

that the Churchwardens of St. Peter's bind out the Pope  
 of the Parish of St. Peter's to Law  
 Branch of wife and free to Tatum and she again  
 to be free  
 The last will & testament of Joshua Tatum proved by  
 Thomas Tatum a wit thereto to be rec'd  
 On the mot of Jas. Tatum the court having refused to take  
 the Guardianship letters of Admon are granted him on the  
 est of the J. Joshua Tatum with the will annexed  
 giving secy.  
 It is that Nicholas Williams Isaac Williams Lewis  
 Joseph J. Davis or any 3 app. the 3<sup>rd</sup> est  
 Elston & wife to Ingraham proved by the wit to be  
 rec'd  
 Collons dec'd to Scott & wife and to be rec'd  
 On the mot of Elias Herring for leave to burn the road  
 near his plantation and that Maria Johnson  
 Harly Lloyd Matthew Smith view the J. road & report  
 Attest. Henry Taylor. present Elias Herring  
 On the mot of J. T. Breen letters of Admon are granted  
 him on the est of Tho. Jarrell (the widow having relinquish'd  
 her right of Admon) giving security  
 It is ordered that Richd Breen Matthew Wm Thomas & Thomas  
 Cammerts or any 3 app. the 3<sup>rd</sup> est  
 On the Pet of Richd. Tatum J. J. for Eliz. Tatum Proctor  
 on the est of J. Tatum ordered that the J. Eliz. Tatum  
 be summoned to give counter security or release up the est  
 It is that J. C. Crenshaw James Story Philemon & Hatfield  
 & Sam Story or any 3 app. J. J. Glover est  
 It is that the Court be adjourned till the Court on Causes

J. Tatum  
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At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 13<sup>th</sup>  
 day of April 1745

Present James Bridley - Eamon Gray  
 Benjamin Duffin - Thomas Blunt

Ordered that the Churchwardens of Noddy bind Samuel & Jane  
 to mulct the child of Ann Garner for the remainder of the  
 term specified in the indenture binding her to John  
 Bradley

It is that John and free proved by J. J. to be rec'd

J. J. of Eliz. Stephenson est. to be rec'd

It is that Elias Herring Simon Boykin J. Clayton & John  
 or any 3 will out Court of Eliz. Stephenson est

The last will & test. of Robt. Bailey proved by J. J. to be  
 rec'd

It is that the Court be adjourned till the Court on Causes

It is that Tho. Davis J. Henry Davis Lately Davis & J. J.  
 Butler or any 3 app. the 3<sup>rd</sup> est

It is that the Churchwardens of Noddy bind out  
 Demsey Johnson or of Demsey Johnson dec'd and  
 giving to Law

It is that the Court be adjourned till the Court on Causes

A report con'd. a road put. for by E. Herring was up?  
 And ordered that J. road be opened and to the prayer of  
 the J. J.

It is that the Court be adjourned till the Court on Causes

Joshua Johnson this day appeared to answer a recognizance  
 entered into before James Bridley one of his Mayors of  
 the Peace for beguiling a bastard child on the body of  
 Sarah & Johnson it being upon the J. Joshua Johnson J. J.  
 Johnson & Nathan Johnson entered into recognizance  
 for the sum of 50 with Cond. that Joshua Johnson  
 shall perform the orders of the Court relative to the afore  
 bastard child - Ordered that Joshua Johnson pay  
 the Churchwardens 10 shillings for the support of the afore  
 bastard child 1/3 for each succeeding year till he be out