The Court doth assign Allen Edwards guardian to Susanna, Charles A. Bland and Matthew Joyner orphans of Matthew Joyner deceased who together with James W. Hunter and James Clayton his securities entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of fifteen thousand dollars conditioned according to Law.

Ordered that Herbert Lawrence, Jesse L. Bailey, Henry Booth and Thomas J. Drumright or any three of them being first duly sworn before a Justice of the Peace for that purpose do appraise all the personal and real estate of Lewis A. Branch which is shown may be produced or shown and return the appraisement under their hands to Court.

The Court certifies that it appears to them from the evidence of William W. Butler a respectable witness that Lewis Story who is reputed to have been a Soldier in the Revolution died in this County intestate on the 26th day of April 1839 leaving a widow named Milly Story.

James Rowe who stands bound by recognizance for his appearance here to answer the complaint of Wiley Joyner against him for a breach of the peace this day appeared according to the recognizance the said Wiley Joyner and sundry witnesses were sworn and examined on the said James Rowe fully heard. On consideration whereof it seems to the Court here and is accordingly ordered that the said complaint be dismissed and that the said Wiley Joyner pay the costs of the prosecution.

Present. Henning T. Smith, William L. Barrett, Jesse Parker, Joseph T. Bland, James Magee, Samuel Brown, William A. Spark, Nicholas W. Edwards, James Clayton, Samuel B. Weeks & Edwin B. Bland. Esqrs.

The Court proceeded to lay the Levy according to Law a majority of the acting magistrates being present.

The County of Southampton

To William C. Parker attorney for the Commonwealth in this Court for his fees		$
" Littleton R. Edwards Clerk for his services since from Court last		
" The Sheriff ditto	ditto	
" Jailor ditto	ditto	
" Benjamin Barrow Surveyor of a road		
" John Whitehead ditto		
" Jesse Lane ditto		

And the Court for good cause being unable to proceed with the levy the further levying thereof is continued till the next Court.

Ordered that the Sheriff summon all the acting Justices of this County to the first day of the next Court to lay the County Levy.

An Inventory and Appraisement of the estate of Temperance Collier dec'd was returned and ordered to be recorded.