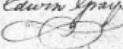


Colonel Williamson is by his com<sup>m</sup> to nominate as his  
captain of this colony

Benjamin Blunt is by com<sup>m</sup> nominate to the command of  
a major of the militia of this County

Resolved that Henry Taylor be appointed chairman of his  
committee to secure a Major of the County as its present chairman, One  
that can carry forth their particular business  
Richard D. Kelly & Capt.  
Samuel Chapman

Edwin Gray  


At a court held for the county of Southampton at the courthouse  
R. 6<sup>th</sup> day of October 1775.

Present —            

That part of the ordinance of the convention of this colony  
relative to the regulating the militia being read & approved  
Resolved that Colonel Williamson be nominated to the command  
of safety as captain of the upper part of the company  
formerly commanded by Capt. Bayly his late  
Major General Hallican be nominated as lieutenant to the 2<sup>d</sup> Company  
John Cade enigne — Simon Baykin is by the comm<sup>m</sup>  
nominate to the command of safety as Capt. of the lower part  
of the company formerly commanded by him Arthur Baykin  
lieutenant to the said company & Lt. Clayton enigne —  
George Brown is nominate to the command of safety as captain  
of the company comprising the upper part of the district  
formerly commanded by Capt. Brigg — Thomas Lane as Lieutenant  
John D. Bailey enigne — Samuel Tyler is nominate to the  
command of safety as captain of the company comprising the lower  
part of the company formerly commanded by Capt. Brigg  
George Puffer Lieutenant of James Cade enigne — Mr. Jones is  
nominate to the command of safety as captain of the company  
comprising the lower part of the company formerly commanded

of Capt. Lt. Col. Moulton's Lieutenant Thomas Heath  
enigne —  Henry Brigg is by his com<sup>m</sup> nominate to the  
command of safety as Captain of the Company comprising the  
district formerly commanded by Capt. Lt. Col. Moulton  
Moses Melville enigne — William Compton is nominate  
to the command of safety as Captain of the company comprising  
the upper part of the district formerly commanded by Capt. Lt. Col. Moulton  
by the name of the independent Company of Capt. Lt. Col. Moulton with  
George Cade enigne — Benjamin Clement is nominate  
to the command of safety as captain of the lower part of  
the above district — Ben Williams Lieutenant & Isaac  
Wadsworth enigne — Resolved that the com<sup>m</sup> be expect  
able tomorrow 9 o'clock — Saturday 1775 — The town is  
not according to adjournment — Count the same number as yesterday  
except Mr. Jones — John ~~deacon~~ is by this com<sup>m</sup> nominate  
to the command of safety as captain of the company formerly  
commanded by Capt. Henry Tayor or John Compton's Lieutenant  
John Foster enigne — Joshua Nicholson is nominate  
to the command of safety as captain of the company formerly  
commanded by Capt. James Lewis or John Compton's Lieutenant  
John Grycock enigne — Lt. Rogers is nominate to the  
command of safety as Capt. of the company formerly commanded  
by Capt. David Compton Moses Melville Lieutenant & John Williams  
Capt. enigne — William Blunt is nominate to the command  
of safety as Capt. of the company formerly commanded by  
him Lt. Blunt Lieutenant Lt. Capt. enigne —  
Spc. Michaelson is nominate to the command of safety as  
captain of the company formerly commanded by Gen. Col.  
Carr Lieutenant Moses Melville enigne — Nathan  
Barne is nominate to the command of safety as captain  
of a company to be formed from the lower part of Capt. John  
Whitlock's Company the upper part of Capt. Ben Blunt's Company  
John Cade as his Lieutenant — Henry Bellis enigne —  
Rich. Bow is nominate as captain of the company formerly  
commanded by Capt. Blunt — Samuel Compton Lieutenant  
John Pope enigne  
Resolved that the several officers appointed by the Com<sup>m</sup>  
attend at the courthouse on Tuesday the 17<sup>th</sup> of this instant