

Upon the presentment of the grand jury of this county against William Branch a surveyor of the highway for not keeping his road in repair according to law This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant having been duly summoned that appearing nor offering any thing in defence it is considered by the court that he make his defence with the Commonwealth by the payment of fifteen shillings amount to the act of assembly & that he also pay the cost of this prosecution

The presentments of the grand jury against John Smith & Eustace Winham are dismissed

Charles Capell
vs
Jas Taylor ex. of Jas Taylor def. } Case

James Martin came into court and undertook for the plaintiff who is not an inhabitant of this state to secure & pay unto the persons entitled thereto all legal costs wherewith he may become chargeable in the prosecution of this cause

Ordered that the court be adjourned till tomorrow 10 o'clock.

The minutes of these proceedings were signed by Willm Blunt.

Teste Saml Pello, B.

A court continued and held for the county of Southampton on Friday the 13th day of June 1783

Pres. William Blunt John Simmons
Benja Blunt & Jesse Whitehead & Gent.

George Long
vs
Samuel Blake } In Case
Dismissed being agreed by the parties

John Simmons
against
Sarah Moore & Richard Blon adm. of Thomas Moore decd. } In Case
John Simmons adm. Charles Simmons } both actions
The same parties - - - depts

The defendants in these suits by their attorney come & defend the force & injury when & where he ought & says he did not assume upon himself in manner & form as the plaintiffs have complained & by the county the plaintiffs likewise do the same

Sarah Moore James Moore & Rich^d Blon adm. of Thomas Moore decd. } Case
John Simmons }
The defendant by his attorney comes & defend the force & injury when & where he ought & says he did not assume upon himself in manner & form as the plaintiffs have complained and this he prays may be enquired of by the county & the plaintiffs likewise do the same

The summons formerly issued agt Thomas Gilliam guardian of Jas Gilliam orphan of Jas Gilliam is dismissed

Nathan Barnes vs Nathan Britt } Case
Dismissed being agreed by the parties