

not guilty as in pleading he hath alleged and proclamation being made in the manner is and nothing further appearing or being alleged against the prisoner it is ordered that the prisoner be forthwith discharged from custody. Absent Messrs. Gordon & Son, J. Leland & Present James W. Parker, James Ingraham, Orin A. Brown and Alexander Myrick - Gent.
On motion of John Le Turner. Ordered that the estate of Pety Reese be committed to the hands of Edmund Rochelle Shiff of this County and that he administer the same according to Law.

Ordered that Henry Moore, John Le Turner, Pety Reese and Willie Francis for any thing they approve Pety Reese not to make up &
Ordered that the Court be adjourned till to morrow morning 9 o'clock

Robt. Gordon

At a Court continued and held for the County of Southampton on the 20th day of September 1834 for the examination of Exum Artist a free man of colour charged with conspiring to rebel and make insurrection.

Present. Robert Gordon, James W. Parker, James Ingraham, Orin A. Brown and Alexander Myrick - Gent.

The said Exum Artist was again set to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and the Court after hearing the testimony and from all the circumstances of the case are unanimously of opinion that the prisoner ought to be tried for the said offence at the next Circuit Superior Court of Law to be held for this County and therefore the prisoner is remanded to jail.

Williams Dick here in Court acknowledged himself to be indebted to John Floyd Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of three hundred dollars of his goods and chattels lands and Tenements to be levied on to the said Governor and his Successors for the use of the Commonwealth rendered. Yet upon this condition that if the said Williams Dick shall have his slaves Burwell and Ben before the judge of our Circuit Superior Court of Southampton County at the Court to be held on the first day of the next Term then and there to give such evidence as they or either of them know against Exum Artist a free man of colour charged with felony then this recognizance to be void or else to remain in full force and virtue -

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