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On the motion of James Macpherson it is ordered that Mary Jones be committed in future from the payment of Taxes and duties on her negro, Brown, Abner, and Belinda, they being aged and infirm.

Isaac Smith who stands indicted for Petit Larceny on the 24th day set to the bar in the County of the Sheriff of this County into whose custody he was committed (Robert Jones, Clayton Robert Samuel, & Benjamin) and thereupon arraigned and upon her arraignment she pleads not guilty to the indictment and for her trial hath put her self upon God and the County (Whereupon leave is given to Mr. John Jones, Nathaniel Smith, William Williams, Thomas Holliman, Michael Smith, James Smith, William Kitchin, Abraham Pierce, Arthur A. Barr, Joseph Edwards, Henry Affleck, and John Brown who being called, tried and sworn the truth to speak of and upon the premises and having heard the evidence upon their oath as say that the prisoner is guilty of the say stealing thereof the Court directed and appointed the number of lashes which the said Smith to be thrashed on her bare back, and it is ordered that the Sheriff do execute same, and the same having been done and performed and proclamation being made in the manner as the law directs, and nothing further appearing or being alleged against her it is ordered that she be forthwith discharged.

Polly Higgins who stands indicted for her stealing on the 24th day set to the bar in the County of the Sheriff of this County into whose custody she was committed and thereupon arraigned and upon her arraignment she pleads not guilty to the indictment and for her trial hath put herself upon God and the County (Whereupon leave is given to Mr. John Jones, Thomas Williams, Samuel Bond, Peter Smith, James Smith, Arthur Edwards, Thomas Williams, James Branch, Peter Pope, Benjamin Jones, William Bell and Edward Ross who being called, tried and sworn the truth to speak of and upon the premises and having heard the evidence upon their oath as say that the prisoner is guilty of the say stealing thereof the Court directed and appointed the number of lashes which the said Higgins to be thrashed on her bare back, and it is ordered that the Sheriff do execute same, and the same having been done and performed and proclamation being made in the manner as the law directs, and nothing further appearing or being alleged against her it is ordered that she be forthwith discharged.

George and Samuel B. Jones and William Jones and who was guardian of Elizabeth B. Mitchell for the benefit of William L. Kite.

James Smith and Abner Jones

Whitcomb Jackson of this County comes into Court and undertakes for the said Abner Jones that no law he shall be cast in this Court he shall pay and satisfy the Commission of the Court on request his body to prison in execution for the same or that he the said Whitcomb Jackson will as it for him.

Isaac Barnes produces to the Court a licence as a Merchant and Dealer till the first day of May which is ordered to be entered of Record.

Allen Hawkins is by the Court appointed Guardian to William Higgins orphan of William Higgins deceased. Whereupon the said Allen Hawkins is required to get the said William Higgins and Elizabeth Higgins the said William Higgins and Elizabeth Higgins to be bound in penalty of ten hundred dollars, with a bond according to law.