

and impartially to perform the service mentioned in the  
 said order Do report that we have viewed the lands from near George  
 Branch to near Arthur Halliards as well the way proposed  
 below Joseph Phillips thro Saco Swamp as the way proposed  
 above the plantation late of John Washington and find  
 that as to the distance it is near equal that the lower way  
 will take the least work to open and clear a road we  
 think the best way thro Saco Swamp that there is a  
 small tobacco field cleared as the said road is proposed on  
 the lower part on this side of the swamp on the lands of  
 Arthur Washington and a preparation for a corn field on the  
 lands of John Smith on the other side both which we are  
 informed have been done since the first application to this  
 court for a road We also report that the upper way is  
 most convenient to the inhabitants on the west side of  
 the said swamp who live on the upper side of the said  
 road Given under our hands this fifth day of November 1754.

Richd Wells.

Thomas Broome  
 William Delock

And It is Ordered that the same lie for consideration thereof  
 untill the next court

These persons appointed made report that it will be convenient for a  
 road to be opened and cleared from near William Vestys to the  
 country line near the indian branch Therefore It is Ordered that  
 John Pore and the heirs whereof he is overseer do lay open  
 the said road according to law

William Clinch . . . . .

Deft

John Little . . . . .

Deft

In Debt

This day came the parties by their attorneys & thereupon  
 came also a jury to wit Nicholas Maggott Simon Turner  
 John Turner William Kirby John Broome Richard Pond Joshua  
 Morris Benjamin Williams Arthur Long Henry Vaughan  
 Benjamin Crocker and George Gurley who being elected tried  
 and sworn the truth to speak upon the issue joined