

of a considerable amount for the sum of thirty four dollars & 75 cts and we
being satisfied that the said Nathan M. Laughlin has executed & completed the same accord-
ing to his contract & understanding entered into with us the Commissioners who
have examined & read the same do hereby our hands this 16th of May 1836
do which is respectfully submitted to the honorable Court of Southamptⁿ Dor.
as I have signed below.

have that the present N^o 3 for procuring Lanes in this County, be ordered into
in private, and that Thomas Fitzhugh and Benjamin Lamb do possession all the
lands lying east of the Buckhorn Swamp, Notaway River, the Indian line & the main
road, sometimes called the back road, that they take and return to Court an account of
any persons since the shall possession, of the persons present at this time, and what lands
at the said private they shall find to possess and the particular reason of each failure.

On the petition of David Greene, who produced the Sheriff's receipt for the tax imposed
by law and gave bond with Samuel Pollock his security in the penalty of one hun-
dred and fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs, a license is granted him to keep
a dwelling at his house in possession until the next May term of this Court. The
Court being satisfied that the said David Greene is a man of good character and not
addicted to drinking or gaming.

An authenticated copy of the last Will and Testament of Seth R. Strong, decd was produced
in Court, and ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of Nathan Parsons, one of
the executors therein named, who made oath and gave bond in the penalty of thirty thousand
dollars conditioned as the law directs, a license is granted him for obtaining a probat of
said Will in due form; the Will directing that no security should be given, the Court
requiring none. Time is allowed for the Executors to qualify when they think fit.

Ordered that John M. Early, James H. Debell, Nicholas M. Debell and Jesse S. Barkham or any
three of them being first duly sworn before a Justice of the peace for that purpose do
appraise the real and personal estate of Seth R. Strong decd and return the appraisement
under their hands to this Court.

The last Will and Testament of Mason Simmons decd. was proved by the affirmation of
Daniel M. Simmons a Witness thereto and continued.

Benjamin Barnes, Robert T. Barnes, Mamatake N Barnes, and Martha B and
Jacob D. Barnes infant children of Benjamin Barnes decd and Richard Barnes
son of Richard B. Barnes decd, who son of said Benjamin Barnes decd and
Anna and William Barrett children of Mary Barrett decd formerly Barnes &
daughters of said Benjamin decd
against
Sims Barnes

In Chancery
Left.

This day came the parties by their counsel, and the Commissioners appointed by
a Statute in this case at March Court 1836, to sell the Lands
of which Benjamin Barnes decd was possessed, made the following Report, to wit. "Agree-
ably to an order of the County Court of Southamptⁿ Dor. do directed dated March Court
1836 and hereunto annexed, we the undersigned Commissioners as expressed in said order
after giving sufficient public notice of this time and place of sale have sold the tract

of Land lying in this County
three months from the 31st
became the purchaser, for the
we have received from him
sale of said land, less a
we have taken bonds with
one hundred and sixteen dollars
seventy of the \$816.00, leave
one bond for two hundred and
N. Barnes being three ninths
less, seventy one & half cents
for Maria & William Barrett
one for, Martha B Barnes,
bonds over to the following
have their receipts for the
with for one half of the
and Mamatake N. Barnes
comes to lawful age or have
the Court. View under our
him Bryant, Davis Bryant
are given in manner and form
forever binding between the

A Deed of bargain and sale
of Barnham and Henry Kin
to be recorded.

An account of Elizabeth
ordered to be recorded.

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A Report of Procuring

Elizabeth both is, by the Court
of Jonathan Scott decd, and
Elisha Jager her daughter in
hundred dollars conditioned as

On the petition of Henry H.
of Martha, Anne Sally & Anne
the said Henry H. Bond good
of fifteen hundred dollars, to be
his entire indemnity against any
sustained in consequence of his
said. And therefore, the said
in the manner required of her
as such, with the intent of