

A Court of quarterly Sessions commenced and held for the County of Southampton on the
18th day of November 1809.

Present Benjamin Bruffin Jacob Barnes.
Samuel Drury & Huming & South. 3

A List of the deeds &c admitted to Record in the Clerk's Office since the last Term viz. 1809.
Drake &c v. Brock. Bly. Come report not? & confirm by assent.

Account Current of James W Parker annexed to Temperance Parker et. of Mary Drury
admirer in the estate of theophimus of John Wood die? was not? & ordered to be for exception.

John Y Mason is by the Court assigned guardian to his infant children Lewis & John
Y. Elizabeth H. Frances A. Mary A. Sarah D. & Emily Mason and thereupon to give
bond according to Law.

On motion of Nathaniel D Land Ordered that the account of Wm Goodrich annexed
to Robt. Lockhead et. be continued till the next Court.

Ordered that Samuel Woodward & Peter Edwards be added to appraise the estate of
Thomas Travis & wife &c.

Charles W Bryant is appointed Surveyor of the road in the town of Cape Mount
excused & ordered that the usual bonds be not taken.

William Briggs is excused from serving as a school Commissioner for this County the
ensuing year - and the Court appoints William D Howard School Commissioner in the
room of the said Briggs and it is ordered that the Sheriff notify the said Wm Howard of
his appointment.

James W Murfee for common. Nathl. Swinson. James D Bryant. Henry Bonden
Allen Stephenson Joseph Drury. Patrick H Rellings Gilbert Drury Mary Bonden
Nathl B. Butler. William Davis. Thomas Hensley. Harris & P. Pope. Jacob B. Madson.
Danden W Bryant. Henry Blon. Jesse Hart. Jesse J. Porter. Harrison Cobb. Anthony J.
H. small James Oick. were sworn & William Beck were affirmed a grand jury of
inquest upon the body of this County & Huming received their charge with new oaths
some new & & presented (here absent them) Huming without further delay.

On motion of William H. Nicholson & Anne Francis setting forth that they were
in this Court as Security for George W. Powell as guardian of the two children of the late
Thomas & Mary Bonden and praying the Court for relief. Ordered that the said Powell be
summoned to the next Court to give the said Nicholson & Francis good counter Security.

The register of Susan Schofield f. m. ex. & Certified to be truly made
Thomas Pothon. William L. Cornish & Samuel W. Hines Justs. are unanimously
appointed recommended to the Governor as fit & proper persons to execute the Office
of Sheriff of this County the ensuing year.

Ordered that the following accounts be paid. One in favour of Jas D. Mosborough
for \$31.72 another in his favour for \$5.90 & one in favour of Gilbert R. Elder for
\$14. be sumally certified to the Auditor of public accounts for his examination
pay must.

To Littleton R. Edwards Clerk of this Court charged with his fees and allowed
him for his services in examining & certifying the books of the Commissioners of
the Revenue this year.