

enabled to get to three grist mills by going from 3 to 4 miles whereas they have to go from 9 to 12 miles to get to said mills. The inconvenience to the public will be the building of three bridges which will cost from one hundred to one hundred & forty dollars, the opening of the road from 2 to 3 miles will be through the hands of Thomas Williamson the orphan of Nehemiah Lewis & Lewis Fort which will be attended with no inconvenience to the said parties. We think the total expense to the public will amount to two hundred dollars. Which in complying with the said annexed orders we do humbly submit the above to the Honorable County Court of Southampton Lewis Fort, Edward Reese, James Myrick. And it is ordered that James Myrick, Joseph William, Arthur Williamson, Lewis Fort & Edward Reese or any three of them let to the lowest undertaker the opening said road and building a bridge over the three creeks where the road will cross the same, provided that not more than two hundred dollars shall be given for the performance of said work and that they make report thereof to Court.

The persons appointed to superintend the Election of Overseers of the Poor for the upper district of Saint Lukes Parish, this day reported that no election was held. Therefore it is ordered that Henry M. Clapham, Samuel Richardson & Arthur Williamson be appointed Overseers of the Poor for said district and that they be summoned to the next Court to qualify as such.

The persons appointed to superintend the Election of Overseers of the Poor for the Lower District of Stottomay Parish this day reported that no election was held. Therefore it is ordered that Jesse Lankford, Wells Murfee, & Owen Parks be appointed Overseers of the Poor in said District and that they be summoned to the next Court to qualify as such.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned till Court in course.
The minutes of the foregoing proceedings were signed by John C. Gray
Teste James Rochelle