

Passes ye 11th of May 1749
Recd. with Colo. Lec's Lettr dated ye
6th Novr. 1749
Recd. March ye 19th 1749/50
Sent to Mr. Lamb May ye 21st 1750
Recd. back Feb. ye 8th 1750/1
No Objection.
Great Seal of Virga.
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SOUTHAMPTON ORDER BOOK One.

At the house of Elizabeth Ricks in the County of Southampton on Thursday the 8th day of June 1749. A Commission of the Peace and Dedimus from the Honorable Lieutenant Governor under the Seal of this Colony bearing date the twentieth day of May 1749, directed to John Person and others was produced and read. John Person and Joseph Gray took the oaths of a Justice of the Peace and Judge in Chancery administered to them by Jesse Brown and Benjamin Simmons and then the said John Person and Joseph Gray administered the oath to Nathaniel Ridley, Thomas Jarrell, Etheldred Taylor, Howell Edmonds, Benjamin Ruffin, the said Jesse Brown and Benjamin Simmons, Albridgeton Jones, James Ridley, Peter Butts, Samuel Blow and Thomas Williamson.

Richard Kello produced a commission to be Clerk of the County

Benjamin Ruffin, Gent, produced a commission to be Sheriff

Thomas Jarrell and Peter Butts produced commissions to be Coroners.

Benjamin Branch, Arthur Arrington, Joseph Cobb, Samuel Kindred and John Bowen appointed by the Court to be Constables.

Richard Murphey, James Jones, Benjamin Britt and Thomas Clarke appointed Constables.

Thomas Jarrell, Jr. and Henry Edmonds sworn in as Undersheriffs.