

of Howell Powell amounting to eighteen dollars and fifty cents. The account of
Blythe amounting to nine dollars and fifty cents, The account of Matthew Belmont
Hogehish Bluff and, John Freeman, Howell Powell, George P. Parley, and Patrick
amounting to two dollars each he testified to the auditor of public accounts
examination and payment.

Ordered that Joshua Fort, John Buckner, James Ingham, Benjamin
Deary and Jeremiah Holt, or any three of them view the situation of the land and
this County and after due notice of the time and place of telling the same to
they let to the lowest bidder such repairs thereof as they may deem
the safe keeping of the prisoner they may be there committed that they return
bond from the undertakers with approved security bonds for the faithful
performance of the undertaking and when complete that they or such of them
as may act make a report to the Court.

About James Haney Parson George Parley Just Justice

Isaac a negro man slave the property of Allen Fulgham of the County
of Isle of Wight was this day set to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this
County where he was hitherto committed, charged with Burglary, and Felony
open and entering the house of Peter Purcell and thereout stealing taking away
away nine pieces of Bacon of the value of fifteen dollars and thirty weight of
lard of the value of five dollars, done in the night time of the 14th of the
last past (The Court of Oyer & Terminer which was summoned not having met
Joshua Fort being by the Court assigned as counsel for the prisoner, thereupon
interfered appeared to wit, Lewis Johnson on behalf of the Commonwealth, who being
deposed and said that he was sworn as Constable to search for the bacon which
stolen from Peter Purcell, and after being sworn a warrant was directed to
by a Justice of the Peace for Isle of Wight County by virtue of which he off
for a negro man the property of Allen Fulgham, who denies that he has
any thing of the Bacon and after a short time acknowledges that he has
with Isaac and that Isaac dug under the smoke house of Peter Purcell and
thereout six pieces of Bacon and about thirty weight of lard; this upon
then apprehended Isaac the prisoner at the bar who said he knew nothing of
bacon which was stolen from Peter Purcell, this deposition then carried to
from the house where his wife lived by the house of his master to the house
George Crocker of the County of Isle of Wight where Isaac said the
he this deposition searched Crocker house but could find no Bacon; Isaac
prisoner told the defendant that he would see him where he was
the defendant then went with the prisoner to Allen Fulgham where he
three pieces of Bacon in an old house standing in the yard of Allen
Fulgham then told this defendant that if he would give Isaac the
two pieces that he the prisoner would find the balance of the Bacon
defendant then went with Isaac and found the balance of the Bacon
lards the prisoner was then carried before a Justice of the Peace
committed to goals and further this defendant said not

Isaac a negro man slave the property of Allen Fulgham,
prisoner on behalf of the Commonwealth, deposed and said that
he told this defendant that Allen Fulgham (the master
him to go and get him paying Fulgham, even then that
prisoner the prisoner five dollars. The defendant thought to
defendant that Allen Fulgham his master said that he this
prisoner at any rate and get some Bacon, Isaac said he
at Isaac in his mind the prisoner took a spade and
and got David and Jonathan digging in the house, they then
in Peter Purcell; Isaac the prisoner has a pair of keys
the door of the Bacon house of the said Peter Purcell
so he then went round the house with the spade and
out six pieces of Bacon and a quantity of lard the
house of the Bacon and the greater part of the lard
out house of his master Allen Fulgham, and that
three pieces and the remainder of the lard and carried
home and buried it in the yard. The evidence being
of the Commonwealth. The Court after hearing the
of the Court and upon mature deliberation has and
the prisoner is guilty of the burglary whereof he
is aware that he has taken from him to the place for
thence on Friday the 21st day of November next he
at 10 and three o'clock P. M. of that day to the
then to be hanged by the neck till he is dead, and
Circumstances and the evidence in this case require
of this State to transport the said Isaac to
Memorandum.

The Court, value the said Isaac to

Be it remembered that Thomas Williford and
John the Recorder, here in Court acknowledged that
James P. Preston Esq. Governor and Chief Magistrate
Thomas Williford in the sum of one hundred dollars
and James Fort each in the sum of fifty dollars
Prisoner goods and chattels to be levied in the said
the sum of the Commonwealth's reasons. Yet upon
Thomas Williford who personally appeared before the
of Southampton at this Court house on the 11th day
and there to appear by and perform the now of
without the oath of that Court or by any Court
to the voice otherwise so remain in full force and
Ordered that the Court be adjourned to
Signed

Done