

State of North Carolina

At a Court of Pleas and quarter Sessions begun and held for the County of Moore at the dwelling House of Alexander Pickens within the lines of the aforesaid County being the first Meeting of the said Court the same being Agreed to by an Act of General Assembly made and provided for that purpose On the third Monday in August being the thirtieth day of the Month and in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty four and in the Ninth Year of American Independence =

The following being first duly qualified to constitute the said Court to wit

Thomas Matthews	William Leas
Richardson Feagun	John Rotten
William Sogger	Chas Cropper
Philo Alston	William Barrett

Then took their Oaths according and proceeded to business

Ordered that John Gilmore be appointed Constable for said County and was qualified accordingly

Then Court Adjourned till tomorrow 10 O Clock

~~Monday~~ August 17th 1782
 Mett according to Adjournment
 Present—

William Lee Appointed Chairmen
 John Robertson
 Philo Alston Justice —
 Chas Crofford
 William Scaggen

Court then proceeded to appoint a Clerk Philo Alston Esq being
 Unanimously Chosen was duly qualified and entered into Bonds w
 John Robertson and Chas Crofford Esq. Security, agreeable to law —

The said Alston then recommended George Glascock to act as Deput
 Clerk who was unanimously accepted of by the Court and directed to take
 his seat for that purpose —

Court then proceeded to appoint a Sheriff Proclamations being
 the following persons offer^{themselves} and Poll taken? —

Poll
 for
 Sheriff —

Mr. Lee	Mr. Robertson	Mr. Alston	Mr. Crofford	Mr. Scaggen
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Sheriff Chosen —

Tuesday August 17th 1782

William Scaggen Esq being chosen Sheriff entered into Bond
 with John Robertson and Chas Crofford Esq. Security
 and was qualified accordingly —

Order? that the Sheriff summons the following persons to shap
 attend the Poll of next Election for this County (To wit) Daniel
 Gray, Andrew Shiphers, and Ralph Davis —

Order? that Aaron Tyles be Appointed Constable in the District
 of John Robertson Esq. and was qualified accordingly —

Order? that John Shiers be Appointed Constable in Chas Crofford
 Esq. District and was qualified accordingly —

Order? that Johnathon Cadwell be Appointed Constable in Capt
 William Crofford District and was qualified accordingly —

Order? that Thomas Guimer be Appointed Constable in Capt John
 Crofford District and was qualified accordingly —

Charles Campbell Esq came into Court and took the Oath of
 Allegiance and took of Office as Justice of the Peace and then took
 his seat accordingly —

Thursday August 17th 1784

Order that Edmund Hodge be appointed Constable in the district of Chatham County and was qualified accordingly.

Daniel McNeil and John Jackson Esqs. came into Court and took the Oath of Allegiance and also the Oath of Office of Justice of the Peace and took their Seats accordingly.

Court then proceeded to appoint a Surveyor for this County, William Findlay being chosen, entered into Bonds with Philip Alston Esq. Security and was qualified accordingly.

Court then proceeded to appoint an Entry taker Thomas Matheson being chosen entered into Bonds with Henry Lightfoot and Chas. Campbell Security, in the sum of One Thousand pounds Shill 20.

Court then proceeded to appoint an Register Master John Matheson being chosen entered into Bonds with Thomas Matheson Esq. Security, in the sum of five Hundred pounds Shill 10.

Court then proceeded to appoint a Story Master John Corbett being chosen entered into Bonds with Philip Alston Esq. Security, in the sum of five Hundred pounds Shill 10.

Order that the Sheriff summon the following persons to attend the next Court to be held for this County on Tuesday (20th Oct) -

Wednesday at Newmarket, Wednesday August 18th 1784

John Haire, William Haire, James Ashman, Philip Ashman, Henry Gardner, William McKinney, Robert Bone, John Dunscombe, William Williamson, James Morgan, Peter Shumburger, Thomas Collins, Benjamin Garner, Robert Smith, Daniel Jones, Joseph Foy, David Lewis, James Madeworth, Joseph Duckworth & Henry Ashman -

Order that the same bonds appointed by Cumberland County Court to lay out the road from Danville, Fort Towson, Wake Court House be now appointed after the same.

Order that Thomas Maples be appointed Overseer of the road from Goose Creek to Fayette County Line and that all the bonds below Joseph Maples work on the same.

Order that Thomas Gellman be appointed Overseer of the road from Corner Bonds road to Williams Hole Esquires that the former bonds work on the same.

Order that James Madeworth be appointed Overseer of the road from Williams Hole Esq. to the Ashman road.

Order that Abraham Cole be appointed Overseer of the road from Corner Bonds road to the road leading into the road by Rindall Hitchens and that the former bonds work on the same.

Tuesday at Rockingham Pittsylvania August 7th 1782

Order? that Philip Johnston be Appointed Overseer of the road from his House up to Chatham County line

Order? that Frederik Morris be Appointed Overseer of the road from Philip Johnston to Fayette County line

Order? that Isaac Harden be Appointed Overseer of the road from Chatham County line to John Overtons and that he same hand work on the same which formerly did

Order? that John Overton Junr be Appointed Overseer of the road from John Overtons Junr to the fork of Williams road

Order? that Jesse Moore be Appointed Overseer of the road from the western Meigs to Dismore & Creeks

Order? that John Cole be Appointed Overseer of the road from Chatham County line to the Pockett Creek

Order? that William Lee Junr be Appointed Overseer of the road from the Pockett Creek to Dennis Cammons and to the County line

Order? that William Dean be Appointed Overseer of the road from the Meigs Meigs to Bear Creek

Order? that Geo. Bagle be Appointed Overseer of the road from Bear Creek to Newmarket County line

Then Court Adjourns till Court in Court to Mr. Adley Junr next

William Lee
Chas Comptons
Richardson Legend
Wm Barrett

At William Lee Esqr Court Held

Cole, John Overton, Chas Lee, John Fleming, Henry Morris, Frederik Morris and Jesse Moore

Order? that the Sheriff summon the following hands to attend next Wilmington Superior Court to serve as jury (to wit) Henry Foster, Willis Dickerson Thomas Fyfe and Robert Check

Then Court Adjourns till tomorrow ten o'clock

Wednesday

Court according to adjournment

Present

William Lee

William Barrett

Richardson Legend

John Fichorn

Jurors

Order? that David Mepler be Appointed Overseer of the road from McCloudens Creek to the Fork of the road in the room of John Overton Junr the ensuing year and that the following hands work on it