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James E. Critchton who was summoned to appear here on this day as surety for the Commonwealth against Edwin L. Turner, was solemnly called but came not; therefore, on the motion of the attorney for the Commonwealth it is ordered that the said James E. Critchton be summoned to appear here on the first day of the next term to shew cause if any he can why an attachment should not be issued against him for his said Contempt.

On the motion of the attorney for the Commonwealth it is ordered that the Sheriff of the County of Brunswick be summoned to appear here on the first day of the next term to shew cause if any he can why an attachment should not be issued against him for his contempt in failing to return according to law a certain Summons which issued from the Office of this Court upon a Rule made at the last term of this Court, commanding him to summon James E. Critchton to appear before this Court to day to shew cause if any he can why he should not be fined for his contempt (and which Summons it appears was placed by the Clerk of this Court in the Post Office in this place directed to the said Sheriff of Brunswick).

On the motion of Joseph D. Slade who made oath (and together with W^m R. Stephenson his security (who justified in oath as to his sufficiency) entered into (and acknowledged abroad in the penalty of Threepence's Dollars conditioned as the Law directs, Certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of Administration on the estate of John D. Pond dec^d in due form.

Ordered that W^m R. Stephenson, Arthur A. Drury and W^m Pond being sworn for the purpose to appraise all the goods or chattels of John D. Pond dec^d in due form that may be produced to them & make due return of the same.

* The Board of the Overseers of the Poor of this County this day made their annual report which is ordered to be filed.

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

Jas. E. Peters Procs. Justice