

them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form giving security. Whereupon the said
 E. Childred and James Lancaster with John Blagden and B. Cook Williford their securities
 entered into and acknowledged their bond in the penalty of Three thousand pounds
 for the said executors due and faithful administration on the estate of the said decedent
 and performance of his will.

Eligior Pick is appointed surveyor of the highway in the room of Robert Pennum
 who is discharged from that office and it is ordered that he with the male labouring
 tithables belonging to the said road keep the same in repair according to law.

Elijah Woodell is appointed surveyor of the highway in the room of Lewis Pick who
 hath removed and it is ordered that he with the male labouring tithables belonging
 to the said road keep the same in repair according to law.

Thomas Vaughan is appointed surveyor of the highway in the room of William Williams
 decd. and it is ordered that he with the male labouring tithables belonging to the
 said highway keep the same in repair according to law.

The last will and testament of Benjamin Holden decd. was presented in court by
 Jane Holden the executrix therein named proved by the oaths of James Summerell
 and Arthur Dole two of the witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. And on the
 motion of the said executrix who made oath according to law certificate is granted her
 for obtaining a probat thereof in due form giving security. Whereupon the said Jane
 Holden with Arthur Dole and James Summerell her securities entered into and acknowledged
 their bond in the penalty of Five hundred pounds for the said Jane
 due and faithful administration on the estate of the said decedent and performance
 of his will.

Ordered that Henry Branch, Isaac Guin Summerell Robin Shields and Benjamin
 Branch or any three of them being first sworn before a justice of the peace of
 this county do appraise in current money the slaves (if any) and personal estates of
 Benjamin Holden decd. and return the appraisement to the next court.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the court that Jacob Barnes had one tithable over-
 listed for the year 1784 it is ordered that the tax and levies on the said tithable be
 remitted.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the court that David Jones had one negro boy over listed
 by mistake for the year 1784 it is ordered that the tax and levies on the said tithable be
 remitted.

Arthur Foster foreman, Shadrach Lewis, John Luter, William Williams, Robert Spied,
 Isaac Williams, Philip Davis, Rice Lottson Pierce, Robin Shields, Hardy Johnson, John
 Fort, Benjamin Kindred, Corvell Whittington, Cordall N. Bynum, James Asham,
 Levi Ashkelle, Harris Johnson, John Kindred and John Sparrans sworn a grand
 jury of inquest on the body of this county and having received their charge were sent
 out of court and after some time returned and made the following presentments to wit:

- " We the Grand jury make the following presentments to wit: On the 15th of May 1785
- " The surveyor of Buckhorn road from Buckhorn bridge to Craffords road for not keeping
- " the same in order. By the testimony of George Edwards we present James Allinson
- " and Jeremiah Collins for living in adultery in the parish of Sabat Lake Simon.
- " Everett for profane swearing at John Underwoods on Friday the 8th instant in Sabat
- " Lake's parish, Joshua Phelps for profane swearing at Joseph Garley's on the 28th of
- " April of Sabat Lake's parish. Isaac Kirby for getting drunk and breaking the Sabbath
- " at Mary Evans's on the 7th of this instant of Nettoway parish. Attributor Jones for
- " for profanely swearing two oaths on this ground on the 14th of April last of Nettoway
- " parish. Miles Cary for profanely swearing two oaths at Chelwood Pagley's on the
- " 4th of May of Nettoway parish. William Weston for profanely swearing one oath
- " this day on this ground of Nettoway parish. The surveyor of the road from Solomon
- " Harrisons to John Mundells for not keeping the same in order, likewise so William