

Ordered that John Claud, Jesse Cooper, Joshua Harris and James Wadsworth 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 estate of Samuel Westbrooke, decd and return the appraisement to the next court.

The last will and testament of John Westbrooke decd. was presented in court, by Lucy Westbrooke, the executrix therein named, proved by the oaths of Daniel Porter and Elizabeth Moore two of the witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. And on the motions of the said executrix (liberty being reserved for the executors to qualify) who made oath according to law certificate is granted her for obtaining a probat thereof in due form giving security. Whereupon the said Lucy Westbrooke with Bunnell Westbrooke her son-in-law entered into and acknowledged their bond in the penalty of Three thousand pounds for the said Lucy's due and faithful administration on the estate of the said decedent and performance of his will.

Ordered that John Rogers, James Lundy, William Claud and Benjamin-Clifton 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 estate of John Westbrooke decd. and return the appraisement to the next court.

An indenture of bargain and sale between John Soy and Mary his wife of the one part and Benjamin Adams of the other part was acknowledged by the said John Soy and Mary his wife she being first privately examined as the law directs and ordered to be recorded.

An Inventory of the estate of Joseph Lancaster deceased was returned and ordered to be recorded.

An indenture of bargain and sale between Charles Fowler of the one part and James Barnes of the other part ~~and the~~ receipt thereon endorsed were acknowledged by the said Charles Fowler and ordered to be recorded.

The last will and testament of Nathan Harris decd. was presented in court, proved by the oaths of John Kindred, Nathan Bryant and Cordell Bynum the witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. the executors therein named having taken allowed them to qualify thereto.

Absent Thomas Turner. Present William Blunt, Gent.

Agreeable to the last will and testament of Byrd Lundy decd. the court appoints John Burdick, John Barrow and Joshua Thorpe to divide the slaves belonging to the estate of the said Byrd Lundy between the legatees, and it is ordered that they make report thereof to this court.

An indenture of bargain and sale between Arthur Barrow of the one part and John Benion of the other part was proved by the oath of David Denson, one of the witnesses thereto and having been before proved by the oaths of the two other witnesses is ordered to be recorded.

An indenture of bargain and sale between James Garity son^r and Elizabeth his wife of the one part and James Vark son^r of the other part was proved by the oaths of John Barnwell and John Ingram two of the witnesses thereto and continued for further proof.

Ordered that William Hughes, John Clayton and Gasconell Cooke or any two of them in conjunction with persons appointed by the court of Isle of Wight county tell the value of broad water bridge to the lowest undertaker and make report thereof to this court. Ordered that Mingah Holliman, Richard Kells and Samuel Kells or any two of them tell the value of sea rock bridge near the church to the lowest undertaker and make report thereof to this court.