

J. W. Friend who has been duly licensed to practice the law in the Courts of this Commonwealth on his motion has leave to practice in this Court. And thereupon he took the oath required by law.

The Commissioners heretofore appointed to let to the lowest undertaker the repairs or rebuilding of the Bridge near Blons Mill this day made a report in these words to wit: "We the Commissioners have examined the Dry weather Bridge near Blons mill run, and find it according to the Specification a good and serviceable job. and have received same." Commissioners. July 20 1873.

William B. Saunders
Nat. T. Almon
William J. Jones

On consideration whereof the Court ratifies & confirms the said report.

The Commissioners heretofore appointed to let to the lowest undertaker the repairs of Pettways bridge across the three creeks this day made a report in these words to wit: "We the undersigned Commissioners do hereby report to the Hon. County Court of St. Croix that we have inspected Pettways bridge across the three creeks & find it repaired according to contract by Mr. H. Gualtney for one hundred dollars & received July 10 1873. E. C. Hays Mr. B. Saunders Thos. A. Belk" On consideration whereof the Court ratifies and confirms the said report.

Ordered that James M. Corbett County Treasurer, out of the County levy pay Mr. H. Gualtney agent for Mr. B. Westbrook one hundred dollars for rebuilding Dry weather bridge near Blons Mill

Ordered that James M. Corbett County Treasurer out of the County levy pay Mr. H. Gualtney one hundred dollars for repairs to Pettways bridge across the three creeks

The Last Will and Testament of Jas. D. H. Drewry was proved by the oaths of Albert L. Francis John L. Person & John W. Francis the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Cornelius Diggs who stands indicted of Rape this day appeared in Court in discharge of his recognizance entered into at the last Term of this Court and was set to the Bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County and being thereof arraigned pleaded not guilty to the Indictment and a panel of sixteen persons summoned by the Sheriff by examined by the Court and found free from all legal exception and qualified to serve as jurors according to law. Thereupon the accused peremptorily challenged four of the jurors and the remaining twelve jurors to wit Samuel Ferguson, Mr. Myrick, Walter S. Darden, Albert Francis Jas. T. Hill, Lewis Marks, Mr. Whitehead, Eley Bryant, Orris Charles, E. L. Feltz, John Person, Nicholas Whitehead & John Braxton were selected tried and sworn the truth of and upon the promise to speak and having heard the evidence upon their oaths do say "We the jury impaneled to try the case of the Commonwealth against Cornelius Diggs find a verdict of not guilty" And thereupon proclamation being made as the manner is and nothing being offered or alleged against him it is ordered that the said Cornelius Diggs be discharged from custody.