At a Monthly Court of the County Court of Southampton County held at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday, the 16th day of September 1861.

Present, Samuel D. Kello, presiding Justice, Alexander A. Moffett and R. Saml. Jordan, Peter J. Holmes and Thomas J. Drake Justices

The Clerk this day returned a list of all writings admitted to record in the Court during and since the last preceding term in chapter 131 of the Code of Virginia, which list having been read to the Court is ordered to be recorded on the minutes of the proceedings of this Court as follows, to wit:

Deed of Bargain and Sale dated 17th August 1861, from S. D. Kello to Matthew Cobb, Conveying Land, was admitted to record, August 17th 1861.

Deed of Bargain and Sale dated 27th December 1860, from Burwell S. Briggs to Benja. Turner, Conveying Land, was admitted to record, August 17th 1861.

Deed of Bargain and Sale dated 10th July 1861 from Benja. Turner to Martha Wilson Conveying Land, was admitted to record, August 17th 1861.

Deed of Bargain and Sale dated 30th July 1861 from Samuel Wilson to Jno. R. Pope Conveying Land, was admitted to record, August 30th 1861.

Deed of Bargain and Sale dated 30th July 1861 from Martha Wilson to Benj. R. Pope Conveying Land, was admitted to record, August 30th 1861.

Deed of Trust dated 19th August 1861, between Samuel Wilson of Martha Wilson of the first part, Wm. A. Jones of the second part and Benjamin Turner of the third part, conveying Land, was admitted to record, August 19th 1861.

Deed of Bargain and Sale dated 30th September 1861, from Charles Brock to Lucien Beal. Conveying Land, was admitted to record, August 30th 1861.

A Writing bearing date July 30th 1861, purporting to be the last will and testament of James A. Parker dec'd. was this day produced to the Court and it appearing to the Court that the same was duly executed according to law doth refuse to admit the same to record as the last will and testament of the said James A. Parker dec'd.

On the motion of Godwin Parker who made oath and together with Elisha Doyle, James Vaughan his securities (who joined in the said oath) entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of four thousand dollars conditioned according to law, whereupon he is granted leave for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of James A. Parker dec'd in due form.

It is ordered that Elisha Doyle, William Edge and James Vaughan being sworn for the purpose do appraise all the goods and chattels of James A. Parker dec'd that may be produced to them and make due return of the same.