At a court summoned and held for the County of Southampton on the 14th day of November 1826 for the examination of Henry Denow who stands charged with falsely making forging and counterfeiting & causing and procuring to be falsely made ~~and~~ forged and counterfeited a certain writing for the payment of money being a paper of the value to wit of the sum of Four Dollars and twenty five cents dated the 20th day of June 1818 purporting to be signed by one James Philips and made payable to the said Henry Denow for the purpose of injuring and defrauding the said James Philips —

Pres.t Benj.a Griffin, Wm. E. Daughtrey, Wm. L. Everitt, Wm. Picks, & James W. Parker Gent.

The court being thus constituted the prisoner Henry Denow appeared in court according to the condition of his recognizance entered into and thereupon the securities for his appearance from their recognizance and undertaking in this behalf are discharged and the said Henry Denow was set to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this county and charged with the offence aforesaid and thereupon James Philips a witness was sworn and examined on behalf of the Commonwealth touching the premises ~~to wit~~ ~~James Philips~~ ——— The court after hearing the testimony and all the circumstances of the case are unanimous of opinion that the prisoner is not guilty of the offence aforesaid whereof he stands charged and thereupon proclamation being made as the manner is and nothing further appearing or being alledged against the prisoner it is ordered that he be forthwith discharged from further prosecution in this behalf

Benj. Griffin

At a court of quarter session held for the county of Southampton on the 20th day of November 1826

Pres.t Newit Harris, Clements Rochelle, Benj.a Griffin & Benj.a Delaney Gent

Drewry Bryants will ~~presented~~ The hand writing of Alsia Beale a subscribing witness thereto being proved by Drewry Beale. It is ordered that the said will be recorded as to the personal estate of said Drewry Bryant — Eor qualifies who gave bond & sec.s

Lewis Potts will & codicil proved by the witnesses & Re Eor qualifies who gave bond & sec.s

Ordered that Alexander P. Peete, Thomas Applewhite, Henry Mason & Wm. B. Mason or any three appraise said estate

Benj.a Cobb's will and codicil presented in court & it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that as well the body of said writing as the signature thereto is in the proper hand writing of said Benj.a Cobb Therefore it is ordered that the same be established as and for the last will & Testament of said Benj.a Cobb dec.d which is Re - Lewis Cobb Eor thereto qualified & gave bond & sec.s acc.g to law

Ordered that Peter Simmons, Zebulon L. Simmons, John Denegre & James Rochelle or any 3 appraise said estate —

~~Ordered that Lewis Cobb Eor of Benj.a Cobb dec.d~~ ordered that ~~Transfer~~ the Indentures binding Ben, Tom, Cady & Harriott children of Mina Crocker and Sife a child of Amy Crocker & Hac, Sam, & Martin children of Sally Browne to Benj.a Cobb be by his Eor transferred to Mr Lewis Cobb which is ordered accordingly

James W. vs Briggs adm. Cby Rep.t not.a & final decree by consent

Absent Benj.a Griffin Pres.t Robt. Goodwyn Gent

Louisa Bradham's will proved & Re Eor.tx qualified who gave bond & sec.s

Ordered that George G. Gurley and John Thomas settle an account of William Flora adm. of the estate of Richard H. Flora dec.d and make report to this Court

Ordered that Allen Edwards, Matthew Joyner, Lewis Joyner & Jesse Joyner or any 3 appraise Louisa Bradham's dt. & rep.t

Absent Robert Goodwyn Pres.t Benj.a Griffin Gent