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Laurens A. Larkins
against
Richard Vick

Complainant

Defendant

Joseph Am. Dyer

This day came the Pet. by his Counsel, and on his account and ordered that in Term Yarian be awarded him in the name of Richard P. Clements Sheriff and Committee of the State of Mississippi returnable here &c.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until Court in Term
Signed Laurens Cook
Tert

A. M. Middleton p.c.

At a Court of Oyer and Terminer summoned and held for the County of Southampton on the 19th day of May 1818 for the trial of Willis a negro man slave the property of Simon Sumner of this County charged with the murder of Samuel Bailey late of this County.

Present Laurens Cook, Benj^d. Cobb, Benj^d. Griffin

M. Johnston, Benjamin Griffin & Th^d. Pellow

The Court being thus constituted, the prisoner was set to bail by the Sheriff of this County into whose Custody he was hereby committed, charged with the murder aforesaid, and being arraigned, and upon his arraignment pled, not guilty and put himself upon God and this Court, whereupon oaths were sworn and examined on behalf of the Commonwealth, to the premises. To wit, Polly Niggin and Patsy Deloach, the Court after hearing the testimony fully, as well as of the testimony attending the case and of opinion, that the prisoner is not guilty of the murder whereof he stands charged, and proclamation being made as the manner is and nothing further appearing or being against the prisoner it is ordered that he be forthwith released from his imprisonment and this prosecution.

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At a Court of quarter Session on the 15th day of June 1818

Present Thomas Pellow
Benj^d. W. Johnston

On the motion of Collins M. with John Barham and James Jackson a bond in the Penalty of Three thousand and no Certificate is granted the said b. administration on the Estate of Dawson Barnes who had the first right to qualify his right to do so.

Levi Waller foreman, Samuel Wallace, Harmon Stephenson, River Bank Pond, Samuel Doughtery, Abraham G. Gorge Whetzel, Richard B. Day Giles, Patterson Edwards William Francis, James and John Hargrave being affirmed, a Court of this County, after receiving their charge some time returned into Court and presented of the road from Jones Ferry to the high not keeping the same in repair according Henry Patoner and Abraham Garmet.

Mills Benson for Selling by retail of Apple brandy on the 19th of May 1818 and within the jurisdiction of this Court having obtained a tavern license for that purpose, sworn in Court as a witness to give Knight, by the name of Lewis, to retail of Apple brandy on the plantation May 1818 by the information of Willis