

the persons appointed to let the building a bridge over the river Nalloway near the 343.
mouth of the offshoot branch below Wykes. Capt. made their report in the following words
2^d Aug. 1783. Agreeable to an order of the worshipful court of Southampton bearing date July 1783
the subscribers have let the building a bridge over Nalloway near the mouth of the offshoot branch to
the sum of Twenty five pounds the said bridge to be completed by the first day
of December next, which was signed by John Summers son, Benj^r Lewis & Benj^r Butts.

Benjamin Butts is by the court appointed surveyor of the high way leading from Capt.
Nalloway River where the new bridge is to be created and it is ordered that the
male litchables of Henry Westbrook and Etheldred Taylor together with those formerly
belonging to the said road keep the same in repair according to law.

Drury Beale is by the court appointed guardian to Henry and Benjamin Johnson
orphans of Joseph Johnson deed. Whereupon the said Drury Beale with Stephen Johnston
his security entered into and acknowledged their bond in the penalty of Five hundred
pounds for securing the estates of the said orphans and indemnifying the court.
An account current of the estate of Hardy Cobb deed. was this day reported and or-
dered to be recorded.

Joseph Gentleman took the oath of a vestryman of the parish of Saint Luke.
Robert Carr guardian to Robert Vasper orphan of Nathaniel Vasper deed. Henry Ivy
guardian to Edward Ivy orphan of Joseph Ivy deed. John Andrews guardian to
Benjamin Andrews orphan of Robert Andrews deed. William Andrews guardian
to Anthony and John Person orphans of William Person deed. John Powell guardian
to Doris Powell orphan of James Powell deed. Howell Harris guardian to William
and James Pennum orphans of David Pennum deed. Jeremiah Dorris guardian to
Joshua and Nesbit Blaced orphans of Philip Blaced deed. Elizabeth Day guardians
to Charlotte and Phoebe Day orphans of Thomas Day deed. Elizabeth Francis guar-
dian to Charlotte and Mary Francis orphans of Thomas Francis deed. severally returned
their respective accounts of the said estates of the said orphans which were exam-
ined by the court approved of, sworn to by the several guardians and ordered to be
recorded.

Ordered that Benjamin Lewis, Etheldred Taylor and Thomas Ridley or any two
of them examine state and settle an account current of the estate of Robert Jones
deed. and make report thereof to this court.

John Barnes is by the court appointed guardian to Melly Barnes orphan of
Benjamin Barnes deed. in the room of John Powell who is discharged. Whereupon
the said John Barnes with William Barnes his security entered into and ac-
knowledged their bond in the penalty of Five hundred pounds for securing the said
orphans estate and indemnifying the court.

Ordered that the court be adjourned till boart in boarse.
The minutes of these proceedings were signed by Nicholas Proget
Jno. D. Kaufmanor, D.C.