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At a Court hold for the County of Southampton the 21<sup>st</sup> day of October one Thousand eight hundred and Sixteen -

This is  
Drawn up  
again in  
the Successor  
Book

Present Benjamin Griffin, Benjamin Swaney } Justices  
Peter Boothe & James Jones

on the motion of Howell Myrick, for leave to keep an ordinary at his house in this County, till the first day of May next. It is therefore ordered that the said Howell Myrick, have leave to for that purpose upon his pay the day imposed by law or otherwise, which is accordingly done, and comes to be entered of Record.

Ordered that the Sheriff of this County collect from John Richlow, the Sum of Eighty Dollars, It being the amount of his bond taken for the purchase of the sd. Jail, and account with the Court according to Law.

Ordered that Henry Briggs, Benjamin Swaney and William Boyner or any two of them, do examine the Rate and Tithes the account of the said Commissioners of the State of James Swaney deceased and make a report thereof to the Court.

Ordered that the order of the last Court, concerning the estate of Ellen Cole deceased to the honor of this Sheriff of Southampton County, be recorded and this same is hereby accordingly recorded, which was ordered to be entered of Record.

The last will and Testament of Dianna Pitman deceased was proved by the oath of Mary Naper and Lucretia Sperry the witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded, and on the motion of Miller Willows the Executor named in the said Will who prays oath thereto and together with Lewis St. Branch and James Naper his Executors enter into and acknowledge a bond in the Penalty of Fifty hundred Dollars conditioned as the law directs, to give satisfaction for obtaining a probat thereof in due form.

Ordered that John Clayton John Naper, Richard Stephenson and James West or any three of them being first sworn before the Justices of the Peace do examine and testify the appearance inARRANT money, all the Personal Estate of Dianna Pitman deceased and return the appraisement under their hands to the Court.

Ordered that David Dawson, Robinson Dillard & Depe Parker or any two of them do examine the Rate and Tithes the account of the said Commissioners of the State of Robert Johnson deceased and make a report thereof to the Court.

Adm<sup>r</sup> of Lowmyer's goods and acknowledges in the Clerk's office and testified by two Justices of the Peace and admitted to record in the Clerk's office under the last Court. In Testimony of an act of assembly in such Cases made and proved.