

refuses thereto and ordered, to be recorded. And on the motion of the said executors who made oath according to law certificate is granted them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form giving security. Whereupon the said James Lundy and Christen Morris with David Fisher and William Caughan their securities entered into and acknowledged their bond in the penalty of One millions of pounds for the said executors due and faithful administration on the estate of the said decedent and performance of his will.

Ordered that Thomas Turner, Thomas Poreb, John Ivey and John Freeman or any three of them being first sworn, before a justice of the peace for this county do appraise in current money the lands, tenements and personal estate of James Lundy dead, and return the appraisement to the next court.

An indenture of possession between Benjamin Deloach and Anne his wife of the one part and Beverley Booth of the other part and the receipt thereon endorsed were proved by the oaths of Richards Bailey and William Booth two of the witnesses thereto and continued for further proof.

Ordered that the court be adjourned till the court in course.

The minutes of these Proceedings were signed by

Teste

J^r: D. Hausmann, J. C. C.

Nicholas Magle

At a court held for the county of Southampton the 12th day of April 1781

Present William Blunt

John Rogers

Benj^r Ruffin

Michael Holliman } Gentlemen.

On the motion of Olive Freeman who made oath according to law certificate is granted her for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of James Freeman dead, giving security. Whereupon the said Olive Freeman with William Freeman her security entered into and acknowledged their bond in the penalty of One hundred thousand pounds for the said Olive's due and faithful administration on the estate of the said decedent.

Ordered that Benjamin Britt, John Clayten, John Clark and Thomas Harris or any three of them being first sworn before a justice of the peace for this county do appraise in current money the lands, tenements and personal estate of James Freeman dead, and return the appraisement to the next court.

The last will and testament of John Ivey dead, was proved by the oaths of Thomas Pale and Edward Pale two of the witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Absent W^m Blunt. Present Benj^r Blunt Gally.

William Blunt, William Edwards and Henry Harris are by the court appointed commissioners of the tax for this county, the magistrates having failed to attend on the day of election which rendered the election void.