

a copy of this order be certified to the County Court of Isle of Wight County

Ordered that W^m B. Westbrook, Benjamin Applewhite and John James be appointed commissioners to let to the lowest undertaker the repairs of Lewis Bridge and receive the same when completed and make report to Court.

James M. Doxany is appointed Surveyor of the road from Jerusalem to Melfenburgs Mill in the room of W^m Cobb excused, and it is ordered that the usual hands do work thereon.

Ordered that the Clerk register Matilda Brown free neg^r who was born free in this County as appears by the testimony of Edward Deaton.

James J. Dairmont Deft } On a suggestion that by virtue of his free papers
against } against the defendant there was a liability on certain
Matthew Rodes Deft } assets in the hands of Benjamin R. Skindred be-
longing to the said defendant.

15.75

Tr. for Jy^r

It appearing to the Court that the summons made suggestion has been duly executed on said Benjamin R. Skindred & he appearing in Court on obedience thereto, admits on oath that he has in his hands belonging to the defendant the sum of twelve Dollars. Therefore it is ordered by the Court that the said Benjamin R. Skindred pay to the plaintiff the said sum of twelve Dollars, and that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the costs of the proceedings herein.

Ordered that John Cobb, W^m A. Bell and James A. Gillette be appointed commissioners to let to the lowest undertaker the repairs of Colliers Bridge and receive the same when completed & make report to the Court.

John a slave belonging to the heirs of Jesse Gardner dec^d who stands charged with a felony by him committed in this County and within the jurisdiction of this Court in this that he did in the fourth day of July in the year 1855, maliciously cut and wound and by other means cause bodily injury on Richmond Edwards (a white person) with intent to kill the said Rich^d Edwards, was this day set to the bar in the custody of the Sheriff of this County and John R. Chambliss being assigned by the Court his Counsel. On the motion of the Attorney for the Commonwealth and for reasons appearing to the Court this trial is continued until the next term of this Court. And the said John is remanded to Jail.

Warrell

McMell

About W^m B. Westbrook & Benjamin R. Skindred vs James

In Chancery

Done as per decree filed.