

At a Court of quarterly Sessions continued and held for Southampton County on the 22nd day of August 1837.

Present. Jeremiah Cobb Alexander Myricks
James Mager & Nicholas M. Seibell } Clerk.

Demore & Moran leave Off dead.

Shepherd for H. & Myricks an. Del's Off dead.

On motion of George Johnson and for reasons appearing to the Court the order made in yesterday continuing the case of the Commonwealth against the said George Johnson for a breach of the peace is set aside and thereupon the Court after hearing the evidence is of opinion that the complaint against the Defendant be dismissed - and that the said George Johnson pay the costs of this prosecution.

On the motion of Thomas Johnson and for reasons appearing to the Court the order made yesterday continuing the case of the Commonwealth against the said Thomas Johnson for a breach of the peace is set aside and thereupon the said Thomas Johnson was brought into Court in custody of the Jailor of this County and Mason Johnson was sworn & examined and the said Thomas Johnson fully heard it is the opinion of the Court and accordingly ordered that the said Thomas Johnson give security for his keeping the peace for the term of three years from this day the said Thomas Johnson to be bound in the sum of One hundred dollars with one security in the like sum of one hundred dollars. And thereupon the said Thomas Johnson together with George Johnson his security who qualified as to his sufficiency, here in Court severally acknowledged themselves indebted unto his Excellency David Campbell esq Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia and his Successor in Office for the time being in the sum of One hundred dollars each of their respective goods & chattels lands & tenements to be levied and to the said Governor and his Successor in Office for the use of the Commonwealth ordered. Yet upon the condition that if the said Thomas Johnson shall keep the peace and be of good behaviour towards all the citizens of this Commonwealth more especially towards the said Mason Johnson for the term of One year from this day that this recognizance be void and he to remain in full force and virtue - And it is ordered that the said Thomas Johnson pay the costs of this prosecution -

By consent of parties the license heretofore granted Nicholas M. Seibell to keep an Ordinary in Jonesboro' all May boats next are transferred to Jones & Seibell & thereupon they gave bond & security according to Law. the Court being of opinion that the said Jones & Seibell are men of good character and not addicted to drunkenness or gaming -

Upon satisfactory evidence of white persons adduced to the Court it is ordered to be certified that John Turner who is a resident of this County is not a free negro or mulatto but is a descendant of a female of the Aboligony Tribe of Indians.

Upon satisfactory evidence of John White persons adduced to the Court. It is ordered to be certified that John Williams who is a resident of this County is not a free negro or mulatto but is a descendant of a female of the Aboligony Tribe of Indians.

Order

Ordered that Mr. Cobb examine State Hells an account of John Demore's account a John

Booth etc & make report.