

to be void or else to remain in full force & virtue

Clement Rockwell

At a court summoned and held for the county of Southampton on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of June 1826 for the punishment of Thomas E. Brock, who stands charged with having on the 1<sup>st</sup> of March 1826 feloniously taken, stealing and carrying away one cow of the value of five dollars of the goods and chattels of Benj<sup>n</sup> Motes. The court being thus constituted the prisoner was set to the bar by the sheriff of this county into whose custody he was heretofore committed and charged with the felony aforesaid and thereupon divers witnesses were sworn and examined on behalf of the count. Touching the premises to wit, James Blythe, Benj<sup>n</sup> Motes. The court after hearing the testimony and all the circumstances of the case are of opinion that the prisoner is not guilty and thereupon proclamation being made as the manner is and nothing further appearing or being alleged against the prisoner it is ordered that he be forthwith discharged from further prosecution in this behalf.

Clement Rockwell

At a court summoned and held for the county of Southampton on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of June 1826 for the punishment of Patrick Sammonton who stands charged with having on the 27<sup>th</sup> of March 1826 stolen and carried away from Ned a Negro Man Slave the property of Edward Reese one north Carolina Bank note of the value of one dollar.

Pres<sup>t</sup> Clement Rockwell, Benj<sup>n</sup> Devany, Thomas Pettow, Robt. Goodwyn & Mr. E. Daughton Gent. The court being thus constituted the prisoner was set to the bar by the sheriff of this county into whose custody he was heretofore committed and charged with the felony aforesaid and thereupon divers witnesses were sworn and examined on behalf of the count. Touching the premises to wit, William Doyle. The court after hearing the testimony and all the circumstances of the case are of opinion that the prisoner is not guilty and thereupon proclamation being made as the manner is and nothing further being alleged against the prisoner it is ordered that he be forthwith discharged from further prosecution in this behalf.

Clement Rockwell

At a court of Quarter Session held for the county of Southampton on the 19<sup>th</sup> of June 1826.

Pres<sup>t</sup> Mr. B. Goodwyn, Elias Sammonton, Benj<sup>n</sup> Buffin, James D. Moapenbury Gent. Ordered that the rule against Littleberry Mowson for not attending as a witness on behalf of the count as Taylor be discharged.

William Jones, well proved & R. E. G. qualified who gave bond & security.

Ordered that David Buffin, Joshua Whitney, John Bowers & Isaac Rowe or any 3 appraise said estate.

Committed in Madocks Debt Stephen Monaghan \$10.00 payment.

Edwin B. Claude Foreman, Joseph Dawney Jr. Edwin Pettow, Thomas Daughton, Benj<sup>n</sup> Devany, Henry Abney, Miles Barnett, James Taylor, Thomas Newman, Henry Rindes, George Rawlings, Shadrach Vaughan, Saml. Stephenson, Benj<sup>n</sup> Branch, Ely Snynor, Patrick Pons, John Nick, Ezekiel Bradshaw, Johnson Pops, Thomas Pons, Jonathan Auster, William Lawrence & James Williams Gent. were sworn a grand jury of Inquest upon the body of this county after receiving their charge were sent out of court and after some time returned on court and presented as follows. See presentments.

Ordered that the proper process issue against the several persons presented during this term returnable here at August court next.

Saml. Dawney well proved by 1 writ of court.

Ordered that the rule against Benj<sup>n</sup> Phipps for failing to attend at March court last as a witness for bond in Mr. Claude be discharged.