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Elizabeth Thomas Powell who stands charged on oath by Elizabeth, charged as free single woman of this County, with being the father of her bastard child, appearing in Court in discharge of his recognizance. And therupon the said Elizabeth Charles being sworn and examined and the said Thomas Powell fully heard, the Court from all the circumstances of the case doth adjudge the said Thomas Powell to be the father of the said bastard child and that the said child is likely to become chargeable to the County.

Therefore it is ordered that the said Thomas Powell be charged with the annual payment of \$20 and that he pay the same to the Overseers of the Poor of this County the said sum of \$20 annually for the term of seven years from the birth of the said child to wit the 9<sup>th</sup> day of April 1831. And the said Thomas Powell is committed to the custody of the Sheriff of this County to be confined in the Common Jail until he shall enter into a recognizance himself to be bound in the sum of one hundred and forty dollars with two securities in the sum of \$70 each, conditioned as the Law directs, or until he shall be otherwise discharged by due course of Law. Whereupon the said Thomas Powell delivered up a Schedule of his estate and made oath thereto according to Law and is discharged from custody.

Overseers of the Poor to Francis M Jones for Bastardy. The said Francis M Jones this day appeared in Court according to the condition of his recognizance and therupon Sally Gray being sworn and examined & the said Jones being fully heard, the Court from all the circumstances of the case doth adjudge the said Francis M Jones to be the father of the said bastard child and that the said child is likely to become chargeable to the County. Therefore it is ordered that the said Francis M Jones be charged with the annual payment of twenty dollars and that he pay the same to the Overseers of the Poor of this County at the end of every year for the term of seven years from the birth of the said child and it shall live so long to wit from the 30<sup>th</sup> day of January 1830.

Whereupon the said Francis M Jones together with John James & John M Mason his securities herein named severally appeared in Court and acknowledged themselves indebted to John Floyd Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia and his successors in office the said Francis M Jones in the sum of one hundred and forty dollars and the said John James & John M Mason in the sum of Seventy dollars each of their respective goods and chattels bound and remitted to be levied and to our said Governor and his successors in office for the time being for the use of the Overseers of the Poor of this County to be rendered. But upon this condition that if the said Francis M Jones shall well and truly observe and perform the above order of the Court made against him then this recognizance to be void or else to remain in full force.

Ordered,  
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