

in the sum of Twenty thousand dollars for the said William Ely
and faithful administration on the estate of the said Ely
Or that William Blunt Meritt Harris Edmund Turner
and Thomas Porter or any three of them being first sworn be-
fore a justice of the peace of this county do appraise in cur-
rency the shares and personal estate of Ely & Ely deceased and
return the appraisement to the court

An Inventory of bargain and Sale between Alexander Bligh
and Martha Bligh of the one part and Absalom Joyner of the
other part with the receipt thereon endorsed was acknowledged
by Alexander Bligh and Martha his wife she being first
privately examined as the law directs and ordered to be recorded

About Benjamin Blunt Present James Gray & James Withers
Ordered that Edwin Gray Charles Briggs Joseph Ruffin
and Philip Davis or any two of them examine the estate and settle
an account current of the estate of Charles Briggs and
make thereof to this court

On the petition of Francis Hill for leave to throw the road lying
thro his Land and James Richlows from Jerusalem to Smithfield
it is ordered that Joshua Ford Josiah Vick William Evans
and Samuel Kella or any three of them being first sworn
before a justice of the peace for this county impartially to
perform the service to view the said road and in case of necessity
of turning the said road and make report thereof to this court
On the motion of Benjamin Allen and for sufficient reasons
appearing to the court his negro man Pompey is by the
court exempted from the payment of taxes and duties in future