

Upon the petition of Jeremiah Dren, Esq. &c. of Newit Dren decd. against Anthony Sweet and Joshua Harris for two pounds fifteen shillings due by note. This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant having been duly summoned and served with a copy of the petition and not appearing on the motion of the plaintiff it is considered by the court that he recover against Joshua Harris two pounds fifteen shillings and his costs by him in this behalf expended. and the defendant Anthony Sweet being released as no inhabitant it is ordered that this petition abate as to him. But this judgment as to the costs is to be discharged by the payment of one pound seven shillings and six pence with interest thereon to be computed after the rate of five per centum per annum from the 25th day of December 1776 till paid.

William and John Blunt Esqrs. &c. of William Bynum decd. Plffs. against John Bird and John Barron (Taylor) Defs. In Debt.

Benjamin Blunt comes into court and undertakes for the defendants that in case they shall be cast in this suit they shall pay and satisfy the condemnation of this court or tender their persons to prison in discharge of the same or that he the said Benjamin will do it for them.

Upon the petition of Barnaby Drake jr against William Urquhart and Micajah Pooliman churchwardens of the parish of Rottonway for three hundred sixty four pounds of tobacco and costs. This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants having been duly summoned and served with a copy of the petition and not appearing on the motion of the plaintiff it is considered by the court that he recover against the defendants three hundred sixty four pounds of tobacco and his costs by them in this behalf expended.

Ordered that Elias Herring and David Barrons in conjunction with persons appointed by the court of Isle of Wight sett the repairing of black water bridge to the lowest undertaker and make report thereof to this court.

Richard Rick's Plff. On a bond given to replevy the effects of the said Richard Rickon by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued upon a judgment obtained by the said Richard Rick against the said Arthur Brougham & Simon Brougham Defs. Richard Summerell.

On the motion of the plaintiff by his attorney and by virtue of an act of assembly in that case made and provided the defendants having had legal notice hereof execution is awarded the plaintiff for twenty three pounds eight shillings and two pence half penny with interest thereon to be computed after the rate of five per centum per annum from the 4th day of November 1784 till paid against the defendants according to the condition of the bond aforesaid and for his costs by him in this behalf expended.

Ordered that the court be adjourned till court in course.

The minutes of these proceedings were signed by

Clerk

J^r. D. Haupmannm D. C.

M. Holliman

At a court held for the county of Southampton the 12th day of May 1785.

Present John Rogers

Micajah Holliman

George Gurley

Thomas Turner

Gentlemen

This last will and testament of Joseph Lancaster decd. was presented in court by Edw and James Lancaster the executors therein named, proved by the oaths of Richard Edwards and William White two of the witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of the said executors who made oath according to law certificate is granted.