

Bornett P. Stephenson who is charged on a writ by Russell a Ony single person of this County in taking the father of the said child and child the day appeared in Court in discharge of his duty and thereupon the said Russell a Ony being sworn & examined the said Russell a Ony is likely to become chargeable to the County. Therefore it is ordered that he be charged with the annual payment of twenty dollars and that he pay the same to the Overseer of the County every year for the space of seven years from the birth of the said child to the child's day of next next. and that he also pay the cost of this process &c. And thereupon the said Bornett P. Stephenson together with John Warren & John A. Hill has submitted themselves to be committed to the Higham Reformatory House as Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts that is to say the said Stephenson in the sum of one hundred and forty dollars & the said Warren & Hill in the sum of twenty dollars each of these respective sums & the same to be levied and to the said Governor and his assigns for the use of the Overseer of the Poor of this County. Yet upon this condition that if the said Bornett P. Stephenson shall abide by and perform the above order of the Court made against him then this recognizance be void or else to remain in full force & virtue.

Present Jeremiah Cobb Jacob Barnes. Pitt. S. Maynard. William A. Sprack. Jos. Clayton. George Drury. Joseph Chelms. James D. Haysburg. James Magist. Leon Barnes and Jesse Parker

For reasons appearing to the Court it is ordered that the term in which the prisoners were allowed to purchase the lands in this County be extended to the first day of December next.

Ordered that Mr. Cobb examine & settle the account of Henry James guardian of the person of John James & make report &c

For reasons appearing Ordered that Seth M. Bishop be summoned to the next Court to show cause if any he can why the Indictment returned against him by Henry D. Barrett Esq. Esquire. John Amos Mary Antel fugitives should not be released

Ordered that the Sheriff summon all the acting Justices of this County to the first day of June next to lay and offer the County Key.

The Court each appoint Alfred Redd, William D. Hunt, Henry B. Clough, William A. Chisholm and Thomas B. Corwell ~~and appointed~~ Road Commissioners for this County and it is ordered that they be served with a copy of this Order and be required to appear at Court next to take the oath and take requisite.

The Commissioners appointed by a previous order of this Court to examine & report the most eligible route for a road and site for a Bridge across the narrow River at Jordan then they made a report which is ordered to be recorded. And it is ordered that the said Report and also the petition of Henry D. Barrett Esq. Esquire. William A. Chisholm Esq. Esquire. and that they report thereupon.

The Commissioners appointed, at their next Court to report a plan for a Jail for this County they made a report which is ordered to be recorded. Present Jos. Cobb, Jacob Barnes, James Clayton, Jos. D. Haysburg, James Magist, Leon Barnes, Jesse Parker, William D. Briggs, George A. C. Barham - Present Jeremiah Cobb - Present Jos. J. Chelms. Saml. Drury -

And the Court upon consideration doth adopt the plan recommended by said report, with this exception that the logs on the sides be splined at the partition. And it is ordered that the