

Wednesday November 17 - 1782 -

Phill Abston, John Overton, John Blanchett, Anthony Street, Philip Chubb, Randolph Mannin, William Payne, James Moore, Joseph Harper, John Carrell, Elijah Ketchum, John Dunlap, William Poe, and Peter Petty, and that he has the same in good repair -

Administration on the Estate of ^{Elizabeth Dye} ~~Elizabeth Dye~~ given to Thomas Matthews Esqr. he giving Richardson Feagans and John Jackson security in the sum of fifty pounds this was sworn to accordingly -

Ordered that Thomas Matthews Esqr. Administrator on the Estate of Elizabeth Dye do sell the same and make return to the next Court -

Ordered that Adamson Cox be fined six pence for a contempt offered this Court also seven shillings and six pence for profane swearing, three oaths and that he lay in custody of the Sheriff till paid - Fine paid to Richardson Feagans Esqr. and Cox discharged & say the Sheriff

Then Court Adjourns till Court in Course and then to be held at the Court House of William Seale Esqr. Court to be held on next

William Seale
John Jackson
Richardson Feagans
J. W. Winder

State of North Carolina

At a Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions begun and held for the County of Moore at the dwelling of William Seale Esqr. on the third Monday in November it being the fifteenth day of the same month the Ninth Year of Independence of the said State and in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty four -

Present -

William Seale

Thomas Matthews

Richardson Feagans

} Justices -

No business appearing to the Court they then Adjourned till tomorrow ten o'clock -

Tuesday

Met according to Adjournment -

Present -

William Seale

Thomas Matthews

Richardson Feagans

} Justices -

Tuesday November 16th 1782

Order? that Jennett M'hegben be bound unto Master M'hegben untill she arrives to lawfull age to learn the Mystery of House Wifery she now being adjudged to be three years of age —

Order? that William Harkin known by the name of Hue be Appointed Constable in the District of Captain Hammonds and was qualified accordingly —

Order? that the Sheriff bring the three Children of Ambrose Helms to the next Court to be disposed of as the said Court may direct to —

Order? that the Sheriff summon the following Persons to attend the next Court to be held for the County to serve as Jurors (to wit) Edward Cox, Nicholas Newton, Joseph Fry, David Lewis, Jason Weddworth, Thosphelous Petty, John Dunder, William Handcock, Joseph Duckworth, Jacob Smith, John Rey, Thomas Rey, Nicholas Duncanson, Willis Dickerson, John Evans, Thomas Collins, John Thomas Collins, Benjamin Greyham, Jacob Hardy, John Commons, Nathl, John Commons Thomas Agerton, Nicholas, John Cole, Thomas Maples, Andrew

State of North Carolina

At a County Court of Pleas and Quarter, (and) Sessions begun and held for the County of New at the Dwelling House of William Seal Esqr on the Third Monday in February being the Twenty first day of the same Month in the Tenth year of American Independence and in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven Hundred and eighty five —

Present

William Seal
Richardson Feagen
John Jackson
William Barrett

John Williams Esqr came into Court and presented a Commission from his Excellency as to function as an Attorney then took the Oath of Allegiance and the Oath of an Attorney according to Law —

Monday February 21. 1788 Term

Order? that John Williams Esq. be appointed to
Act as Attorney for the State for this County &c.

Inventory of the Estate of Elizabeth Pope Esq. returned
into Court by Thomas Matthews Esq. Administrator
and Order? to be Recorded

Grand Jury Sworn to wit -

John Kenney J. M., - - - - - William Dickerson

Leff. Mice - - - - - Thos. Key

Thos. Maples - - - - - John Key

Chas. Seal - - - - - Dr. Puckeworth

Andrew Cole - - - - - Thos. Ackelton

Benj. Grimes - - - - - Thos. Whelton P. M.

Thos. Collins Esq. - - - - - Davis Lewis

Joseph Torg - - - - - in all - - - 15

Charged and returned - - - - -

William Harden (Buck) Sworn to attend the

Grand Jury this Term -

Att. William Seal Esq.

A Deed of Gift from John Prince to William
Seogen Esq. was duly proved in Open Court
by the Oaths of Luke Brown and Order? to be
Registered

A Deed from Daniel Olight to David Hone
was duly proved in Open Court by the Oaths
of William Seogen Esq. and Order? to be registered

George Nelson came into Court and gave
Maples, and Thos. Davis Sureties in the sum of
Fifty pounds that he keep the County from expense
in maintaining Geo. Nelson, Joseph Nelson and
Joseph Nelson Opponents of Ambrose Pafford &c.

Then Court Adjourned
Till Tomorrow 9 O'Clock

Monday 2 O'Clock

Just Geo. Church Esq.

Tuesday February Term 1785

Mett According to adjournment

Present—

William Barrett

John Jackson - { Justice

Richardson Treason

Order? that Thomas Tyron be appointed Overseer of the Road from Chatham County line at Corner Ponds Mill to the Pochett Creek and that the former lands work on the same—

Order? that John Cole be appointed Overseer of the Road from the Pochett Creek towards Cambridge County line and that the former lands work on the same—

Thomas Ray records his Mark as follows—
(to wit) A cross and a hole in the right ear and a slit in the left ear—

Att William Seals Esq.

Order? that the Sheriff summon the following persons to lay out a Road the best and most convenient way beginning at Yeares bath and from thence towards Munroe Bridge) (to wit) Henry Gaster, Archibald Pennington, John Wathey, Gilbert Boye, James Kiddle, Jacob Gaster, Philip Johnson, Stephen Morris, Archibald Boye, Andrew Shickel, John Pennington, John Morris, John Brock, Peter Morris and Neil Boye and that any Juries make report to the next Court—

Order? that Henry Gaster have leave to build a Grist Mill on the Water of Little River the same place being on his own land—

George Glascock and John Correll Esq. come into Court and agreeable to a Commission to them directed was duly qualified as Justices of the Peace for the said County and took this Oath accordingly—

In the Suit Ralph Davis against Isaac Mullen and John Mullen Defendants the following Jury sworn, to wit—

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James Cadwell, Jacob Hardy, Penchion Kitchen,
John Ewen, John Woodworth, James Collins -
Matthew Davis, Burwell Maple, Solomon Cox
John Cole, Abraham Cole and James Mue, Verdict
in favour of the Defendants no cause of Action -
On Motion of the Plaintiffs Counsel a New Trial -
Granted by the Court -

John Keys records his Mark as follows to wit,
a cross in the left ear and a slit in the right -

Order that Pison Temple Esq. son of Mrs Temple
Died, be bound unto Penchion Kitchen until he
attains to lawful age to learn the trade of shoe-
maker - he now being adjudged to be sixteen years old -

George Eagle records his Mark as follows (to wit)
a cross and two slits in the left ear and a mark
in the right -

John Cox Esq. came into Court and was duly
inducted as a Justice of the Peace for the said
County -

At William Seale Esq. 17

Order that Isaac Haden be appointed Overseer
of the Road from Chatham County line to the
fork of the Road and all the roads which used
formerly to work on the same and now appointed
shall continue the same &c.

William Reed records his Mark as follows (to wit)
A cross in the right and a slit in the left.

Robert Patterson records his Mark as follows to
(to wit) A cross and two slits in each ear -

John Jackson Esq. records his Mark as follows -
(to wit) A cross and a slit in the left ear and
a half Moon in the right -

In the Suit Norman McLean against John
McCloud the following Jury sworn (to wit)
James Cadwell, Matthew Davis, Burwell Maple,
Penchion Kitchen, Jacob Hardy, Solomon Cox,
John Cole, John Ewen, Abraham Cole,
James Mue, John Woodworth, & Sept Mue -
Verdict for the Plaintiff Twenty pounds seven shillings
and six pence and 8 years Interest -