

Wm. H. Drury, a Justice of the peace of this County this day returned a certificate of the qualification of Thomas M. Newsum as a Justice of the peace of this County in the fall sitting courts and figures Court, Southampton County Court.

Thomas M. Newsum personally appeared before me Wm. H. Drury a Justice of the aforesaid County and took the oath as a Justice for the said County before my hand & Seal, this 29th day of July 1859

Wm. H. Drury, J.P. Seal

Vick

vs
Vick & others

} In Chancery

The Commissioner in this cause this day made his report.

Ordered that Wm. H. Briggs Sheriff of this County out of any contingent moneys in his hands not otherwise appropriated pay to Elijah Nelson three Dollars as Surveyor of roads & to John St. Paul & Joseph St. Paul each two Dollars

* Rollings

vs
Rollings & others

} In Chancery

Heard & Decree as per Decree filed

Ordered that Saml. Drury and Robert Howland two of the Commissioners of roads of this County ^{receive stated proposals for} ~~but both contract and undertake~~ the rebuilding of Morris' bridge near Drury's mill (and remain there when accepted) & make report to Court -

Ordered that the Clerk register John Robert Jackson free negro who was born free in this County as appears by the testimony of Wm. A. Jumper.

On the application of Thomas H. Applewhite to alter the road leading from the Sugar line immediately by his house. The Commissioners appointed to have the said road altered and put in good order by the said Applewhite, this day report that the same has been altered and put in good order by the said Applewhite, which report is received and the said road as altered is adopted as a public highway of this County and the old road is discontinued (and it is ordered that the hands that usually worked on the old road do work on the road as altered)

The Court doth appoint Maria J. Davis as guardian of his infant daughter Marietta V. Davis Wm. H. Drury be together with Madison J. Davis his security (who justified on oath as to his sufficiency) returned into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of two hundred Dollars conditioned according to Law.