At a quarterly Court continued and held for the County of Southampton on the 19th day of November 1839.

Present. Benjamin Griffin James Clayton
Jacob Barnes & Alexander Mayrick } Gent.

Lewis Wise v. Applewhite &c. — Abey. Beard & others as per decree filed &c.

Hannah &c. v. Edmunds &c. — Jury sworn to try the issue to wit Benjamin W. Barham, Charles Barham, John I. Drake, John A. Turner, James I. Newsum, William H. Williams, Seley Cobb, Thomas A. Story, Joseph G. Counsel, Hezekiah Bradshaw, Frederick Jordan & Joseph Drewry — who returned a special verdict in these words (here insert the verdict) and the matter of law arising upon the said verdict being argued it seems to this Court that the law is for the pltffs. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover their freedom and also that they recover against the Defendant their damages assessed as aforesaid and their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. Whereupon the said Defendant Wm. H. Parker & Thos. Parker & Wm. Parker in open Court tendered a bill of exceptions to the opinion of the Court given against them which bill was signed sealed by the Court & ordered to be made a part of the record in this cause.

Hannah &c. v. Edmunds — Jury sworn to try the issue in this cause — Benjamin W. Barham, Charles Barham, John I. Drake, John A. Turner, James I. Newsum, Wm. H. Williams, Seley Cobb, Thomas A. Story, Joseph G. Counsel, Hezekiah Bradshaw, Frederick Jordan & Joseph Drewry — who returned a special verdict in these words (here insert the verdict) and the matter of law arising upon the said verdict being argued it seems to the Court that the law is for the plaintiffs. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover their freedom and that they also recover against the Defendant their damages assessed as aforesaid and their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. Whereupon the said Defendant Wm. H. Parker & Thos. Parker & Wm. Parker in open Court tendered a bill of exceptions to the opinion of the Court given against them which bill was signed sealed by the Court & ordered to be made a part of the record in this cause.

An account Current of Thomas Lawrence guardianship of Solomon Johnson was returned & Ordered to be recorded

An account Current of Arthur C. Magee admr. on Mary I. Magee dec. & of Augustine Claiborne admr. on Mary D. Blunt dec. were returned & ordered to lie on Rem. for exceptions.

An account of Augustine Claiborne guardianship of Frances M. Blunt was returned & Recorded

Administration de bonis non with the will annexed of John Hart dec. granted Charles Hart who made oath & gave bond & security according to Law.

Ordered that Benjamin L. Drew, Harris H. Ellmore, Samuel C. Hart and Isaac Crumpler or any three of them appraise the said estate & report &c.

Mallory to Gurley Trustee &c. Deed of Trust. Acknowledged by the said Mallory & Gurley & ordered to be recorded

Commonwealth v. Pol. Johnson & Abl. Edwards. Inf. Abl. Edwards acquitted as to the Def. Johnson & a jury sworn to try the issue to wit Jesse Drewry, Edwin Daughtry, Edwards and a jury sworn to try the issue to wit Jesse Drewry, Edwin Daughtry, Jas. M. Elmore, John Allsbrook, William Gordon, John I. Barham, Thomas Hunley, John D. Turner, Dempsey Drake, Wm. Barrow, William Griffin & Alfred I. Bentley who returned a verdict v. the defendant Johnson for $5 fine. Therefore judgment is granted against the said Deft. for the fine aforesaid & costs &c.

Shepherds adm. for &c. v. Mayrick adm. Debt. Plea withdrawn & Judgment for the Pltff. against the Deft. for the debt & in the declaration mentioned & costs —

Commonwealth v. Richmond & Evan M. Edwards. Inf. Jury sworn to try the issue to wit John M. Neale, Drewry Beale, Jacob J. Williams, James Williams, Edward Crumpler, John Moore Jr., Oldham Bradshaw, Hezekiah Bradshaw, John Drake, Charles.