of Sale from Colene Hardy to the Maples was duly ad. brod in Open Court and Peter to be recorded

Open Court adjourns till tomorrow 9 O'clock

Thursday the 22nd recording day

Present

- William Moore
- John Matthews
- Thos Cornhill

Order that the Sheriff sell the lands agreeable to the return of the defendants officers &c

Order that Nathaniel Petty be appointed Overseer of the road from Moore Court House to the town Centre line and that he open the same agreeable to the report of the surveyors who are appointed to lay out the same and that all the lands contiguous thereto sit in chain the said road &c

1706 The State
 Griggle Cornhill { Pitt Lodging }
 James Brown to Peter Sumner, William P. B. B. B.
 William Hayden et al, the Collins, John W. W. W., John Miller -
 Eliza Jackson, John Codd, King, Mathias, James Madock -
 Russell Mohler, Archd? Deloy, & the, the W. W. W. by order
 of the Court - Tax given

1707 The State { Pitt Lodging }
 John Hayden
 James Sumner et al of the W. W. W. by order of the Court

1708 The State { Assault }
 Colene Hardy
 James Sumner et al of the W. W. W. in the room of King
 Stephens Plea with reason against verdict and fine &c

Order that the same as the day be executed from here on as date for the year 1796

A Deed from William Durr to John Moore was duly brod in Open Court by the Oath of John Moore and Peter the const

1709 Isaac Burgley { Oath }
 the Burgley
 James Sumner et al of the W. W. W. in the room of Peter Sumner
 and Appt the W. W. W. to 230

Richardson Fingers Supremacy into Court and was duly brod by an Sheriff Altd Corridore Durr his Deputy he giving John Cox William Barrett and John Jackson duty for his own

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performance in Office Also his duty on a Warrant for the recovery of Public Money into the Revenue Office

Order that Richardson Tregon have leave to estate liquors and have leave at his dwelling house he giving William Mann Security according to Law

Order that Mr Graham be allowed One hour and twelve shillings for four days attendance on the Grand Jury this Term

Order that Daniel McIntosh and Duncan McIntosh be exempted from paying a Poll Tax for the year 1786

A Decree from William Tregon to take leave and pay his debt in the Court by the Oath of some sure and Order to be executed

Order that the Sheriff summon the following persons to lay out a road the best and most convenient way from John Manns to Moore Court House and from thence to Deep river road called

Dunham's back to wit the Messrs. David Ladd, Mr. John Caddle, John Black, Mr. Kay, Mr. Kay, David McMillan, Bennett, Solomon Cox, William Key, Mr. Solomon Blackwell

Daniel McQueen John Cox and Duncan Patterson and that any further order report to next Court

Order that James Mann be appointed Overseer of the road in the town of John Manns the ensuing year &c

Order that the Sheriff summon the following persons to attend next Warrington with Court as Jurors to wit Peter Black the Carrall William Mann and Masters which

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Order that the Sheriff summon the following persons to attend next Court as Jurors to wit, William Williams, John Morgan, Nathan Smith, James Ladd, Abner Jones, John Shuffler, Peter Johnston, John Richard, John Cole, James Middle, James Key, Daniel McLean, Duncan Patterson, Patrick Blair, John Lawson, Daniel Monk, Mr. Cole, William Kemmer, Abner Anthony, William Gilbreath, Abner Mattson, William Dickerson, James Madock, Mr. Condy, Norman Miller, Archibald Dean, Daniel Miller, Mr. Lyson, Abner Chalmers and Ben Lyson

Proclamation being made for Collectors to come in office for the duties and some other

Order that Mr Collins be appointed Overseer of the road in the town of Mr. Staples the ensuing year

Order that Richardson Tregon have leave to take leave for summing up this Term to lay out roads &c

Order that Geo. Glasgow be allowed two hours and eight shillings for bonds removed out of his Office

Order that one shilling on every Poll and four pence on every Hundred Acre of land in the County be for the year 1786

Then Court Adjourn till Court in Course

Test Geo. Glasgow Clerk

November 22 - 1826

At a Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions begun and held for the County of Mecklenburg at the Court House therein on the third Monday in November being the twentieth day of the said month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty six and in the year Eleventh year of American Independence

Present

John Jackson Esq

Court adjourned till tomorrow at 10 o'clock

Tuesday 21

Met according to adjournment

Present

Wm Matthews

John Jackson Esq

William Barrott

- James Piddle - Joseph Davis - Henry Garrison
- Lewis Sewell - Samuel Pollock - John Shepard
- Daniel McLeod - Mr. Williams - Norman Wilson
- Walter Smith - Room Comer - John Shuffler
- Alfred Cantory - John Cole - In all 15

Charges and return

Richard Kern sworn to attend this Court as Jury

John Cook Esq came into Court and was duly qualified as a practicing Attorney for this County

Order that the land attached by John Henry be sold by the sheriff agreeable to the return made

Order that the land attached by John Quarters be sold by the sheriff agreeable to the return made

William Barrott Esq came into Court and entered himself as a juror & he and Nathan Barrott and George Barrott of the County of Mecklenburg were sworn to attend this Court as Jury

Agreeable to Order of last Court to lay out a road beginning at the Mill both and thence to Morgan Hill into the old garden road be a road and that all the hands which formerly worked on the old road work on the same and assist to open the said road and that the former Overseer be still continued

Order that all the hands from John McGarty's land be by the garden road and crossing creek by the County line leading towards Fayetteville work on the said road

Order that Robert Davis be appointed Overseer of the road in the room of James Moore the ensuing year and that he keep the same in good repair

Mary Sewell
William Coddie

Jury sworn to wit: Miller Dickerson, John Cole, John Connor, Nathan Davis, John Coker, John Drum, Donald McQueen, John Black, James Moore, Murdoch Beaton, Robert Davis and Hardy Davis and Alfred McIntyre sworn to 20 - 10 - & Co Court

A Deed from John McRitch to John Low was duly proved in Open Court by the Oath of John Shiffers and Bond to be registered

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A Deed from William Stoud to Johnny Patten was duly
proved in Chancery by the affirmation of Chas White and
Ces^r to be executed

A Deed from William Gardner and wife to Leonard Coyle
was duly proved in Chancery by the Oaths of Nathan Smith and
Ces^r to be executed

A Deed from John Boston to William England was duly proved
in Chancery by the Oaths of John Williams Esq and Ces^r to be
executed

A Deed from Matthias Davis & Nethel Davis was duly proved
in Chancery by the Oaths of John Agoston and Ces^r to be
executed

A Deed from some to some duly proved by some and Ces^r
to be executed

A Deed from some to some duly proved by some and Ces^r
to be executed

A Bill of Sale from the Trade to the Trade duly proved in
Chancery and Ces^r to be recorded

An Indenture from Matthias Lester to Simon Hart and others
duly proved in Chancery by the Oaths of Henry Stewart and Ces^r
to be recorded

This Court Adjourns till tomorrow 9 o'clock -
Wednesday 22nd - Next Accordingly

John Cox
John Jackson { Justice
Chas Campbell

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Order that George Corwin be exempted from paying a
Poll Tax for the year 1781

Order that John Dutton and Robert Cheek and Geo Glover
be appointed to lay off and divide the lot of some Mrs Dutton
to Charity Mrs his wife and that she be allowed one third of the
said lot as her Dowry according to the Inventory returned into Chancery
and sent to

Order that Alice & Anthony be exempted from paying a Poll
Tax for the year 1781

Mary Sewell
James Cattle { Genl Esq
Jury sworn to wit, James Watson, John Agoston, John
Blanchett, John Ray, Jacob Smith, William Cox, John Cole
John Black, Robert Davis, Arch^d Gentry, Abraham Cole
and the Jury - And a Verdict withdrawn

Order that John Henry be exempted from paying a Poll Tax
for the year 1781

Order that William Payne be exempted from paying a Poll Tax
for the year 1781

Admonestation on the Estate of Chas Sheering Esq granted
to Elizabeth Sheering she giving bond with Willis Dickerson and
James Allen & security in five hundred pounds and she was duly
sworn to accordingly

Order that John Blanchett be exempted from paying a Poll
Tax for the year 1781

William Cole { Genl Esq
Collins Hardy Combr of John Watson Esq
Jury sworn to wit John Deane, John Dutton, John

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John Delany, Sam^l Dunn, Nathl Davis, Hannah Mopley, Josiah Mopley, Geo: King, Jesse Mure, James Moore, William Lague, and John Caddle and find for defend^r Robert -

Order that William Keogley be appointed Receiver of the road which was lately laid out from Jesse Mure to Stone Coat House and from thence to Duthome's Creek &c and that the following, hands assist in opening the said road to wit John Keogley King King, Sam^l Caddle, Jas, Jesse Mure, Alex^r Melous, Neil McLeod, James Mure - Hyman Hill, Jos^{ph} Mure, Benj Caddle and Daniel Caddle -

No. 14. Sam^l Caddle
Nich^l Whitson { Gen^l in specie
Jury sworn to wit, John Dunlap, Jos^{ph} Dunin John Delany, Sam^l Dunn, Nathl Davis, Hannah Mopley -
Gaska Smith, Geo: King, Jesse Mure, James Moore, William Lague, Josiah Mopley and find for the Plaintiff &c - and so -

Order that John Delany be empowered to collect the ~~tax~~ ~~rate~~ for the year of 85 in district No 1 -

Order that Stephen King committed to the stocks for half an hour for contumacy offer^d to the Court &c,

A Deed from Levi Campbell to Danvers McEver was duly bro^d in Chancery Court by the Oath of Levi Campbell Esq and Order to be register^d -

A Deed from Matthews Campbell to John McEver was duly bro^d in Chancery Court by the Oath of Levi Campbell Esq and Order to be register^d -

A Deed from John Maden to Jacob Garter was duly bro^d in Chancery Court by the Oath of Henry Garter and Order to be register^d -

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A Deed from John Harrington and wife to Robert Cullile was duly bro^d in Chancery Court by the Oath of John Delany and Order to be register^d -

A Mortgage from Jacob and Colene Hardy to Lewis Howell was duly bro^d in Chancery Court by the Oath of Nathl Davis and Order to be register^d -

Order that the Clerk be allow^d one pound four shillings for three days attendance on the Grand Jury this Term &c -

Then Court adjourn^d till tomorrow 9 o'clock -

Thursday 29th Month December

Present

William Mure
John Jackson
William Barrett

Order that the Sheriff summon a Jury of 2000 and lawful men to try the title of a certain tract of land in dispute between John King and Harshah Weston and also to have the County Surveyor present to run out the land according to plat and create what to the next Court &c -

Order that Debenue's protestation be upon to take the deposition of Christopher Petty in the said South Johnston against the Defendant &c -

No. 15 - James Williams
Jury sworn to wit Benj^l Mather, William Lague, Hannah Mopley, Sam^l Dunn, Willie Dickson, Josiah Mopley, Gaska Smith, John Black, Geo: King, Harshah Weston, and find for Plaintiff &c -

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M⁶ James Williams } Debt
or
Williams Hurdens }
Same Jury as M⁵ and find for the Plaintiff & s^{ty}
Execution till next Court -

W^g Consett Will } Debt
Geo^o Meloon
Same Jury as M⁶ and find for Defendant -

Order that the Sheriff summon the following persons to
Attend next Court as Jurors to wit: Archibald Roy, Daniel
McLain, Archibald Cloth, Archibald Black, John Blair, James
Morgan, Peter Shumburger, Zach^o Smith, John Kay, John
Dunn Huffer, William Dunn, Mordach Weston, Abner
Chalmers, Henry Morris, William Smith, Major Blair
Duncan Blair Esq^r, Duncan Blair Esq^r, Kenneth McKernan
James Dunn, Robert Patterson, John Kay, Jacob Thell
Edward Mose, William Bertram, Anthony Shield
Bany Shields, Robert Cheek, Nathaniel Dunn, John
Henry Nicholas Newton and Samuel Nibler -

Order that the Sheriff sell the land attached by Johnstone
Elliot and make report to next Court -

Order that December 1st 1781 issue to Virginia & the
the Deposition of Lockhart in the case William Wilson
against John Goldston on the behalf of the Bail see

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Order that Friedrich Moritz be appointed Overseer of the
road from Cumberland County line to the head of Little Bushy
Creek the ensuing year & -

Order that Philip Johnston be appointed Overseer of the
road from the head of Little Bushy Creek to Chatham County line
the ensuing year & -

Chas Campbell
Signed the Doct^r's
Court Adjourn till next in Court -
William Moss - Johnston
John Jackson

[Large handwritten signature]
Co: Clerk of the Court