discharge of the duties of his trust or office as guardian aforesaid according to law.

Bennett J. Griffin Appellant } on an appeal from a
against } judgment of a Justice
Thomas Drake Appellee } of the peace &c.

On the motion of the appellee this appeal is continued until the next term. But this continuance is at the cost of the appellee.

Ordered that the Clerk register Malizey Whitney, free negro, who was born free in this County as appears by the testimony of Silas S. Whitney.

A vacancy existing in district No. 4 in this County by reason of the death of Ro: G. Edwards a Justice of the peace of this County. It is ordered that a writ of election be issued directed to James W. Murfee Wm A. Mafourburg, Richard Barrett, Edward T. Murfee, & Seth D. Williams Commissioners, & Wm Murfee Conductor to hold an election on the first Saturday of October 1854, to supply the said vacancy.

absent Ro. S. Jones.

On the motion of Henry B. Carrill to open a new road from Franklin to Southquay bridge. The Commissioners appointed to view the way proposed for opening said road this day made their report, and upon consideration thereof the Court doth order the same to be dismissed.

On the motion of John Moore & A. McNorell, who are bound in this Court as securities for Jesse Cobb & John Gardner executors of Jesse Gardner, dec.d for the faithful discharge of the duties of their office or trust as executors aforesaid. This motion is continued until the next term of this Court for reasons appearing to the Court.

On the motion of George Griffin (and for reasons appearing to the Court) the rule made against him at the last term of this Court for failing to attend as a witness on behalf of Bennett J. Griffin against Thomas Drake is discharged.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned till the first day of the next term.

B Berry pres Justice