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Defa Oct 9 79

Wm Ettenborough — Plaintiff
vs — Ζ Du Debt
Butler Bispeau — Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One Hundred and one dollars and Eighty five cents with interest thereon from the 11th day of June 1876 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

Costs $7.55
Defa 9th Oct 1879

Wm Ettenborough — Plaintiff
vs — Ζ Du Debt
David L Banner & Caroline Hamilton — Defends

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Two hundred and Sixteen dollars and ninety cents with interest from the 26th February 1877 till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

Costs $7.45
Defa 9th Oct 1879

Daniel Rahilly — Plaintiff
vs — Ζ Du Debt
A S Decker — Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One Hundred and seventy dollars with legal interest thereon from the 18th day of May 1879 till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Costs $7.45
Defa 9th Oct 1879

Seminon Shull assignee of Ann A Shull — Plaintiff
vs — Ζ Du Debt
Mary E Coleman — Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Three Hundred dollars with legal interest thereon from the 29th day of November 1864 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Costs $7.45
Fa 9th Oct 1879

Alexander Hamilton — Plaintiff
vs — Ζ Du Debt
B. B. Decker — Defendant

This day Came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action. Wherefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Sixty dollars with interest from the 25th day of February 1879 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

Costs $7.45
Fifa 9th Oct 1879

Robert A Martin & Robert R. Hill late merchants & partners Trading under the firm & style of Robert A Martin & Co. Plaintiffs

vs

Jno H. Slate Defendant

This day Came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action. Wherefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Sixty dollars and two Cents with interest from the 24th day of May 1876 till paid And also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended

Costs $7.85
Fifa 9th Oct 1879

Wm D Young sometimes called Wm D Young Guardian of Drury D Young Plaintiffs

vs

Wm D Barnes & D L Barnes Defts

This day Came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action. Wherefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Two Hundred dollars with legal interest thereon from the 1st day of January 1879 till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

Judgment Confessed Dec 6th 1879

Costs $3.65
Fifa 6th Dec 1879

Wm Ettenborough Plaintiff

vs

B.G. Berjeau Defendant

This day Came the parties in their own proper person and the defendant acknowledged the plaintiff action for the sum of One Hundred and Ninety two dollars and ninety five Cents with interest thereon from the 6th day of December 1879 till paid. Wherefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of One hundred and Ninety two dollars and ninety five cents with costs of suit and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Judgments Confessed February 16th 1880.

Costs $6.95 — M. S. T. Davis vs D. Thomas partners Trading as M. S. T. Davis & Co. — Plaintiffs

In Debt.

vs

E. J. Williams — Deft

This day came the parties in their own proper persons and the defendant acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the sum of Forty nine dollars and Eighty three cents with interest on $16.61 apart thereof from 5th day of April 1878. on $16.61 another part thereof from 5th day of May 1878. on $16.61 the residue thereof from 4th day of June 1878 till paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of Forty nine dollars and Eighty three cents with interest as aforesaid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Costs $6.75 — Edward Whyte Trading as Shatton & Co. — Plaintiff,

In Debt

vs

E. J. Williams — Deft

This day came the parties in their own proper persons and the defendant acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the sum of One Hundred and three dollars with legal interest thereon from the 19th day of April 1878 till paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of One Hundred and three dollars with interest as aforesaid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Virginia

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Wednesday the 7th day of April 1880 and of the Commonwealth the 104th.

Present Hon S S Heisiger Judge

B Wm. Kennedy Dan Pl Pltff
Cal
Williamson Def Special
On the motion of the Plaintiff it is ordered that the above case be continued

Mayo Adms Pltff
&
Merritt J N Def } On case

Same Pltff
&
Merritt S L Def } On case
Ordered that the above cases be dismissed

T A Parker Pltff
&
J S. & H McKenney Def } In Debt
Agreed that the above case be dismissed agreed

Gordon & Anderson Pltff
&
Wm M Nevitt Def } In Debt

This day came the defendant by his attorney and filed a plea in the nature of a plea of set off to which the plaintiff files a demurrer & the defendant joins in the demurrer and thereupon the matter of law arising upon the Plaintiffs demurrer & the Defendants plea being argued & seen to the Court. Here the said plea and the matter therein contained are not sufficient in law to bar the Plaintiff from having and maintaining his action against the defendant. Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One Hundred & ten dollars with interest thereon from the 1st Day of April 1879 the debt in the declaration mentioned and his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

And the said defendant saying &c

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be fined out of the County Treasury the following amounts Lovick. P. H. Davis $1. Jno Fitzgerald $1. Hardy Summers $1. L. E. Abernathy $1. Henry Madison $1. B. M. Crowder $1. B. F. Mitchell $1. James Lovick $1. J. E. Watkins $1. E. H. Gurley $1. W. T. Smith $1. J. E. Hale $1. B. F. Mitchell $1. C. J. Brown $1.

Allison v Addison. Plaintiff
&
Henry Cousins. Defts } Ds Debt.

On the motion of the Plaintiff by their Attorney it is ordered that the above case be dismissed the defendant to pay the costs.

Richard Mason R. H. Kearns who were summoned here on this day as Petit Jurors and failing to appear it is ordered that that they appear here on the first day of the next term of the Court to show cause if any they can why they should not be fined.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow 10 oclk.

James J. Strange

Thursday June 8th 1880.

Present Hon J. J. Strange Judge.

Copied

The Court doth allow to Branch & Epes Attorneys for the Commonwealth the sum allowed by Law for his services as such during the case six months.

Copied

The Court doth allow to Henry Cousins Sheriff the sum of eight dollars it being two dollars per day for himself and one Deputy two days during this term.

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The Court doth allow to Henry Cousins Jailor the sum allowed by Law for his services as such during six months. To C. H. Cousins Sheriff court Room of the Courthouse the sum of four dollars for furnishing wood during this term of the Court.

J. R. Lowe. Plaintiff
& Expenses &c.
J. A. Bishop. Defd
The motion of A. Bishop for a new trial in this case coming on to be heard upon the papers and argument of counsel and the Court being of opinion that there is no error in the judgment complained of it is considered by the Court that the said motion be overruled and that the said judgment be affirmed.

Ordered that the cause be adjourned to the first day of the next term

Jasn. J. Heisinger

Offer Judgment Confirmed April 8th 1880.

Cert. #871 Isaac S. Kuler, Esq. who sues for the benefit of Alexander Denman Plaintiff's
vs. In Debt
Wm B. Strand, J. F. Hadden & B. C. Wells Defendants

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff's action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Fifty dollars with legal interest thereon from the 7th day of November 1876 the date and also their cost by them about their suit in their behalf expended.

Cert. #849 Southern Petroleum Co Plaintiff
vs. In Debt
D. C. Fowler & E. J. Fowler Defts.

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney and the defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff's action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Two Hundred and One dollars and Thirty Cents with legal interest thereon from the 11th day of May 1877 the date and also its Cost by it about its suit in this behalf expended. But this judgment is subject to the following Credit Cert. #30 dated May 11th 1877 & #29.50 date Aug. 25th.

Cert. #851 J. C. Bain for A. Denman Plaintiff
vs. In Case
John L. Scott Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff's action. Therefore it is considered by the Court. that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Sixty dollars with legal interest thereon from the 1st day of January 1879 the date & also his Cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended

Virginia. In the Supreme Court of Appeals held at the State Courthouse in the City of Richmond on Tuesday the 22 day of April 1880.

Joseph B. Strand. Plaintiff } Upon a writ
against } of error and
George A Connelly and Martha D his wife. William Walker and Robert W Walker. Defendants } Supersedeas
to a judgment rendered by the Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie on the 6th day of October 1876. This day came again the parties by their Counsel and the Court having maturely considered the Transcript of the record of the judgment aforesaid and the arguments of Counsel, is of opinion for reasons stated in writing and filed with the record that there is no error in the said judgment. It is therefore considered by the Court that the same be affirmed, and that the defendants in error recover against the plaintiff in error damages according to law and their costs by them about their defence herein expended which is ordered to be certified to the said Circuit Court of Dinwiddie.

A Copy Test.

Defendants Costs in
Court of Appeals $73.49

Geo K. Taylor Clk

Certified 13th Sept 1880.

Judgment Confessed September 16th 1880.

Cost $8.20 The Southern Fertilizer Co. Plaintiff
to
John L Dunn. Deft } In Debt -

This day came the plaintiff by their Attorney and the defendant in his own proper person and acknowledges the plaintiff action for the sum of fifty four dollars with interest thereon from the 30th day of May 1876 the bond. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of fifty four dollars with interest thereon aforesaid and also the costs of this suit.

Virginia

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Tuesday the 5th day of October 1880 and of the Commonwealth the 105th

Present Hon. S. S. Heiskell Judge

On the Motion of A M Organ Clerk of this Court V W Kuder is permitted to qualify as his Deputy whereupon the said Kuder appeared in Court and took the oath required by law

Ly B Nicholas Plaintiff
against
Chas Gerecke Defe
} In Trespass.

This day came the Defendant by his attorney and filed a General Demurrer not general & the Statute of Limitations to the plaintiff declaration

Ly B Nicholas Plaintiff
6
Chas Gerecke Defe
} In Trespass.

This day came the Defendant by his attorney and withdrew his general Demurrer to the plaintiff declaration and thereupon the case is continued under the next term of the Court

Southern Fertilizing Co Plaintiff
6
B. W. Ford Defe
} In Debt

Ordered that the above case be dismissed agreed

Morgan & McIlwaine Plaintiff
6
Ly A Rose Defe
} In Debt

This day came the Defe by her attorney and filed her separate plea a bar of offset to the plaintiffs declaration to which the plaintiff replies generally after which thereupon issue

Dame Plaintiff
6
Rose & Hanes Defe
} In Debt

This day came the Defendants by their Counsel and filed their separate plea a bar of offset to the plaintiffs declaration & which the plaintiffs

replied generally & issue was thereupon joined

J M King Exr of J J Mitchell Plaintiff
} In Debt
vs
C M Hardaway Defdt

This day came the Defendant by her Attorney and files a plea of offset to the plaintiffs declaration & last payment to which the plaintiff replied generally issue joined & the plaintiff by his Attorney & also the Statute of limitations to the plaintiffs offset

J M King Executor of J J Mitchell dec'd Plaintiff
vs 3
C M Hardaway Defdt

This day came the parties by their Attorneys and neither party requiring a jury Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff for the sum of Fifty Dollars with legal interest thereon from the 18th day of September 1871 till paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the said sum of Fifty dollars with legal interest thereon as aforesaid and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended. The defdt by counsel moved the Court to set aside the judgment & grant her a new trial which motion the Court doth overrule. Whereupon the Case is continued until the next term of the Court

O B Morgan & W B McElwaine late partners under the name and Style of Morgan & McElwaine who sue for the benefit of W B McElwaine. Plaintiff
vs
B F Rose & George House Defdt

This day came the parties by their Attorneys and thereupon came the following Jury towit G A Williamson J Breese A G Horstick T W Walker R Eborle C Kell James Neser T A Richards Wm Beaulieu R S Chappell & J Ennis Jurors who selected tried and sworn reports the following verdict towit We the Jury find for the plaintiff Sixty dollars and fifty cents with interest thereon from the 4th day of November 1873 ~~the date~~ and interest in the declaration mentioned. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of Sixty dollars with legal interest thereon as aforesaid and also his cost by him about his suit in his behalf expended

The same Plaintiff
} In Debt
vs
Geo A Rose Defendant

This day came the parties by their Attorneys and neither party desiring a jury Judgment by the Court in favor of the 31

plaintiff for the sum of Seventy five dollars with legal interest thereon from the 4th day of November 1877 till paid, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defts the said sum of Seventy five dollars with legal interest thereon as aforesaid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Ordered that the following persons be allowed the sum of one dollar each for their services at this term of this Court to wit Jurors of County Court by A Williamson J Brown A J Northcutt D W Watson R L Cobb Wm James Keener B F Chappell T H Hutchens Wm Marlow R S Chappell Jas A Perry W J Bevill

Ordered that this Court be adjourned until tomorrow 10 o'clk

Jami J Strainger

Wednesday October 6th 1880

Present Hon J J Strainger Judge

Ordered that Wm A Webb be appointed Trustee for Tabernacle Church in the County of Dimmit in place of C W Cole dec.

Ordered that Wm R McKenney be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner in Chancery of the Circuit Court of Dimmit County in place of P Blevins resigned Whereupon said McKenney appeared in Court and took the oath required by law.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning 10 o'clock

Jami J Strainger

Wednesday October 7th 1880.

Present Hon S S Heisinger Judge.

The Court doth allow to Branch J Epes Attorney for the Commonwealth the sum allowed by law for his services as such during the last six months.

The Court doth allow to Henry Cousins Sheriff the sum of Twelve Dollars & Fifty cents being ten dollars per day for himself and two Deputies five days himself one day attending the Term of the Court.

The Court doth allow to Henry Cousins Jailer the sum allowed by law for his services as such during the last six months & to Henry Cousins Sheriff & Keeper of Co. furnishing coals and &c. during that time the sum of ten dollars.

The Court doth allow to A M Organ Clerk of this Court the sum of Thirty Dollars for his services as such during the last 12 months.

On the motion of R H James Jr Commissioner &c the Estate of Phil Walker deceased is committed to the hands of Henry Cousins Sheriff of Winnebago County for administration according to law it appearing to the Court that the said Walker has been dead more than three months and no one has applied for administration.

Ordered that Ed Chambers R S Major J B Scott & E Morgrave & R A Lewis appraise said estate.

~~Ordered that A M Organ be and he is hereby appointed.~~

Thos R Dew — Plaintiff

vs

J A Bishop — Defdt

This day came the Defendant J A Bishop by his attorney, Judgment by the Court in favor of the defendant for the sum of Thirty four dollars & 50 cts with interest on $5.00 part thereof from 9th Oct 1875 with interest on $5.00 another part thereof from 9th Oct 1875 with interest on $5.00 part from 1st Jan 1877 & on $38.00 the residue thereof from 8th February 1876. The said Plaintiff therefore it is considered by the Court that the defendant recover against the Plaintiff said sum of Thirty four dollars & fifty cents with interest on aforesaid ratio his costs by him about his defense of this suit expended.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the 1st day of the next term.

Sam'l S Heisinger

Office Judgments Confirmed October 7th 1880.

$7.05 Cts. — Augustus Wright — Plaintiff — Fi Fa In Debt.
vs
W C King — Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum Fifty one dollars and seventy cents with legal interest thereon from the 21st day of February 1878 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

JJ

Costs $7.05 — O B Morgan & W B McElvaine late partners under the firm and Style of Morgan & McElvaine — Plaintiffs — Fi Fa In Debt.
vs
M S Ramsey — Defendant

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of Fifty Dollars and Fifty cents with interest thereon from 23d day of February 1879 till paid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

JJ

$7.70 Costs — Same — Plaintiffs — Fi Fa In Debt.
vs
D C Bowden — Defendant

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorneys and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of Forty six dollars and Ninety six cents with legal interest thereon from the 1st day of December 1879 till paid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

JJ

Costs $7.65 — John Mercer — Plaintiff — Fi Fa In Debt.
vs
O S Ingram — Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Two hundred Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per centum per annum from the 27th day of October 1879 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

JJ

Cost $7.45

Thos N. Allen. Richd N Allen Jr. Thos N Allen Jr and Henry Allen.
Partners under the firm and Style of Thos N Allen & Co. Plaintiffs
vs
In Debt
R N Roberts. Defts

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorneys and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of Eight Hundred and two dollars and forty six cents with interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 30th day of October 1876 till paid. And also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. But this judgment is subject to the following credits Viz. Dec 26th 1876. By exchange $1.13 $58.74 paid Feby 28/78 & $51.43 paid March 7th 1878. and
✓✓ also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

$8.55
Cost

Thos Lemmon. Plaintiff
vs
In Debt
Caroline Carter. Susan A Hartwell formerly Susan A Hardaway & H J Heartwell. Defts.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Sixty three dollars & thirty four cents with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 1st day of January 1876 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this
✓✓ behalf expended.

Cost $8.60

Same. Plaintiffs
vs
In Debt
Susan A Hartwell & H J Heartwell. Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and twenty four dollars and ninety two cents with interest thereon from the 2nd day of January 1878 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this
✓✓ behalf expended.

Cost $9.45

Geo R. Staley. Frank Kemp & A S Dewall merchants
partners trading under the name & firm of Staley Kemp & Co.
vs
E J Williams.

This day came the plaintiff by their Attorney & the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and two dollars with legal interest thereon from the 2nd day of November 1877 till paid and also their costs by them

about this suit in this behalf expended Subject to credit of $10.00 Fifty dollars
√ paid Nov 2nd 1877

Cost $8.05 The Southern Telegraph Co Plaintiff
vs
T.C. Bowden & C.G. Zehmer Defts

This day came the plaintiff by its Attorney and the defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Twenty seven dollars and fifty cents with legal interest thereon from the 11th day of May 1876
√ till paid and also the cost of this suit

Chas Root Howard A Dickerson and John A Bradbury
Merchants and partners trading under the firm name of
Charles Root & Co Plaintiff
vs
Cost $7.25 Stephen A Sage Defts

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Five hundred and fifty five dollars and ninety seven cents with interest thereon from February 6th 1877 till paid unless their cost by them about their suit in their behalf expended ~~$15.00 Cost, recovered by the plaintiff in the Circuit Court for the County of Ionia~~ but this
√ judgment is subject to credit of $100.00 paid 4th February 1877

Cost $8.05 C A Foster admr DBN of W B Foster dec'd Plaintiff
vs
Susan Harper admx of N M Harper dec'd Defts

This day came the plaintiff by her attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Seven hundred and fifty seven dollars and twenty two cents with interest thereon from the 5th day of December 1878 till paid & a levy of the goods and Chattels of the decedent in the hands of the defendant if
√ so much thereof the testator be sufficient

Judgment Confessed in the Clerks Office November 15th 1880.

Cert filed

T J Jarratt
Exr
vs
R H Webb.

Plaintiff
3 d/ Debt
Deft

This day came as well the Plaintiff by his attorney as the defendant by Mr P Tucker his attorney and thereupon the said defendant by his attorney aforesaid acting under a power of attorney under the hand and seal of the defendant, acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the sum of Two Hundred and seven dollars & sixty four cents with legal interest thereon from the 4th day of November 1880 till paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of Two Hundred and seven dollars and sixty four cents with legal interest thereon as aforesaid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

vv

State of Virginia City of Petersburg to wit
In Vacation March 8th 1881.

Charles W Harris is hereby appointed a Commissioner in Chancery for the Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie and he thereupon qualified as such before me by taking and subscribing the oath required by law.

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie.

Jno. S Wise jr
Dpt A M Organ c.

Virginia At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Thursday the 7th day of April 1881 and of the Commonwealth the 105th

Present Hon S. S. Heisinger Judge.

Kennedy Dent Plaintiff
vs
Williamson & Williamson Defts } Wm Ga Debno

Ordered that the above case be continued untill the next Court

Pompey Reese Plaintiff
vs
William Geane Defts } Dbt Detinue

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came the following jury to wit Jno E Wheeler, E A Inge, J H. Bispham, A S Vaiden, R C Hardy, Coll Allen, Messrs J S Hall, Ed Pegram, Ag Mayson, J M Lewis, J Edgar, R R Slone who being tried and sworn to well and truly try the issue joined in this case and having fully heard the evidence and argument of Counsel retired to form their verdict to wit "We the jury find that the Defts unlawfully detain from the plaintiff the machine in the declaration mentioned." Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the machine in the verdict of the jury mentioned and described and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

On the motion of Robert A Jones Jr. who made oath thereto and together with B J Epes & Thomas F Rives as his securities entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Four Thousand Dollars conditioned as the law directs Certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration on the Estate of William H Geane dec'd.

Ordered that T F Rives, E N Allen, Joseph Crowder, John D Slone & Robert Brown appraise said estate

John D Wright Gentleman having obtained a license to practice law in the Courts of this Commonwealth on his motion leave is given him to practice in this Court Whereupon the said John D Wright appeared in Court and took the oath prescribed by law

G. B. Nicholas. Plaintiff.

vs

Chas. Geneke Defte

In Trespass.

Ordered that the above case be dismissed: the plaintiff paying the costs.

Wm Thompson Plaintiff.

vs

Edwd Hoee. Defte

In Detinue

This day came the defendant by his attorney & pleads non detinet to the plaintiffs Declaration to which the plaintiff replies generally & issue was thereupon joined. And neither party desiring a jury in the above case. and the Court having fully heard the evidence and the case being ready to dispose thereof its decision until tomorrow morning.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow 10 o'clock

Jas. G. Steenrod

Friday April 8th 1881.

Present Hon S. S. Steenrod Judge.

Wm Thompson Plaintiff

vs

Edward Hoee. Defte

In Detinue

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the Court having fully considered of its judgment is of opinion that the defendant doth detain the horse in the Declaration mentioned in manner and form as the Plaintiff against him hath declared and that the said horse is of the price of Twenty five dollars and doth assess the plaintiff damages by reason of the detention of the said horse to Twenty five dollars in his suit Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recovery against the defendant the horse aforesaid and his damages for his detention and also his costs by him expended.

The Court doth allow to B. J. Eyre attorney for the Defendant the sum of Twenty five dollars for his services on such payable out of the Public Treasury.

The Court doth allow to N Counis Sheriff Eight Dollars it being Two Dollars per day for himself and one Deputy two days during this Term of the Court payable out of the State Treasury.

The Court doth allow to Henry Counis Juror the sum of Fifteen dollars for his services as such during six months & to N Counis Sheriff Twelve dollars furnishing corn &c. during this Term the sum of Two Dollars payable out of the State Treasury.

Ordered that this cause not otherwise disposed of be continued until next Term.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next Term.

Jas. F. Heaslett

Office Judgments Confirmed April 8th 1881.

Costs $7.70 | The Atlantic & N.C. R.R. Co. | Plaintiff | In Case.
vs
J. A. Pully | Deft

The judgment obtained at Rules in the Clerks office not having been set aside and the plaintiff being now entitled to a final judgment. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Forty Six dollars with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 12th day of May 1878 till paid & also the costs of this suit expended.
J J

Cost $7.45 | Peter F. Pescott | Plaintiff | In Debt.
vs
W. A. Wells | Defendt

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the sum of Sixty Eight dollars and ninety nine cents with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 10th day of December 1875 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.
J J

Cost $7.45 | James A. P. Wells | Plaintiff | In Debt.
vs
W. A. Wells | Defendt

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defend say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the sum of Fifty nine dollars and Ninety five cents with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 10th day of Dec. 1875 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.
J J

Costs $7.45 | F. M. Wells | Plaintiff | In Debt.
vs
W. A. Wells | Defendt

The judgment obtained at Rules in the Clerk Office not having been set aside and the plaintiff being now entitled to a final judgment Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the sum of Sixty Eight dollars and ninety nine cents with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 10th day of December 1875 till paid also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. But this judgment is entitled to a credit of Twenty Dollars paid 14 January 1881.
J J

Judgments Confessed in the Clerks Office September 20th 1881

$6.15 J Wesley Druid & R B Davis partners trading the firm & Style of Druid & Davis Plaintiffs
vs
W B Branch Deft In Debt

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney as did the defendant in his own proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for $427.00 with legal interest thereon from the 1st day of May 1878 till paid, Therefore it is Considered that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Four hundred Twenty seven dollars with legal interest thereon as aforesaid and also their Costs by them expended.

$6.15 The Patapsco Guano Company Plaintiff
vs
W B Branch. Deft In Debt

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney the defendant in his own proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for $120.75 with legal interest thereon from the 1st day of April 1878 till paid. Therefore it is Considered that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and twenty dollars seventy five Cents with legal interest thereon as aforesaid and the Costs of this suit Subject to a credit of $50.00 paid Aug 17th 1878.

$6.15 Southern Female College Plaintiff
vs
W B Branch Deft In Case.

This day came the plaintiff by attorney & the defendant in his own proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for $295.00 with interest thereon from the 1st day of September 1881 till paid, Therefore it is considered that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Two Hundred and ninety five dollars with interest as aforesaid and

Virginia

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie on Wednesday the 5th day of October 1881. and of the Commonwealth the 106th

Present Hon S. S. Heiskell Judge

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to morrow morning 10 oclock

Jas. J. Heiskell

Thursday. October 6th 1881.

Present Hon. S. S. Heiskell Judge.

G. S. Wing Gentleman having obtained a license to practice the law in the Courts of this Commonwealth on his motion leave is given him to practice in this Court. Whereupon the said Wing appeared in Court and took the oaths required by law.

Jas. A. King Executor of John Mitchell dec'd Pltff

vs

Wm Hardaway Deft

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the parties desiring a jury judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of Fifty dollars with legal interest thereon from the 18th day of September 1871. till paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of Fifty dollars with interest as aforesaid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. But this judgment is entered to accrue only from the 1st day of January 1883.

S. S. Heiskell. Plaintiff's Att'y

J. P. Goodwyn. Def't

This day came the defendant by his attorney and filed Notice of Payment & Statement of Set-offs for the Court to which the plaintiff replied generally. Issue and on the motion of the plaintiff this cause is continued until the first day of the next Ct.

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James Aldridge } Plaintiff
vs } In Case
Mary Aldridge admrx of B.F. Aldridge dec'd } Deft

This day came the parties by their attorneys and by Consent of Parties Judgment by the Court in favor of the Plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of Ninety four dollars with interest thereon from the 6th day of October 1881 till paid It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of Ninety four dollars with interest thereon as aforesaid and the costs of the decedent in the hands of the administratrix if so much thereof she has administered and also her cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended except the attorneys fee.

On the motion of W O Pool Claiming to be admrr of Jas W P Pool dec'd and it appearing to the Court that J. Pool has been dead more than three months and no one has applied for administration on his estate It is ordered that Dan'l Estill be appointed by the Clerk of Henry County Court Sheriff of Danville Court for administration according to law

Ordered that

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their services at this term of the Court as follows viz E C Davis $2.00 Wm Bevill $2 J N Bryson $2.00 Wm Avery $2.00 C J Brown $2 V O Wynne $2.00 R A Williamson $2 Jno Bivins $2 M J Perryman $2 Benj Stith $2 Jno D Stone $1 Jas H. Bryson $1 J A Merritt $2 E H Kinnally $2 A J Mosby $2 L Ellyson $2.00

The Bank of Petersburg } Plaintiff
vs } In Case
J D B Rucker & S. Webb } Deft

This day came the plaintiff by attorney and neither party requiring a jury the Court ascertains the damages in the case to be One hundred and two dollars, and the Court with legal interest thereon from the 9th day of April 1881 till paid Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of One hundred and two dollars with interest as aforesaid and

The Bank of Petersburg Plaintiff

vs In Ch'y

W B Branch & Thos M Branch Defendants

This day came the Plaintiff by attorney and on the Rule heretofore awarded against the Defendants to appear here this day and plead answer or demur to the Plaintiffs Bill, and the Defendants not having appeared pleaded answered or demurred thereto, but failed so to do, It is therefore considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Defendants the sum of Two hundred dollars with interest thereon from the 19th day of December 1880 till paid, the debt in the Plaintiffs Bill mentioned, and his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, and the Defendants may be taken by Capias.

Order that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning 10 o'clock.

John J Thomson

Friday Oct 7th 1881.

Present Hon S S Wiltzig Judge.

Allowed $5 The Court doth allow to B J Epes Atty for Commonwealth $5 in the Dinwiddie allowed by law for his services at this Court & day last Sept Court.

The Court doth allow to J M Boyd Clerk the sum of $30 for his services during 12 months.

Copies & Fees The Court doth allow to A Carson Sheriff the sum of $16 it being $2 per day for himself and two deputies two days during this Court and two dollars for himself & one deputy one other day during this Court.

Copies & Fees The Court doth allow to A Carson Sheriff for keeping C&A furnishing wood & day this Court the sum of Four dollars.

Copies & Fees The Court doth allow to A Carson Jailer $15 & Fifteen dollars for his services as such during 30 months.

Ordered that the same be dismissed unless the first day of the next term.

James L. Strieger

Office Judgments Rendered October 7th 1861.

Costs by 37 James P. Boisseau who sues for the benefit of William Etheridge — Plaintiff
vs — 3 Nu Debt.
A A Dyson — Defd

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Eighty Seven dollars and twenty five Cents with legal interest thereon from the 20th day of February 1861 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

JJ

Costs by 55 Martha A. E. Matthews Extx of A D Matthews dec'd — Plaintiff
vs — 3 Nu Debt.
J L. Skelton — Defd

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum One hundred and four dollars with interest thereon from the 28th day of July 1868 till paid also her costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended.

JJ

Costs by 45 The Bank of Petersburg — Plaintiff
vs — 3 Nu Case
W B Branch — Defd

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Four Hundred and Thirty three dollars and seventy eight cents with interest on One hundred and Sixty eight dollars and seventy eight cents aforesaid thereof from the 5th day of

February 1879 Cts paid on $765.00 Two Hundred and Sixty four dollars. the residue
/ / thereof from the 11th Day of April 1879 Cts paid and also the Cost of this suit.

Costs $8.60 Joseph Longwidden Surg — Plaintiff
vs — In Debt.
Jno D. Sylvania & Paul — Defts

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Seventy four dollars with interest thereon from the 2d day of December 1872 Cts paid and also his costs by him about
/ / his suit in this behalf expended.

Cost $. 60 Robert H Jones Jr assee of Wm H. Lewis dec'd — Plaintiff
vs — In Debt.
Jno T Sylvania — Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant said nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One Hundred and fifty dollars with interest thereon from the 8th day of October 1860 Cts paid and also his costs by
him about his suit in this behalf expended. But this judgment is
/ / satisfied to the following credits, viz $18.00 paid January 22d 1868. $39.50 paid 22d Jany 1868. $10.00 paid Jany 1878 Sy. $25.00 paid July 26th 1869. $27.35 paid July 25th 1871. $32.15 paid Jany 1st 1873
/ / & $10.28 paid January 1878 Sy.

$865 Same. — Plaintiff
vs — In Debt.
A H Reams S. D. Allen & R H Reams — Defendants.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants said nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Eight hundred and Sixty dollars and Six cents with interest on $500.00 a part thereof from 25th May 1881 Cts paid and on $309.06 the residue thereof from the 1st day of August 1881 Cts paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this
/ / behalf expended.

Costs $7.45 R. H. Jones Jr admr of Wm H Lewis dec'd, Pltff
vs
A W Reames Defdt
3 Jn Debt

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant said nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Forty ~~Nine~~ dollars and Ninety Cents and his costs in this behalf $25.00 apeare thereof from the 25th day of May 1881 till paid and in $15.45 the residue thereof from the 1st day of August 1881 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Costs $7.45 Martha A E Mathews admtx of A D Mathews dec'd Pltff
vs
3 Jn Debt
J L Sheltron Defdt

This day came the plaintiff by her attorney and the defendant said nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the Sum of One hundred and twenty eight dollars and eighty four Cents with interest on $49.62 apeare thereof from the 30th Sept 1867 till paid and $49.32 the residue thereof from the 27th day of December 1867 till paid and also her Costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended.

Judgment Confessed in Vacation December 23d 1881.

$3.55 Cts A. A. Dawes
vs
Thos Walla

This day came the parties in their proper person and the defendant acknowledged the plaintiffs action for Eighty three dollars and thirty nine Cents with interest thereon from the 23d day of December 1881 till paid. Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Eighty three dollars and thirty nine Cents with interest as aforesaid and also his Costs by him about his suit expended.

In vacation in the City of Petersburg on the 15th day of March 1882.

Henry Cousins Jeff.

vs.

R C Shell Judge of the County Court of Dinwiddie Daniel Gilliam and
Dr Shell Albert T Pruett. Defts.

This day Comes the Jeff. and presents his petition and exhibits therein mentioned on part thereof praying a writ of prohibition restraining the Defts Daniel Gilliam from attempting to qualify as the Sheriff of the County of Dinwiddie and the Defts R C Shell, the Judge of the County Court of said County, from permitting said Gilliam to so qualify before him, either in vacation or during the term of said Court, and to grant unto the Jeff. all proper relief in the premises, and the undersigned Judge of the Circuit Court of said County, having read said petition and exhibits and being of opinion that a rule should be awarded against said defendants and also against the defendant Albert T Pruett to show cause, if any they can why such writ shall not be granted and such proper relief be given to the Jeff in the premises a rule is accordingly hereby awarded against said defendants returnable before the Judge of said Circuit Court on the first day of the April term 1882 of said Court to be held at the Courthouse of said County and the Clerk of of said Circuit Court is hereby directed to summon all of said defendants to answer said rule.

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County Dinwiddie. Daniel J Wiseger

Virginia

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Friday the 7th day of April 1882 and of the Commonwealth the 106th.

Present Hon S. S. Wiseger Judge.

Jno N. Spears Pltff
vs
Lucy C Spears D S Spears Defts

By Consent of parties it is ordered that this case be remanded to the Circuit Court for the City of Petersburg.

Hely Davis who made oath thereto and together with Braxton Davis as his security (who made oath thereto) entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of One Hundred dollars and-- terms according to law. On affidavit is granted him for obtaining letters administration on the estate of Wm Davis dec'd and dec'd

Ordered that T R Chambers S S Marshall Albert Sears N C Shell M H Tucker appraise said estate

Mary Bristow is hereby appointed guardian of Robt James Wm & A M. Davis orphans of J W Davis dec'd whereupon the said Mary Bristow appeared in Court and qualified as such and together with Mary Davis & D Bristow his security who made oath as the law directs entered into and acknowledged bond in the penalty of Three Hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs

H G Davis is appointed guardian of Mary J Davis appeared in Court and qualified as such and together with Braxton Davis his security who made oath thereto entered into and acknowledged bond in the penalty of One hundred dollars conditioned according to law.

The Susquehanna Fertilizing Co Plaintiffs
vs
J D B Ruck Deft

On the motion of the Plaintiffs attorney it is ordered that the above case be dismissed.

Herbert Williams — Plaintiff
vs
Monnie Sherman — Deft
} In Ejectment

This day came the defendant by his attorney and pleaded the general issue to the plaintiff declaration to which the plaintiff replies generally issue is thereupon joined. and the cause is continued until the first day of the next term of the Court.

Herbert Williams. — Plaintiff
vs
Oscar Pickerman. — Deft
} In Ejectment

This day came the defendant by his attorney and pleaded the general issue to the plaintiff declaration to which the plaintiff replies generally issue is thereupon joined: and the cause is continued until the first day of the next term of the Court

James Hargrave. — Plaintiff
vs
Wm B. Hargrave. — Deft

This day came the defendant by his attorney & files a plea in writing to which the plaintiff replies generally issue & thereupon joined.

H Cousins. — Plaintiff
vs
R C Shell Judge Sam'l Williams &
Albert T Burke. — Deft
} Upon a Petition for writ of Prohibition

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant R C Shell Judge files his answer to the said petition and the plaintiff files a replication to said answer.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to morrow 10 o'clock

Jam. J. Finnegan

Saturday April 8th 1882.

Present Hon S S Heisinger Judge.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until Wednesday 12th April at 10 o clock.

Jam. S. Heisinger

Wednesday April 12th 1882.

Court Hon S S Heisinger Judge.

D S Keller — Plaintiff
vs
John P Gundreyer — Defe
} In case.

On the motion of the Plaintiff it is ordered that the above cause be Continued until the next term of this Court.

James Hargrave — Plaintiff
vs
Wm R Hargrave — Defe
} In case.

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came the following jury towit B J Davis A J Moody M J Runyan J E Yates J W Bridgeman C B Jolly W J Bush Wm Maddux R D Crofs John P Brown J M Reed and Wm Merrifield who being sworn to true try the issues joined now before the Court and hearing read the evidence and the Court being about to open they were adjourned on until 11 o clk.

Henry Cousins — Pleff
vs
R C Shell Judge of the County Court of Dearborn, Albert J Powell and Daniel Y Gilliam — Defts
} Rule Petition to cause of Prohibition

The Court having maturely considered the record in this cause and the arguments of Counsel and being of opinion that the order entered in vacation by the Honorable R C Shell Judge of the County Court of Dearborn on the 6th day of February 1882 Complained of by the petitioner Henry Cousins in his petition and that the orders entered by said Judge in the term

time of his leave on the 20th and 21st days of February 1882 also complained of by said petitioners were ordered without warrant or authority of law and were and are accordingly null void, and that all proceedings had thereunder were and are illegal and accordingly null void; it is ordered by the Court that writs of Prohibition be awarded according to the prayer of said petitioners directed to the defendants directing them to proceed no further under the said illegal orders so ordered and suspending all proceedings thereunder. And it is further ordered by the Court that the service of an office Copy of this order upon the defts shall have the same force & effect as the execution upon them of writs of prohibition issued in pursuance hereof. And it is further ordered by the Court that the defts Albert J Pearle and Daniel G Eckerson pay to the petts his costs in this behalf expended. To which judgment of the Court the defendant B C Shaw Judge excepts and tenders his bill of exceptions and prays the Court to sign seal the same and make them a part of the record which is accordingly done. At the instance of the respondent B C Shaw Judge of the County Court of Dawson the desire to prosecute to the Supreme Court of Appeals for writs of error and supersedeas to the above order, the Court doth order that the execution of said above order be suspended for 60 days after the adjournment of this Court in order to allow said respondent time to prosecute said petitions for such writs of error or supersedeas, But before the said B C Shaw shall have the benefit of this order of suspension he shall enter into & abandon the penalty of $100. with sureties to be approved by the Clerk of this Court and times according to Ch. 4 sec. Ch. 178 Code of Va. 1873.

Ordered that this Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning 10 o'clk

Jas. J. Strieger

Thursday April 13th 1882

Present Hon S. S. Weisiger Judge

The Court doth allow to B J Elgin Attorney for the Commonwealth Twenty four dollars the Sum allowed by Law for his services for such for the last six months

The Court doth allow to A Ther Pearle Crier of the Court Fifteen dollars for services during six months as Jailor payable out of State Fund

The Court doth allow to A T Pearle Crier Eight Dollars for his services as such during the term of the Court it being $2 per day for four days

The Court doth allow to A T Pearle Crier for his trouble in during the term payable out of State Fund the sum of Five dollars

James Hargrave Plaintiff
vs In case
Wm R. Hargrave Defendant

This day came again the parties by their attorney and the jury sworn in this case on yesterday appeared in Court according to their adjournment, and having fully heard the evidence returned to their room and after some time returned into Court and reported the following verdict to wit "We the jury find for the defendant" The plaintiff by Counsel moved the Court to set aside the verdict and grant him a new trial upon the ground that the instructions given and the refusal contrary to the law and the evidence which motion the Court overruled and entered judgment accordingly to which ruling of the Court the plaintiff by Counsel excepted and tendered his bill of exceptions and prayed the Court to sign seal the same which is accordingly done

Ordered that the following jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their services at this term of the Court as follows to wit B F Davis $3 A J Moody $3 Wm J Pearce $3 J Elgin $3 J W Bradburn $3 C P Jolly $3 W J Bevins $3 Wm Marlow $3 D D Crosby $3 Jno P Brown $3 J Mullins $3 Wm Martin $3 Wm A Ramey $2 Jno Hancock $2 C E Stith $2 D E Organ $2 W E Fore $2 T J Elder $2 G B Kinsley $1 B L Chaffin $2 T J Thrasher $2

Ordered that the Cause be adjourned until the next day of the next Term.

Jam.s J. Weisiger

Office Judgment Confessed April 13th 1882.

$6.80 Cert. | R W Manson & J R Shull partners trading under the firm & Style of Manson & Shull sometimes called Shull & Manson — Plaintiffs — In Debt

vs

R & Shull & A M Organ — Defts

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendants dont resting in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendants the sum of One hundred and thirty dollars with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 21st day of December 1881 till paid also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Office Judgment Completed in the Clerk. Office July 31st 1882.

Cost 5.37 | Susquehanna Fertilizing Co. Limited — Plaintiff — In Debt

vs

J & W B Reeves — Defendant

This day came as well the Plaintiff by their Attorney as the Defendant by Jno Y Harris his attorney in fact and thereupon the said Defendant by his attorney aforesaid acting under a Power of attorney under the hand and seal of the defendant acknowledges the plaintiffs action for $310.00 with interest on $300.00 a part thereof from the 1st day of January 1882 till paid & on $10.00 the residue thereof from 31st day of July 1882 till paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Three Hundred and ten Dollars with legal interest thereon as aforesaid & their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Judgment Confessed in the Clerks Office September 1st 1882

Cert # 3.07

Wm A Thompson — Plaintiff — In Debt

vs

Saml G Wainwright, — Defendant

This day came the Defendant in his own proper person and acknowledged the Plaintiffs action for One Hundred and twenty five dollars with interest thereon from the 15th day of February 1881 till paid. Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Defendant the sum of One hundred and twenty five dollars with interest as aforesaid and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

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Virginia.

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Thursday the 5th day of October 1882 and of the Commonwealth the 107th.

Present Hon S. S. Wingfield Judge.

R W Manson & J R Hull partners trading under the name & style of Manson & Hull sometimes called Manson & Hull. Plaintiffs / Upon an issue for judgment upon bill & exhibits

vs

R C Hull A M Organ & J. Gilliam. Defts / for the coming and delivering bail. This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendants being solemnly called but came not Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs for the sum of Two Hundred and ninety Seven dollars and fifty Six cents. But this judgment may be discharged by the payment of One hundred and forty Eight dollars and seventy eight cents, with interest from the 17th day of July 1882 till paid & Costs

Isaac S. Kuler Plaintiff / In case

vs

John P. Goodwyn Defd

This day came the parties by their attorney and thereupon came the following Jury Lewis H. Riney. Jno Hayward. Hubbard Crowder Alg. Mason Hester Ragsdale. P R Stone R S Chappell. V O Bivens Seri Griffin Stephen Hardy Robt Tucker & Wm Tucker. who being sworn to well and truly try the issue joined now before the Court and having fully heard the evidence and argument of Counsel do retire to their room and after some time spent therein return into Court and report that they were unable to agree upon a verdict and thereupon it is ordered that the jury be discharged from the further consideration of this case and that this case be continued to the next term of this Court.

V W Kuler gentleman having obtained a license to practice the law in the Courts of this Commonwealth on his motion is given leave to practice in this Court who thereupon appears in Court and takes the oath required by law.

Mildred Davis Domitrius called Mildred Davis admtx of E A Davis dec'd Plaintiff
vs
R L Shull Jno Y Hamilton & A M Organ Defts } In Debt.

Order that the above case be dismissed at the plaintiffs cost.

Order that Bullington be appointed to complete unfinished work

Jam. J. Prendergast

Friday. October 6th 1882.

Present Hon B. S. Prendergast Judge.

J. B. Hulen Plff.
vs
John P Gardner Defd } In Case.

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury appeared in Court according to their appointment and retired to their room and after deliberating upon their verdict into Court and reported the following to-wit, "We the jury find for the defendant." Therefore it is considered by the Court that the defendant recover of the plaintiff his cost by him about his defence in this behalf expended.

J R. Snead, E J Snead & N M Snead
partners forming under the firm name
of J R Snead Bros. Plaintiffs
vs } In Case.
William A Snead Defd

This day came the parties by their attorneys and neither party desiring a jury judgment by the Court by consent of parties in favor of the plaintiffs against the defendant for the sum of One hundred and twenty three dollars and forty eight cents with legal interest thereon from the 6th day of October 1882 till paid, therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the said sum of $123.48 with interest as aforesaid.

A Hickmans Plaintiff
vs Upon Equit
Sherman Deft
Same Plaintiff
vs Upon Equit
Pickerman Deft

Order that the cause be continued until the first day of the next term

Order that the following jurors be impannelled to serve as jurors in the Circuit Court of Hardin County, to wit: A. P. Rives, Jr. Justices of Hardin County, Jr. Hubbard Camden Jr. Hy Mason Jr. Hester Ragsdale Jr. P. D. Oliver Jr. R. S. Chappell Jr. & A. Davis Jr. Sam Lyttleton Jr. Hy Hoffman Jr. Oliver Harris Jr. R. Fowler Jr. Sam Yetsler Jr. T. A. Jones Jr. & G. W. Harris Jr. Washington Taylor Jr. Boyce Ellis Jr.

W. H. Springfield. Plaintiff
vs Jno Case
A. A. Dawes Deft

This day came the defendant by his attorney & records Now into Court defendant & Special plea in bar to which and the plaintiff by Counsel moves the Court to reject the Special plea in bar which motion the Court sustains & on motion of the plaintiff it is ordered that this cause be continued until the next term of the Court by Consent of parties the plaintiff is allowed to amend his declaration in this cause instanter according to Rule & by this consent the defendant is allowed to amend his Special plea in bar.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning 10 o'clock

Jam. J. Treziger

Saturday October 9th 1882

Present Hon S S Heisinger Judge.

Ord 1 The Court doth allow to B J Espey attorney for the Commonwealth the sum of Twenty five dollars for his services as such during the last six months

Ord The Court doth allow to A M Organ the sum of Thirty dollars the same allowed by law for his services as such during the last twelve months

Ord 2 Col. Wm Powell The Court doth allow to A Ker Powell Esqr the sum of Fifteen dollars the same allowed by law for his services as Jailor for the last six months

Ord 3 Col. Wm Powell The Court doth allow to A Ker Powell Esqr the sum of six dollars for his services at the Term of Court it being two dollars per day for three days

Ord 4 Col. Wm Powell The Court doth allow to A Ker Powell Esqr the sum of four dollars for his services during the Term of the Court for furnishing Wood Water &c.

H Williams Petff
vs } In Equity
Sheppard Defd

Same Petff
vs } In Equity
Spiller et ux Defd

Ordered that the above Causes be dismissed at the cost of the defendant.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next Term

Sam. J. Heisinger

Virginia,

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 9th day of April 1883. and of the Commonwealth the 107th

Present Hon D. D. Wingfield Judge.

Ordered that the following cases be continued to wit

Allen Bro. & Co.	Plaintiffs	} Attachment
vs		
Nebelle R. & Co.	Defts	
John Draper	Plaintiff	} Attachment
vs		
Draper	Defts	
John Draper	Plaintiff	} In Case
vs		
Emma Draper &c	Defts	

This day came the defendant by his attorney & prayed oyer of the writ to which the Plaintiff replied generally issue was joined & the case was continued

John C. Griffin	Plaintiff	} In Case
vs		
The Trustees of Upper Appomattox C.	Defts	

This day came the defendants by their attorney & pleaded the general issue & leave to plead further to which the plaintiff replies generally issue was joined. & on motion the case was continued generally.

John Temple	Plaintiff	} Attachment
vs		
Joel B Ragsdale.	Defts	

This day came the defendant by his attorney & pleaded not guilty & justification to which the plaintiff replied generally issue was thereupon joined.

Wm Crowder	Plaintiff	} In Debt.
against.		
Caroline Scott	Defts	

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney & the defendant by her attorney A Wamsley acting under a Power of Attorney under the hand & seal of the Defendant & said

acknowledged the Plaintiff action for the debt and interest in the said
Writing mentioned and confessed a judgment for $91.12 with interest on
$44.00 apart thereof from the 3d day July 1878 till paid & on $47.12 the
residue thereof from 1st July 1879 till paid. Therefore it is considered by
the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Defendant the said
Sum of $91.12 with interest as aforesaid also his costs by him
about his suit in this behalf expended.

John Temple Plaintiff
vs } Trespass
Joel B Rappole Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys
and thereupon came the following Jury to wit Jno Epping Jno
M Bain. Ay Wells. Jas Bates. Robt Tucker. Scott Smith [redacted] Melville
Dodson. Geo Hewlett. Reuben Gordon. Chas Jordan. Wm J Bevill & C. Jolly
who being sworn to well and truly try the issue joined between
the parties and having fully heard the evidence and arguments of
Counsel the evidence & Court adjourned until tomorrow morning
at the hour of 10 o'clock

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow 10 o'clk

James Musgrove

Tuesday April 10th 1883

Present Hon S. S. Heisinger Judge.

Rankin adr. Plaintiff
vs
Rank R A Deft } Wm Garnishee Dismd.

Joe Johnson, who was summoned to appear here on the 1st day of this term of this Court as to be a Garnishee Dismd in the above styled cause. & was solemnly called but came not therefore on the motion of the Plaintiff it is ordered that he be summoned to appear here on the first day of the October term next, to show cause if any he can why he should not be fined for his said Contempt.

John Dingle Plaintiff
vs } Trespass
Joel B Rogdale. Defendant

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury appears in Court according to adjournment to wit Jno E Fleming Jno W Davis Ay Wells Jno Bates A Tucker Leo Neal Melville Dodson Geo Howell Reuben Goodwyn Chas Jordan W J Bevis & C P Jelly and having fully heard the evidence and argument of Counsel retire to their room and after sometime spent therein returned into Court and reported that they could not agree upon a verdict whereupon they were discharged and ordered Monday morning at 10 o'clock A.M.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until Monday morning 10 o'clock M.

Jam. S. Heisinger

Thursday April 12th 1883

Present Hon S. S. Wiseger Judge

John Temple Plaintiff
vs
Joel B Rapsdale Defdt } Trespass

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury appeared in Court according to their adjournment Viz. Jno Ellening Jno Bain Jr. Polly Jno Bates Rd Tucker Leo Neal Meredith Sidon Geo Hewlett Reuben Goodwyn Clem Jordan Jr & Baird & P Jolly and retired to their room and after mature deliberation returned into Court and upon the following verdict Viz "We the jury find for the plaintiff and assess his damages at Forty one dollars Sixty Six and two thirds cents" The defendant by Counsel moved the Court to set aside the verdict and grant him a new trial upon the ground that the verdict was contrary to the evidence which motion the Court overules. Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defdt the sum of Forty one Dollars Sixty Six and two thirds cents the amount by the jury in their verdict ascertained, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

The following accounts against the Commonwealth of Virginia to wit Dr Edmunds $48.00 & Jo J Tucker $48.00 was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public accounts for payment it appearing to the Court that said account was not reasonable not on account of the insanity of the said but on account of the number and character of the services certified therein

Ordered

John Temple Plaintiff
vs
Geo M. Rapsdale Defdt } Trespass
Ordered that the above case be dismissed agreed with the parties paying his own costs.

Ordered that the following Petit Jury be and are set off the County Court Viz Jno Ellening $3. Jno Bain $3. Ay Polly $3. Sd Tucker $3. Jno B Baird $3. P Jolly $3. Jno Bates $3. Rd Tucker $3. Meredith Sidon $3. Geo Hewlett $3. Reuben Goodwyn $3. Clem Jordan $3. Hester Rapsdale $2. C H Cox $2. L S Meredith $2. Robt Tucker $2. H T Tucker $2

J P Allison vs J J Austin and J D Blevins vs Geo T. Nunn A B Estill vs Bristol & Bro Ellis vs Jas Ellis vs Jno Lacy vs Mrs Tuder vs W Estill vs R Ellis vs A Martin vs

Cott The Court doth allow to B J Ellis attorney for the Commonwealth the sum of Twenty five dollars for his services as such during the year

Cott The Court doth allow to Arthur Pierce Jailer the sum of Fifteen Dollars for his services as such during the year

Cott The Court doth allow to Arthur Pierce Coroner the sum of Ten dollars it being for one day for his services three days during the term of the Court & the sum of Four dollars for his services in attending on the Court during the term for summoning said Grand &c

Ordered that the Court be adjourned till the first day of the next term.

Jam. J. Stevens

Office Judgments Confirmed April 12th 1883

Cert'd to Ls

James W Allison & E B Addison partners trading under the name and style of Allison & Addison — Plaintiffs

vs — In Debt

Chas E Pattelle — Deft

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant saith nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Wherefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of Fifty four Dollars & fifty Cents with interest thereon from the 15th day of May 1879 till paid, and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended, But this judgment is enable to credit of Thirty Dollars paid 20th Sept 1879.

J J

Same — Plaintiffs

vs — In Debt

C W M. Pattelle — Defendant

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Wherefore it is considered by the Court that the

plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Sixty Dollars
& Eighty Cents with interest thereon from the 1st day of May 1878 till
✓✓ paid also their Costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended

Costs #g. 45 Robert A Martin Robert R Hill & Alfred Martin
partners trading under the name and style of Martin
Hill & Co Pltff
vs In Debt
H Harris Defd

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the
defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action
Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the
defendant the sum of One hundred and fifty three dollars and ninety cents with
interest thereon from the 10th day of January 1882 till paid and also their
✓✓ Costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended

g 45 W L & Thomas & Walters Trustees of W H Drury & Co Pltff
vs In Debt
John C Deane Defd

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant
say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is
Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the sum
of Fifty Eight Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of November
1895 till paid and also their Costs by them about their suit in this behalf
✓✓ expended.

g 45 Same Pltff
vs In Debt
T C Burdon Defd

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney
and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs
action, Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff
recover against the defendant the sum of Forty four Dollars
& Thirty seven Cents with interest thereon from the 15th day of May 96
till paid and also their Costs by them about their suit in that behalf
✓✓ expended

1883. April 16. Nicholas E Krogegard took oath declaring intention to become a citizen

Virginia,

In the Supreme Court of Appeals, held at the State Courthouse in the City of Richmond, on Thursday the 29th day of March 1883.

R C Stuart Judge of the County Court of Dinwiddie County late

against

Henry Cousins, Albert T Burch and Samuel Gilliam Defendants, Upon a writ of error and supersedeas to a judgment rendered by the Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie on the 12th day of April 1882.

This day came again the parties by their Counsel and the Court having maturely considered the transcript of the record of the judgment aforesaid and the argument of Counsel, is of opinion for reasons stated in writing and filed with the record that the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie erred in awarding the writ of prohibition in this case. It is therefore considered that the judgment of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie be reversed and annulled and that the plaintiff in error recover against Henry Cousins the defendant in error his costs by him expended in the prosecution of his said writ of error and supersedeas here. And this Court proceeding to render such judgment as the said Circuit Court ought to have rendered, it is ordered that the said suit in the said Circuit Court be dismissed and that the plaintiff in error recover against the said Henry Cousins his costs in the said Circuit Court expended. Which is ordered to be certified to the said Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie.

Plaintiff in error Costs in the Supreme Court of Appeals - Transcript of record not included the - for it not being ordered in it $64.85

Teste Geo. T. Taylor Clk

Clerks Office A M Organ & Co April 20th 1883

Judgment Certified in Clerks Office Sept 29th 1883.

Cost $2.97

Board of Petersburg Pltff } In Debt

vs Deft }

H. Cousins.

This day came the defendant in his own proper person and acknowledges the plaintiffs action for the debt mentioned in the writ mentioned and the cause thereupon it is considered that the

Plaintiff recover against the defendant $196.06 with interest thereon from the 12th day of September 1883 till paid, the debt and interest aforesaid, and the costs by
VV it about it, and execution.

Bank of Petersburg Plaintiff } In Debt.
vs
H Cannon. Deft }

This day came the defendant in his proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned and the costs, Therefore it is considered that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Fifty dollars with interest thereon from the 5th day of September 1883 till paid the debt and interest aforesaid and the costs by it about it
VV done expended.

B R Lewis & Mary E his wife formerly Mary E Briscoe Plff } In Debt.
vs
H Cannon Deft

This day came the defendant in his proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned and the costs, Therefore it is considered that the plaintiff recover against the defendant Five Hundred dollars with interest thereon from 17th day of December 1866 till paid the debt and interest aforesaid, and the costs by them about their suit expended, Subject to the following Credits viz: $16.00 paid March 3d 1876 $92.38 paid February 27th 1877. $35.00 paid April 10th 1878. $11.75 paid Dec 20th 1880. & $68.00 paid September
VV 15th 1873.

Virginia, At a circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Friday the 5th day of October 1883 and of the Commonwealth the 108th.

Present Hon S S Weisiger Judge.

Wm Etheridge Plaintiff } In Debt.
vs
H Harris Deft } No 1.

By Counsel of the Plaintiff it is ordered that the Order entered by the Clerk at Rules be set aside and thereupon the defendant by his attorney demurred to the Plaintiff Declaration, and the Plaintiff joined in said demurrer. Which being argued the Court overruled on motion of the Plaintiff by his attorney leave is granted him to amend his Declaration in this cause the said Plaintiff paying the Defendant his costs occasioned by such amendment, And the cause is remanded to Rules for further proceedings to be had thereon.

Wm Etheridge Plaintiff } In case.
vs
H Harris Deft }
Trial upon Plea Non Assumpsit

The Wyse Fertilizer Co. Plaintiff } Upon attachment.
vs No 1.
John C Griffin Deft }

John C Griffin Pleff } In case.
vs
The Wyse Fertilizer Co. Deft } No 2.

This day came the Plaintiff in Cause No 1 and the Deft in Cause No 2 and moved the Court to consolidate said two Causes which motion the Court overrules to which the Pleff & Deft as aforesaid excepted.

The Wyse Fertilizer Co. Pleff } Upon motion
vs
John C Griffin Deft }

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Deft by Counsel moved the Court to quash the writs which motion the Court overruled and thereupon came this freeholding jury Viz John Malone, A J Moody, Robert Tucker, Washington Taylor, Archer Spiers, B E Bishop, Adam Hancock, Lee Heath, M E Bishop, W A Hancock and C R J.

Tucker Wm J Cabaniss who being sworn to true and truly try the issue joined now before the Court and the Court being about to adjourn they were adjourned over until tomorrow 10 oclk

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow 10 oclk

Sam'l S Winger

Saturday October 6th 1883.

Present Hon S S Winger Judge

The Upper Appomattox Co. Plaintiff } Upon a motion.
vs
John C Griffin. Defdt }

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the Jury sworn on yesterday again appeared in Court according to their adjournment towit John Malone, A T Moody, R Tucker, Wash Taylor, Archer Spicely, B E Bishop, Alex Newell, Lee Nash, W E Bishop, W A Hitchcock, R J Tucker, W J Cabaniss who the defendant by Counsel objected to as trying to which the plaintiff excepted & the jury were again sworn to try the issue joined now before the Court. The Plaintiff was thereupon called but came not. Neither of his own proper motion. Therefore it is ordered that he be nonsuited, and pay to the Defendant his Damages according to law, and his costs by him about his defence in this behalf expended.

John Draper. Plaintiff } In case.
vs
Emmet Draper & Edwin Draper. Defts }

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came the following jury towit John Malone, A T Moody, R Tucker, Wm Taylor, Archer Spicely, B E Bishop, Alex Newell, Lee Nash, W E Bishop, W A Hitchcock, R J Tucker, W J Cabaniss who being sworn to true and truly try the issues joined now before the Court and having fully heard the evidence and Argument of Counsel retired to their room and after deliberation upon their return into Court and rendered the following verdict towit We the Jury find for the plaintiff and assess his damages at Fifty dollars with interest thereon from the 6th day of October 1883 till paid Therefore

It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of $50.00 with interest thereon as aforesaid and his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

The following Preamble and resolutions were presented and ordered to be recorded viz. "Whereas within the last few days Isaac D Reeder for many years a Citizen of this County of Dinwiddie and a prominent member of the bar practicing in the Courts of the County has departed this life, and it is but proper that his surviving brethren and the officers of said Courts here assembled should in some appropriate manner attest their respect for the deceased, Therefore be it resolved 1st That in the death of our departed friend our bar has lost a member whose strong native intellect unassisted by liberal education, and whose good qualities of heart won for him the kindly feelings of those with whom he was associated. 2nd That we tender our sympathies with the widow & children of the deceased in their affliction.
3rd That these resolutions be submitted to the Circuit and County Courts of this County with the request that the Judges thereof direct the same to be spread upon the order books of their respective Courts. That the said Courts do adjourn as a further mark of respect for the deceased. 4th That the secretary of this meeting forward a copy of these resolutions to the widow and family of the deceased and also a copy to the Editors of each of the Newspapers published in the City of Petersburg with the request that the same be published therein."

Ordered that the Court be adjourned till Monday morning at 10 O'Clock

Jam. J. Scruggs

Monday October 8th 1883

Present Hon S. S. Weagier Judge.

John C Griffin — Pltff
vs
The Upper Assiniboia Co. — Defts
} In Case.

This day came the parties by their Attorneys and Stenographer came the following Jury to wit. A J Moody. R J Tucker. Lio. Hart. B E Bishop. N A Richards. M E Bishop. John Malone. Richard Gholson Rob Tucker. Archer Spicely. Allison Hewlett W J Cabanis. who being duly sworn & well and truly by the laws of this Province and the Oath of the defendants respectively according to their several parties heard the evidence and the Court being about to adjourn they were adjourned until to morrow morning 10 o'clock.

The Pltff moved that the Defts be required to file an Statement of the particulars of their defence which was ordered by the Court

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to morrow morning

Jam. J. Waugh

Tuesday October 9th 1883.

Present Hon S. S. Weagier. Judge.

John C Griffin — Pltff
vs
The Upper Assiniboia Co. — Defts
} In Case

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the Jury again appeared according to their adjournment to wit. A J Moody. R J Tucker. Lio Hart. B E Bishop. N A Richards. M E Bishop. John Malone. Richd Gholson. Rob Tucker. Archer Spicely. Allison Hewlett. W J Cabanis. Jury duly sworn heard the evidence and the Court being about to adjourn they were adjourned until to morrow 10 o'clk

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to morrow morning 10 o'clk

Jam. J. Waugh

Wednesday October 10th 1883.

Present Hon D D Wiseger Judge

The following accounts against the Commonwealth of Virginia to wit J A Lewis $ 8 50 Boyle Ellis $ 87 50 W J Fowler $ 44 00 D F Edwards $ 44 00 for guarding Dimid the County Jail it appearing to the Court this said guard was necessary not on account of the insecurity of the Jail but on account of the murder and character of prisoners confined therein

The Court doth allow to B J Epes late Attorney for the Commonwealth for his services as such up to the 1st day of July 1883 the sum of Twelve Dollars & fifty cents & to A Thos Powell attorney for the Commonwealth up to the 1st Oct 1883 a like sum of $12 50

The Court doth allow to Sy Gilliam Sheriff Eight Dollars for his services as such during six months

The Court doth allow to A M Bynum clerk the sum of Thirty Dollars for his services as such for the last three months

The Court doth allow to Sy Gilliam Sheriff the sum of Twenty Four Dollars it being $2 00 per day for himself one Deputy & two Jups during the term of the Court

The Court doth allow to R H Gilliam Sheff Four dollars for furnishing meals &c during this term

Ordered that the following petit Jurors be and are of the County Jury for this term during the term aforesaid to wit J Malone $6 00 A F Mosby $6 Richd Gibson $6 00 A Fowler $6 00 Wm Hagan $4 Archd Spicely $6 B E Bishop $6 Allen Newell $6 Lee Heath $6 M E Bishop $6 W A Richards $6 R J Fowler $6 W J Calvert $6 00

* the defendant by Counsel moves the Court to grant it leave to enter its appearance to the Action & to file its plea of the general issue which is done accordingly

John C Griffin Pltff
vs
The Western Assurance Co. Deft } In Case

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came the following Jury viz A J Hardy R J Tucker Lee Heath B E Bishop W A Richards M E Bishop John Malone Richd Gholson R Tucker Archer Spicely Allen Hurlbut Wm J Cabaniss and having fully heard the evidence & argument of Counsel the Court being about to adjourn the same was until tomorrow morning

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning

Jam. J. Hanrigan

Thursday October 11th 1883

Present Hon. J. Hanrigan Judge

John C Griffin Pltff
vs
The Western Assurance Co. Deft } In case.

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came the following Jury according to their adjournment A J Hardy R J Tucker Lee Heath B E Bishop W A Richards M E Bishop John Malone Richd Gholson R Tucker Archer Spicely Allen Hurlbut Wm J Cabaniss and retired to their room and after some time returned into Court and rendered the following verdict, We the Jury find for the plaintiff and assess his damages at Six hundred Dollars. Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said Defendant the sum of Six hundred Dollars with interest thereon from the 11th day of October 1883 till paid & also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. And the Defendant by Counsel moved the Court to set aside the verdict and grant him a new trial which motion the Court overruled to which ruling of the Court the Defendant by Counsel excepted & tendered his Bill

of exceptions, the defendant tendered his bill of exceptions Nos Nos 2 & 3. to the ruling & instructions of the Court and prayed the Court to sign seal the same and make them a part of the record which is accordingly done. On motion the Deft motion is suspended for 90 days in order that the defendant may file a motion and the defendant is given time until the next of this Court in the proper office.

W H Shingleur — Pltff
vs
A A Draper — Deft
} In Case.

Draper — Pltff
vs
Draper. — Deft
} Upon Attachment.

Ordered that the above cases be continued until the first day of the next term.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the 1st day of the next term.

Sam. F. Hennigen

Offer Judgments Confirmed October 11th 1883.

vs $7.45 — Geo. N. Sutherland — Pltff
vs
Henry Lawson. — Deft
} In Case.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant saith nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Fifty four dollars with interest thereon from the 9th day of October 1879 and $5 the residue thereof from the 17th day of August 1880 the plaintiff also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

vs $7.45 — I Crowder — Pltff
vs
A S Chappell — Deft
} In Debt

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant saith nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Fifty one dollars & ten cents with interest thereon from the 2d day of January 1881 the plaintiff also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

#765 E Mayes Pltff
vs
D Ellsing Defdt
} Dr Case

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant doth nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and ~~Four~~ dollars and ~~fifty~~ Cents with interest thereon from the 24th day of March 1882 till paid and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

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#766 Jas M Allison & E.B. Addison partners trading under the firm name and style of Allison & Addison Pltff
vs
J W Mayes Defdt
} Dr Debt

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant doth nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the Thirty four dollars and Thirty four Cents with interest thereon from the 1st day of May 1881 till paid and also their cost by them about their suit in their behalf expended.

JJ

#767 Same Pltff
vs
Wm J Harvell Defdt
} Dr Debt

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant doth nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum Forty Six dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of October 1882 till paid also this cost by them about their suit in their behalf expended.

JJ

#768 Same Pltff
vs
J A Hawkes Defdt
} Dr Debt

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant doth nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One Hundred and twenty two dollars and forty three Cents with interest on #59.45 aforesaid thereof from the 1st day of November 1881 and on #63.77 the residue thereof from the 1st day of May 1882 on this cause.

JJ

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T J Jarratt. Pltff
vs
W E Abernathy Defd
} Judgt

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant came nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Two Hundred Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of November 1880 till paid & costs. But this this judgment may be discharged by the payment of Ninety two Dollars sixty nine cents with interest thereon from the 25th day of February 1881. till paid.

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Virginia

At a circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Court-house thereof at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 19th day of April 1854 and of the Commonwealth the 108th

Present Hon D. J. Hensiger Judge.

Thos N Allen &c. Pltff
vs
Nobles. Defts
} Upon a Claim &c

Order that the above cause be continued.

Parker &c. Pltff
vs
Bass Defts
} Upon a Garnishment &c.

Orders that the above cause be continued and that a Rule issue against Jno Johnson returnable to the next Term of the Court

Ramsdale &c Pltff
vs
B E Dortch and Defts
} Upon a Garnishment

On the motion of the Plaintiff it is ordered that the above cause be Dismissed.

Draper Pltff
&
Draper Defts
} Appeal

Orders that the above cause be Continued

Ordered that the following cause be dismissed viz.
J A Palmer & C P. Jolly, Sheriff & Sheriff of the County of Dinwiddie.

B F Hodgson Exr of the Northern dec'd Pltff
vs
B A Broad Defts
} Debt

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant by his attorney moved to postpone and filed notice of affidavits & the Plaintiff to which the Plaintiff by his counsel objected whereupon the judgment obtained in the Circuit Court was set aside and upon motion the said

J M. Gamble a native of England this day declared on oath that he is

to manifest his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or sovereign, by whatever, and particularly to the queen of England.

B F Hartzog Ex. of H C Washburn dec'd

vs

Wm A Sicard

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came the following Jury, viz: W A Pearce. B E Bishop. S Edelman. W A Martin. W J Runyan. Leonidas Organ. Albert Johnson. Alex Sinclair. John Hearn. John Nasler. Wm Lynch. Geo Hoig. who being sworn & empanelled and held by the plaintiff upon the Issue, upon the following finding, to wit. We the Jury find for the plaintiff the debt in the declaration mentioned with interest thereon from the 31st day of Dec 1882 the cost. Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Forty Dollars with legal interest thereon as aforesaid and for his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Wm N Dinningsford Pltff } In Case.

vs

A A Dance Defdt

This day came the defendant by his attorney and the plaintiff through attorney comes not, but it is suit further prosecute, the plaintiff recover the damages.

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be paid out of the County fund for their attendance and mileage at this term of the Court, viz. W A Pearce $2.40. B E Bishop $1.80 S E Edelman $1.80 W A Martin $2.00 W J Runyan $1.40 W J Duncan 1.60 L B Organ $1.40 R Y Dalton $1.40 A Johnson 1.80 Alex Sinclair $2 John Hearn $2 John Nasler $2 J W Sloan $2 Wm Lynch $1.60 Geo Hoig $1.40 Wm Pickle 1.20 Thos Lucy $1.20

Chas H Britton Pltff } Wm Garnishee Dismissed.

vs

J Ambler Smith Defdt

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Garnishee upon the Issue of the Court against W H Nelle & Crowder Henry Wall named as Debtor of said Smith having been returned by execution and the said W H Nelle & Crowder & Henry Wall being duly sworn answer that they were indebted to and had effects in their hands belonging to said J Ambler Smith at service the said W H Nelle

This judgment is satisfied April 8, 1884 Wolf Hanes atty for pedff. 39.34 3.34 5.93 48.83

Plaintiff has in his hands five bushels of corn and also of fodder and shucks off of said 5 bu. of corn. The said Defendant claims that he has in his hands three bushels of corn and the fodder shucks off of the same, and the said Plaintiff claims that he was entitled to said amount in the sum of fifteen dollars and had three bushels of corn & the fodder shucks off of same. Defendant claims & the Court finds that the said plaintiff is entitled to the shucks off three bushels & the Court finds & holds & applies to the payment of the Judgment of said Brown against said Smith for the sum of $39.34 cts Cts and the Costs of this proceeding and that said Wiley Hanes pay over to said Plaintiff the said sum of fifteen dollars to be applied on his judgment and shall have any surplus the same shall be paid over to the said Defendant Smith.

Ordered that the Record be as above made Known to clerk

James E. Heiskell

Tuesday April 8th 1834

Present Hon D. D. Wiseger. Judge.

Ord Dr. The Court doth allow A. Vier Pearce Attorney for Crown the Sum of Twenty five Dollars for his services as such during the current Term. Warrants payable out of public Treasury.

Ord Dr. The Court doth allow to Simon G. Gilliam Sheriff Fifteen Dollars it being $2.50 per day for himself and two Deputies during the Term payable out of public Treasury.

Ord Dr. The Court doth allow C. D. Gilliam Sheriff Five Dollars for summoning Petit Jurors in this Term

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N. F. Thompson who has been duly appointed and commissioned a Notary Public for the County of Dinwiddie, to reside as such for the term of four years, this day came into Court and together with W. F. Thompson as his surety, (who justified as to his sufficiency) entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of five hundred dollars conditioned for the faithful discharge of the duties of said Office. Which bond is ordered to be recorded by the Clerk of this Court And thereupon the said N. F. Thompson took and subscribed the oaths prescribed by Law.

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Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term of the Court.

David J. Wiseger

Office Judgments Confirmed April 8th 1884

Cats $8.95 — J. M. Parham Surviving partner of the late firm of Parham & Hatchett. Plaintiff
vs
L. D. Harrison & W. R. White partners under the firm name of Harrison & White. Defts
} In Case.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Five Hundred and sixteen Dollars Ninety seven cents with interest thereon from the 28th day of February 1881 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.
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" $7.65 — Duncan O. Arrington & Richard T. Arrington Merchants & partners trading under the firm & Style of John Arrington Sons. Pltffs.
vs
W. E. Parham. Deft
} In Case.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the Sum of One Hundred and fifty dollars with interest thereon from the 6th day of May 1881 till paid & the sum of $55.00 the residue thereof from the 16th day of May 1881 till paid, and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.
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$8.91 — J. W. Harper. Pltff
vs
Carter Haskins & S. G. Gilliam. Defts
} In Case.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the Sum of One Hundred and forty four dollars with interest thereon from the 2d day of November 1883 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.
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" 7.45 — Wm Crowder Pltff
vs
Geo W. Chappell. Defts
} In Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant

say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Sixty Dollars and twenty Six cents with interest thereon from the 2d day of January 1880 the said and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

$7.45 The Same Pltff
vs
J T Brown Defe } In Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Seventy seven dollars with interest thereon from the 2d day of January 1883 the said and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

$7.45 The Same Pltff
vs
D T Brantley Defe } In Debt

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Sixty seven dollars and twenty Cents with interest thereon from the 10th day of May 1884 the said and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

$7.45 J R Palmer Sometimes Styled as J. Pltff
vs
H P Riney Defe } In Debt.

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the Sum of Sixty two dollars and eighty Six cents with interest thereon from 18th day of April 1883 the said, and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended But this judgment is subject to credit of $28.00 paid January 18th 1884

$7.45 The Same Pltff
vs
B F Moody Defe } In Debt

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney.

and the defendant may nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action.
Wherefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the
defendant the sum of Eighty nine dollars and sixty seven cents with interest
thereon from the 19th day of January 1852 till paid, and also his costs
by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Virginia At a Circuit Court held for the County of Lunenburg at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 6th day of October 1884 and of the Commonwealth the 109th

Present Hon S J Harrison Judge

The Warden Pleff } Upon a Garnishee
vs Summons Ejectment
David T Braxton Defe } against V O Andrews

Suggesting Money or effects in his hands belonging to the defendant liable to the Plaintiffs execution. This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the said V O Andrews having been summoned to be heard in his hands effects of the defendant David T Braxton due the 25th Dec 1884 the sum of $36.35 Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the said V O Andrews pay to the Sheriff of this County on the 25th day of December 1884 the said sum of $36.35 in part payment of the Execution in his hands in favor of the Warden against the said David T Braxton

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be fined one dollar each of the County Court for their non attendance at this term of the same Viz Robt Bass ✓ 1.96 Mann Allgood 1.96 Geo Johnson 1.96 Albert Taylor 1.96 J C Smith 1.44 Robt Richie 1.96 Bolling Chandler 1.60 Le E Palmer 1.56 J P Tucker 1.96 Rolly Wheeler 1.24 Jno Upshaw 1.16 John Williams 1.64 Geo Tinsley 1.44 B E Wells 2.00 W Bolling 1.72 J W Chiles 3.12

Allen Pleff } Upon a Gar. Summons
vs
Roberts Defe }

Ransom Pleff } Upon a Gar Summons
vs
Bass Defe }

Ordered that the above cases be Continued until the first day of the next Term

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow 10 oclock

Jno J Harrison

Tuesday October 7th 1884

Present Hon D. D. Wiseger Judge

The Court doth allow to A. Sherwood Esqr Atty for the Commonwealth
Copies the sum of Twenty four Dollars for his services during the last
by months

The Court doth allow to S.G. Gilliam Sheriff Twelve Dollars a
day Two Dollars per day for himself and his Deputies two days
during this Term.

The Court doth allow to S.G. Gilliam Sheriff Five Dollars for
attendance without printing paid for during this Term

The Court doth allow to the Jailer of this County the sum of
Copies Thirty Dollars for his services during twelve months

The Court doth allow to A.M. Osgood Clerk Thirty Dollars
the sum allowed by law for his services in cases of the
Crimes during twelve months

Gordon Jas mls. Pltff
&
Sleet Beverly mls Defts } Mon Ejectt.

On the motion of the Pltff leave is
given him to amend their declaration & the cause is removed
to rules.

On motion of the Authorities of Mount Level Church to
summon Beverly Sleet attorney appointed Mal Perkins in
his place. & then it is ordered that said Sleet be summoned
to the 1st Day of the next Term of the Court & show cause
if any he can why he should not be removed as
such Trustee and the said Perkins appointed in his place.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the
1st Day of the next Term.

Jam. D. Wiseger

Office Judgments Continued October 7th 1884.

Costs $7.45 — J. Gray McCandlish — Pltff — In Debt.
vs
John W. Rose — Defd

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Ninety four Dollars & fifty six cents with interest thereon from the 19th day of December 1882 till paid also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

J.J.

" 7.85 — Augustus Wright — Pltff — Case.
vs
W. P. Lewis — Defd

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and Sixty three Dollars & Eighty nine cents with interest on $50.00 part thereof from the 8th day of June 1884 on $56.94 another part thereof from the 28th day of June 1884 and on $56.95 the residue thereof from the 13th day of July 1884 till paid and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended

J.J.

7.45 — Theo Lewender — Pltff — In Debt.
vs
David A. Wells — Defd

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Sixty eight Dollars and twelve cents with interest thereon from the 12th day of November 1880 till paid and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended But this judgment is subject to a credit of $30.00 paid Oct 29th 1881

J.J.

Alexander Dorman — Pltff — In Debt
vs
Wm P. Davis & W S. Davis — Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the

defendants day resisting in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Fifty Dollars with interest thereon from the 3d day of June 1879 till paid and his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Judgments confessed in the Clerks Office March 5th 1885

E A R Pigott. Pltff
vs
E W Perkins Deft } In Debt.

This day came the defendant in his own proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned & the costs. Therefore it is considered that the plaintiff recover against the defendant Seven Hundred and Seventy Dollars with interest thereon from the 14th day of February 1885 till paid the debt and interest aforesaid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

W H H Baguley & Jno M. Williams merchants & partners trading under the firm & style of Baguley & Williams. Pltff
vs
E W Perkins. Deft } In Debt

This day came the defendant in his proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned. Therefore it is considered that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Twenty Dollars with interest thereon from the 5th day of March 1885 till paid the debt and interest aforesaid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

W F Baugh & H A Webb admrs with the will annexed of Charles M Cocker dec. Pltff
vs
E W Perkins. Deft } In Debt

This day came the defendant in his proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned. Therefore it is considered that that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of Forty four dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of November 1880 till paid the debt and interest aforesaid, and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Judgment Confessed in the Clerks Office March 7th 1885

E L Perkins — Pltff
vs
E N Perkins — Deft
} In Debt

This day came the defendant in his proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the declaration mentioned Therefore it is considered that the plaintiff recover against the defendant One Hundred and Seventy Dollars with interest thereon from the 17th day of February 1883 the debt and interest in the said declaration and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Virginia

At a circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Tuesday the 7th day of April 1885 and of the Commonwealth the 109th

Present Hon [redacted] J. Weisiger Judge.

Harmon Brandt Plaintiff
vs
The Virginia & Carolina Rail Road Company Defts } In Case.

This day came the defendant by its attorney & says that it did not Guilty in manner and form charged in the plaintiff declaration. & it is ordered that the P.B. agreed to be set aside, and the defendant by his attorney enlisted a demurrer to the plaintiff declaration and the plaintiff joined in the said demurrer, and thereupon the matter of law & being argued it seems to the Court that the plaintiff declaration is sufficient. & with overrule the said demurrer. And thereupon the defendant by their attorney filed a special plea in writing to which the plaintiff replied generally and upon was thereupon joined special replication in writing being drawn.

Jno G Harris of &c Dennis wife Pltff
vs
C E M. Fuller. Defts } Wm alias Dennis.

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney & the summons issued in this cause at the instance of the plaintiff having been returned executed and Jno Morgan named as the debtor. summoned and acknowledged that he was indebted to the defendant in the sum of Sixty five dollars. Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the ~~defendant~~ Jno Morgan the said sum of Sixty five dollars.

Harmon Brandt Pltff
vs
The Va & Carolina Rail Road Co Defts } In Case

This day came the parties by their attorneys & thereupon came the following jury to wit Robert Ritchie. Adam Bragg. J.B. Temple & Major. Jos Gholson C.B. Parker Wm Browning B.F. Peebles Jr Turner Scott. William Allen Taylor & J. Crews who being sworn to well and truly try the issue joined were before the Court and having heard the evidence and the Court being about to adjourn was adjourned over until tomorrow 10 o'clock.

Order that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow 10 o'clock

Jno J. Weisiger

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Wednesday April 8th 1885

Present Hon S S Mercer Judge

Magnus Bratt Pltff
vs
Wm V. & Carolina Rail Road Company Defts } In Case

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury sworn in this case appeared in Court according to their adjournment to wit Robert Ritchie Adam Bragg T B Doyle, R S Major Jas Gholson C E Pollette Wm Bolling D E Mills Geo Turner Scott Williams Albert Taylor & Jno Crew and having fully heard the argument retired to their room and after some time spent returned into Court and reports the following verdict to wit We the jury find for the plaintiff and assess the damages at $250.00 Dollars. the defendant by Counsel moves the Court to set aside the verdict and grant a new trial which the Court took time to consider.

J P Robertson as of Washington Jackson dec. Pltff
vs
The Norfolk & Western Rail Road Company. Defts } In Case.

On motion of the defendant by their attorney it is ordered that the W E award be set aside, and thereupon the defendant by it attorney demurs to the plaintiffs declaration, and the plaintiff joined in the said demurrer, and thereupon the matter of law arising upon the defendants demurrer to the plaintiffs declaration being argued. the Court took time to consider of its decision.

R. T. Elliott Jos A Elliott John R. Poole & W Mallory and
Merchants & partners trading under the firm name of Elliott Brothers. Plaintiffs
&c.
vs
A T. Stewart Defts } In Case.

This day came the parties by their attorney and neither party desiring a jury in this case. Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the defendant for the sum of One hundred and forty six dollars and forty nine cents with interest thereon from the 10th day of June 1884 the said day and also their Costs. & judgment accordingly.

Allen & Co. Pltff
vs
Nobles. Defts } Upon Attachment.

Rank
vs
Rank

Pltff
Deft
} Wm Adair Sen.

Ordered that the above case be Continued generally.

Ordered the following Petit Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their Services at this Court as follows. R. Richey $3.96. Adam Bragg $3.60 21 Temple $2.96 R S. Major $3.64 Jas Gholson $2.32 E Pollett $3.12 Wm Bolling $3.60 B Ellett $3.60 Geo Tevis 3.92 Wm H. Williams 2.64 Albert Jayne $3.92 Geo Johnson 3.92 J T Crow Exqr

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow 10 o'clock

Jam. J. Thursight

Thursday April 9th 1885.

Present Hon B. J. Winslow Judge

Ord Fee $15.00

The Court doth allow to D.Y. Gilliam Jailer the sum of Fifteen Dollars for his services as such for six months.

The Court doth allow to D.Y. Gilliam Sheriff Four Dollars for attending the Court this term furnishing wood & making fires & which is certified to the Auditor for payment.

The Court doth allow to D.Y. Gilliam Sheriff Eighteen Dollars it being Two Dollars per day for himself and two Deputies during this term payable out of the State Treasury. Ord to the attorney for the sum of Four dollars.

Jackson adm. Pltff
vs
The Norfolk & Western Rail Road Co. Defts } In case

The Court having cognizance of the demurrer upon the demurrer to the Pltffs declaration doth sustain the defendants demurrer to the 1st Count in the plaintiffs declaration and doth overrule the demurrer to the 2d 3d & 4th Counts thereof and as matters now is given the plaintiff to amend his declaration

Harrison Bradley Pltff
vs
The Va & Carolina Rail Road Co. Defts } In case.

The Court hearing evidence the motion to amend the verdict of the Jury in this case doth overrule the said motion Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Two hundred and fifty Dollars and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

The Court doth allow to A.M. Organ clerk of this Court the sum of Two hundred and fifty Dollars for his services as such for the year 1885 which is certified to the Board of Supervisors for payment,

Ordered that all cases now undisposed of be and are hereby Continued

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the 1st day of the next Term

Jam. J. Brewer

Office Judgments Confirmed April Term 1885

May 6 — F. V. Collins who sues for the benefit of J. S. Budd Trustee — Pltff — In Case
vs
A. G. Butterworth — Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the Sum of Two Hundred and fifty dollars with interest thereon from the 6th Day of May 1884 till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

1885 — Peter Paul — Pltff — In Debt
vs
E. A. Black & John Smith — Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the Sum of One Hundred and twenty nine dollars with interest on $64.74 a part thereof from 31st Day of July 1884 till paid, and on $64.74 the residue thereof from the 30th day of August 1884 till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

P. A. Palmer heretofore called agt — Pltff — In Case
vs
R. B. W. Warren — Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the Sum of

Forty dollars and sixty three cents with interest thereon from the 1st day of August 1884 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

$ 7.45 | T. Crowder | Pltff | In Debt.
vs
J. & P. Wells | Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and thirty four dollars with interest from the 2d day of May 1881 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

$ 7.45 | The Same | Pltff | In Debt.
vs
A. J. Heath | Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One Hundred and thirty dollars with interest thereon from the 2d day of January 1879 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, But this judgment is subject to the following Credits Viz: $ 24.50 paid March 1st 1881 & $ 30.00 paid Nov 17th 1882

$ 7.45 | The Same | Pltff | In Debt
vs
W. A. Hitchcock | Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Seventy One dollars and fifty eight cents with interest thereon from the 13th day of November 1882 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

$ 7.45 | The Same | Pltff | In Debt
vs
David F. Wells | Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action

Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Ninety nine dollars and forty one cents, with interest from the 2d day of January 1876 till paid and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

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7.45 — The State
vs
J A Kennedy — Pltff / Deft — In Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Eighty three dollars and Seventy six cents with interest thereon from the 1st day of January 1881 till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

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$7.45 — The State
vs
E L Merdrit — Pltff / Deft — In Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Ninety seven dollars and forty two cents with interest thereon from the 2d day of Jany 1881 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

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7.95 — The State
vs
E N Perkins — Pltff / Deft — In Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Nine Hundred and Thirty dollars and Seventy cents with interest thereon from the 2d day of November 1882 till paid and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

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$7.45 — The State
vs
L T Keys — Pltff / Deft — In Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum Fifty one dollars Sixty cents with interest thereon from the 16th day of Dec 1880 till paid and also his

√√ costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Virginia Dinwiddie Circuit Court In Vacation

February 26th 1886

Whereas there was a failure to hold the regular term of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County in October 1885 as prescribed by law and whereas the detention of Holmes Puryear a prisoner charged with murder & now confined in Jail for trial in said Court makes it proper that his case should be disposed of before the next regular term of the Dinwiddie Circuit Court. Therefore a special term of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County is appointed ordered to be holden on the 16th day of March 1886 for the trial of the said Holmes Puryear & for the trial of such other cases as may be conveniently disposed of during said Special term. A venire is ordered to be summoned in the manner prescribed by law to attend the said special term of the said Court

To the Clerk of Beverley A Hancock

Dinwiddie Circuit Court

Test A M. Organ Clk

Judgment Confessed in the Clerks Office March 15th 1886.

Geo W. Stell Pltff
vs
Clack & Stell Defts
} In Debt.

This day came the defendant in his own proper person, and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One Hundred and Eight Dollars with interest thereon from the 26th day of March 1868 till paid the debt and interest in the writ mentioned, also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

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Virginia At a special term of the Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Tuesday the 16th day of March 1886. and of the Commonwealth the 110th

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

State of Virginia, City of Manchester, to wit

In the Corporation or Hustings Court of said City the 1st day of January 1886. This day B A Hancock Esq appeared in open Court with his Commission showing that he had been chosen and elected Judge of the second Judicial Circuit of this Commonwealth for the unexpired term of the Hon S S Wellford deceased, ending on the 31st day of December 1886. by the General Assembly of the State of Virginia for the term aforesaid, and that he had been commissioned by his Excellency William E Cameron Governor of the State of Virginia as such Judge, And thereupon he duly qualified to said office of Judge of the second Judicial Circuit of the Commonwealth of Virginia, by taking and subscribing the oaths of office required by law, I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the record of my office, In testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Corporation or Hustings Court of the City of Manchester, This 1st day of January AD 1886.

N E DuVal Clerk

Seal

State of Virginia, City of Manchester, to wit

In the Corporation or Hustings Court of said City, the 15th day of March 1886.

This day B A Hancock personally appeared in open Court with his Commission showing that he had been chosen and elected Judge of the Circuit Court of the second Judicial Circuit of the Commonwealth of Virginia, for the term of office provided by law, by the General Assembly of the State of Virginia, and that he had been commissioned by his Excellency Fitzhugh Lee Governor of the State of Virginia as such Judge And thereupon the said B A Hancock duly qualified to said office of Judge of the Circuit Court of the 2nd Judicial Circuit of the Commonwealth of Virginia by taking and subscribing to the oaths of office required by law. In testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Corporation or Hustings Court of the City of Manchester, this 15th Day of March AD 1886

N E DuVal clerk

Seal

The Commonwealth of Virginia — Prosecuting
vs — Upon an Indictment
Holmes R Pumyear — Defendant for Murder

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was set to the bar in Custody of the Jailor and being thereof arraigned and pleaded not guilty to the Indictment, and the prisoner by Counsel moved the Court.

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to order a Venire Summoned from another County for his Trial, and filed an affidavit setting forth the reasons therefor. which motion the Court overruled to which ruling of the Court the prisoner by Counsel excepted and tendered his bill of exceptions, which were signed by the Court and made a part of the record. And thereupon the prisoner by Counsel moved the Court for a Change of Venue. which motion the Court sustained and doth order that the venue be changed to the Circuit Court for the County of Prince George ~~County~~ and the prisoner is remanded to the Jail of Petersburg it appearing that the Dist Dist Jail is infected with J A Stringfield Mary J. Stringfield Amanda C Barker J T. Chambers B W Barker. Martha Critchett James Robertson Mary Reid H M Fisher Dy Sheriff. Mary Thompson. Willie Calmes Thos Fox Webb. Pattie Walker. Annie Walker. E R. Bedford W T. Raynes. Rosina Robertson. J H Wray. Ella Williams. W H Nash B F Rose. T N. Nobles J T. Nance. Fanni Mitchell Lucie Bowers. Ben Dabney. Chas Edwards. B J Epes. L E Pierson. Ella Calmes Nellie Calmes Decan Stewart. Emily B Gordon J T Gordon jr. ~~H C Wynn~~ R S. Stephens John Taylor Jas Wray. Jade Thompson. Margaret Crawley N W Calmes. Come into Court and acknowledge Recognizances to be entered into by the Commonwealth of Each in the sum of $100 to be levied of their respective Lands and Tenements goods and Chattels but to the use of the Commonwealth rendered yet upon this Condition that if the they and each of them shall make their personal appearance before the Judge of this Circuit Court for the County of Prince George County at the Courthouse thereof on the first day of the May term next of said Court being the 5th day of May 1886 to give evidence in the case of the Commonwealth vs Holmes R Pierson and not depart thence without the leave of the said Court then this recognizance to be void or else remain in full force and effect.

A F Palmer a Venire ne Summons to attend here this day having been called and not appearing it is ordered that he be summoned to the first day of the next term of the Court to show cause if any he can why he should not be fined for.

Ordered that Dy. William Sheriff of the County of Dinwiddie remove Holmes R Pierson from the Jail of the City of Petersburg where he has been remanded for safe keeping it appearing to the Court that the Jail of Prince George County is unsafe to the Jail of Prince George County before the day for the appearances of the prisoner before the Court the 5th day of May next.

Palmer T.A. Refd
To
E.T. Tatum Defd
} In Case.

This day came the defendant by his attorney and filed the Statute of Limitations to which the plaintiff replies generally & issue was joined. and the plaintiff obtains judgment against him & his costs

Ordered that the following Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their attendance
here J T Barclay 1.50 J T Butterworth 3.00 J N Ferguson 1.50 G T Fisher 3.00 J M
Gregg 1.50 E S Hobbs 1.50 A Hine 3.00 H W Hawthorne 3.00 T M Jones 1.40 W O McGuire
1.50 D E Reams 3.00 O H Rogers 1.50 T Ring Sr 1.40 W T Ring 3.00 W O Rine
1.40 J C Beverly 3.00 C T Dyke 1.50 D E Davis 1.40 W E Grimes 1.50 A G Rinehart 3.00
J E Rose 1.50 N T Branch 1.50 B H Rag. Dec-114

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be paid out of County Treasury for their attendance
and mileage at this term as follows here J O Mondrit 1/2 R B Howard 1/2 R H Lewis
1/2 Phil Jackson 1/2 Allison Hooker 3.00 T E Blair 1/2 J H Wilson 1/2 Melville Dodd
1/2 J T Jackson 1.50 J H Gregg 1/2 T G Hobbs 1.40 J T Howard 1/2 J S Williams 1.14 J H
Ivey 1/2 J B Wright 1.00 E T Pearce 1/2

Ordered that D J Gilliam Sheriff of this County be allowed a sufficient guard to assist
him in Conveying Hobson R Pearce from the Jail of Petersburg to the Jail of Prince
George County when he shall be required to remove him.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the 1st day of the next term.

Beverley A Hancock

Office Judgments Confirmed. March 16th 1886.

$9.09 Cts. R W Hanson — Pltff
vs
J D B Rucks & J A Hobbs — Defts
} In Debt

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of One Hundred and forty three Dollars with interest thereon from the 25th day of August 1884 till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

$9.90 W Lawrenbach — Pltff
vs
A G Butterworth — Defe
} In Case

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred & Thirty nine Dollars and fifty Cents with interest from 22nd Feb 1885 till paid & costs

Costs $7.95

T Cresweder Pltff
vs
H T. Thrift Defe } In Case

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Forty six Dollars and twenty five Cents with interest thereon from the 25th day of February 1885 till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

$7.95 J. W. Speirs & T. Brooks late merchants & partners under the firm name of Speirs & Co. who sue for the benefit of A Denson & A Hamilton Trustees Pltff
vs
J E Rose Defe } In Case

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant said nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of Ninety four Dollars and Eighty five Cents with interest on $47.42½ apart thereof from 16 May 1883 till paid & on $47.42½ the residue thereof from 15th day of June 1885 till paid, and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

$8.05 Alexander Dorman admr of Richard Davies. decd Pltff
vs
W H. Baxter Defe } In Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant said nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Twenty four Dollars with interest thereon from the 15th day of July 1882 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

$7.95 Cts W. H. Bagwell and Jno M. Williams merchants and partners in trade under the firm & Style of Bagwell & Williams Pltff
vs
W E Sturdivant Defe } In Case.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant said nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and thirty four Dollars and three cents with interest thereon from the 22d day of August 1885 till paid also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Oct 17 45 — S. M. Grant & C. E. Burton partners under the firm style of Grant Burton — Plaintiffs } In Case

vs

Harry Hearburts — Defts }

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant said nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Fifty Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of April 1885 till paid. also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf

" " expended.

" 8 45 — S. H. Marks, Charlotte M. Marks & J. F. Williams Merchants & partners, in trade under the firm style of S. H. Marks & Co. — Plaintiffs } In Case

vs

A. G. Butterworth — Defts }

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant said nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and forty two Dollars and Eighty two cents with interest thereon from the 1st day of January 1885 till paid &

" " also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Virginia At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Thursday the 8th day of April 1886 and of the Commonwealth the 110th

Present Hon. B. A. Moncure Judge.

The Commonwealth of Va. Pltff
vs
A. F. Bennett Defd } Upon a Rule to show cause.

Ordered that the above rule be discharged.

J. S. Peebles surviving partner of Dinwiddie
W. T. Hubbard late partner trading as W. T. Hubbard
&c
vs
R. F. Rose

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant by Alex Donnan his attorney in fact acting under a Power of Attorney from the husband of the defendant and acknowledged the plaintiff action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and ninety Eight Dollars. with interest on $64.85 with interest thereon from the 9th Sept 1885 till paid. and $66.00 with interest thereon from 15th Dec 1885 till paid & on $66.61 the residue thereof from January 18th 1886 till paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant

B. J. Gilliam Plaintiff } Upon appeal from the Board of Supervisors
vs Defd } for the County of
Dinwiddie County.

By Consent of parties it is ordered that this case be removed to the Circuit Court for the City of Petersburg.

Palmer. T. A Plaintiff } In Case.
vs Defd }
E. T. Tatum.

Crawford. Pltff } Upon a Garnishee
vs Deft } Sum.
Tucker.

Ordered that the above Case be Continued, until the next Term.

Dennis with Warfield for Tucker.

Ordered that the above case be dismissed.

J. P. Robertson admr of Washington Jackson dec'd. — Plaintiff
vs
The Norfolk & Western Rail Road Co. — Defe
} In Case

This day came the defendant by its attorneys and demurred to the plaintiffs declaration & each Count thereof and the plaintiff joined in the demurrer and the Court overruled the said demurrer and thereupon the defendant for plea says it is not guilty in manner and form as the plaintiff hath Complained to which the plaintiff replies generally and upon the issue thereupon joined

Allen & Co vs Neblett, Parker adm vs Park:

Ordered that the above case be continued until the next Term.

J. P. Robertson adm of Washington Jackson dec'd — Plaintiff
vs
The Norfolk & Western Rail Road Company — Defe
} In Case

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came the following jury Viz. W. E. Hargrave, G. W. Chappell, T. B. Connally, J. E. Darby, T. M. Edmunds, T. H. Nettleson, T. B. Temple, Thos. Chambers, D. C. Fowlkes, D. E. Bishop, H. W. Washburne, & Levi Griffith who being sworn to true and truly try the issue joined now before the Court, and having heard the evidence and the Court being about to adjourn they were adjourned one until tomorrow morning at 10 Oclock.

D. H. Laferty — Appellant
vs
The N. Carolina Rail Road Company — Appellee
} Upon appeal

Chas Gerecke — Appellee
vs
Same — Appellant
} Upon appeal

Goodwyn adm — Plaintiff
vs
Stark adm. — Defe
} Ejec.

Order that the above cases be continued until the next Term.

Order that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow 10 o'clock am

Beverly A. Hancock

Friday April 9th 1886.

Present Hon B. A Hancock Judge

Jacob Cohen. Pltff
vs
B E Sutherland Defe } Upon a Gar Summs.

Rosenstock Pltff
vs
Same — Defe } Upon a Gar Summs

Ordered that the above cases be and are hereby dismissed,

The Court being of opinion that a just allowance to A. M Organ Clerk of this Court will be the sum of three hundred & fifty dollars for his services as such during the year 1886 payable out of County Levy, the increase on the allowance heretofore made is in consequence of services performed by him in the case of the Com. with Pennycake at the Special term of this Court & Goth order this opinion of the Court to be certified to the Board of Supervisors of this County by act 1884 page 85

J. P. Robertson admr of Washington Jackson dec'd Pltff
vs
The Norfolk & Western Rail Road Company Defe } In case.

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the Jury sworn in this case yesterday appeared in Court according to their adjournment viz. R. E Hargrave, Geo W. Chappell, T B. Crumley, J E Darby, T C Edmunds Jr. Attorneys, Duncan Chambers, D C Fowlkes, B E Bickett, H W. Hawthorne & Son Griffith & T B Tupper and having fully heard the evidence, and thereupon the Plaintiff and Defendant asked for instructions to the jury which the Court gave not amendment to instructions Nos 2 & 3 asked for by the defendant, to which amendments the defendant by Counsel excepted, and the jury having fully heard the argument of Counsel and the Court being about to adjourn they were adjourned over until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock AM.

Ordered that the Sheriff summon Twenty qualified voters of the County as special Jury for the trial of the case of Estelle Bristow against Wm. Edenborough from a list to be furnished by the Judge of the Circuit Court for the County to appear at the Court House thereof on Monday the 12th day of April next at 11½ o'clock AM

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow 10 o'clock AM

Beverly A. Hancock

Saturday April 10th 1886.

Present Hon. B A Hancock Judge.

Bernard Mann Gentleman having obtained a license to practice the law in the Courts of this Commonwealth on his motion Said is given leave to practice in this Court who thereupon appeared in Court and took the oaths required by law.

On the motion of O.J. Gill and Gentleman Sheriff. Frank Organ is permitted to qualify as his Deputy who thereupon appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law.

J P Robertson admor of Washington Jackson dec'd. Plaintiff
vs
The Norfolk & Western Rail Road Company. Deft } In Case

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury sworn in this case again appeared in Court according to their adjournment viz. R E Haygood. Geo W. Chapman T B. Connelly J E Darby. T C Edmunds. T W. Atkinson. Thomas Chambers. D C Dawkins. B E. Bishop. H W Hawthorne Levi Griffin & B. Temple. and having fully heard the arguments related to them some and after sometime spent therein returned into Court and reported the following verdict viz "We the Jury find for the plaintiff and fix his damages at Five thousand dollars" the defendant by Counsel moved the Court to set aside the verdict and grant a new Trial upon the grounds ~~[illegible]~~ 1st that the Court has erred in giving the instructions given by the Court and refusing to give instructions those asked for by the defendant 2nd because the verdict is contrary to the law and the evidence 3rd because the damages given by the Jury are excessive. which motion the Court overruled and entered judgment accordingly. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant Company the sum of Five thousand Dollars the amount by the jurors in their verdict ascertained, with legal interest thereon from the 10th day of April 1886 till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, to which ruling of the Court the defendant by Counsel excepted and tendered its bill of exceptions and prayed the Court to sign and seal the same and make it a part of the record which is accordingly done.

Order that the Court be adjourned until Monday morning at 11 o'clock

Beverly A. Hancock

Monday April 12th 1886

Present Hon B McMorick Judge.

Ethelbert Brinton Plaintiff
vs
Wm Ellenborough Defdt } Sci Fa.

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant for plea says that he is not guilty in the manner and form as the plaintiff hath complained. to which the plaintiff replied generally and issue was thereupon joined.

Ethelbert Brinton Plaintiff
vs
Wm Ellenborough Defdt } Sci fa.

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the special jury summoned by the Sheriff for the trial of the case being present in Court sixteen were selected by lot and the parties having exercised their privileges under the acting of assembly of striking from the panel the names of four of said jurors commencing with the plaintiff and striking off alternately and the following twelve remained for the trial of the case viz. B.F. Barnes W.P. Lewis A.N. Reams Geo Pattee R.L. Hardy R Ebole W.H. Mark L Pattee E.N. Hill B.F. Williams L E Coleman J.T. Hardy who being sworn to well and truly try the issue joined now before the Court, the plaintiff having introduced his evidence the defendant filed a Discontinuance to the evidence of the plaintiff and the plaintiff entered his joinder in the discontinuance thereupon the jury were discharged until tomorrow 10 o'clock AM.

Marshall A Mercur v. Peter J Mercur his wife. Plaintiff
vs
R L Wynn Defdt } Wynn Ejectt.

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant by his attorney demurred to the plaintiff declaration and the plaintiff joined in the demurrer which the Court overruled the same, and thereupon the defendant for plea says he is not guilty in the manner and form as the plaintiff hath complained. to which the plaintiff replied and thereupon issue was joined. and thereupon came the following jury viz J.C. Sloan, R.H. Tucker, J.W. Rebuck, C. McKee, J.M. Lewis, J.H. Lee, R.A. Williamson, R.K. Nobles, Boyle Ellis, J.F. Allison, B.K. Hunter, & E.N. Edmunds, who being sworn to well and truly try the issue joined now before the Court, and having fully heard the evidence and arguments of Counsel retired to their

room to consult of their verdict and after some time spent therein returned into Court and rendered the following verdict to wit "We the Jury find for the defendant" Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff take nothing by his bill, but for his false clamour be in mercy, and that the defendant go thereof without day, and recover against the plaintiff his Costs by him about his defence in this behalf expended.

The defendant moves the Court to set aside the verdict & grant a new trial upon the ground that it is contrary to the law & the evidence. which motion the Court overruled.

J. P. Robertson admor of Washington Jackson dec'd — Plaintiff
against
The Norfolk and Western Rail Road Company — Defe } In Case.

This day came the defendant by its Attorney and moved the Court to suspend the execution of the judgment entered against it in this cause on the 10th day of April 1886. which is accordingly done for the period of Ninety days provided it be given &c. agreeable by section 4 Chapter 178 Code of Virginia Edition of 1873.

On motion of the proper authorities the Court doth appoint the appointment of the Jurors for Sharon Church Dist. Geo Mathews, James Chappell West Wyche in place of Reuben Dillard, Jr. Tinsley Norfleet & Jos Coy removed.

The Court doth allow to the following Petit Jurors for their services and mileage at this term of the Court payable out of the County Treasury. viz. R E Sturgeon $6.00 Geo R Chappell $4.44 T B Connelly $5.92 J E Darby $6.88 T C Edmunds $8.00 T H Atkinson $6.24 T B Temple $5.92 H C Chambers $8.00 D C Powell $8.00 R A Williamson $5.96 N H Hawthorne $8.00 Sam Griffin $8.00 J E Gentry $6.36 W L Pugh $6.00 B E Bishop $6.00 Berk Ellis $5.64 B H Barrow $3.12 C P Sams $4. R M Reams $4. Geo Parker $3.12 R C Hardy $4. R E Cobb $4.00 W H Nash $3.12 C Parker $3.12 E H Hill $3.24 B F Williams $3.28 L Chambers $3.76 J T Hardy $3.76 T G Nash $1.48 J M Sams $2.64 J C Dunn $2.64 J R Robertson $2.48 C M Rives $2.80 R H Tinsley $2.16 E H Edmunds $2.32 B K Harrison $2.24 J H Lee $2.32 R N Robertson $2.48 J P Allmond $2.32 Alex Hays $1.64 Chas Reams $2. F O Robertson $2. B J Davis $1.64 Tom Peterson $1.00 J H Briggs $5.00 J A Merriweather. G A Dame $1.24

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow 10 o'clock A M

Beverly A Hancock

Tuesday April 13th 1886

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge.

The Court doth allow to D.Y. Gilliam Jailer the sum of Thirty Dollars for his Services as such during Twelve months no allowance having been made for six months of 1885 in consequence of no Circuit Court being held for said County in October which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts.

The Court doth allow to A Theo Powell Attorney for the Commonwealth the Sum of Fifty Dollars for Twelve months Service as such during twelve months no allowance having been made for six months of 1885 in Consq of no Circuit Court being held for said County in October which is Certified

The Court doth allow to D.Y. Gilliam Sheriff for attendance in the Court during the Term furnishing meat fuel &c the sum of Eight Dollars & fifty Cents.

The following accounts against the Commonwealth for Guarding Prisoner Confined in Lewis County Jail were examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment Lewis Brothers Ellis $10.00 J A Lewis $34.00 D.S. Williamson $37.00 Hamden Stevens $45.00 it appearing to the Court that said Guard was necessary not on account of the insecurity of Jail but on account of the character of the prisoners Confined D Y Gilliam sheriff $38.65

The Court doth allow to D.Y. Gilliam Sheriff the Sum of Forty Dollars it being Ten Dollars for himself and three Deputies during four days at the Term of this Court payable out of State Treasury @ Six Dollars per $2.00 per day for himself and his Deputies one day during the Special Term of the Circuit Court held March 16 1886.

Ethelbert Bristow Plaintiff
vs
Wm Ettenborough Defendant } In case.

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Jury Sworn in this case on yesterday again appeared in Court according to their adjournment towit B H Barrow. W P Lewis R H Reams Geo Pollett R C Hardy R E Cooke W H Nash C E Pollett E H Kelly B F Williams L E Coleman & J T Hardy. and having fully heard the argument of Counsel retired to their room to consult of their verdict and after some time spent therein returned

with leave and reports that they were unable to agree upon a verdict whereupon the name of S. E. Bowman one of said Jurors is withdrawn and the case is continued until the next term of this Court.

On motion of the Surgeon of the Bar the Court appoints R. N. Jones & Geo. D. Bernard. W. R. McKenney A. L. Hancock & W. Keller a Committee to draft suitable resolutions of respect to the death of the U. S. Marsh. Judge of the Circuit Court of this County & present a copy of the same to the family of the deceased and another copy to the Clerk of this Court to spread upon the records of the Court at the next term.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the 5th day of the next term

Beverly A. Hancock

Office Judgments Entered April 13th 1886.

E. Meyers who sues for the benefit of W. R. McKenney Assee. Pltff
vs
G. A. Bowman. Deft } In case.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the sum of Two Hundred and fifty Dollars debt with interest thereon from the 24th day of June 1885 till paid and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

E. M. Allen & B. Richards. merchants & partners trading under firm style of Allen Richards. Pltff
vs
A. G. Butterworth. Deft } In case.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of Ninety three Dollars and forty cents with interest thereon from the 18th day of Feby 1885 till paid and also their costs expended.

Virginia: at a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Court-house thereof on Thursday the 7th day of October 1886 and of the Commonwealth the 111th

Present: Hon B A Hancock Judge

The Court doth allow to the following Petit Jurors for their attendance and mileage at this Term of the Court payable by the County Treasurer to wit: R J Boisseau $2.00 L D Baskerville $2.00 Alex Hopkins $2.00 L G Potts $2.00 Jeff Umphlett $1.16 T J Kidd $1.16 G A Keys $1.16 C F Scott $2.00 J E Rawlings $1.96 E A Gray $2.00 J A Powell $1.96 J M Rose $1.16 Wm Lynch $1.40 G A Bishop $1.16

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock

Beverly A. Hancock

Present: Friday Oct 8th 1886

Hon B A Hancock Judge

It is ordered that the Clerk of this Court purchase forthwith a well bound book in which to record bonds given by special commissioners of this Court And he is ordered hereafter to take no bond from a special commissioner unless the same be recorded in said book. It is further ordered that the Clerk aforesaid furnish the Judge of the Court on the first day of each term thereof a list of the special commissioners who have given bonds in the preceding vacation with the names of their respective sureties, and the respective penalties of said bonds And also the number of the page in said book upon which each of said bonds has been recorded

Gerich Chas
vs
Va & Car RR Co

Ordered that the above case be dismissed

Office Judgements Confirmed

Thrift J B Pltff
vs
Slate J T Deft
} Dr D &br

This day came the Plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant saith nothing in bar or preclusion of the Plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred fifty dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of Nov 1875 until paid also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended

Jacob Cohen Pltff
vs
W E. Stockdell Defr } In Debt

This day came the Plaintiff by their Attorney and the defendant Saith nothing in bar or preclusion of the Plaintiff action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Eighty five dollars with interest thereon from January 4th 1886 till paid also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended

W R McKenny Trustee of E Myers Pltff
vs
W E. Stockdell Defts } In Debt

This day came the Plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant Saith nothing in bar or preclusion of the Plaintiff action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Seventy dollars with interest thereon from March 7th 1886 till paid also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended

Allen &c Pltff
vs
Neblett Defts } upon a Garnishee sum

Rasho adv vs ~~Stash~~ Pltff
vs
Rash Defr } upon a Garnishee sum

Crawford J J Pltff
vs
Tucker Defts } upon a Garnishee sum

Lassiter D W Pltff
vs
Va Car R R Co Defts } upon appeal

Gordon &c Pltffs
vs
Stith &c Defts } upon issue

Branch Pltff
vs
Traylor Defts } In Detinue

Palmer Pltff
vs
Tatum Defts } In case

Bristow Pltff
vs } In case
Ettenborough Defr

√ Ordered that the above cases be continued
The following accounts against the Commonwealth for Guarding Dinwiddie County Jail were examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public for payment to wit Booker Ellis $18.00 Hamlin Noland $18.00
copies it appearing to the Court that said guard was necessary not on account of the insecurity of the jail but on account of the prisoners confined & D Gilliam $14.20

The Court doth allow to D Gilliam Jailor Fifteen dollars for his
copies services as such for six months which is certified to the Auditor of Public accounts

The Court doth allow to A Theo Powell attorney for the Commonwealth the sum of Twenty five dollars for six months service as such which is certified

The Court doth allow to D Gilliam sheriff the sum of $18.00 it being two dollars for himself and two deputies during three days at this term of the Court payable out of the State Treasury

The Court doth allow to D Gilliam sheriff for attendance on the Court during this term furnishing wood fires &c the sum of Five dollars

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until ~~the first day of the next term~~ tomorrow morning at 10 oclock

Beverly A Hancock

Saturday Oct 9th 1886

Present Hon B A Hancock

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term

Beverly A Hancock

Virginia: At a circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Saturday the 9th day of April 1887 and of the Commonwealth the 111th

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge.

Order that the Court be adjourned until Monday morning at 10 o'clock

Beverly A. Hancock

Monday Morning April 11th 1887

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge.

Allen & C in Debt v Rash in Debt &c. Mem of law Issued.
Ordered that the above case be dismissed.

Dafield
in
Va & Car Rail Co.

Pltff
Defts
} Mem of Appeal.

Brigham
in
Edmonborough.

Pltff
Defts
} In Case.

[illegible] Chas E Whitlocks
in
E A Black & John S Black.

Pltff
Defts
} In Debt

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defts by W R McKenney acting under a power of attorney under the hand and seal of the defendants and acknowledges the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Four hundred and forty Dollars with legal interest thereon from the 31st day of March 1884 less paid. subject to the following credits Viz. $152.74 Cts. July 31st 1884 $23.77 Cts March 23rd 1885 $21.47 Cts Oct 15th 1885. $30.77 Cts 2nd Dec 1885. $28.39 Cts Nov 15th 1886. and

VV rind also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

Ordered that the following petit Jurors be kind one of the County Drawn for this
circuit came & was J McRae £3 28 Spencer Crisp £6 12 T N Mann £4 J F Butterworth £4
Chas Cook £3 12 B H Smith £3 60 Thos A Deeks £6 28 W J Bowen £6 J Wm Griffith
£6 12 T J Reed £3 48 Jeff Bisley £3 48 J A Wells £4 Henry Bowen £6 Graham £2 12
Richd Tucker £1 80 R A Lewis £2 96

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clk.

Beverley A Hancock

Tuesday April 12th 1887

Present Hon Beverley A Hancock Judge.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow 10 o'clk.

Beverley A Hancock

Wednesday April 13th 1887

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge.

The Court certifies the Board of Supervisors for the County of Dinwiddie the sum of Three Hundred and fifty Dollars as a suitable allowance for the Clerk of the Circuit Court for the year ending July 1st 1887.

Copied The Court doth allow to A The Powell attorney for the Commonwealth for his services as such during six months the sum of Seventy five Dollars payable out of State Treasury

Copied The Court doth allow to Sly Gilliam Sheriff of Dinwiddie County the sum of Three Dollars for furnishing wood water during their term payable out of the State Treasury

Copied The Court doth allow to Sly Gilliam Jailor the sum of Fifteen Dollars.

for his services as such during six months payable out of the State Treasury.

Copied

The Court doth allow to S.J. Gilliam Sheriff the sum of Twenty four Dollars it being two Dollars per day for himself and two Deputies during four days at the term aforesaid payable out of the State Treasury.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Beverley A. Hancock

Office Judgments Confessed April 13th 1887

$8.95 Cts.

James H King. Plaintiff

vs

Robert Fraser. John H Bain & Lula H. his wife formerly Fraser } In Debt.

the said Robert Fraser & Lula, wife of the said John H Bain living Surviving

obligors of Ramsdell and Lucy J Fraser dec'd Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Four hundred Dollars with legal interest thereon from the 19th day of

✓ January 1884 till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

$9.71

John B Thiefe Pltff

vs } In Debt.

A.J. Slate Defd

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and fifty Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of November 1875 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. But this judgment is subject to a credit of Ninety Dollars

✓ paid 1st January 1875.

$7,78

Joseph B. Peebles surviving partner of himself and H. T. Hubbard late partners trading under the firm and style of H. T. Hubbard & Company Plff

vs } In Debt

A B. Kelly. Defd

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court

that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and twenty Dollars and eight cents with interest thereon from the 8th day of February 1883 till paid also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

$7.60

E R Dodson Pltff
vs
J E Reese Defe } In Case.

This day came the plaintiff by her attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and twenty four Dollars and legal interest thereon from the 1st day of January 1887 till paid and also her costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended.

Judgment Confessed in the Clerks Office Augt 11th 1887

Cost $2.65

Wm Ettenborough exor of J W Sand Pltff
vs
C P Jolley exr of Wm H Jolley dec'd Defts } In Debt.

This day came the defendant by his proper person and acknowledges the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the sum of Twenty two Dollars and fifty cents with interest thereon from the 10th day of April 1875 till paid to be levied of the goods and chattles of the decedent in the hands of the defendant if so much thereof be left, and also his costs by him about his
VV suit in this behalf expended.

Wm Ettenborough exor of W S King Pltff
vs
C P Jolley surviving obligor of himself & Wm H Jolley dec'd Defts } In Debt.

This day came the defendant in his proper person and acknowledges the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the sum of One hundred and twenty four Dollars with interest thereon from the 25th day of December 1870 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. But this judgment is subject to the following credits to wit $75.00 from Oct 10 1872 & $19.33 from July 3rd 1876 and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf
VV expended.

Virginia, At a circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Wednesday the 21st day of September 1887 and of the Commonwealth the 112th

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge.

Order that a Rule issue against H A Simmons R M Reames to appear at 12 oclock to show cause if any they can why they should not be fined for failing to attend here this day as Petit Jurors it appearing to the Court that they have been duly summoned by the Sheriff for that purpose.

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their services at this term of the Court viz J E Williams $1.88 R B Bradford 1.96 J A Epps 1.16 Jeff. Ansley 1.16 J J Harris 1.40 J M Ross 1.40 B Eppes 2nd W T Shelton Jr. J W Hicks Jr 1.40 Billy Bracey Jr. Sam Parsons Jr 2.00 R J Tucker $1.80

Ordered that Sheriff be adjourned until the morning 10 oclock

Beverly A Hancock

Thursday September 22nd 1887

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge.

The Court doth allow to B H Ragsdale Jailor the sum of Fifteen Dollars it being the sum allowed by law to the Jailor for his services during Six months which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment out of the Public Treasury.

The Court doth allow to A T Powell the sum of Twenty four Dollars for his services as Commonwealths attorney in this Court during Six months which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment out of the State Treasury.

The Court doth allow to B H Ragsdale Sheriff the sum of Twelve Dollars it being $2 per day for himself and his Deputies during this term of the Court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment out of the State Treasury.

The Court doth allow to B H Ragsdale Sheriff the sum of Six Dollars for his services in furnishing water &c during this

terms of the Court which is Ordered to be Certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment out of the State Treasury

The Commonwealth &c Pro. } Upon a Rule to Show
vs } Cause
R H Beaver & W A Spear Defts }

For reasons appearing to the Court it is ordered that the Rules against the above parties be discharged.

A P Bowie Esq. Counsellor appointed by the Bar and citizens of the County to prepare & present the resolutions adopted with reference to the death of the Hon. J S Bredd this day presented the same with the request that they be spread upon the record which is accordingly done.

"Tribute of Respect to the memory of Judge Joseph S. Bredd.

The undersigned Committee appointed at a meeting of the Bar and citizens of Dinwiddie County held at the Courthouse on the 18th day of July 1859 to draft suitable resolutions with respect to the death of Judge Joseph S. Bredd report the following

Resolved First That while we cannot fail to bow submissively to the Providential dispensation in the death of Judge Bredd who in the prime of a vigorous manhood, and in the midst of a useful life was unexpectedly torn from the embrace of a loving family, and the companionship of admiring friends.

Resolved Second. That we recognize the death and mark with sorrow the passing of our friend and brother, and that we express our appreciation of his valuable life as an exemplifying in all of its relations, the highest type of an upright manhood. As the Judge of the County Courts of Dinwiddie and of the Hustings Court of Petersburg he exhibited marked judicial ability was discreet and impartial. As a citizen he was honored and useful as a Lawyer and practitioner, he was learned in his profession, faithful to his clients, and courteous to his opponents as a friend was true, as a husband and parent he was kind and affectionate, and as a Christian Gentleman he illustrated in his daily life the perfections of his profession.

Resolved. Third That we tender to his family our sympathy in their bereavement.

Resolved Fourth, That a copy of these resolutions be sent by the Secretary to the widow of the deceased. and that they be presented to the County and Corporation Courts of Dinwiddie with the request that they be spread upon their records.

R. J. Wilson
Alexander Hamilton
Jno. Y Mann
W R Mckenney
G S Bernard
Committee

Whereupon The Hon. A M Bryan Esq"

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next Term.

Beverly A. Hancock

Office Judgments Confessed September 7th 1887

$27.65 Costs. | Marquetus Wright | Plaintiff | } In Case.
In
D E Sutherland | Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Seventy five Dollars and fifty eight cents with interest thereon from December 29th 1888 till paid and also his cost by him about this suit in this behalf expended.

$903 Costs. | A Rosenbeck trading under the firm name of A Rosenbeck & Co. | Plaintiff | }
In
J. H. Davis and T. J. Brooks late partners under the firm name of | } In Case.
Davis & Co. | Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of One Hundred Dollars with interest thereon from the 20th day of June 1885 till paid and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Virginia At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Wednesday the 21st day of March 1888 and of the Commonwealth the 112

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge

Palmer &c. Pltff
vs
Tatum. Defts } In case

On motion of the attorney for the plaintiff it is ordered that the above case be docketed at his cost.

On motion of the Attorney for the Commonwealth it is ordered that the following case in which motion may process be docketed as follows towit

The Commonwealth of Va a Colored Boy &c. Rept a motion for taxes.

Dinwiddie	a.	Dinwiddie	D.	D.	D.	D.
Dinwiddie	a	Wm Ellenborough	D.	D.	D.	D.
Dinwiddie	a	Dinwiddie	D.	D.	D.	D.
Dinwiddie	a.	Alf Butterworth	D.	D.	D.	D.
Dinwiddie	a.	J C Smith & Alf Smith. Jas Smith. Jas Smith & J & Wm Smith	D.	D.	D.	D.
Dinwiddie	a.	J C Smith & Jas Smith Jr	D.	D.	D.	D.
Dinwiddie	a.	J C Smith	D.	D.	D.	D.
Dinwiddie	a.	D J. Gilliam	D.	D.	D.	D.
Dinwiddie	a	D H. Sabiston	D.	D.	D.	D.
Dinwiddie	a.	Dinwiddie	D.	D.	D.	D.
Dinwiddie	a	J G. Jackson	D.	D.	D.	D.
Dinwiddie	a.	E P. Dodson	D.	D.	D.	D. and a

motion of the Defendants by their attorney it is ordered that the above case be hereby continued until the first day of the next term of the Court

E Hilliard Bro &c. Pltff
vs. } In Case
Wm Ellenborough Defe

Ordered that the above case be and is hereby continued until the first day of the next term

On the motion of J Y Phillips who made oath thereto and together with N T Phillips his surety, who justifies as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged before the justices of Dinwiddie County according to law conditioned & granted him for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of Susan Harris dec'd Dinwiddie

Present Hon Jno C Gray D M Wilson E S Hobbs Jno H Parker Chas A Williams

appraise our estate,

On the motion of the former authority it is ordered that J E Daily & A A Hardy & Chas N Zellner & P Ramey Jas W Zellner be & they are hereby appointed Trustees of Bethesda M E Church and it is ordered that the legal title to such land of said church as is vested by said authority be ordered said trustees and their successors in office.

Ordered that J T Hawks be and is hereby appointed Attorney for Grassy Run Methodist Church in place of R S Williamson resigned & that Chas E Williamson be appointed Attorney for Crawford's Methodist Church to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Geo W Chappell.

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their attendance at this the 4th day of this term. B F Moody $1.80 J W Wilson $2. Rope Johnson $2. W D Shrewsberry 2.00 R A Williamson $1.40 Jo Gibbs 1.88 W A Gardner $2. Chas Jones 1.88 Tolliver $2. on J E. Mullens 1.96 P H Thomas $2.00

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock A M.

Beverly A Hancock

Thursday March 22° 1888.

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock.

The Court doth allow to B H. Ragsdale Sheriff the sum of Eight Dollars it being ten Dollars per day for himself and one Deputy ten days during this term of the Court, which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court doth allow to A Powell Attorney for the Commonwealth the sum of Seventy five Dollars for his services as such for six months which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court doth allow to B H Ragsdale Sheriff of Jackson the sum of Fifteen Dollars for his services as such during the last six months which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

On the motion of R. T. Wells & Sarah A. Lacy Executors the estates of E. Alonzo G. Wells & Reuben Wells dec'd are Committed to the hands of B. H. Ragsdale Sheriff of Dixie Mc County for administration according to law it appearing to the Court that said R. T. Wells & Reuben Wells have been dead more than three months and no one has applied for administration on said estates, Ordered that J. T. Chambers T. R. Chambers R. N. Temples J. H. Lee & Chas. Lee appraise said estates.

On the motion of Alex Dawson leave is given him to withdraw from the Commissioners papers in the case of Davis & Wells the bond of said Wells filed therein leaving also the affidavit with the papers.

The Court certifies to the Board of Supervisors for the County of Dixie Mc the sum of Three Hundred and fifty Dollars as reasonable allowance for services as Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dixie Mc County for the year ending Jan. 1st 1888.

The Court doth allow B. H. Ragsdale Sheriff the sum of five dollars for his services at this term of the Court in Probate Proceedings.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Beverly A. Hancock

Judgment Confessed in the Clerks Office August 20th 1888.

A. M. Bracy Guardian of Ola B King who sues for the benefit of Thomas B and Ola B Smith. Pltff

vs. In Debt

Thomas F Reed & C. A. Reed surviving obligors of Hemphill and R. C. Reed dec'd. Defts.

This day came the defendants in their own proper persons and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned Wherefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Six hundred and forty three Dollars and forty seven cents with interest thereon from the 1st day of January 1878 till paid and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended. Subject to the following credits to wit. $100.00 paid 1st January 1886. $100.00 paid January 1st 1888 and $170.00 paid July 20th 1888.

Virginia At a circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Friday the 21st day of September 1888 of the Commonwealth the 113th

Present Hon. B. A. Hancock Judge.

The Commonwealth of Virginia — Plaintiff
vs
Lewis Burgess — Deft.

Upon a motion for Judgment for taxes.

Capias issued and executed Sept 21st 1888

This day comes the attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing the following Jury to wit T.B. Connelly, John Cook, Levi Griffin, J. M. Fisher, W. S. Rams, J. E. Gordon, F. E. Clark, G. H. Banner, Hamlin Stokes, Jas. Wells, Thos. Chambers and M. E. Bishop who being sworn to try the issue before the Court as to whether the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth are due and unpaid as in the motion and notice mentioned, having heard the evidence and argument of counsel thereupon returned the following verdict to wit "We the Jury find that the defendant Lewis Burgess owes the Commonwealth of Virginia the taxes claimed in the motion and notice to the amount of Nineteen Dollars fifteen cents for the year 1887 with interest from the 1st day of December 1887 on the same has not been paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth recover against the said Lewis Burgess the said sum of Nineteen Dollars fifteen cents with interest thereon as aforesaid until paid and also her costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended.

VV

The Commonwealth of Virginia — Plaintiff
vs
Clark Burgess — Deft.

Upon a motion for Judgment for taxes.

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing the following Jury to wit T.B. Connelly, John Cook, Levi Griffin, J. M. Fisher, W. S. Rams, J. E. Gordon, F. E. Clark, G. H. Banner, Hamlin Stokes, Jas. Wells, Thos. Chambers, M. E. Bishop who being sworn to try the issue before the Court as to whether the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth are due and unpaid as in the motion and notice mentioned, having heard the evidence rendered the following verdict to wit "We the Jury find that the defendant Clark Burgess owes the Commonwealth of Virginia the taxes claimed in the motion and notice to the amount of fifteen Dollars for the year 1886 with interest from the 1st day of December 1886 on the same has not been paid". Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the defendant the said sum of fifteen Dollars with interest thereon as aforesaid until paid and also her costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended.

VV

The Commonwealth of Virginia — Plaintiff
vs
Wm Edmondson — Defendant

Upon a motion for Judgt. for taxes.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing the following Jury to wit T.B. Connelly, John Cook,

Lon Griffin J W Fisher W S Reams J E Gunderson F E Clarke G W Barnes Hamlin Morand J A P Wells Wm Chambers & M E Bishop who being sworn to try the issue before the Court as to whether the Corp. alleged to be due the Commonwealth and other due Having heard the evidence rejected the following verdict Court "We the Jury find that the defendant Wm Etherington owes the Commonwealth of Virginia the Corp claimed in the motion motion to the amount of Seventy Nine Dollars and Ninety cents for the year 1887 with interest from the 1st day of December 1887 and that the same have not been paid Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the said defendant the said sum of $79.90 with interest as aforesaid and also her costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended &c.

The Commonwealth of Virginia Pltff } Upon motion of Mo.
vs } for Judgment for Corp.
Wm Etherington Defe } 20 1.

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant being Solemnly called and not appearing the following Jury to wit T B Lovings John Cole Lon Griffin J W Fisher W S Reams J E Gunderson F E Clarke G W Barnes Hamlin Morand J A P Wells Wm Chambers M E Bishop who being sworn to try the issue before the Court as to whether the Corp alleged to be due the Commonwealth and also due and unpaid Having heard the evidence rejected the following verdict to wit "We the Jury find that the defendant Wm Etherington owes the Commonwealth of Virginia the Corp claimed in the motion to the amount of Sixty Dollars for the year 1886 with interest from the 1st day of December 1886 and that the same have not been paid Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the said defendant the said sum

The Commonwealth of Virginia Pltff } Upon motion of motion
vs } for Judgment for Corp
D H Lapsley Defe } 20 1.

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant being ordinarily called and not appearing the following Jury to wit T B Loving John Cole Lon Griffin J W Fisher W S Reams J E Gunderson F E Clarke G W Barnes Hamlin Morand J A P Wells Wm Chambers M E Bishop who being sworn to well and truly try the issue before the Court as to whether the Corp alleged to be due the Commonwealth and also due and unpaid Having heard the evidence rejected the following verdict to wit "We the Jury find the defendant D H Lapsley owes the Commonwealth of Virginia the Corp claimed in the motion to the amount of Seventy one Dollars Sixty cents for the year 1887 with interest from the 1st day of December 1887 and that the same have not been paid, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the said defendant the said sum

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The Commonwealth of Va. Plaintiff } Upon a notice of
a } Motion for Judgment
D.H. Sapolio Defts } for Taxes No 1.

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing the following Jury came T.B. Connelly, John Cole, Levi Griffin, J.W. Fisher, W.S. Ream, J.E. Snider, F.E. Clark, G.H. Bamm, Hamlin Noland, Jas. P. Wells, Wm. Chambers & W.E. Bishop, who being sworn to try the issue before the Court as to whether the Taxes alleged in the Commonwealth's notice and unpaid, having heard the evidence upon the following verdict came, "We the Jury find that the defendant D.H. Sapolio owes the Commonwealth of Virginia the Taxes claimed in the notice to the amount of Seventy one Dollars and Eighty cents for the year 1886 with interest from the 1st Day of December 1886 and that the same have not been paid. Therefore it is Ordered by the Court that the Commonwealth recover against the said defendant the said sum of Hyg be not inherit as aforesaid with the costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended.

The Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff } Upon notice of motion
vs } for Judgment for Taxes
Dy Greenwood Defts }

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing the following Jury came T.B. Connelly, John Cole, Levi Griffin, J.W. Fisher, W.S. Ream, J.E. Snider, F.E. Clark, G.H. Bamm, Hamlin Noland, Jas. P. Wells, Wm. Chambers, W.E. Bishop, who being sworn to try the issue before the Court as to whether the Taxes alleged in the Commonwealth's notice and unpaid, having heard the evidence upon the following verdict came, "We the Jury find that the defendant Dy Greenwood owes the Commonwealth of Virginia the Taxes claimed in the notice to the amount of Twenty four Dollars and fifty three cents for the year 1886 with interest from the 1st day of December 1886 and that the same has not been paid. Therefore it is Ordered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the defendant the said sum of Hyg with interest as aforesaid with

The Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff } Upon notice of motion
vs } for Judgment for Taxes
A.G. Butterworth Defts }

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing the following Jury came T.B. Connelly, John Cole, Levi Griffin, J.W. Fisher, W.S. Ream, J.E. Snider, F.E. Clark, G.H. Bamm, Hamlin Noland, Jas. P. Wells, Wm. Chambers, W.E. Bishop, who being sworn to try the issue before the Court as to whether the Taxes alleged in the Commonwealth's notice and having heard the evidence upon the following verdict came, "We the Jury find that the defendant A.G. Butterworth

over the Commonwealth of Virginia the Levy claimed in the motion roll to the amount of Nine Dollars for the year 1885 with interest from the 1st Day of December 1885 till paid and that the same have not been paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the said defendant the said sum of $9.00 with interest as aforesaid and the costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended

The Commonwealth of Va. Pltff
v. } Upon Notice of Motion for Judgment for Levy.
E R Dodson Dfdt

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant was ordered and he came not the following Jury came J B Connelly John Cole Levi Griffith J W Fisher W S Reams J E Gilmer A E Clark G H Baum Hamlin Sneed J A P Mills Thos Chambers W E Bishop who were sworn to speak and try the issue between the Court & whether the Levy alleged to be due the Commonwealth of Va as in the Notice mentioned and upon hearing the evidence upon the following motion viz "We the Jury find that the defendant E R Dodson owes the Commonwealth of Virginia the Levy claimed in the motion roll to the amount of Nine Dollars and seventy seven cents for the year 1886 with interest from the 1st Day of December 1886 and that the same have not been paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the defendant the said sum of $9.77 with interest as aforesaid and costs.

The Commonwealth of Va. Pltff
v. } Upon Notice of Motion for Judgment for Levy.
J C Smith Dfdt

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant being ordered and not appearing the following Jury came J B Connelly John Cole Levi Griffith J W Fisher W S Reams J E Gilmer A E Clark G H Baum Hamlin Sneed J A P Mills Thos Chambers W E Bishop who were sworn to speak the issue between the Court & whether the Levy alleged to be due the Commonwealth of Va as in the Notice mentioned and upon hearing the evidence upon the following motion viz "We the Jury find that the defendant J C Smith owes the Commonwealth of Virginia the Levy claimed in the motion roll to the amount of One Dollar & Eighty five Cents for the year 1887 with interest from the 1st Day of December 1887 and that the same have not been paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the defendant the said sum of $1.85 with interest and costs.

The Commonwealth of Va Pltff Upon Motion &c.
v.
J C Smith & A G Smith exrs Dfdt

The Comm. vs Comm. for Jas. Sh. Jr. & Comm. vs Jackson Jr. &c.

Ordered that the above cases be continued until the 1st day of the next term

On the motion of the Attorney for the Commonwealth it is ordered that the following case in which the notice has been duly proven by law and the same being docketed. The Commonwealth of Va. vs. Nunnally Jr. & &c. and on like motion it is ordered that the same be continued until the first day of the next term of this Court.

On the motion of Thos. Shelton acquainted the Estate of Mary Davis dec'd is committed to the hands of R.H. Ragsdale Sheriff of Dinwiddie County for administration according to law. It appearing to the Court that said Dec'd has been dead more than three months and his and has applied for administration as said is right.

Ordered that W.A. Shelton J.P. Tucker, E.S. Perkins, R.H. Perkins, Edwd Wyatt appraise said estate

Ethelbert Brinton — Plaintiff
vs. — In Case.
Wm Etheridge — Defd

Ordered that the above case be dismissed the defendant to pay legal costs.

Wm C. Johnston, Gentleman having obtained a license to practice the law in the Courts of this Commonwealth leave is given him to practice in this Court who thereupon appeared in Court and took the oaths required by law.

The Court doth allow the following petit Jurors for their services at this term of the Court, payable out of the County Treasury, viz: T.B. Connelly 1 day, John Cook 1 day, Lewis Griffin 1 day, J.W. Fisher 1 day, W.L. Ream 1 day, J.A. Gentle 1 day, A.E. Clark 1 day, G.W. Bain 1 day, J.A.P. Miles 1 day, Wm Chambers 1 day, (M.E. Bishop 1 day) N. Nocent 11. [illegible]

W.R. McKinney, abscondingly in Chancery for the Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie, by resignation as such, and on motion the Court doth appoint C.M. Bryan abscondingly in Chancery for the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of said McKinney who thereupon appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law

The Court doth allow to A. Theo Powell Attorney for the Commonwealth the sum of Twenty four Dollars the same allowed by law for his services as such during the last 24 months, which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten O'clock

Beverly A. Hancock C. [illegible] 80

Saturday September 22nd 1888

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge

The Court doth allow to B H Ragsdale Sheriff Jailer the sum of Fifteen Dollars for his services a Jailer during the last six months which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment out of the Public Treasury

The Court doth allow to B H Ragsdale Sheriff Jailer Dollars for his services at this term of the Court it being $2.00 per day for himself and two Deputies ten days during this term of the Court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment

The Court doth allow to B H Ragsdale Sheriff the sum of four Dollars for his services at this term of the Court summoning Petit Jurors which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor for payment

The Court doth find J Ambler Smith Jun Dollars for contempt to the Court which fine was paid into Court to the Clerk thereof, and the Court doth further order that said Smith be imprisoned in the County Jail for four days and that the said J Ambler Smith appear in Court and purge himself of any contempt of the Court wherein the Court release him from imprisonment

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Beverly A Hancock

Office Judgments Confirmed September 22nd 1888.

Costs $3.45
50
2.50
1.00
$7.45

Paschal Davis & Fortescue Wheeler partners under the firm name and style of Davis & Wheeler — Plaintiffs
vs
B.M. Ford — Defts
} In Debt.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of Forty four Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of May 1886 till paid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

J.J.

Costs Clk fee 3.45
Sheriff 50
Atty 2.50
Mar. 1.00
$7.45

The Same — Plaintiff
vs
W.E. Sutherland — Deft
} In Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant came nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Twenty two Dollars and ~~Eighty~~ five cents, with interest thereon from the 1st day of May 1885 till paid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

J.J.

3.45
50
2.50
1.00
$7.45

The Same — Plaintiff
vs
Wm A. Sparks — Deft
} In Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Thirty Dollars and Thirty five cents with interest on $13.15 thereof from 1st day of May 1885 till paid and on $17.20 the residue thereof from the 15th day of April 1886 till paid. also their costs by them about their suit in the behalf expended. But the judgment is subject to a credit of 40 cts from April 10th 1886.

J.J.

3.45
50
2.50
1.00
$7.45

E.R. Dodson — Plaintiff
vs
W.E. Stockton — Deft
} In Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by her attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Seventy Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of November 1887 till paid. also her costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended. But this judgment is subject to the following credits towit $13.03 paid February 29th 1888 & $9.91 paid 2nd May 1888.

J.J.

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1 00
$7 85

S W Travers and Chas G Snead partners trading
under the firm name and Style of Travers Snead & Co. Pltffs
vs
J D B Rucks Defdt } In Case.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant
day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered
by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sums of
One hundred and seventy Dollars and twenty Cents with interest on $38 40
apart thereof from June 1st 1885 till paid on $16 50 another part thereof from
September 1st 1885 till paid, on $74 20 another part thereof from May 1st 1885
till paid on $31 50 another part thereof from May 1st 1886 till paid and
on $9 60 the residue thereof from January 1st 1888 till paid and also their costs
by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

W B Ritchie. } In the matter of the appeal of W B Ritchie
Appeal from Circuit Court } from the judgment of the County Court of
of Dinwiddie Co. } Dinwiddie Co refusing to grant him a license
at this office to sell liquors. The Judge of the Circuit
Court of Dinwiddie County in vacation having duly considered the transcript
of the record and having heard the testimony touching the suitableness of the place
where application was made to sell liquors and the suitability of the applicant
to sell liquors and being of opinion that the said place is unsuitable doth
decide accordingly and doth affirm the judgment of the County Court refusing
the license aforesaid. The Clerk of the Circuit is ordered to enter this order in
the Common law order book certify the same to the County Court.

To the Clerk of
the Circuit Court of
Dinwiddie County

Beverly A Moncure
July 5th 1889

Test, J C Shamblin clk

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Nelson at the Court House thereof on Thursday 21st day of March 1889.

Present, B. A Hancock Judge.

No.

The Commonwealth of Virginia. Pltff.
vs. Upon Notice of Motion for
D. W Lassiter Deft } Judgment for Taxes.

The Commonwealth of Va. Pltff.
vs. Upon notice of Motion
D W Lassiter Deft } for Judgment for Taxes

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and states to the Court that D. W Lassiter has paid the amount claimed in the above cause and the execution duly issued to the Sheff of this County together with all costs attending the same. Therefore it is considered by the Court that this cause be dismissed

J.J.

Commonwealth of Va. Pltff.
vs. Upon Notice of Motion
Mrs E. R. Dodson Deft } for Judgment for Taxes.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant was solemnly called but came not, the following jury to wit: A A Strudwick J A Deihl A G Wells, G D Baskerville C P Jolly A A Clark G A Bishop G A Keys Robert Jackson J C Dickens, Sam Poorman and Jack Field were sworn to well and truly try the issue now before the Court of whether the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth of Virginia are still due and unpaid having heard the evidence returned the following verdict to wit; We the jury find that the taxes claimed in the within notice are due and unpaid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the defendant the taxes claimed in the within notice of Sixty five Dollars & Eighteen cents with interest thereon from 21st day of March 1889 till paid and also the costs by her in this suit in her behalf expended.

J.J.

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The Commonwealth of Va. Pltff
vs
W P Davis & Wm W P Davis (his wife) Defts
} Upon notice of motion for judgment for taxes

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendants were solemnly called but came not, the following jury to wit; A. A. Hudson T. A. Deitz D. G. Wells G. D. Basketville C. P. Jolly A. A. Clark, G. A. Bishop G. A. Keys Robert Jackson J. C. Deane Sam. Prosise and Jack Teild were sworn to well and truly try the issue now before the Court of whether the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth of Va. are still due and unpaid, and having heard the evidence reported the following verdict to wit; We the Jury find that the taxes claimed in the within notice are due and unpaid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the defendant the taxes claimed in the within notice of Eight Dollars & Sixty eight cents with interest thereon from the 21st day of March 1886. Till paid, and also her costs by her in this suit, in her behalf expended

The Commonwealth of Va. Pltff
vs
Jas. Smith Jr. Defts
} Upon notice of Motion for judgment for taxes —

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendants were solemnly called but came not. The following Jury to wit. A. A. Hudson T. A. Deitz A G Wells G. D. Basketville, C. P. Jolly A. A. Clark A. G. Bishop G. A. Keys Robert Jackson J. C. Deane Sam Prosise and Jack Teild were sworn to well and truly try the issue now before the Court of whether the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth of Va. are still due and unpaid, and having heard the evidence reports the following verdict to wit: We the Jury find that the taxes claimed in the within notice, are due and unpaid subject to the credit thereon mentioned, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Va. recover against the defendant the taxes claimed in the within notice of Seventeen Dollars and thirteen cents subject to a credit of Two Dollars & Thirteen Cents, with interest

thereon from the 21st day of March 1886 till paid and
13 also her costs by her in this suit, in her behalf expended

The Commonwealth of Va. Pltff
vs
A. G. Smith, Jas. Smith, Jas. Smith Jr.
& Ann Smith — Defts
} Upon Notice of Motion for Judgment for Taxes.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendants were solemnly called but came not, the following Jury to wit: A. A Hudson, T. A Dicke, A. G. Wells G. D. Baskerville, C. P Jolly, A. A Clark, G. A Bishop, G. A Hays Robert Jackson, J. C. Deane, Sam Prosise, and Jack Fuller, were sworn to well and truly try the issue now before the Court of whether the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth of Va. are still due and unpaid, and having heard the evidence reported the following verdict to wit; We the Jury find that the taxes claimed in the within notice are due and unpaid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the defendant the taxes claimed in the within notice of Twenty Nine Dollars and Eighty four Cents, with interest thereon from the 21st day of March 1886 till paid, and also her costs
14 by her in this suit, in her behalf expended.

Commonwealth of Va. Pltff
vs
Clarke Burgess Defe
} Upon Notice of Motion for Judgment — for Tax.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant was solemnly called and but came not, the following Jury to wit; A. A Hudson T. A Dicke A. G. Wells G. D. Baskerville C. P Jolly A. A Clark, G. A Bishop, G. A Hays Robert Jackson J. C. Deane Sam Prosise and Jack Fuller were sworn to well and truly try the issue now before the Court of whether the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth of Va. are still due and unpaid, and having heard the evidence, reported the following verdict to wit; We the Jury find for the Plaintiff. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the defendant the taxes claimed in the within notice of Nineteen Dollars and Fifteen Cents which with the interest thereon amounts to Twenty one Dollars 83

21.15
1-58
36.73

and Five Cents & the further sum of Fifteen Dollars and Forty two Cents the Costs of the Judgment with interest from 21st Sept 1888 till paid amounting to Fifteen Dollars and Eighty Eight Cents with interest on the whole amount from the 21st day of March 1889 till paid & her costs expended

The Commonwealth of Va Pltff
vs
A. G. Butterworth Deft } Upon notice of Motion for Judgment for taxes

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant being Solemnly called but came not, the following Jury to wit; A A Hudson T. A. Deihl, A. Y. Wells, G. D. Basham, C P Jolly, A. A Clark G A Bishop G. A Keyes Robert Jackson, J C Duane, Sam Pearis, Jack Field were sworn to well and truly try the issue now before the Court and a true verdict ~~under according to the evidence~~ of whether the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth of Va are still due and unpaid, and having heard the evidence reported the following verdict to wit: We the Jury find for the Plaintiff Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the defendant the sum of Nineteen Dollars with interest from the 1st day of December 1885 ~~till paid~~ to date amounting to Twenty two Dollars and Seventy Six Cents & the further sum of Fifteen Dollars and Forty two Cents the Costs of the Judgment with interest from 21st of September 1888 till paid amounting to Fifteen Dollars Eighty eight Cents with interest on the whole amount from the 21st day of March 1889 till paid & her costs expended

22.76
1-58
38.64

The Commonwealth of Va Pltff
vs
S. G. Gilliam Deft } Upon notice of Motion for Judgment for taxes

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant was Solemnly called but came not, the following Jury to wit, A. A Stidham T A Deihl A Y. Wells, G. D. Basham, C P Jolly A. A Clark G A Bishop, G. A Keyes Robert Jackson J C. Duane

Sam Parrish, Jack Feils, were sworn to well and truly try the issue now before the Court of whether the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth of Virginia, are still due and unpaid; and having heard the evidence, reported the following verdict to wit; We the Jury find for the Plaintiff. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff Commonwealth of Va. recover against the defendant the sum of Twenty five Dollars and Fifty three Cents with interest from the 1st day of December 1886 to date amounting to Twenty Nine Dollars and Twenty three Cents & the further sum of Sixteen Dollars and Twenty two Cents the cost of the Judgment with interest from 21st of September 1888 till paid amounting to Sixteen Dollars and Seventy Cents, with interest on the whole amount from the 21st day of March 1889 till paid and her Costs expended.

29.78
16.20
45.98

The Commonwealth of Va, Plaintiff
vs
William E Ellenborough Defft } Upon notice of Motion for Judgment for taxes

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant being solemnly called but came not, the following Jury to wit; A A Henderson, T A Deihl A G Wells, G D Baskerville C P Jolly A A Clark C A Bishop G A Mays, Robert Jackson J C Duncan Sam Parrish Jack Feils were sworn to well and truly try the issue now before the Court of whether the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth of Va. are still due and unpaid, and having heard the evidence reported the following verdict to wit; We the Jury find for the plaintiff. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Va recover against the defendant the sum of Sixty Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of December 1886 to date amounting to Sixty-eight Dollars and Twenty Cents and the further sum of Fifteen Dollars and Forty two cents the cost of the Judgment with interest from the 21st day of September 1888 till paid amounting to Fifteen Dollars and Eighty three Cents with interest on the whole amount from the 21st day of March 1889 till paid & her costs by her expended

68.20
15.83
84.03

The Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff
vs
Mrs E R Hudson Deft } Upon notice of motion for Judgment for taxes —

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and the defendant being solemnly called but came not, the following Jury to wit: A A Hudson T A Dehl A G Wells G D Baskerville C P Jolly A A Clark G A Bishop G A Keys Robert Jackson J C Deane Sam Proctor & Jack Field were sworn to well and truly try the issue before the Court, of which the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth of Va are & still due and unpaid, and having heard the evidence reported the following verdict to wit: We the Jury find for the Plaintiff, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Va recover against the defendant the sum of Sixty Six and 77/100 Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of December 1886 to date, amounting to Eighty one and 37/100 Dollars and the further sum of Fifteen and 42/100 Dollars the cost of the Judgment with interest from the 21st of September 1888 to date amounting to Fifteen and 88/100 Dollars, with interest on the whole amount from the 21st day of March 1889 till paid & her costs expended.

81.37
15.88
97.25

The Commonwealth of Va. Plaintiff
vs
J C Smith Deft } Upon Notice of motion for Judgment for taxes —

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant being solemnly called but came not, the following Jury to wit; A A Hudson T A Dehl A G Wells G D Baskerville C P Jolly A A Clark G A Bishop G A Keys Robt Jackson J C Deane Sam Proctor & Jack Field were sworn to well and truly try the issue now before the Court of which the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth of Va are still due and unpaid, and having heard the evidence reported the following verdict to wit; We the Jury find for the Plaintiff, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Va recover against the defendant the sum of Six and 84/100 Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of December 1887 to date, amounting to Seven and

37/100 Dollars, and the further sum of Fifteen and 42/100 Dollars the costs of the Judgment, with interest from the 21st of September 1888 to date, amounting to Fifteen and 88/100 Dollars with interest on the whole amount from the 21st day of March 1889 till paid & her costs expended.

7.37
15.88
23.25

The Commonwealth of Va Pltff
vs
Clarke Burgess Deft } Upon Notice of Motion for Judgment for taxes

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and the defendant being solemnly called but came not, the following Jury to wit: A A Hudson T A Deihe A Y Wells G D Baskerville, C P Jolly, A A Clark G A Bishop, G A Keys Robert Jackson, J C Duane Sam Prosise & Jack Field, were sworn to well and truly try the issue now before the Court, of whether the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth of Va are still due and unpaid, and having heard the evidence reported the following verdict to wit: We the Jury find for the Plaintiff, Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Va recover against the defendant the sum of Fifteen Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of December 1886, to date amounting to Seventeen and 06/100 Dollars & the further sum of Fifteen and 42/100 Dollars, the cost of the Judgment with interest from the 21st of September 1888 to date amounting to Fifteen and 88/100 Dollars with interest on the whole amount from the 21st day of March 1889 till paid & her costs expended.

17.06
15.88
32.94

The Commonwealth of Va Pltff
vs
William Ellenbrough Deft } Upon Notice of Motion for Judgment for taxes

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the defendant being solemnly called but came not, the following Jury to wit: A A Hudson, T A Deihe A Y Wells, G D Baskerville, C P Jolly, A A Clark, G A Bishop, G A Keys Robert Jackson, J C Duane, Sam Prosise & Jack Field were sworn to well and truly try the issue now before the Court, of whether the taxes alleged to be due the Commonwealth

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wealth of Va: are still due and unpaid, and having heard the evidence, reported the following verdict to wit: We the Jury find for the Plaintiff Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the defendant the sum of Seventy Nine and 90/100 Dollars, with interest thereon from the 1st day of December 1887 to date, amounting to Eighty Seven and 46/100 Dollars, and a further sum Fifteen and 42/100 Dollars with interest thereon from the 21st day of September 1888 to date amounting to Fifteen and 88/100, with interest on the whole amount from the 21st day of ~~September~~ March 1889. Costs paid, and her costs expended

87.46
15.88
10.33.34

JJ

Martin Hale & Co. Pltff
vs. } In Debt
Warren Brown & L S Harrison Defts

On motion of the plaintiff by their attorney it is ordered that the above case be dismissed.

Crawford Pltff
vs. } Replevin & Gar Summons
Tiedler Defts

Gerdenwerk Pltff
vs. } Ejectment
Stark &c. Defts

Gibbons Pltff
vs. } Ejectment
Stofles Defts

Ordered that the above case be and are hereby continued until the first day of the next term.

Augustus Wright Pltff
vs. } In Case
A A Hardy Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came a jury to wit A A Hudson T A Dickie Ay Neer by S Bostwick Ex Jolly A A Chalk by A Bishop by Attys Robert Jackson J C Deane Sam Prosser Jack Tiffin who being sworn to assess the damages in this case rendered the following verdict to wit "We the Jury find for the plaintiff assess his damages at $286.50 with interest thereon from the 21st day of August 1888 Cts Cond. Therefore it is

considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of Two Hundred and Eighty Six Dollars and fifty cents the amount by the Jury in their verdict ascertained, with interest as aforesaid and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

A. J. Stewart — Plaintiff
vs
David Henry & wife — Defendants
} In Case

This day the defendants being solemnly called but not appearing nor saying anything in their defence came the plaintiff by his attorneys and the jurors of said Grand Jury came Alexander Tadlock, Ag Wells, G. D. Barksdale, C. P. Jolly, A. A. Clark, J. A. Brisbon, J. A. Ayer, Robert Jackson, Jos. Devane, Sam Proctor, Jack Field, who being sworn to speak the truth of and concerning the premises in the above case and having heard the evidence and argument retired to their room and after some time spent therein returned into Court and rendered the following verdict to wit: "We the Jury find for the Plaintiff Damages to be Five Hundred Dollars. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant David Henry the sum of Five Hundred Dollars the amount by the Jury in their verdict ascertained with legal interest thereon from the 21st day of March 1889 thereof, and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

David Fitzgerald — Plff
vs
W. O. Andrews — Defts
} In Case.

A. G. Butterworth — Plaintiff
vs
Same — Defts
} In Case.

This day came the defendants in the above styled cause and plead not guilty to which the plaintiff replies generally upon the same issue.

Young &c — Plff
&
Hobson — Defts
} Appeal Expelas

This day came the defts by their attorney & filed exceptions to the plaintiffs Bond in which the plaintiff joined and the defendants plead not guilty to which the plaintiff replied generally & issue was thereon joined.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning 10 o'clock A.M.

Beverly A. Hancock

Friday March 22d 1889

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge.

On the motion of the proper authorities it is ordered that Wm F Doyle John A Gibbs Cyprian Baldwin Wm Reed & John B Temple be and are hereby appointed Jurors in place of the Jurors heretofore appointed for Hawkins Methodist Church.

On the motion of the Proper authorities it is ordered that the following Jurors be and are hereby appointed in the place and stead of the Jurors heretofore appointed viz
For Bateman Church D D Davis P H Thomas Jas A Tison Isham B Miles J H Gregg J F Wells J Boston
For Trinity Church Wm A Spann Thos B Hawkins Wm N Anderson Jas E Patterson R N Williams John W Fox J W E Graham
For White Oak Mt Spring Wm Fisher J C Bickel J C Chambers R S Graham Robt Reams Wm B Powell
For Marion Church Jas H Ferguson Robt Rives Thos E Branch J A Rives F W Mitchell Rives & Geo Ferguson
For Center Church J T Crowder J R Pleasants J W Crowder W B Powell Chas H Crowder J Eppling
For Rosen Church A A Williams J E Gordon Jas Crowder J E Williams J E Patterson

David Fitzgerald Plaintiff
vs
V O Andrews Defendt } In Case.

This day came the parties by their Attorneys and thereupon came a jury to wit A Dicke Ap. Wells G D Barksdale C P Jolly A A Clarke G A Bishop G A Clegg R Jackson J C Dunnaway Sam Athy and John Creighton who being sworn to well try the issue joined were impaneled and having heard the evidence the Defendant by Counsel excepted to the rulings of the Court and tendered bill of exceptions No 1 2 & 3 And thereupon the Court ordered the same and made them a part of the record in the cause which is accordingly done and the jury having further heard the evidence both Plaintiff and Defendant rested the cause and the Court being about to adjourn the jury were adjourned until to morrow morning at 10 o'clock A M.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clk.

Beverly A Hancock

Saturday March 23rd 1889

Present Wm B Mc Pherson Judge.

David Fitzgerald. Plaintiff
in
V.O. Andrews. Defendant } In Case.

The day came again the parties by their Attorneys and the jury also came according to their adjournment viz. Jack Reed. Tasker G. D Baskerville. C.P. Jolly. A.A. Clark. G.A. Bishop. G. Mc Keys. R. Jackson. J. Devane. Dan Abby. & John Creighton. and no further evidence was offered by the Plaintiff or Defendant as it was as ordered by the Court on yesterday and the Jury having fully heard the arguments of Counsel. retired to their room and after some time spent therein returned into Court and rendered the following verdict viz. "We the Jury find for the Defendant." Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the Defendant recover of the Plaintiff his costs by him about his defence in this behalf expended. The Plaintiff by his Attorney moved the Court to set aside the verdict and grant him a new trial on the ground that it was contrary to the law and the evidence which motion the Court overruled. to which ruling of the Court the Plaintiff by his Attorney excepted and tendered his bill of exceptions and prayed the Court to sign. and seal the same and make it a part of the record in the case which is accordingly done. Whereupon the Plaff by his Atty appeals in error from the order refusing new trial

The Court doth allow to A.T Powell the sum of Twenty five Dollars for his services as such during the last Six months. which is subject to the Revision of Public Accounts for August

The Court doth allow to B.A Rogers Sheriff the sum of $38.00 for Bailiff $2.00 for the services of himself and two Deputies during the Days at this Court.

The Court doth allow to J.H Evans acting Jailer the sum of Fifteen Dollars for his services during the last Six months. which is allowed.

The Court doth allow to Wm Tucker the sum of Five Dollars for his care in keeping his Jurors meals &c at this Court.

The Court certifies to the Board of Supervisors for the County of Dinwiddie the sum of Three Hundred and Seventy Dollars as reasonable allowance to Jno Evans Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County for the year ending July 1st 1889

Ordered that the following Jurors be paid out of the County Levy for their services at this Court as follows to wit, R.V Jackson for 6 days G.V Keys $6.00 J.R.V Devane $4.50 A.V A Clark $6. Dan.V Abby $6.00 Geo.V D Baskerville $6.00

John Creighton $5.00 Ay Tyler 6.00 Ed Tyler 16.00 J C Dunn & Co Bristol $49.00
Jas Reid $4.44 A A Hudson 5.00 Dunn & Prince 15.00 W W Brough $4.50

A G Buttercworth. Pltff
vs
V O. Anderson. Defe
} In Case

Ordered that the above case be continued until the 1st day of the next Term.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the 1st day of the next Term.

Beverly A Haircock

Office Judgments Confirmed March 23d. 1889.

$8.00 Cost. Samuel Stevens J. P. Williamson and S. P. Spencer partners trading under the firm name of the Farmers Warehouse Company. Plaintiffs
vs
W. A. Sandy. Defe
} In case

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of Four Hundred and Seventy Nine Dollars and Sixty Nine cents with interest thereon from the 10th day of June 1887 the said and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Cost $7.50 S. G. Gilliam. Sheriff of Dinwiddie County as such admr of Laura F Crowder dec Pltff
vs
E. S. Crowder. Defe
} In Debt

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and Thirty four Dollars with interest thereon from the 18th day of February 1885 the said also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Geo A Rogerdale, Benj W Rogerdale, Jas G Rogerdale & Geo W Rogerdale partners trading as Rogerdale Bros. Pltffs
vs
C. E. Eldon. Defe
} In Debt

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or hindrance of the plaintiff's action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Three Hundred and fifty Dollars with interest thereon from the 4th day of November 1868. Cts paid, and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Virginia In the Supreme Court of Appeals held at the State Capitol House in the City of Richmond on Friday the 23d day of November 1888.

The Norfolk and Western Rail road Company, Pltf } Upon appeal of
against } error and Supersedeas
J. F. Robertson adm'r of Washington Jackson dec'd. Defendant } to a judgment rendered
by the Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie on the 10th day of June 1886.

This day came again the parties by their Counsel and the Court having maturely considered the transcript of the record of the judgment aforesaid and the argument of Counsel is of opinion for reasons stated in writing and filed with the record, that there was error in overruling the Demurrer to the fourth Count in the declaration, and that the judgment is erroneous. It is therefore Considered that the same be reversed and annulled, and that the verdict of the jury be set aside, and that the plaintiff in error recover of the defendant in error its costs by it expended in the prosecution of its writ of error aforesaid here, the said costs to be paid by the defendant in error out of his distributive in his hands to be administered, and the cause is remanded to the said Circuit Court for a new trial to be had therein which is ordered to be certified to the said Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County.

Pltf in error Cts cs Moby Pitt Clerk Taylor CC.

Supreme Court of Appeals $101.19

Teste. J. C. Stanard Clk.
March 25th 1889.

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Court House thereof on Saturday the 21st day of September 1889 and of the Commonwealth the 114th

Present Hon. Beverly R. Hancock Judge

On the motion of J W Spencer Jr. administrator of the Estate of J D Morgan dec'd is committed to the hands of B H Rayson Sheriff of Dinwiddie County for administration according to law: it appearing to the Court that said Morgan has been dead more than one month and no one has offered to administrate.

Ordered that Robinson & Jackson Pltfs Sol. E L Purdie Robt Purdie appear as Deft's Att'ys.

Jackson & Co. Pltff
vs. } In Case
Norfolk & Western R.R. Co. Defdt

Ordered that the above case be dismissed.

R T Matheson Plaintiff
vs. } In case
Mattie B & Jas A Gilliam Defts

On the motion of the Plaintiff it is ordered that the above case be dismissed.

The Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs. } Upon motion of Motion for 2d Jan'y for Levy
E R Dodson Defdt

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the Defendant being solemnly called and not appearing the following Jury to wit: B L Clarke, Ed Hicks, Jeff Andrews, Ben Taylor, Albert Johnson, A Atkinson, Ch. Reames, C P Jolly, Benj. Harper, J M Rose, Phil Jackson & Alex Hopkins who being sworn to well and truly try the case between the Commonwealth and the Defendant rendered the following verdict to wit, "We the Jury find for the Plaintiff. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the said Defendant with interest thereon from the 21st day of Sept 1889 the sum of Eighty Eight Dollars and Ninety cents the amount of the claim & costs. And Volume L Folio 20 also her Costs by her about her motion in this behalf expended.

The Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs. } Upon Motion of motion for 2d Jan'y for Levy
James Smith Jr. Defendant

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the Defendant being solemnly called and not appearing the following Jury to wit, B L Clarke, Ed Hicks, Jeff Andrews, Ben Taylor, Albert Johnson, A A Atkinson, Ch. Reames, C P Jolly, Benj. Harper, J M Rose, Phil Jackson & Alex Hopkins who being sworn to well and truly try

the Jury before the Court and having heard the evidence rejected the following verdict towit "We the Jury find for the Plaintiff." Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth recover against the said Defendants the sum of Thirty three Dollars and forty cents the amount of taxes costs and interest claimed with interest thereon to date. Writ to issue therefor from the 25th day of September 1889 the said Court also hereby costs by her about her motion in this behalf expended.

The Commonwealth of Virginia ..... Plaintiff } Upon motion of
To } Motion for Ejectment for taxes
Alg. Smith. Jas. Smith. Jas. Smith Jr. & Ann. Smith ..... Defts }

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the Defendants being solemnly called and not appearing the following Jury towit J.C. Dunn. B.L. Clarke. E.S. Hill. Jeff Ainsley. Ben Taylor. Albert Johnson. A.A. Haddon. C.M. Reams. Benny Harper. J.M. Rice. Phil Jackson & Ly Pollard being sworn to well and truly try the issue now before the Court and having heard the evidence rejected the following verdict towit "We the Jury find for the Plaintiff." Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the said Defendants the sum of Fifty Eight Dollars and sixty cents the tax and costs in the notice mentioned with the interest thereon to this day with interest thereon from the 25th day of September 1889 the said Court also hereby costs by her about her motion in this behalf expended.

The Commonwealth of Virginia ..... Plaintiff } Upon motion of
To } Motion for Ejectment for
W.P. Davis & Mrs. W.P. Davis ..... Defts } Taxes

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the Defendants being solemnly called and not appearing, the following Jury towit J.C. Dunn B.L. Clarke E.S. Hill Jeff Ainsley Ben Taylor Albert Johnson A.A. Haddon C.M. Reams Benny Harper J.M. Rice Phil Jackson & Ly Pollard who being sworn to well and truly try the issue now before the Court and having fully heard the evidence rejected the following verdict towit "We the Jury find for the plaintiff." Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover against the said Defendants the sum of Two Dollars and Thirty three cents taxes and costs claimed with interest thereon from the 25th day of September 1889 the said and also her costs by her about her motion in this behalf expended.

A.G. Butterworth ..... Plaintiff } In Case
To }
V.O. Andrews ..... Defts }

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came the following jury towit B.L. Clarke E.S. Hill Jeff Ainsley Ben Taylor Albert Johnson A.A. Haddon C.M. Reams Benny Harper J.M. Rice Phil Jackson Ly Pollard & Alex Hopkins who being sworn to well and truly try the issue joined now before the Court & having fully heard the evidence and the Court being about to adjourn they were adjourned over until Monday

morning at 10 o'clock A.M.

Ordered that the Sheriff Summon a Special Jury from the list furnished him by the Judge of this Court to appear here on Monday next 26th at 11 o'clock A.M. for the trial of the Case of Lesbelle & Va Fire Marine Insurance Co. which list is as follows

J.M. Lewis	T.J. Kidd	
W.A. Gresham	B.E. Dabney	W.J. Burell
A.A. Hudson	W.M. Pierce	P.E.A. Vaughan
E.A. Hill	D.F. Young	W.D. Young
J.C. Dunn	Ernest Doyle	Randolph Bispham
C.P. Jolly	H.E. Overstreet	J.A. Merritt
D.E. Organ	C.E. Pabello	T.J. Elder
	G.A. Bispham	B.A. Barron
	J.N. Bispham	J.H. Camell
	J.E. Rose	J.H. Lee
	A.A. Davies	H.K. Bettencourt
	Archer Lewis	E.S. Merritt
	John T. Hancock	C.P. Jolly
	C.J. Brown	J.C. Dunn

Ordered that Subpoenas be issued returnable Monday morning 11 o'clock upon

Beverly A. Hancock

Monday September 23rd 1889

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

A G Butterworth. Plaintiff
vs
V O Andrews. Defendant
} In Case.

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury sworn in this case in Saturday again appeared in Court according to their agreement Hon. B L Clarke Esq Hon. Jeff. Bishop Ben Taylor, Albert Johnson A A Hudson, Col. Reams, Benny Harper J W Rose. Phil Jackson S.G. Pate & Alex Hoffman and fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to their room and after some time spent therein returned into Court and reported that they could not agree upon a verdict whereupon the Jury was discharged and the Court adjourned over in the Courtroom morning at 10 Oclock A M.

P L Saunders Gentleman having obtained a license to practice Law in this Commonwealth on his motion leave is given him to practice in this Court who thereupon appeared in Court and took the oaths prescribed by Law.

G L Parish Plaintiff
vs
J A Ferguson Defendant
} In Case.

Ordered that the above case be continued until the next term and leave to the Plaintiff to amend his declaration.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning 11 O. Clock A. M.

Beverly A Hancock

Tuesday October 21st 1889

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge

On the motion of B.S.A. Ragsdale Sheriff of the County of Dimmit Mr. Frank Organ Gentleman is permitted to qualify as his Deputy who thereupon appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oath required by law.

A G Bellamonte Plaintiff
vs } Ins Case
V O Morris Defe

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Jury aforesaid appeared in Court and being duly impannelled sworn & empaneled to try the issue Esthree Jeff Ainsley Bun Taylor Albert Johnson A A Hudson C M Reames Benny Harper J M Rose Phil Jaeger S G Poter, Alex Hopkins retired to their room and after sometime spent therein returned into Court and rendered the following Verdict towit "We the Jury find for the plaintiff and assess his damages at Fifteen Dollars Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of Fifteen Dollars the cost by the Jury in their verdict mentioned also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their service and attendance at this term of the Court as follows

✓ B L Coates	3 Days	Mileage	3.72	✓ Benny Harper	3 Days	Mileage	6.00
✓ E Esthree	"	"	5.16	✓ J M Rose	"	"	4.92
✓ Jeff Ainsley	"	"	3.72	✓ Phil Jaeger	"	"	6.00
✓ Bun Taylor	"	"	5.16	✓ S G Poter	"	"	6.00
✓ Albert Johnson	"	"	5.20	✓ Alex Hopkins	"	"	6.00
✓ A A Hudson	"	"	6.00	✓ J C Dacus	2	"	3.50
✓ C M Reames	"	"	6.00	✓ C P Jolly	2	"	3.50

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until 10 oclock A.M.

Beverly A Hancock

Wednesday September 25th 1889

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge

The Court doth allow to A The Powell the sum of Twenty five Dollars the same allowed by Law for his services as Commonwealths Attorney for the County of Elizabeth during the last six months which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment out of the Public Treasury.

Expenditures

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their attendance as jurors J M Lewis 90 B E Dabney 74 W M Stowe 74 Ernest Day 66 74 W E Stoddert 106 L E Powell 98 G A Bosher 90 J H Bosher 82 J E Reed 90 A A Davis 74 Archer Lewis 74 J T Howe 90 C J Braxton 82 T J Reid 74 P E A Hamilton 82 W Young 74 Randolph Bosher 66 T J Eller 130 B L Barron 114 J H Connelly 228 C G Lee 82 H K Butterworth 82 L L Mardis 114 H N Leibelle 130 A A Weddon 130 E A Phillips 122 J C Dunn 130 C T Jolly 130 J A Marsh Jr 114 & J B.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until Thursday morning 10½ Oclk A M

Beverly A Hancock

Thursday September 26th 1889

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

H N Leibelle	Plaintiff	In case
vs.		
Va Fire & Marine Ins Co	Defts	
Wm A Leibelle with same vs	Plaintiff	In case
vs		
Same	Defts	

Ordered that the above case be dismissed agreed each party paying his own costs by consent of the parties leave is given the plaintiff to withdraw his pleas in the above cause his policy thereto filed.

The Court doth allow to the foregoing Petit Jurors for the same and attendance on the Court for the third payable out of the County Treasury as follows W E Stoddert $1.30 J M Lewis $1.40 W M Stowe 124 D T Hamilton 140 S E Morgan 1.11 C E H Vaughan 132 B E Dabney 132 A A Weddon 132 J H Connelly 150 T J Eller 150 B L Barron 150 Archer Lewis 132

The Court doth allow to B H Ragsdale Sheriff the sum of Thirty two Dollars
it being Two Dollars per day for himself and 2 Deputies 4 days during
Ct the term of the Court and $2.00 per day for himself and 3 Deputies during
one day which is ordered to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court doth allow to the Jailer of this County Fifteen Dollars for his
Ct services during the last six months which is ordered to be certified to the
Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court doth allow to B H Ragsdale Sheriff for furnishing fire Wood
Ct during this term which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts
for payment. The sum of Ten Dollars

An account of Tom Pleasant & Clerk Court amounting to Twenty Dollars each
for Grand Jury Dinner the County Jail was examined and allowed by the Court
and ordered to be certified to the Board of Supervisors for payment, it appearing to
the Court that said grand jury were kept on account of the insanity of the
Jailor and being duly sworn &c.

Beverly A Hancock

Official Judgments Confirmed September 26th 1889

Cert $7.20 E R Dodson. Plaintiff } In Debt.
vs
W E Stockton Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by her attorney and the defendant
saith nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it
is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant
the sum of One hundred and twenty four dollars with legal interest thereon to be
computed from the 1st day of November 1888 till paid, and also her costs by her
vv about her suit in this behalf expended.

Cert $8.25 H J Traylor. Pltff } In Debt.
vs
T E Davis & E Davis Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants saith
nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it considered
by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of

One hundred and fifty seven Dollars with Legal interest thereon from the 3rd day of August 1889 till paid, also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Virginia, At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Friday the 21st day of March 1890. and of the Commonwealth the 114th

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

J. J. Crawford. Plaintiff
To
Tucker & Ed. Defendant } Upon a Garnishee Bond.

Ordered that the above case be continued until the next term of this Court.

Mamie Ewin Plaintiff
To
A. S. Vaiden Defendant } Upon a Notice.

On the motion of the plaintiff it is ordered that the above case be dismissed.

John Mamie Ewin & Ro Mamie Ewin Plaintiff
To
Archer Shively Defendant } Upon a Notice.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing. Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the Sum of Twelve Hundred and twenty four Dollars & seventy eight cents with interest thereon $1246.75 as prayed therefor from the 1st day of January 1890 till paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said Sum of Twelve Hundred and Twenty four Dollars and Seventy Eight Cents with legal interest thereon as aforesaid and also his cost by him about his proceeding in this behalf expended.

Goodwyn Plaintiff
To } Upon Ejectment
Stith Wills Defendant.
R Eyerly Plaintiff
O. } In Ejectment
K W Hawthorne Defendant

Ordered that the above cause be continued until the next

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G L Parrish Plaintiff
vs
J M Ferguson Defe } In case.

This day came the parties by their Attorneys and thereupon by consent of parties it is ordered that the above case be removed to the Circuit Court for the City of Petersburg.

R E Ragsdale Sheriff &c Dinwiddie Court &c a corpus Plaintiff
vs
R G Malone Defe } In Case

Ordered that the above case be Continued.

James M Williams Plaintiff
vs
R G Malone Defe } In case

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant not appearing there came the ~~Traversing~~ Jury sworn G D Baskerville Phil Jackson Jo Chambers P E Gill W E Stonestreet Bob Taylor Thos Peterson W L Chappell J C Duncan J McRae Isaac Hall & T W Atkinson who being sworn to try and true deliverance between the parties upon the issue joined and having fully heard the evidence rendered the following verdict and the Jury find for the Plaintiff & assess his damages at one hundred and twenty three Dollars and ninety six cents with interest on $43.32 a part thereof from the 1st day of March 1889 till paid, on $41.32 another part thereof from the 1st day of November 1888 till paid & $41.32 the residue thereof from the 1st day of November 1889 till paid. Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the said Defendant the said sum of One hundred & twenty three dollars and ninety six Cents with interest thereon as aforesaid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

On the motion of the proper authorities it is ordered that Wm Wynne James Lacy Sam Tucker & Embry Johnson be and are hereby appointed Trustees for Mount Lizza Baptist Church.

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be paid out of the County Funds for their services and attendance at the last of the Corporation Court.

N F Thompson	1.5	W P Fowlkes	1.00
G D Baskerville	2.00	Bob Taylor	1.48
Phil Jackson	2.00	Thos Peterson	1.00
J C Chambers	2.00	J H Lee	82
P E Gill	1.80	R L Chappell	1.72
W E Stonestreet	1.56	J C Duncan	2.00
Alfred Green	1.50	J M Rose	1.56

Isaac Hall ... 20 ... T. W. Atkinson 156

A Paper writing purporting to be the true last will and testament of Archer S. Brown dec'd. bearing date 2d day of November 1878 & such a Codicil thereto written bearing date the 29th day of July 1879 was this day presented in Court and offered for proof, when the will was proven by the oaths of Dr. G Harris & A M Organ two of the subscribing witnesses thereto, and the Codicil was proven by the oath of B J Epes one of the subscribing witnesses thereto - P B. Commis the other subscribing witness to said Codicil, being dead the said B J Epes testified that he was well acquainted with the hand writing of said Commis. and that said Codicil was signed by the said Commis and himself as witnesses in the presence of each other and in the presence of the testator whereupon the said will and Codicil were ordered to be recorded as and for the last will and testament of said A. S. Brown dec'd.

P B. Gibbons Plaintiff
vs
W N Staples Defts } In case.

Ordered the above case be dismissed agreed.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until Monday next at 10 o'clk. A M.

Beverly A Hancock

Saturday March 22d 1890

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge

On the motion of B G Perkins a Order for the Estate of D M Spencer dec'd is committed to the hands of B A Rogers Dale Sheriff of Dinwiddie County for administration according to law it appearing to the Court that said Spencer has been dead more than three months.

The Court doth allow to A The Powell attorney for the Commonwealth the sum of Twenty five Dollars it being the sum allowed by law for his services during the last six months which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts

A/

The Court doth allow to B A Rogers Dale Sheriff the sum of Ten Dollars it being $1/2$ per day for himself and two Deputys 1 Day & himself & one Deputy 1 Day during the term which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment

B/

The Court doth allow to the Jailer Fifteen Dollars the sum allowed by law for his services as such during six months which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts

A/

The Court doth allow to B A Rogers Dale Sheriff for summoning Grand Jurors during the term of the Circuit ~~Court and for the Circuit Court~~ to wit the sum of Five Dollars

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next Term.

Beverly A Hancock

Office Judgments Confirmed March 22d 1890.

Cert. £7.5.0 W Lowenbach. Plaintiff. } In Debt.
" "
J H. Fisher. Defts.

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the sum of One Hundred and Sixty Dollars and Sixty seven cents with interest on £84.62 apart thereof from October 5th 1889 and on £75.0 the balance thereof from 9th November 1889 till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Henry P. Davis & Sarah E. Davis his wife, John G. Morris and
Lucretia M. Reed. Plaintiffs } In Debt.
" "
H C. Williamson. Defts.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the Defendant the sum of Two Hundred and seventy Eight Dollars and thirty cents with interest thereon from the 9th day of February 1889 till paid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Office Judgment Confirmed September 23rd 1890.

Mary Fahnle Plaintiff } In Debt.
"
F Streit and Rosa Streit. Defts.

This day came the plaintiff by her attorney and the Defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Seven hundred and ninety Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of April 1889 till paid and also her costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended. But this judgment is subject to the following credits viz £25 paid 21st March 1889 & £16.40 paid 29 March 1889

Virginia, At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 22d. day of September 1890 and of the Commonwealth the 115th

Present Alex B Hamilton Judge.

On the motion of Alex Hamilton Comr on the estate of L A Keller dec'd is Commissioned to the Sheriff of Dinwiddie for administration according to Law, it appearing to the Court that said L A Keller has been dead more than three months and no one has applied for administration on said estate.

Ordered that Jas Adams Jesse Adams R E Boisseau J W Boisseau & Wm. Thompson appraise said estate.

Lowenbach	Pltff	Upon a Motion upon
vs		a forfeited Ten Ct Coming
Fisher adm	Defts	Delivery Bond.

On motion of the plaintiff it is ordered that the above case be Dismissed.

Crawford	Pltff	Upon a Garnishee Sum
vs		
Tucker	Dft	
Fabrion	Pltff	Upon Attachment
vs		
F Rosen Street	Dft	
Young	Pltff	Upon Attachment
&		
Stokes	Dft	

Ordered that the cause be continued until the 1st day of the next Term.

The Norfolk & Western Rail Road Company	Pltff	In case.
vs		
W M Anderson	Dft	

This day came the defendant Company by its attorney and demurred to the plaintiffs declaration and each Count therein in which the plaintiff joined and on motion and by Consent of parties it is ordered that this case be removed to the circuit Court of Petersburg.

J M Parham	Plaintiff	In Debt.
vs		
Edwin Draper & Wm Madison	Defts	

This day came the defendant and filed paper writing to the Plaintiffs declaration to which the Plaintiff demurred generally upon which issue was joined and the Circuit Judge entered up Judgment against the defendant in the Clerks office hereof, and the cause is continued to the next term.

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their attendance at this Term viz. R S Dickerson $1.50 P S Hill 1.50 H A Reams 1.50 Clark Burgess 1.50 W E Evans 1.50 L L Merritt $1.06 D S Hall 1.06 Jas Rennie 66 C Castagnos 82 C P Jolly 1.85 T W Jones 138 J C Dickens 1.50 Geo King 98

The Court certifies to the Board of Supervisors for the County of Winnebago the sum of Three hundred and fifty Dollars a reasonable allowance to J C Sloan Clerk of the Circuit Court of Winnebago County for his services as such Clerk during the 12 Months ending June 30th 1890.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 oclock AM.

Beverly A Hancock

Tuesday September 23d 1890.

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge.

The Court doth allow to A Thos Powell attorney for the Commonwealth the sum of Twenty four Dollars the same allowed by law for his services as such during the last six months which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court doth allow to B A Ragsdale Jailer the sum of fifteen Dollars the same allowed by law for his services as such during the last six months which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court doth allow to B A Ragsdale Sheriff for his services in summoning Grand Jurors during this Term of the Court the sum of $5.00 Dollars which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court doth allow to B A Ragsdale Sheriff the sum of Eight Dollars it being Two Dollars per day for himself and one Deputy during two Days of this Term of the Court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

Ordered that the same be assigned until the first day of the next Term

Beverly A Hancock

Judgment Confessed in the Clerks Office March 16th 1891

Costs $5.97 A Standifer Trustee of Brown &c. Plaintiff } In Debt.

To

B Miller & F St. Wells Defts }

The day comes the defendants by Wm P McRae their attorney in fact under a Power of Attorney under the hands and seals of the defendants and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the said declaration. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of Thirty Six Dollars and twenty eight cents with interest on $33 by at rate Thereof from the 16th day of March 1891 till paid, and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Vs

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Lunenburg at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 23d day of March 1891 and of the Commonwealth the 115th.

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clk.

Beverly A. Hancock

Tuesday March 24th 1891.

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be allowed for their attendance at this Term payable out of the County Treasury to wit John Brough $3.25 Chas Yeamans $3.75 J A Merdeth $4.00 W P Bripson $4.00 W G Dunn $3.60 Jas Reins $2.62½ Bap Yancey $2.62½ G A Bripson $2.50 Wooten Ellis $2.00 S Y Gunn $3.75 J T Clark $3.75 W E Strickland $4. G S Parrish $3.60 Eli Hankins $2.75 J E Motley $3.75 G A Rose $4.00

Mary Palermo — Plaintiff
vs
F Street and Rennie Street — Defts
In Debt and upon Attachment.

This day came the plaintiff by her attorney, and the defendants who have been proceeded against in the manner provided by law against non resident defendants, were solemnly called but came not; And the plaintiff's claim being established it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of $690.00 with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 1st day of April 1889 the said debt to the freeing of which the $25.00 paid March 21st 1889 & $16.00 paid March 21st 1889 and her costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended. And it is ordered that Wm B. McIlwaine who is hereby appointed Special Commissioner for the purpose hearing executed and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $1000.00 with security to be approved by the Clerk of this Court conditioned according to law, shall after having advertised the time place and terms of sale for twenty days either by posting notices in three or more public places in this County or by advertising the same in some newspaper published in the City of Petersburg, sell the tract of land levied on by the Sheriff of this County or appears from his return in the above cause issued in this suit, consisting of a tract of land situated in the Town Ship of Lunenburg in this County and known as being 240 acres of the South end of the 96

Tract of 167½ acres of land lately bought by Alexander Duncan of John Mercer said Tract lying on the Petersburg Railroad about 6 Miles South of Petersburg Va and bounded and described as follows. beginning at a stone on the above described railroad marked No(4) four of a pear made by Thos Eddy grave March 5th 1888. thence West one hundred and ninety three(193) poles to Rowanty Creek and in Three 3 courses Tract thence Southerly along the Middle of said Creek two(238) two hundred and thirty eight poles to No(2) two on said Tract thence Northeasterly(304) three hundred poles to No(1) one of said Tract thence North easterly(138) one hundred and twenty four poles to the Place of beginning Containing 340 acres of land being the same more or less enter on the premises or in the City of Petersburg, as to him may seem best, and upon the following terms one third Cash, and the balance upon a credit of one and two years the purchaser to give bonds for the deferred payments and the title to be retained until the further order of this Court. And it appearing that the said defendant have not appeared in the said cause or been served with a copy of the said attachment sixty days preceding this judgment, it is ordered that the plaintiff shall not have the benefit of this order until the same and he shall have given bond in the penalty of $1000.00 with sufficient security to be approved by the Clerk of this Court conditioned to perform such further order herein as may be made upon the appearance of the said defendant and their making defence.

Upon the petition of A A Hardy the father and next friend of Kate W. Zehmer who is a Minor and makes oath that the Court by Decree entered in the cause of W. L. Zehmer &c vs W. L. Zehmer &c appointed J. M. Zehmer J. B. Zehmer & A T Powell as his securities who justified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a Bond in the penalty of $1000.00 conditioned according to law.

Mary Carrie Hardy a minor over the age of 14 years by a proper writing addressed to the Court made choice of John B. Whitlow as her guardian who thereupon appears in Court and together with John Y Stamps & W. M. Reid as his securities who justified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a Bond in the penalty of One Thousand Dollars conditioned according to law.

Adrian A Hardy a minor over the age of 15 years by a proper writing addressed to the Court made choice of John B. Whitlow as his guardian who thereupon appeared in Court and together with John Y Stamps and W. M. Reid as his securities who justified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a Bond in the penalty of One Thousand Dollars conditioned according to Law.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until 10 Oclock to morrow morning.

Beverly A. Hancock

Wednesday March 25th 1891.

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

The Court certifies to the Board of Supervisors for the County of Dinwiddie the sum of Three Hundred and fifty Dollars as a suitable allowance to J C Wilkins clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County for his services as such clerk during 12 months ending 30th June 1891

Ordered that Alex Hamilton, J G Vaiden & W P McRae be and are hereby appointed a Committee to examine Dinwiddie Circuit Court Clerks Office as required by Sec 3174 Code of Va 1887 and make report to the next term of this Court.

The Court doth allow C B & Rogers Jailor the Sum of Fifteen Dollars the Sum allowed by law for his services as such during the last six months which is ordered to be certified.

The Court doth allow C A Vaughan Attorney for the Commonwealth the Sum of Twenty five Dollars the Sum allowed by law for his services as such during the last six months which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor for payment.

The Court doth allow C B & Rogers for his services in keeping the Court House during the term of the Court the Sum of Five Dollars which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 oclock A M.

Beverly A. Hancock

Thursday March 26th 1891.

Present Hon B S Hancock Judge

The Court doth allow to B S Rogers Sheriff the sum of Seventy Dollars it being ten Dollars per day for him self & Deputy during the days & $12.50 per day for himself one Deputy during three days.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Beverly A Hancock

Office Judgments Confirmed March 26th 1891.

$3.70 .50 3.50 7.20

Alexander Nowlin Trustee of O M Green and C E Barton late merchants and partners trading under the firm and style of Green & Barton who sues for the benefit of the Petersburg Savings and Insurance Company a Corporation Chartered under the laws of Virginia,

vs

Peterson & Epps.

Pleft } In Debt
Defts }

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of one hundred and twenty four Dollars with legal interest thereon from the 21st Day of February 1890 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. /

368 .50 3.50 7.63

John A Gill and Richard S. Gill partners doing business under the firm name and style of John A Gill Bro.

vs

L R Gerow.

Pleffs } In Debt
Defts }

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of Sixty Dollars with interest on $15.00 apart thereof from 10th Day of March 1888 till paid, on $15.00 apart thereof from 9th April 1888 till paid and on $15.00 another part thereof from 10 May 1888 till paid, and on $15.00 the residue thereof from 10th Day of June 1888 till paid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. J J

James Brown. Pltff
vs
John E Graves Deft } In Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Thirty three Dollars with legal interest thereon from the 14th day of October 1889 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Judgment Confessed in Clerks Office April 23d 1891.

Cuc $3.85

Paschal Daniel & Ferdinand Wheelle partners trading under the firm style of Daniel & Wheelle. Pltff
vs
Asa O. Babcock. Deft } In Debt.

This day came the defendant in his own proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned, and Confessed a judgment in favor of the plaintiffs for the sum of Forty four Dollars and sixty cents with interest thereon from the 1st day of May 1889 till paid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the said sum of $44.60 with interest as aforesaid
subject to the following credit Cost $3.60 paid Dec 13th 1888 & $5.60 paid Jany 17th

Virginia At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Wednesday the 23d day of September 1891 and of the Commonwealth the 116th

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge

J J Crawford Pltff
vs
R E H Tucker Defdt
} upon attachment

It appearing to the Court that no order has been made in the above styled cause except a Continuance it is ordered that the said cause be Dismissed.

Gordon &c Pltff
vs
Stith &c. Defdt
} upon Ejectt.

Ordered that the above cause be Continued generally until the 1st day of the next term

Goldschalk trading as E Myers & Co Pltff
vs
E M Jones Defdt
} In case

On the motion of the pltff it is ordered that the above cause be dismissed

R Ellyson &c Pltff
vs
Robert Cornelius Defdt
} Ejectt

The parties to this suit desiring to end all matters of controversy between them, having by their respective Counsel agreed that the same shall be submitted to arbitration, as provided by law by the consent of the parties given in Court by their respective Counsel it is ordered that all matters of Controversy herein be submitted to George D Bernard and H R McKenney for arbitration, their award to be final, but if said arbitrators can not agree upon any matter of law or fact they may call in another party to decide the same or they may refer the same to this Court for such action in the premises as may be deemed necessary and proper. It is understood that said arbitrators may hear and consider all testimony which may be submitted to them, subject to all just and legal exceptions.

H. P. McRae Alex. Hamilton & Jno. Y. Davis the Commrs. appointed at the last Term of the Court to examine the Clerk Office of this Court, this day made report to the Court which is in the following words and figures to wit, "To the Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie Sitting in Term 1891. Report of Commrs. appointed to examine Clerks Office, We the undersigned, appointed by an order entered at the March Term, 1891. of this Court, to examine the Clerks Office thereof, pursuant to Sec 3174 of the Code of Virginia, respectfully report that they have examined said Clerks Office as directed by said order, We find books are accurately kept, and the records and papers in said office are in good condition, We Commrs would recommend that suitable books be placed upon the case containing the ended Chancery Causes which are at present without any protection of that nature, and that an Ended Chancery Order Book containing an index of the Chancery Causes decided hitherto as well as those which may hereafter be decided, be kept, such a volume would facilitate greatly the consultation so frequently necessary of the ended Chancery Causes, In the opinion of the Commrs. Special Compensation should be allowed the Clerk for the preparation of so much of said Volume as embraces the decrees hitherto rendered.

Respectfully Submitted

W P McRae

Alex - Hamilton

Jno Y Davis "

Ordered that the above Commissioners be allowed each the sum of Five Dollars for their Services which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment and it is further Ordered that the Clerk of this Court Cause the Necessary books to be placed upon the cases containing the ended Chancery Causes, and that he purchase and keep and order Book in which to enter Final Decrees in Chancery Cases and that he also index and keep an Index to the Ended Chancery Causes as recommended in said report.

Ordered that the following petit Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their Services at this Term of the Court Viz. J C Hawthorne $2.00 W T Davis $2.00 C A Scott $2.00 J G Tally $1.80 Alex Clay $1.64 T B Cummins $1.56 F T Wincate $1.80 J C Lucy $2.00 J A Row $1.64

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock A.M.

Beverly A Hancock

C&S.

Thursday September 24th 1891

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge.

The Court doth allow to A Thos Powell late Attorney for the Commonwealth for his services as such to the 1st day of July 1891 the sum of Twelve Dollars and fifty cents which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment

Certified

The Court doth allow to Jno J Harris Attorney for the Commonwealth for his services as such to the 1st Day of October 1891 the sum of Twelve Dollars and fifty cents which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

C P

The Court doth allow to B A Rogers late Sheriff & Jailer of this Court for his services to the 1st day of July 1891 the sum of Seven Dollars and fifty cents which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment out of the Public Treasury

C P

The Court doth allow to W A Young Jailer the sum of Seven Dollars and fifty cents for his services to the 1st October 1891 which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

C P

The Court doth allow to W A Young Sheriff the sum of $1.50 per day for himself and one Deputy during two days of this term of the Court which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court doth allow to W A Young Sheriff for his services at this term of the Court in keeping the Courthouse the sum of $5.00 which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The following accounts against Dinwiddie County for guarding Dinwiddie County Jail viz Robt Ellis $33.00 & S R Burgess $33.00 which are certified to the Board of Supervisors for payment it appearing to the Court that said guard was necessary on account of the insanity of the Jail,

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Beverly A Hancock

Office Judgments Confirmed September 24th 1891

Cost $7.20

Wm A Nunnally. Plaintiff
vs
C A Cooler. Defdt
} In Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the sum of One Hundred and Two Dollars and fifty cents with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 25th day of March 1891 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

vs

$7.45

M R. McGinnis & Sister & H Davis & Co. Plaintiff
vs
C P. Smith Defdt
} In case

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the sum of Eighty Nine Dollars and Ninety cents with interest thereon from the 4th day of November 1890 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in

vs this behalf expended.

$4.45

A Goldschmidt Trading as E Meyer & Co Agents. Plaintiff
vs
R C. Jones. Defdt
} In Case

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the sum of Ninety three Dollars and Eighty two cents with interest thereon from the 1st day of May 1889 till paid, and also his cost by him about his

vs suit in this behalf expended.

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Tuesday the 22d day of March 1892 and of the Commonwealth the 116

Present: Hon B S Hancock Judge.

W R Jones B&S Vaughan & A Wilkie partners under firm name of James Vaughan Sons — Plaintiffs — Upon a Notice of Motion

vs

C P Smith — Defdt.

On the motion of the plaintiffs and it appearing from the return made by the Sheriff that the Defendant has had legal notice of this motion for fifteen days, and that said notice was returned to the Clerks Office of this Court ten days before the Commencement of this term, and the said Defendant not appearing it is considered by the Court that judgment and award of execution be given in favor of the plaintiffs against the Defendant for forty four Dollars and fifty cents with legal interest from the 14th day of October in the year 1889 the said debts

1/ this Court and their said expenses.

B S Jones for pl — Plaintiff — Upon a Notice of Motion

vs

H P Rainey adm — Defdt.

On the motion of the plaintiff it is ordered that the above case be dismissed.

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be paid out of the County Treasy. for their attendance at this term of the Court to wit, J E Young 1 50 6 6 Brittle 1 50 B J Davis 1 50 J T Gassaway 1 44 J T Nance 98 R T J Shaw 1 50 P Tasker 1 50 Geo King 98 Test

H T Morrison trading under the name of H T Morrison & Co — Plaintiff — In case & Upon attachment

vs

Jno E Wyatt Exr — Defdt

This day came the plaintiff in his proper person, and it appearing to the Court that after the institution of this action the plaintiff duly levied an attachment against the estate of the defendant and caused the same to be duly levied upon the following property, that is to say, 1 Derrick 100 ft. steel Bars 6 Shovels 5 Picks 3 Striking Hammers 6 pair Wedges 10 Stone axes 12 Iron Long handled round 12 Wedges, 1 Set Stocks 1/2 rounds 1 anvil, 1 Portable Forge tools 1 Log Chain 5 Galvanized Buckets 1 Vise 1 Axe 1 Drawing Knife 3 Steel Barrows & 1 Cross Bar, and it further appearing to the Court that the writ of Publication duly awarded in this cause after due and expeditious

returned executed has been duly published and posted as required by law and the
defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, the plaintiff having by his testimony
and the notes filed with his declaration proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the
defendant at the time of the institution of this action was and still is indebted to the
plaintiff as set forth in the affidavit upon which said attachment issued and as demanded
in said declaration, it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said
Defendant the sum of Three Hundred and seventeen Dollars and eighty one Cents, with
interest on One hundred and fifty seven Dollars and eighty Six cents of same the cost from
April 3 1891 till paid, and on one hundred and fifty-nine Dollars and ninety four
Cents the residue thereof from June 3rd. 1891 till paid, and his costs by him about
his suit in this behalf expended. And it further appearing to the Court that under
an attachment sued out by Thos. B Bosh the County Court of this County by
an order entered at its September Term 1891 ordered to be sold a part of the said
property whereon the plaintiff in this cause claimed his said attachment to be
levied as aforesaid and that under said order aforesaid County Court there was
sold the following articles of property, that is to say, one set of Harness, one Buggy,
1 pair cable Forge, 6 shovels, 5 Picks and Eleven hammers leaving only a part of the
property upon which the plaintiffs attachment had been levied, it is ordered that the
Sheriff sell so much of the property so levied upon under the plaintiffs said attachment
said property so sold under the order aforesaid County Court to satisfy said attachment
aforesaid Bosh expended, as may be necessary to satisfy the said debt of the plaintiff
and his said costs. But the plaintiff shall not have the benefit of this order until
he or some one for him shall have entered into bond before the Clerk of this Court
with Security to be approved by him in the penalty of Six hundred Dollars
and conditioned to perform such further order as may be made upon the appearance
of said Defendant and his making defence.

The following preamble and resolutions this day presented to the Circuit Court of
Davidson in pursuance of the action of the members of the Davidson Bar and officers
of the Court and according to their request ordered to be spread upon the records of this
Court, "At a meeting of the Bar and the officers of the Courts of Davidson held
at the Court House on the 21st day of March 1892, the following preamble and resolutions
were unanimously adopted,

Whereas there has been removed from our midst by the hand of death one
who for more than half a century has borne an honorable reputation as a member
of this Bar, Now therefore be it resolved that in the death of Alexander Donnan
this Bar has lost one of its most learned and successful members who by his
high character, strict attention to business and zealous regard for the interest of
his clients had won a deservedly great name both as a lawyer and a citizen.
Resolved that we tender to his bereaved family our warmest sympathy
in their great affliction. Resolved that the County Court be requested
to spread these resolutions upon the records, and that

the Chairman of this meeting Despicable Sums and to present them to the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie next at its request. Resolved that a Copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Family and that a Copy be furnished the Petersburg Papers for publication."

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until 10 o'clock AM

Beverly A. Hancock

Wednesday March 23d 1892.

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge

On the motion of Mary E Thompson Widow of W F Thompson who declines to qualify. W F Thompson & M Ella Thompson who made oath thereto and together with Mary E. Thompson Alex V. Thompson, Alma Thompson & Mary Thompson as Next Friends to the said Mary E Thompson Alex V Thompson Alma Thompson & Mary Thompson acting herein by J O Shands their Attorney in fact entered into and acknowledged a Bond in the penalty of Six thousand four Hundred Dollars and Certificate is granted them for obtaining Letters of Administration on the Estate of W F Thompson dec'd in due form.

Ordered that Jas N Ferguson Gen D T Barkesdale R D White A B Bragg and Andrew McClenic appraise and relate.

The Court doth allow to J J Shands Attorney for the Commonwealth the Sum of $75.00 for his Services as such since the last Term of the Court

The Court doth allow to W N Young Sheriff of this County for his Services during this Term of the Court the Sum of Eight Dollars it being two Dollars per Day for himself and one Deputy & an Jailer the same allowed by Law.

The Court doth allow to W N Young Sheriff for his Services in attending on this Court during this Term in Keeping Ct. furnishing fuel &c the Sum of four Dollars.

The Court certifies to the Board of Supervisors of the County of Dinwiddie the Sum of Four Hundred Dollars as a suitable Compensation to J O Shands Clerk of this Court for his services as such from 1st Jany 1891 to 30 June 1892. The said amount is increased to said amount on account of work done by his Deputies the last

of this Court in Nothing an Order to the said Chancery Cause in his Office made and
Order of this Court requiring the same to be done.

All Causes not otherwise disposed of are continued until the ~~first Day of the~~ next Term.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day
of the next Term.

Beverly A Hancock

Office Judgments Confirmed March 23rd 1892.

$7.63 Costs. P L Conquest A. R Gatt and O. H Perry partners in trade under the firm name and style of P L Conquest & Co Plaintiffs
vs
W T. Crawford Deft } In Case

This day came the plaintiffs by their Attorney and the defendant saith Nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the Sum of One Hundred and eight Dollars and forty Cents with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 28th Day of August 1889 the said and also their Costs by them about their said in this behalf expended.

Judgment Confessed in Clerks Office Sept 21st 1892.

W. D. Dorman & Randolph Carrow Partners Trading under the firm style of Dorman & Carrow Plaffs
vs
Geo H. Barnett Deft } In Debt upon Note

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant in his own proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the Note in Manuscript and Confessed a Judgment in favor of the plaintiffs for the Sum of One Hundred and twenty Eight Dollars and Eighty four cents with interest on $128.00 the principal thereof from the 17th Day of August 1892 till paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the said Sum of $128.84 with interest as aforesaid and costs. Their costs expended.

Virginia, At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie on Wednesday the 21st day of September 1892 and of the Commonwealth the 117th.

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

W S Dunn & Randolph Commonwealths Trading under the firm & style of Dunn & Cannon Pltffs } Upon motion of motion for
vs Defts Judgment.
A S Cannon

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing and it appearing to the Court that notice of said motion was served more than ten days and filed in the Clerks office 10 days before the Commencement of the term of the Court Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the defendant for the sum of Eighty one Dollars and Seventy Seven Cents with interest thereon from the 14 day of June 1892 till paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against said defendant said sum of Eighty one Dollars seventy Seven cents with interest as aforesaid, and also their costs.

J G Chambers admr of A G Tucker dec'd. Pltff } In case
vs Defts
The Norfolk & Western Rail Road Company

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendants by their attorn. and demurred to the plaintiffs declaration and to each Count thereof in which the plaintiff joined. Which being argued the Court sustained the demurrer to the 2nd 3rd & 4th Counts in the plaintiffs declaration and overruled the demurrer to the 1st Count; and the Court allowing a special Jury in the case which was accordingly summoned and a panneal of sixteen qualified Jurors from your Clerks of exception was made and then upon the parties by their Counsel beginning with the plaintiff alternately struck from the Jury list of said Jurors, when the following twelve remained for the trial of the case towit A H Newton Esq. Wm W S Reade Jr. J McReese W A Gresham Henry Bonner by B. Reams Bonner Elly Wm B Bailey J N Walk. F Y Thweatt & C D Brown, and on motion of the plaintiff leave is given him to amend his declaration and to withdraw the first Count in his declaration which is accordingly done. and thereupon the defendant demurred to the amended declaration & each Count thereof. and the Court overruled the demurrer as to the 1 2 & 4th Counts thereof sustained the demurrer as to the 3rd Count in said amended declaration.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock A.M.

Beverly A Hancock

Thursday the 22d September 1892

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

J A L Smith, Gentleman having obtained a License to practice the Law in the Courts of this Commonwealth on his motion leave is granted him to practice in this Court, he the oath prescribed by Law.

On the motion of the Justices the following are appointed Masters of Examination Council I C of St Licks to act with the former Masters viz: in the Deed Book Council Lewis J A Lee N P Lee Benjamin Fuller.

J L Chambers admr of A L Fuller dec'd. Plaintiff
vs
The Norfolk & Western Rail Road Company Defd } In Case.

And the Defendant pleads not guilty & which the Plaintiff replies generally, and issue was duly joined.
This day came again the parties by their Attorneys, and the following Jury
Selected in this case, viz: A Hancock, E A Hill, W D Reed Jr, J M Reese, W A Graham,
Henry Bonner, G B Ramey, Booker Ellis, M B Beatty, J A Watts, F F Hancock & C L
Brown, who were sworn to well and truly try the issue joined now before the
Court and having fully heard the evidence were adjourned over until tomorrow
morning 10 o'clock.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning 10 o'clock.

Beverly A Hancock

Friday September 23d 1892

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

J A Chambers adm A L Fuller dec'd. Plaff
vs
The Norfolk & Western Rail Road Company. Defd } In case.

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury sworn in
this case yesterday appeared in Court to wit Henry Hancock, E A Hill,
W D Reed Jr, J M Reese, M Agnew and Henry Bonner, G B Ramey, Booker
Ellis, M B Beatty, J A Watts, F F Hancock & C Brown & having fully
heard the evidence and the Defendant filed instructions & the Plaintiff
evidence and the Plaintiff joined in the Demurrer. Whereupon the said Jury
being required to say what damages the Plaintiff hath sustained by reason of the matters
in the Declaration & other declaration specially therein referred to herein, and rendered the 103

following verdict, towit, "We the jury being required to say what damages the plaintiff has sustained by reason of the killing of the plaintiffs intestate as alleged in the declaration do say that if judgment be given for the plaintiff upon the evidence that we find for the plaintiff and assess his damages at $5000, and that if judgment be given for the defendant upon the evidence that we find for the defendant," and thereupon the defendants demurrer to the plaintiffs evidence in this cause being argued, it seems to the Court here that the said evidence is not sufficient in law to maintain the issue joined on the part of the plaintiff doth sustain the defendants Demurrer to the plaintiffs evidence, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff take nothing by his false clamour. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the defendant recover against the plaintiff its costs by it about its defence of this suit expended. Whereupon the said plaintiff by his attorney excepted to the ruling and judgment of the Court, and tendered his bill of exceptions, which was received, signed and sealed by the Court, and ordered to be made a part of the record in this cause,

Ordered that the following Petit jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their attendance thereof at this term of the Court, towit R S Lewis $1.50 J B Watkins $1.50 J C Dunn 1.50 W F Doyle 66 ℔ Wood 50 H Hearlson $1.50 E H Rice 3.30 W S Read 4.20 J M Rees 3.94 W A Graham $1.50 Henry Bowers $1.50 G B Rees $1.50 Boston Ellis 2.98 W B Belt $3.94 J W Watts 3.98 F F Howard 4.90 C I Brown 3.96

The Court doth allow to J H Davis attorney for the Commonwealth for his services as such during six months the sum of Twenty five Dollars which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court doth allow to W H Young Jailor the sum of Fifteen Dollars for his services as such during six months which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court doth allow to W H Young Sheriff for his services in attending on this Court during this term of the Court, the sum of $ which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts. Eight Dollars

The Court doth allow to W^m Fleming Sheriff the Sum of Eighteen Dollars it being Two Dollars per day for himself & one Deputy one day & for himself & two Deputies two days during this Term of the Court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment,

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning 10 o'clock.

Beverly A. Hancock

Saturday September 24th 1892

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

Ordered that all cases not otherwise disposed of be and are hereby continued,

The Court doth allow to W^m Fleming Sheriff $4.00 Service for himself & one Deputy this day in attendance on the Court,

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next Term

Beverly A. Hancock

Office Judgment Confirmed September 24th 1892.

J W Phillips. Pltff
vs
R L Wynn W A Monroe & H Wynn & E L Perkins, Defts } In Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the Sum of One Hundred and seventeen Dollars and Sixty Six Cents with interest thereon from the 1st Day of December 1891 till paid and also his costs expended,

In Dinwiddie Circuit Court,

In Vacation, October 25th 1892.

Upon the application of the proper authorities of the Methodist Episcopal Church South located at Dinwiddie Court House ~~Wm P Duffe H S R Chambers~~ John Y Harris, I T Hatcher and A M Organ are appointed trustees of said Church, Effingham and the legal title to the real & personal estate of the said Church shall vest in said trustees (who are all of the trustees of said Church) and their successors in office.

For the Clerk of Dinwiddie. Beverly A Sancord.
Circuit Court, Judge Dinwiddie Circuit Court.

Virginia At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Court House thereof on Tuesday the 21st day of March 1893 and of the Commonwealth the 117th

Present Hon B W Norvell Judge.

Sarah Myers. Plaintiff } Upon a Notice of
to Motion for Judgment.
Anna Myers, Sarah Smith Defendants }

This day came the plaintiff by her attorney and the Defendants were solemnly called and not appearing and it appearing to the Court that the Notice was executed more than fifteen days and filed in the Clerks office ten days before the Commencement of the term of the Court. Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the Defendant for the Sum of three Hundred and seventy seven dollars and ninety one cents with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 9th Day of April 1888 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said Defendants the said Sum of three Hundred and seventy seven Dollars and ninety one cents with interest thereon as aforesaid and also her costs expended.

W F Thompson adm & Wm E Thompson admr of
W F Thompson dec'd. Plaintiffs } Upon notice of
to Motion for Judgment.
W A Sanders. Defts

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the Defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, and it appearing to the Court that the notice was executed more than fifteen days and filed in the Clerks office of this Court ten days before the Commencement of the term of the Court, Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the Defendant for the Sum of one hundred and sixty one Dollars and eighty one cents with interest thereon from the 1st Day of July 1889 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the Defendant the said Sum of One hundred and sixty one Dollars and eighty one cents with interest thereon as aforesaid and also their costs by them about their suit in their behalf expended.

D L Ransdell, ~~and Robertson~~ merchants and partners
trading under the firm name of Ransdell & Fitch. Plaintiffs } Upon motion
to. of Garnishee for
R L Wynne, W A Moncure and C A Wynne Defts Judgment.
This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the Defendants being solemnly called and not appearing, and it appearing to the Court that the notice was executed more than fifteen days and returned to the Clerks office.

of this Court ten day before the term of the Court, Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendants for the sum of Eight Seven Dollars and thirty four cents with legal interest thereon from the 28th day of November 1890 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the said sum of $87.34 with interest as aforesaid also their costs by them expended & $2.34 Cost of Record. But this judgment is subject to a credit of $18.66 paid 11th Feby 1891.

R H. Manson & R W Shell partners trading under the firm name of Manson & Shell. Pltff
vs. } Motion on note
G. M Ragsdale. Deft } & Judgment.

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, and it appearing to the Court that notice was served five days and filed in the Clerks Office of this Court 10 days before the Commencement of this term of the Court. Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the Defendant for the sum of Three Hundred and fifteen Dollars with interest thereon from January 19th 1891 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of $315.00 with interest as aforesaid and also their costs expended.

A T. Stewart. Pltff
vs } Jgt Case
S M. Bedrican Deft

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant being solemnly called came not appearing. Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of One Hundred and fifty Dollars with interest thereon from the 29th day of March 1891 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of $150.00 with interest as aforesaid and also their costs expended.

Ordered that the following petit Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their attendance at this term of the Court as follows: R. D Wade 1 day J. L Wright 1 day R B Stone 1 day R N Rogers 1 day W R Rains 1 day Nat Rogers 1 day. Mason Barth Cl. J M Lewis 9 days J A Hughes 1 day J A Wade 1 day Ed J Bevis 1 day

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock am.

Beverly A. Hancock

Wednesday March 22nd. 1893

Present Hon B A Harwood Judge.

A J Stewart — Plaintiff
vs
J M Bobbitt — Deft } Dir case upon attachment

Day day came the plaintiff in his proper person and it appearing to the Court that after the institution of his suit the plaintiff duly sued out an attachment against the estate of the Defendant and caused the same to be duly levied on the following property of the Defendant, a certain tract of land in the County of Dinwiddie called "Dogwood or Ford" tract containing one hundred acres more or less adjoining lands of Wm Doyle R Obelkevitz, also another tract of land in the County of Dinwiddie containing by actual survey 97¼ acres adjoining lands belonging to estate of Rachel Tucker dec'd, and it further appearing to the Court that the order of Publication duly awarded in this cause after said attachment was returned executed has been duly published and posted, and the Defendant being solemnly called out appearing not the plaintiff by his testimony having proved a claim against the Defendant, evidenced by a Judgment entered in the Clerks Office of this Court and that at the time of the institution of said suit the Defendant was indebted to him and is still indebted, it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said Defendant the sum of One Hundred and fifty Dollars with interest thereon from the 3rd day of March 1893. until paid, It is ordered that J H T Young Sheriff of the County of Dinwiddie after advertising the time terms and place of sale in some newspaper published in the City of Petersburg once a week for four successive weeks, sell by public auction at Dinwiddie C H on some Court day so much of the 1000 acres tract of land known as the "Dogwood or Ford" tract as may be sufficient to satisfy the said debt of the plaintiff of $150.00 with interest as aforesaid & costs of suit and sale. But it appearing that the Defendant has not appeared in this cause or been personally served with a copy of the attachment. Sixty days previous this Judgment, it is ordered that the plaintiff shall not have the benefit of this order until he or some one for him shall have given bond before the Clerk of this Court with security to be approved by him in the penalty of $300.00 Conditioned as by law in such case provided to abide such further order herein as may be made herein upon the appearance of the said Defendant and making defence, said sale to be for ⅓ cash and the balance upon credits of six & twelve months.

On the motion of the proper authorities it is ordered that James Patterson Jr. Brandon & R P Valentine be and are hereby appointed Trustees of the I O of O F in the place & stead of the Trustees heretofore appointed who have been removed & it is ordered that the legal title to the real estate of the said I O of O F be vested in the said Trustees.

The Court doth allow to J J Harris Commonwealths attorney the sum of Twenty four dollars the same allowed by law for his services during six months.

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The Court doth allow to W.H. Young Jailer the sum of Fifteen for his services as such during Dec' Term

The Court doth allow to W.H. Young Sheriff the sum of Eight Dollars it being two Dollars per day for himself and one Deputy day during this Term of this Court.

The Court certifies to the Board of Supervisors for the County of Dinwiddie the sum of Three Hundred and fifty Dollars as a reasonable allowance to be made to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for his services as such from the 1st day of July 1892 to the 30th June 1893.

The Court doth allow to W.H. Young Sheriff the sum of five Dollars for his services in furnishing wood Water during the Term

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow Morning 10 o'clock

Beverly A. Hancock

Thursday March 23d 1893

Present Hon B.A. Hancock Judge.

The Court doth allow to W.H. Young Sheriff the sum of Four Dollars it being $2.00 per Diem for himself & Deputy

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Beverly A. Hancock

In the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County. In Vacation June 10th 1893

Wm P. McRae. John G Harris and Kirby Thompson are hereby appointed to examine the Clerks Office of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, and they are ordered to make examination thereof before July 1st 1893 and report to the first term of said Circuit Court.

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie.

Beverly A Hancock.

Beverly A Hancock.
Judge of Dinwiddie Circuit Court.

Virginia:

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Thursday 21st day of September 1893 and of the Commonwealth the 118th

Present Hon. B. A Hancock. Judge

D Butterworth & Bro. Pltff } Upon Notice of Motion for a Judgment.
vs
Bowen Ellis & Powell and Nancy Madison. Defts.

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the Defendants being solemnly called and not appearing, on motion of the plaintiff it is ordered that said cause be continued until the first day of the next term of the Court.

N F Thompson and M E Thompson admrs of Wm F Thompson dec'd. Pltff } Upon Notice of Motion for Judgment.
vs
W N Staples & Jno. T. Crew. Defts.

J D. Bradshaw. Pltff } In case.
vs
W E Butler Defd

On motion of the plaintiff it is ordered that the above case be dismissed.

Ordered that the following petit Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their attendance and mileage at this term of the Circuit Court. J. T. Crew $1.50 D W Fisher $1.50 Geo Mathews 1.50 J E Williams 1.50 Cyp Lee 82. R D Major 90 Ernest Birch 96. W J Birch 1.82 J T. Williams $1.50

C. P. McRae J. G. Harris & King Thompson Commissioners appointed by the Judge of this Court by order entered in Vacation June 10 1893 to examine the Clerks Office of this Court this day made Report which is ordered to be filed, and it is ordered that said Commissioners be allowed each the Sum of $5.00 for their services which is ordered to be certified to the Aud. of Public Accounts for payment out of the Public Treasury.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning 10 oclock.

Beverly A Hancock

Friday October 2nd 1893

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

The Court doth allow to J. G. Harris attorney for the Commonwealth the Sum of Twenty four Dollars for his services as such during the last six months.

The Court doth allow to W. N. Young Sheriff the Sum of Eight Dollars it being $2.00 per Day for himself one Deputy two Days during this Ct.

The Court doth allow to W. N. Young Jailer the Sum of Fifteen Dollars for services as Jailer during the last six months.

The Court doth allow to W. N. Young for his services in attending to the Court hours preceding Noon or during this Court the Sum of Four Dollars.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first Day of the next term.

Beverly A Hancock

Office Judgment Confirmed Sept 2nd 1893.

W. S. Powell trading as W. S. Powell & Co vs J. E. Williams. This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant by not coming in but in prosecution of the plaintiffs action. It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the Sum of Seventy one Dollars with interest thereon from the 27 Dec 1892 his plaintiff costs.

Virginia At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Wednesday the 21st day of March A.D. 1894 and of the Commonwealth the 118th

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge

We forewing transcripts from the records of the Hustings Court of the City of Petersburg were this day presented and ordered to be recorded. to wit.

"Virginia,

At a Hustings Court continued and held for the City of Petersburg at the Courthouse thereof on the 5th day of February, 1894. Be it remembered that on this 5th day of February, 1894 Beverly A Hancock, who has been duly elected and commissioned Judge of the Second Judicial Circuit of Virginia for the term of eight years beginning on the first day of January, 1894 came into Court and qualified to said office by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

A true transcript from the record. Test.

Robt Williams clerk"

On the motion of the plaintiff it is ordered that the following suit be dismissed.

B A Davis — Plaintiff
vs
D. D. Wells — Defts
} Iru Debt.

Butterworth Bros. — Plaintiff
vs
Booker Ellis — Defts
} upon a motion for Judgment.

Ordered that the above case be continued until the 1st day of the next Court.

F. T. Collins — Plaintiff
vs
Harry Hancock & W. T. Hancock — Defts
} upon motion of a motion for a Judgment.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendants being ordered and not appearing, Judgment by the Court infavor of the plaintiff for the sum of One Hundred and Twenty four dollars with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 1st day of February 1894 till paid, and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants the said sum of $124.00 with interest as aforesaid and cost, but this judgment is subject to a credit of $42.50 paid March 1st 1894

On the motion of Emanuel P. Crowder. a Distributee. Wm R. McKinney is allowed to qualify as the Estate of John W. Crowder dec'd, Whereupon the said Wm R McKinney

who made oath thereto and together with Clara J. McKenney as his Surety the said Clara J. McKenney acting by A. M. Organ her attorney in fact under a power of attorney under her hand and seal entered into and acknowledged a Bond in the penalty of $1500.00 conditioned as the law directs. Certificate is granted him for obtaining Letters of Administration on the estate of Saml John H. Crandall dec'd in this form.

Ordered that P. E. Ellis S. H. Wadhams. Geo. W. Gates, Dedrick Frayer. Ozark Clark appraise ✓✓ st estate.

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their attendance at this term of the County Court. J. F. Ellis $1.50 J. A. Wells 1.50 Henry Bowman 1.50 G. W. Kinney $1.50 Ernest Bevis $1.00 Benja Ellis 66 R. B. Moody 74 R. B. Stacy 1.50 Henry Rayden 1.50 Calvin Shaw 98 G. Ellsworth 1.50 W. T. Newcomb 1.50

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning

Beverly A. Hancock

Thursday March 22nd 1894

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

John C Sloan Plaintiff } Upon a notice of a
vs motion for judgment.
B A Rogsdale Deft

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the question involved being submitted to the Court. Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff for the sum of Twenty four and forty four cents with interest from 22nd day of April 1892 the said sum of $24.44 with interest as aforesaid, and also his costs & sum about his suit in this behalf expended.

J J Percival Wm Field partners under the firm name of Pltffs.
Percival & Field
vs In Debt.
J M Rogsdale, J G Rogsdale, and Benjamin A Rogsdale the two
last named being partners under the firm name of Rogsdale Bros. Defts

This day came the Defts Rogsdale Bros and plead non est to the plaintiffs declaration to which the plaintiff replied generally and issue was thereupon joined the judgment entered up against them in the Clerks Office is set aside and the case continued as to them to the 1st day of the next term.

The Court doth allow & order the Sheriff the sum of Eight dollars in being two dollars per day for himself and one Deputy two days during the present term.

The Court doth allow J G Harris attorney for the Pltffs moving the sum of Twenty five dollars for his services during the term.

The Court doth allow & order the sum of Fifteen dollars for his services during the last six months.

The Court doth allow & order the sum of Four dollars for his services in attending on the Court during this term forming notes &c

The Court certifies to the Board of Supervisors the sum of Three hundred and fifty dollars as a reasonable allowance to be made to the Clerk of the circuit Court for his services from the 1st day of July 1893 to 30th day of June 1894,

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the 1st day of the next term.

Beverly A. Hancock

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Office Judgments Confessed March 22nd 1894

Cert. Fees

J. J. Percivall & W. M. Reid partners under the firm name of Percivall & Reid Plaintiffs
vs. } In Debt.
G. M. Ragsdale Defts.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorneys and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of seven Hundred and fifty three and seventy eight cents with interest thereon from July 9th 1892 till paid and also their cost by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

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Virginia At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Friday the 23rd day of September 1894 and of the Commonwealth the 119th

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Jr. Judge.

Jacob Hecht. Plaintiff } upon a rule of
vs. } a motion for Judgment.
A S. Vaiden. Deft }

On motion of the plaintiff it is ordered that the above case be dismissed.

R Butterworth & Bro. Pltff } upon rule of
vs. } motion for Judgt.
Booker Ellis Henry Madison & Wm Coats. Defts }

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendants being solemnly called and not appearing judgment by the Court for the plaintiffs for the sum of $90.00 with interest from the 19th day of November 1888 the said Plaintiffs it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the said sum of Ninety Dollars with interest as aforesaid, the said Judgment to the following credits $25.00 paid Sept 7th 89 $30.00 paid Dec 18th 1893 $18.00 paid Feb 19th 1894 & $25.00 paid Feb 19th 1894 and also their costs expended.

Ordered that the following case be continued until the 1st day of the next term

Pearle a. Pleasants Attachment.

Young Hart vs Atkins Ejectt.

J. J. Percivale and Wm M. Field partners under the firm name of Percivale & Field. Plaintiffs } In Debt.
to.
J. G. Raglesdale and Benjamin H Raglesdale. Defts }

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendants by their attorney and the defendants day they came not further to maintain the plaintiffs action, and withdrew their plea of non assumpsit. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendants the sum of Seven Hundred and fifty Dollars and seventy eight Cents with interest thereon from the 9th day of July 1894 the date of the Declaration mentioned until paid, and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their attendance at this term of the Court as jurors. R M Lewis 1 1/2 A B Boyd 1 1/2 A H Peebles 1 1/2 J E Nelson 1 1/2 B J Davis 1 1/2 R G Jackson 1 1/2 Wm Mathews 1 1/2 J M Lewis 1 1/2 R Peebles Hunt 1 1/2 Ernest Bevill 1 1/2

On the motion of the proper authorities it is ordered the following persons to and are hereby appointed Trustees of the Church of the Good Shepherd Protestant Episcopal Church, Bath Parish Northumberland County Virginia Viz Thos F. Ross Joseph L. White, N Thos Powell and Thos Lacy.

Mary M Roberts Lucita Roberts and the infant beneficiaries under a paper writing purporting to be the true last will and testament of John H. Crowder dec'd bearing date the 5th day of February 1894 this day appeared in Court and offered said paper writing for probate, Whereupon it is ordered that the heirs at Law of the said John H. Crowder dec'd be summoned to the 1st day of the next term of the Court to show cause if any they can why the said paper writing should not be admitted to record as and for the true last will and testament of said Crowder.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock AM

Beverly A. Hancock

Saturday September 22nd 1894.

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

The Court doth allow to J J Travis Commissioner with the sum allowed by law for his services as such during the last six months

The Court doth allow to W H Young Jailer the sum allowed by law for his services as such during the last six months.

The Court doth allow to W H Young Sheriff the sum of Eight Dollars a day Four Dollars per day for himself and one Deputy two days during this term of the Court,

The Court doth allow to W H Young Sheriff the sum of Four Dollars for his services during this term of the Court furnishing water &c

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the 1st day of next term.

Beverly A. Hancock

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Thursday the 21st day of March 1895 and of the Commonwealth the 119th

Present Hon B A Watkins Judge.

James T Bagley Trustee — Pltff. — Upon Notice
vs
J A Fraser. — Defd

James — Pltff. — Upon Notice
vs
R H Ryland — Defd

Same — Pltff. — Upon Notice
vs
M D Parham — Defd

Ordered that the above cases be dismissed on motion of Pltffs atty.

Alex Hamilton Trustee of James T Bagley — Pltff — Upon Notice.
vs
Chas B Michaux — Defd

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing Judgment by the Court for the sum of Seventy two dollars and sixty eight cents with legal interest thereon from the 15th day of March 1894 the said, Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of $72.68 with interest as aforesaid and also his costs expended.

Alex Hamilton Trustee James Bagley — Pltff — Upon Note.
vs
N T Cabaniss — Defd

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, Judgment by the Court for the sum of Twenty four dollars with legal interest thereon from the 4th day of Dec 1894 the said Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of $24.00 with interest as aforesaid and costs.

The Petersburg Savings Inst C. — Plaintiffs — Upon Notice.
vs
R Fraser. — Defd

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, Judgment by the Court for the sum of Seventy Seven dollars and five cents with legal interest thereon from the 21st Feb 1890

the said Thereon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said Sum of $73.05 with interest as aforesaid and costs.

Alex Hamilton and J A King &c Pltff
"
George A Rae. Defts } Upon Notice.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant being duly called and not appearing Judgment by the Court for the Sum of Four Hundred and One Dollars and Seventy five cents with interest at $5% upon the same from the 23rd day of January 1894 until said Thereon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the said Sum of $501.75 with interest as aforesaid and costs. C & $25 Jud 3 gs $18 50 fi Aug 22 1894 $ & c. 2 fi Jan 23 1894

A M Organ adv D B R. of Wm Etherington &c Pltff
&
A M Holt. Dft } Upon Notice.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant being duly called and not appearing Judgment by the Court for the Sum of One hundred and forty three Dollars and fourteen cents with interest from 27th day of January 1886 until said Thereon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said Sum of $143.14 with interest thereon as aforesaid and his costs.

Pascal David Porteous and Walter Porteous trading as Pltff
David Walker
vs
C P Crowder E S Crowder J McBarron J McGoldrick
G W Barron C P Crowder E S Crowder J McBarron and
W N Abernathy. Defts } Upon Notice.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendants being duly called and not appearing Judgment by the Court for the Sum of Eight Hundred and Eighteen Dollars and fifty cents with interest thereon from the 4th day of March 1894 until said Thereon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants the said Sum of $818.50 with interest as aforesaid and also their costs subject to the following credits $2 50 paid 4 March 1894 $95 00 paid March 6th 1894 $94 27 paid 6 March 1894 $26 00 paid April 3rd 1894 $67 00 paid July 14th 1894 $98 00 paid 18th Sept 1894 $27 88 paid Sept 25th 1894 $148 67 paid Dec 26th 1894 & $25 00 paid Jan 22nd 1895 & $85 00 fi fa March 14th 95

Young for pltff a Hodson, J P Johnson ag a The Cert of Petersburg Nav Comp
and a N & W R R Co.

Ordered that the above Cause be continued generally.

Emmett Frazier. Pltff
B. F. Jones. Defdt } Jdt Defdt

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant for plea says that he is not guilty in manner and form as the plaintiff hath complained & which the plaintiff replies generally, and issue is joined, thereupon a jury and the court hearing fully heard the evidence & the opinion that the defendant is not guilty in the manner and form in the plaintiffs declaration alleged. Therefore it is considered by the court that the defendant recover against the plaintiff his cost by him about his defence of this suit expended.

This day came Mary A Robertson and withdrew their motion to postpone the papers writing bearing date the 5th day of February 1894 purporting to be the last will and testament of Jno Crowder dec'd, and the court of its own motion and all of the parties in interest being before the court proceeded to determine whether the said papers writing aforesaid is the true last will and testament of the said Jno Crowder dec'd is of the opinion that said papers writing is not the true last will and testament of the said Jno Crowder dec'd.

The Court doth allow F. Worthington Sheriff the sum of four dollars & being his fees for summons and one day during this term.

The Court doth allow C. Worthington Jailer the sum of Fifteen Dollars for his services during this term.

The Court doth allow J. T. Harris atty for the Commonwealth the sum of Twenty four dollars for seven days during this term

The Court doth allow C. Worthington for his services attending on the Court at the sum of Two Dollars.

The Court certifies to the Board of Supervisors the sum of Three Hundred and fifty dollars as reasonable allowance to be made to the Clerk of the Circuit Court for his services as such to the 1st July 1895.

Order that the Court be adjourned until the 1st day of next term.

Beverly A Hancock

Office Judgment Confirmed March 21st 1894

E A Hardy & Richard B. Davis administrators of
R M Dobie dec'd. Pltffs } Iss Debt
vs
W. T. Crawford. Deft

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant saith nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of Four Hundred and Seventy six Dollars and sixty six cents with interest thereon from the 16th day of September 1891 till paid, And also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Judgment Confessed in the Clerks Office March 15th 1894

Costs $2.50 N W Manson & J R Shell partners trading as Manson & Shell ... Pltffs } Iss Debt
vs
C A Kirkland & obligor with himself and John H. Bain
J C Sloan & W Mitchell Defts

This day came the Defendant in his own proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and forty Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st day of January 1894 till paid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. But this judgment is subject to a credit of $10.00 Ten Dollars paid Feby 19 1894.

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Judgment Confessed in the Clerks Office May 20th 1893.

$ Costs 3.45 E A Hardy & Richd B Davis admrs of
R. M. Dobie deceased. Pltffs } Iss Debt
vs
J E Reese Deft

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney as did the defendant by his attorney in fact acting under a Power of Attorney under the hand of the defendant and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of Two Hundred and Seventy five Dollars and five cents with interest thereon from October 20th 1893 till paid and also their costs by them expended.

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Virginia, At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 23rd Day of September 1895 and of the Commonwealth the 120th.

Present Hon Benjamin A Hancock Judge.

J. L. Johnson &c. Plaintiff
To
City of Petersburg Defendant
In case

A. T. Stewart Pltff
To
Darwin Aldrich Defendant
In case

J. T. Hardy Pltff
To
E. A. Roach &c. Defendant
In case

On the motion of the Plaintiff it is ordered that the above case be dismissed.

G. L. Hundley Walter S. Watson & Barrett Rogers Gentlemen having obtained a license to practice Law in the Courts of this Commonwealth on this motion leave is given them to practice in this Court who thereupon appeared in Court and took the oaths required by Law.

Augusta Caine admrx of Thomas Caine dec'd Plaintiff
To
The Norfolk & Western Rail Road Company Defendant
In case

This day came the plaintiff by her attorney and the Defendant by its attorneys and demurred to the plaintiffs declaration and each count thereof in which the plaintiff joined and which being argued the Court overruled said demurrer and thereupon the Defendant filed not guilty to which the plaintiff replied generally and issue was thereupon joined and the following Jury towit J. M. Lewis W. G. Bowie Thos Atkinson J. F. Jackson A. B. Bragg Harry Ragsdale D. M. Fisher J. M. Bridges C. W. Pearce Henry Evans & Wm Grant & R. L. Williams were sworn to try and truly try the issue joined now before the Court and having heard the evidence were adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock A.M.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Benjamin A. Hancock J

Tuesday the 22nd September 1895

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge

On the motion of the proper authorities of Gemaga Sons of Daughters of Honor a Benevolent Association the following persons are confirmed as Trustees of said Association to wit Mark Crumpler Bernard Decker Thomas Harris Simon Jones Richard Dickerson in the place of former Trustees who have died or removed.

On the motion of the proper authority the following persons are confirmed as Trustees for Calvary Episcopal Church town of Jacksonville John McGalarke C C Hall & Richard A Hunt

The Court doth allow to the attorney for the Commonwealth the sum of Twenty four Dollars the same allowed by law for services on such days the last six months which is ordered to be collected & the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

Augusta Lewis admr &c of Thomas Lewis dec'd Plff
vs. } In Case.
The Norfolk & Western Rail Road Company Defts

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury again appeared in Court according to their adjournment to wit J M Leach H J Bissell their attorneys J T Jackson, A B Bragg Harry Royster D McPherson J W Bergeron C W Reames Henry Evans Hr Spruill & R L Williams and having fully heard the entire evidence in said cause adjourned until 10 o'clock A M.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until further notice 10 o'clock A M.

Beverly A Hancock

Wednesday the 28th September 1898

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock. Judge.

The Court Dth allow to W.N. Young Sheriff the sum of Twelve Dollars it being Four Dollars per day for himself and one Deputy during three days of this Term which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court Dth allow to W.N. Young Jailer the sum of Fifteen Dollars it being the sum allowed by Law for his services as such during the last Six months which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court Dth allow to W.N. Young Sheriff the sum of Five Dollars for his services in furnishing water &c during this Term which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts.

Augusta Council Minute of 1st Court Def. — Plaintiff
In
The Norfolk & Western Rail Road Co. — Defts. } Jn Case.

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This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the Jury again appeared in Court according to their adjournment to wit J M Lewis W.J. Burch Thos Allen J.L. Jackson A.B. Bragg. Harry Ragsdale D.M. Fisher J.W. Bridgeman C.W. Reamer Henry Eagan Wm Grant & L.L. Williams and having fully heard the evidence the Defendant by Counsel, demurred to the plaintiffs evidence and the plaintiff joined in the demurrer. Whereupon the jury being required to say what damages the plaintiff hath sustained relied to their verdict and after sometime spent therein returned into Court and rendered their verdict in these words, "If upon the whole case it be the opinion of the Court the law is for the plaintiff then we the Jury find for the plaintiff and assess his damages at One thousand dollars, But if the Court is of the opinion that the law is for the Defendant then we find for the Defendant" and the Defendant demurres to the plaintiffs evidence in this case being argued. It seemeth to the Court here that the evidence is not sufficient to sustain the issue on the part of the plaintiff, doth therefore sustain the Defendants demurrer to the plaintiffs evidence. Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff take nothing by his Bill and that the Defendant go thereof without day and recover against the plaintiff his costs by it in his behalf expended to be levied of the goods and chattels of the Testator in the hands of the administrator if so much thereof the hath.

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Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock

Beverly A. Hancock

Thursday September 26th 1895

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

Ordered that the petit Jurors who served at this term of the Court be paid out of the County Treasury to wit J F Jackson $5.00 J M Lewis $4.00 J Harris Ragsdale $5.00 Thos Atkinson $4.00 J H Bridgeman $6.00 D N Fisher $6.00 A B Bragg $6.00 C W Reaves $5.00 Henry Ermon $5.00 W J Bride $5.00 Wm Green $4.00 R L Williams $3.00

Augusta Loan and Trust Co Plaintiff
vs
The N & W R Road Company Deft
In case

This day came the Plaintiff by Counsel and excepted to the ruling of the Court in sustaining the Defendants demurrer and setting aside the verdict of the Jury and files her bill of exceptions and prays the Court to sign and seal the same. and more it appearing to the Court that the ends of justice will be subserved by

The Court doth allow to W Ryan, Sheriff the sum of Two Dollars for his attendance on the Court this day

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Beverly A Hancock

Office Judgments Confirmed September 26th 1895.

L C Younger Pltff
vs
W F Hitchcock Deft
In Case

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One Hundred and fifty six dollars and Eighty cents with interest on $149.80 from the 4th day of June 1894 till paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Virginia, In the Supreme Court of Appeals, held in the State Library Building in the City of Richmond on Thursday the 6th day of February 1896.

J. C. Chambers Admr of A. C. Tucker, Plt. } Upon a writ of error and supersedeas to a
against } judgment rendered by the Circuit Court of the
The Norfolk and Western Railroad Company, Deft. } County of Dinwiddie on the September Term 1895.

This day came again the parties by their counsel and the Court having maturely considered the transcript of the record of the judgment aforesaid and the arguments of counsel, is of opinion, for reasons stated in writing and filed with the record that there is no error in the said judgment. It is therefore considered that the same be affirmed and that the Defendant in error recover against the plaintiff in error thirty dollars damages and also its costs by it about its defence herein expended, said damages and costs to be levied by said plaintiff in error out of the estate of his intestate in his hands to be administered: which is ordered to be certified to the said Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie.

Defendant in error's costs in this Supreme Court of Appeals. $22.89

Moody Tate
Geo. K. Taylor, D.C.

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Geo. J. Sharp clk.

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Virginia; At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie held at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 23d day of March 1896 and of the Commonwealth the 120th.

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

Joseph R Turke admr of Wm A King dcd. Plaintiff } Upon motion of amotion
vs
A J Jones Defdt }

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant being solemnly called and not appearing Judgment by the Court in favor of the Plaintiff against the Defendant for the sum of Two Hundred and ten Dollars and fifty cents with interest thereon from the 6th day of April 1894 till paid. Therefore it is ordered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the said sum of Two Hundred and ten Dollars and fifty cents with interest as aforesaid, and also his costs by him about his suit expended.

J G Tinsley &c. Pltff } In Debt.
vs
J A Gee &al. Defts }

This day came the Defendants and plead the general issue, to which the plaintiff replied generally, and on the motion of the plaintiff the action is continued.

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be had out of the County Court for the attendance at this term of the Court as follows: J Ellyson 1st C E Bright 1st Dkt. Pride 1st J E Mallory 1st J C Burch 1st H W Lanier 1st Mann Brock 66 R H Pusser 1st 6 R B Moody 7 + E Binder 116 A Chas Blanks 130 Jno Hall 138

Powell Pltff } In Debt
vs
Williams Defdt }
and
Young for &c Pltff } Other Ejectment.
vs
Wilson Defdt }

Ordered that the above cases be continued until the 1st day of the next term

The Court doth allow to A T Powell atty for the Commonwealth the sum of Twenty four dollars for his services as such during the last term of the Court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court certifies to the Board of Supervisors the Sum of Three Hundred and fifty Dollars as a reasonable allowance to be made to J C Spain Clerk of this Court for his services as such to the 1st Day of July 1896.

J The Court doth allow to the Jailor of this County the Sum of Fifteen Dollars for his services as such During the last six months which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts.

J The Court doth allow to Wm Young Sheriff Four Dollars it being Two Dollars for his services and one Dollar at this term of the Court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts.

J The Court doth allow to Wm Young Sheriff the Sum of $2. Dollars for his services in attending the Court furnishing water &c. which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accts.

Order that the Court be adjourned until the 1st Day of September.

Beverly A. Hancock

Virginia At a circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 21st Day of September 1896 and of the Commonwealth the 121st

Present Hon Beverly R Wellons Judge.

On the motion of M G Mason Gentleman who has obtained a license to practice law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, leave is given him to practice in this Court when upon he took the oaths prescribed by law.

On the motion of B F Rogers Esqr on behalf of S A Hardy the Estate of J A Robertson dec'd is committed to the hands of W H Young Sheriff of Dinwiddie County for administration it appearing to the Court that said Robertson has been dead more than three months and no one has applied to him for administration.

A W Mason & J R Shell partners trading as Mason & Shell Pltff
vs
E A Roach & Percy Roach partners trading as E A Roach & Bro Defts
} Upon notice of motion for judgment & award of Execn

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendants having solemnly called and not appearing, Judgment is by the Court awarded the plaintiffs against the defendants for the sum of two hundred and twenty dollars with legal interest thereon from the 21st day of July 1895 till paid and $1.24 cts of protest. Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants the said sum of $220.00 with interest as aforesaid and $1.24 cts of protest aforesaid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended But this judgment is subject to credit of 4th Dec 1895 $4.00 This judgment is upon attachment and is regularly made

J E Lyon Pltff
vs
M N Hardy Defts
} Dis Doss.

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the plaintiff by his attorney joined in the demurrer of the defendants demurrer to the declaration at Rules in the Clerks office and upon motion joined and the demurrer per curiam for argument.

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be paid out of the County Funds for their attendance at this term as follows, Jabez Lee $1.80 W R Heartwell 2 days R H Nance 2 days J T Butterworth 1 day $1.30 each

D W Ragsdale 1st J P Com 20c Gr Martin 20c A Edwards 20c N W Eastep 20c
D H Fisher 20c J M Rees 15c

Ordered that the following cases be continued, Young vs Hobson, Powell vs Williams, Tinsley vs Gilmore

Ordered that the Court be adjourned upon the Court House steps until 9 oclock a.m.

Beverly A Hancock

Tuesday December 22d 1896.

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge

The Court took recess to W H Young Sheriff for Breach of Peace in his case vs W H Young Jailor &c and to enter to pay Jailor fees which are ordered to be credited to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Legislature out of the State Treasury

R W Manson & J R Shell partners trading as Manson & Shell — Plaintiffs
vs
P Edmondson & R A Hunt & J C Shell — Defts

} upon notice of motion for judgment and award of Execution.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendants failing to appear judgment by the Court in favor of the Plaintiffs against the defendants for the sum of One Hundred and Seventy Seven 50/100 dollars with interest thereon from the 16 day Feb 1891 till paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants the said sum of One hundred and Seventy Seven 50/100 dollars with interest as aforesaid and also subject to credit of $28.00 paid 27 day Jan 1892 and $20.00 paid 17 Feb 1896.
their costs by them expended. This judgment is rendered upon affidavit and W G.

Manson & Shell — Plaintiffs upon notice of motion
vs
Mason & Harrison — Defts

On the motion of the plaintiffs by their attorney it is ordered that the Writ of Error and Supersedeas be dismissed.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the 1st day of the next Term

Beverly A Hancock

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J S Morro J S Morro & and E W Morro
partners trading under the firm name and
style of J S Morro & Sons. Plaintiffs
vs
A S Vaiden Defts } In Case

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of One Hundred Dollars and Ninety three Cts. with interest thereon from the 1st day of January 1896 until paid, and also their Costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

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Judgment Confessed in the Clerks Office February 4th 1897

R F Matteson and James R Matteson partners
under the firm name of R F Matteson & Bro. Pltfs
vs } In Debt
J E Gates Deft

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant by A M Organ Jr his attorney in fact and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned and confessed a judgment in favor of the Plaintiffs for the sum of Eighty Dollars and forty cents with interest thereon from the 3rd day of February 1897 until paid, and also their Costs by them about their suit expended. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the said sum of $80.40 with interest as aforesaid and also their costs. (This judgment is upon a Waived Note.)

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Virginia: At a circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 22d day of March 1897 and of the Commonwealth the 121st

Present Wm Benny Stamack Judge.

James G. Tinsley & E. Ellerson and Stanhope Bolling Partners in trade under the firm & style of Jas G. Tinsley & Co Plaintiffs } upon motion for judgment.
vs.
Lucian R. Bentley and Major Blair Brown Defts }

This day came the plaintiffs by their Attorney and the Defendants being solemnly called and not appearing and not appearing judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the Defendants for the sum of forty Dollars with interest thereon from the 1st Day of December 1896 in the said. Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against said Defendants the said sum of Forty Dollars with interest thereon aforesaid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. The judgment is upon a note waiving the benefit of the homestead exemption

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Barlee Roper trading as Roper & Co. Plaintiff

vs

L & P. Fowler. Deceased late partners trading as P. Fowler & Bro. Defts. } Sci. Fac.

This day came the plaintiffs by his attorney and the Defendants being solemnly called and not appearing Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the Defendants for the sum of Two Hundred Dollars and fifty four cents with interest thereon from the 15th day of May 1894 until the said. Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the Defendants said sum of $200.54 with interest aforesaid and also their costs by them about their suit in

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this behalf expended.

Jas G. Tinsley, Isaac Davenport Jr. A.R. Ellerson and Stanhope Bolling Partners in trade under the style and firm of James G. Tinsley & Co. Plaintiffs

vs

J.W. Gill, R.E. Abernathy, J.B. Zehmer, R.M. Crowder, Noel L. Crowder, J.G. Crowder, J.K. Abernathy, W.D. Davis, P.H. Rainey, E.E. Gordon, J.M. Zehmer, W.H. Hawkins, Est. Peter & Co Zehmer, W.J. Taylor, P.C. Zehmer, J.H. Hawkins, R.B. Harrison, J.B. James, J.A. James, Jas Maitland, William Martin and John Maitland. Defts. } Sci. Facias.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and on motion for judgment upon judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the Defendant

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for the Sum of Four hundred and Thirty Nine Dollars and twenty Cents not in Court thereon at the rate of Six per cent per annum from the 31st Day of January 1895 until paid, and also Costs by Him above Writ issued in this behalf expended Subject to the following credits, Viz: $88.80 1st Jany 28. 1895. $46.80 2nd March 28. 1895 $35.30 April 11. 95. $49-[illegible] Feby 1. 1/95. $54.80 Sept 11 /95 $20.00 Feb 96 $25.00 March 96. $20. Apl 22 96 - $16.77 Oct 30. 96.

Augustus Wright Pltff

vs

G A. Sanders E A Roach and P O Roach partners trading under the firm name of E A Roach and T R. Workman Defts

This Day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendants being solemnly called and not appearing, judgment by the Court is for the plaintiff against the said Defendants for the Sum of Four Hundred and Nine Dollars and twenty Dey cents, with interest thereon from the 13 June 1896 till paid. Whereupon it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said Defendants the said Sum of Four Hundred and Nine Dollars with interest as aforesaid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is of a Homestead Waiver Note. This cause is Continued as to L.T. Sanders

Augustus Wright Pltff } upon Note
vs of motion for
G A. Sanders, E A Roach and P O Roach partners trading } judgment
under the firm name of E A Roach Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendants being solemnly called and not appearing judgment by the Court is for the plaintiff against the Defendants the Sum of Two Hundred and Nineteen Dollars and Seventy cents with interest on $101.86 part thereof from July 18th 1896. and on $118.14 the residue thereof from September 2nd 1896 till paid. Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendants the said Sum of $219.70. with interest as aforesaid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. and this cause is continued as to L.T. Sanders.

R W. Mauson of R Shaw partners trading as
Mauson & Shaw Pltff } upon Note of
vs Motion for judgment
Geo A Ray Defts

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney, and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing judgment by the Court is for the plaintiff against the Defendants for the Sum of One hundred and thirty five Dollars with interest thereon from the 16th day of March 1894 until

paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of One Hundred and twenty four Dollars with interest as aforesaid. and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. but this judgment is subject to the following credit towit $15.00 paid Jany 28 1895. and $15.00 paid March 18th 1895. this judgment is upon a Mansfield Bank note.

R W Mason & J R Shell partners trading as Mason & Shell. Plaintiffs } upon Notice of Motion for
vs
James Reiser & John Y Davis. Defts } Judgment.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendants being called and not appearing judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the defendants for the sum of One Hundred and thirty four Dollars with interest thereon from the 9th day of February 1894 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants the said sum of $135.00 with interest as aforesaid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. subject to the following credit towit $10.00 paid Feby 18 1895. this judgment is on a Mansfield Bank note.

R W Mason & J R Shell partners trading as Mason & Shell. Plaffs } upon Notice of Motion
vs
B L Harrison & J Harrison. Defts } for judgment.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendants being solemnly called and not appearing judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the defendants for the sum of One Hundred Dollars with interest thereon from the 25th day of March 1895 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendants the said sum of One Hundred Dollars with interest thereon as aforesaid, ~~subject to the credit by them~~ about their suit in this behalf expended.

R W Mason & J R Shell partners trading as Mason & Shell. Pffs } Upon Notice of Motion
vs
L L Harrison & wife. Defts } for Judgt.

On the Motion of the plaintiffs it is ordered that the above cause be dismissed.

R A Thrift Exor of J W Thrift dec'd Plaintiffs } upon Notice.
vs
W H Abernathy E R Abernathy and J W Abernathy. Defts

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and the defendants being solemnly called and not appearing, judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the defendants for the sum of Four Hundred

Dollars with interest thereon from the 20th day of December 1892 until paid. Wherefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the said Sum of Five Hundred Dollars with interest thereon as aforesaid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. But this judgment is subject to a credit of $125 paid 19th Feby 1894. This judgment is upon note waiving the benefit of the Homestead exemption.

J.J.

R.W. Mason & J.R. Shell partners trading as Mason & Shell Pltff } Upon note
vs } of note
W.H. Abernathy Dft }

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the said defendant the Sum of One Hundred and Thirty five Dollars with interest thereon from the 20th day of February 1893 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the said Sum of $135.00 with interest thereon as aforesaid, and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. (This judgment is upon note waiving the homestead exemption.)

Wm E. Grantland Plaintiff } In Case.
vs
W M Nash. Deft }

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Court ordered the defendants demurrer entered on the docket of the Court and thereupon the defendant filed a plea of non guady, and justification and issue, to which the plaintiff replies and upon said thereupon joined. And thereupon the following jury was duly and truly by the above joined were before the Court, viz: J.F. Buttermore. T.B. Bostic. Jos Chatfield. J.W. Hinkle. Archer Leach. J.H. Rice. R.P. Mason. M.H. Thompson. D.J. Green. F.W. Lockett. J. McFerrin. W.B. Estes. and having been heard the evidence were ajourned over until tomorrow morning 10 o'clock A.M.

And then the Court be ajourned until 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Beverly A. Hancock

Tuesday March 23rd 1897

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

On the motion of L M Goulder adm'r it is ordered that the estate of Anna C. Goulder dec'd. be committed to the hands of W St Young Sheriff of Dinwiddie County for administration according to law it appearing to the Court that said Anna C Goulder has been dead for more than three months and no one has applied for administration thereon.
Ordered that B F Williams J M Williams G B Gilliam A E Vaughan & A D Robertson appraise said estate

On the motion of W St Young Sheriff of Dinwiddie County and with the consent of the Court A M Pegram Jr is allowed to qualify as his deputy who thereupon appeared in Court and took and subscribed the oaths required by law.

W S Powell & Co. Plaintiffs
vs
J E Williams adm'r Defts
} In case.

On the motion of the plaintiffs it is ordered that the case be dismissed.

Wm E Goodwin Pltff
vs
W M Hardy Defts
} In case.

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury again appeared in Court to-wit J F Butterworth T B Boyd Jas Chappell J H Wright Archer Clark J H Rose R P Mason Mac Thompson D T Gowen F W Lewis J M Archer W B E Butterworth, and hearing evidence heard the evidence and adjourned the case until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock A M.

Ordered that the Court be now adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock

Beverly A. Hancock

Wednesday March 24th 1897

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge

W E Grinstead Plff
vs
W N Hardy Defe
} In case

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury again appeared in Court to wit J F Butterworth J B Bond Jas Chappell J W Hurst Archer Clark J H Rose R P Mann R W Thompson D Y Gross F N Lester & J M Fisher and B E Butterworth and having heartily heard the evidence and the Court being about to adjourn was adjourned over until tomorrow morning at 10 oclock A M.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 oclock A M.

Beverly A Hancock

Thursday March 25th 1897

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge

W E Grinstead Plaintiff
vs
W N Hardy Defe
} In case

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury appeared in Court according to their adjournment Jno F Butterworth J B Bond Jas Chappell J W Hurst Archer Clark J H Rose R P Mann W R Thompson D Y Gross F N Lester J M Fisher and B E Butterworth and having heard the evidence were adjourned over until tomorrow morning at 9 oclock A M.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning 10 oclock A M.

Beverly A Hancock

Friday Morning March 26th 1897

Present Hon. Beverly A Hancock Judge.

W E Grinstead Plaintiff
vs } In case
W N Hardy Deft

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the jury again appeared in Court according to their adjournment to wit J P Butterworth, J B Booth, Jas Chappell, J W Wright Archer Clark, J H Rose R P Mason, M M Thompson, D J Gross, F H Lester Sr., J M Fisher and B E Sutherland and hearing fully heard the argument relative to their rendering a verdict and after some time spent therein returned into Court and rendered the following verdict, to wit "We the Jury on the issue joined do decide that neither the plaintiff nor the defendant has been guilty of legal or moral wrong with respect to the matters in controversy in this suit and the charges on each side in the pleadings made ought to be mutually withdrawn & the whole controversy ended" and each party pay his own costs. And thereupon the Court refusing to receive the said verdict with the consent of the parties, the plaintiff and defendant appeared by Counsel in open Court and consented that the said Verdict be entered as the verdict of the jury and an official settlement of all matters in dispute in this cause. And thereupon it is further ordered by the Court that this cause be dismissed from the docket and that each of the parties pay his own cost. and is adjourned by the Court accordingly

Ordered that the petit jurors be paid out of the County Levy for their services at this term as follows, to wit: W M Thompson 10 days R P Mason $9.80 J W Rose 8.60 J M Fisher 10 days A Archer Clark 9 days J F Butterworth 6.60 F M Lester Sr 10 days J B Booth 9.80 J M Wright 8.20 Jas Chappell 8.60 D J Gross 10 days B E Sutherland 10 days

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning

Beverly A Hancock

Saturday Morning March 27th 1897

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

The Court Orders allowance to W H Young Sheriff the Sum of Twenty
J four Dollars it being for Services rendered as follows, one deputy 2 days &
Deputy Dep Days during this Term

The Court Orders allowance to W H Young Sheriff for Waiting on the
J Court furnishing Wood &c. Dep Days at this Term the Sum of Nine
Dollars

The Court Orders allowance to W H Young Jailer the Sum of Fifteen
J Dollars for his Services during the last Dep months.

The Court certifies to the Board of Supervisors the Sum of Three
Hundred and fifty Dollars as a reasonable allowance to be made
to the Clerk of this Court for his Services as Such to the 1st Day
of June 1897.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first Day of the
next Term.

Beverly A Hancock

Offre Judgment Confirmed March 27th 1897

B D Booth trading as B D Booth & Co. Plaintiff
vs
Geo W Baxter. Defe
} Issue.

Nisi day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant by nothing in bar
or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff
recover against the Defendant the Sum of One Hundred and Seventy Three
Dollars with interest on $38.93 part thereof from 18 May 1893 until paid, on $38.93 another
part thereof from 22d June 1893 until paid, and $38.93 residue thereof from the 31st Day
of July 1893 until paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.
This judgment is upon Demurrer was a rules.

Charles Lennard Plaintiff
vs
George W Baxter. Defe
} Issue.

Nisi day came the plaintiff by his attorney. and the defendant
say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered
by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the Sum of Seventeen
Dollars and forty five Cents with interest thereon from the 16th Day of August
1892 until paid, and also his Cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.
upon rule vaising Demurrer.

Virginia At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Tuesday the 21st day of September A.D. 1897.

Present Hon. B.A. Hancock Judge.

B St Rogers Adm'r &c. Pltff
v. } Upon Notice of Motion.
I.B. Bell &c. Defts

This day came the Defendants by their attorney and moved the Court to quash the notice in the above styled cause, which motion the Court sustained and did quash said notice.

R.J.W. Duke & Gentleman &c. having obtained a License to practice the law in the Courts of this Commonwealth and his moral law is given him to practice in this Court whereupon he appeared in Court and took the oaths prescribed by law.

J.F. Hardy Plaintiff
v. } In Case.
B.H. Edwards Defts

This day came the defendant by his attorneys and demurred to the Plaintiffs Declaration which the Court sustained, and on the motion of the Plaintiff he is allowed to amend his declaration at the bar of the Court and thereupon the defendant by his attorneys for plea says that he is not guilty in the manner and form as the Plaintiff in his declaration has alleged & thereof the Court prayed and upon the issue joined. and then came the following jury to wit, J.A. Butterworth, Ernest Baille, R.D. Wells, H.W. Martin, Eugene Scott and Mann Bond, J.O. Hall, J.H. Rhodes, J. Miller, W.S. Reed & C. Brough and having fully heard the evidence were adjourned over until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock A.M.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock

Beverly A. Hancock

Wednesday September 22nd 1897

Present Hon B A Hancock, Judge.

J J Nash, Pltff
vs
B W Edwards. Deft } Div case.

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury appeared in Court according to adjournment viz J F Butterworth, Ernest Beville, R D White H N Mosheim Eugene Dortch and Mack Bond, J O P Wells J H Phillips J McPike W S Reade W L Brough and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to their room and after some time returned into Court and rendered the following verdict "We the jury find the defendant not guilty." Therefore it is considered by the Court that the defendant recover against the plaintiff his costs by him about his defence of this suit expended.

L M Lee Gentleman having obtained a license to practice law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, and his proper Certificate of good character in this behalf. And thereupon the said L M Lee appears in Court and took the oath prescribed by law.

Ordered that the following persons be placed out of the County Examiners for their services at this term of the Court to wit, Eugene Dortch and J F Butterworth for 1st Mack Bond for 1st W E Tingley 4 days J O P Wells 3 days H N Mosheim 2 1/2 J H Phillips 2 1/2 J McPike 4 days J F Butterworth 2 1/2 W S Reade 3 1/2 W L Brough 4 days R D White 4 days

On the motion of the proper authorities it is ordered that J H Lee be and he is hereby substituted Trustee in the place and stead of J J Chambers Trustee of Rocky Run Methodist Church.

Ordered that the Court be now adjourned until to morrow morning at 9 o'clock

Beverly A Hancock

Thursday September 23rd 1897

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge.

The Court Dkt allow to W H Young Sheriff the sum of Twelve Dollars it being two Dollars per day for himself and two Deputy Sheriffs for Serving this term

The Court Dkt allow to W H Young Jailer Fifteen Dollars for his services as Jailer during the last Six months

The Court Dkt allow to W H Young for his services in attending on the Court furnishing wood &c the sum of five dollars —

Slater Myers & Co. Plaintiff } Jdt by Default
vs
A L Vardiman Deft

This day came the Defendant and filed the general issue in the above styled case whereupon the judgment entered up in the Clerks Office against him is set aside and the said case continued until the first Day of the next Term

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next Term.

Beverly A. Hancock

Judgment Confessed in the Clerks Office Nov 3rd 1897.

E L Lee Plaintiff } Jdt by Default
vs
Scott Jones Deft

This day came the plaintiff in his own right and by R E Bass his attorney in fact and acknowledged legal service of the Summons, and confessed a judgment against the Defendant in favor of the plaintiff for the Sum of One Hundred and four Dollars and fifty three cents, with interest thereon from the 13th Day of January 1897 till paid, the Debt and interest in the note mentioned. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said Defendant the said Sum of $105.53 with interest as aforesaid and also his cost expended.

Judgment Confessed in the Clerks Office November 24th 1899

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L L Strauss and D J Strauss partners trading
under the firm name of Strauss Bros. Plaintiffs } Jud Cons.
vs
A E Richardson Defts }

This day came the parties by their Attorneys and the Defendant acting by Bernard Mann his attorney in fact and acknowledged legal service of the Writ, and Confessed a Judgment this form of the plaintiffs for the Sum of One Hundred and fifty Dollars with legal interest thereon from the 1st day of August 1896 until paid: Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said Defendant the said Sum of $150.00 with interest as aforesaid, and also their costs by them about their Suit in this behalf expended,

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof the 22nd day of March 1898 and of the Commonwealth of Virginia the 122d.

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge

George Mason who has been appointed ~~Commissioner~~ of Revenue for the 2d Judicial District of Virginia this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law and his bond with R Sims Cocke and John Mason his Securities, the said Sims Cocke and John Mason being first duly sworn, the said Sims Cocke, as surety for George Mason their attorney in fact duly constituted and authorized by the said George Mason in the penalty of Four Thousand Dollars conditioned as the law directs.

On the motion of George D. Bernard Commissioner in the suit of J.P. Lacy Executor &c. vs. J.P. Lacy Executor the estate of Everard Davis dec'd &c. &c. &c. to the hands of W.T. Perry Sheriff of Dinwiddie County for service & return &c. &c.

Ordered that Sam Bispham J.W. Bispham R.E. Bispham W.M. Stevens and T.O. Bradley appear at Rules.

L.H. Ramsey — Pltff

vs.

Henry Hall, Edward Draper, John Ramsey and Henry Martin — Defts

} Upon motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendants being solemnly called did not appearing Judgment by default is given for the plaintiff against the defendants for the sum of One Thousand and Seventy five Dollars with legal interest thereon from the 26th October 1897 until paid. And it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the said Defendants the said sum of $1075.00 with interest as aforesaid and his costs by him about his suit expended. This judgment is upon a Promissory Note.

Slade Myers & Co — Pltff

vs.

A.S. Vaden — Defe

} In case

On motion of the plaintiff it is ordered that the case be dismissed.

On the motion of the Trustees the following named ladies are hereby confirmed as Trustees for Ebenezer African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church Lewis Store Ebenezer Jones [illegible] & Adeline Brown

Ordered that the following Pubs Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their attendance at this term of the Court to wit E M Sutherland for 1 Day 1.96 W N Yates 1.68 J H Fisher for Abr Hogan for Mary Bowles 1.24 Birch Ellis 1.16 R A Kinsey 1.60 Archer Lewis 1.24 G M Rogerson 1.48 H J Williamson 1.48 W B Pierce 2.00

Ordered that the Court do adjourn until tomorrow morning 10 o'clk Am

Beverly A Hancock

Tuesday March 22d 1898

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

The Court this day allowed W H Young Jailor the sum of Fifteen Dollars for his services in such during the months which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts

The Court this allowed W H Young Sheriff Eight Dollars & Twenty five cents for himself and his Deputy two for During this term, which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts

The Court certified to the Board of Supervisors the sum of Three Hundred and fifty dollars as reasonable sum to be allowed to him as such Clerk to the first of July 1898 for his services.

Branch J Ellis who has been duly elected by the Legislature of Virginia Judge of the County Courts of Dinwiddie County for the Constitutional term of said office and duly Commissioned as such by the Governor of Virginia, this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law.

The Court this allowed W H Young Sheriff the sum of Five Dollars for his attendance with Guard at this term of Court & keeping Court House this term.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the 1st Day of the next term,

Beverly A Hancock

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Wednesday the 21st Day of December 1898 and of the Commonwealth the 123.

Present Hon Bowdy A Nunnally Judge.

The following accounts current to wit John B Whitmore Guardn of Mary C Hardy's Dower part of A A Hardy Jr's having remained in the Clerks Office thirty days and no exceptions being filed thereto were confirmed and ordered to be recorded.

J. J. Crow
vs } Pltff
F R Fraser adm } Notice of Motion for Judgment
Deft

On motion of the Plaintiffs Attorney it is ordered that the above case be dismissed And the Plaintiff is allowed to withdraw the bond filed with the papers upon leaving a copy thereof.

Eastern State Hospital } Plaintiff
vs } Declaration in Assumpsit
E & H Hill's Committee } Deft
of Reuben Hill

This Day come the Plaintiff by its attorny and neither party desiring a jury, Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of $233.85. Two Hundred and Eighty Six Dollars and five cents with interest on Nineteen Hundred and eighty seven Dollars and fourteen cents, a part thereof from the first day of July 1898 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of Two Hundred and Eighty Six Dollars and 7ive cents with interest as aforesaid to be levied of the goods and chattels of the said Reuben Hill in the hands of the said E & H Hill his Committee if so much thereof be liable and also its cost by it in this behalf expended

E. W. Jackson Plaintiff
vs } In case
T B Bruce } Deft

Ordered that the above case be dismissed

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors the said use of the County Treasurer the Sum Opposite their names G C Bingf. 1.56 P E Gwin 1.92 W B Richie 2.00 F A Hall 1.20 J A Lacey 2.00 Chas Hinger 2.00 Bonw Ellis 1.60 W D Lyle 1.60 E J Brown 1.40 J W Nash 1.40 R A Ridge 1.20 J A Rose 1.92

Ordered that the court be adjourned until ten oclock tomorrow morning

Beverly A Hancock J

Thursday September 22d 1898.

Present Hon B A Hancock judge

The Court doth allow to W H Young Jailor The Sum of fifteen dollars for his Services as such during Six Weeks past

The Court doth allow W H Young Sheff the Sum of eight dollars it being 2 dollars per day for himself & one deputy — two days during This Term.

The Court doth allow to W H Young The Sum of five dollars for furnishing Wood, and keeping the Court House in order during this Term.

Ordered that the court be now adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Beverly A Hancock

Virginia At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Tuesday the 21st day of March 1899 & of the Commonwealth the 123

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge

Mason & Shelt Pltff
To
Pleasant Leyor Defts } On Notice of Motion for Judgment

Dismissed by order of Plaintiffs counsel

Charles V Burns Admr Pltff
To
E. A. Poarch Deft

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant for plea says that he did not assume upon himself in the manner and form as the plaintiff in his declaration hath alleged and putteth himself on the country and the plaintiff doth likewise, and for further plea the defendant pleaded a set off and filed an account of said set off with his plea, and on motion of the plaintiff the case is continued until the next term

Rosenteel & Fritz Pltffs
To
R L Wynn, E W Perkins & G W Harris Defts } Upon notice of motion for judgment

This day came the Plaintiffs by their attorneys and it appearing from the return made by the Sheriff that the defendants has had legal notice of this motion for fifteen days and that said notice was returned to the clerks office of this court ten days before the commencement of this term, and the said defendant not appearing it is considered by the court that judgment and award of execution be given in favor of the plaintiffs against the defendants for $89.53, Eighty nine dollars and fifty three cents, with interest thereon from January 21st 1899 until paid and this costs by them in this behalf expended, to be levied of the goods and chattels of R.L. Wynn, E.W. Perkins and G.W. Harris this judgment is on a Homestead waiver note

Mansion v Shell Pltff
vs } Upon notice of motion for
J.E. Medlock & G Defts. } judgment
Medlock v J.J. Percivall

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendants being solemnly called and not appearing judgment by the court in favor of the plaintiffs against the defendants for the sum of One Hundred and forty-six dollars and eighty-six cents, with interest thereon from the 27th day of February 1893, subject to the following credits, October 27th 1894 $30.00, January 15th 1895 $25.00, & their costs by them in this behalf expended To be levied of the goods and chattels of J.E. Medlock in the hands of B.C. Jones, his administrator, if so much thereof he hath and of the goods & chattels of C.G. Medlock & J.J. Percival. This judgment is on a Homestead waiver not.

Ordered that the following Petit jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their attendance at this term of the Court, the following amounts, to wit. W.F. Bough $2.00, R.B. Moody $1.24, R.S. Major $1.40, J.H. Rose $1.64, M.E. Bishop $1.64, C.F. Scott $1.96, W.D. Falconer $2.00, J.C. Chambers $2.00, D.H. Fisher $2.00, Smith Grow $1.96, C.E. Williamson $1.64.

The Court doth allow to W.H. Young Jailor the sum of $15.00 fifteen dollars, for his services as such during the last six months which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts.

The Court doth allow to W.H. Young, Sheriff, Four Dollars for services of himself and deputy, one day during this term of the Court which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts.

The Court doth allow to W.H. Young Sheriff, for his services in attending the Court, furnishing wood &c $3.00.

The Court doth certify to the Board of Supervisors the sum of Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars as reasonable allowance to be made to the Clerk of this Court for his services as such to the first day of July 1899

Ordered that the Court be now adjourned until the first day of the next term

Beverly A. Hancock

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In Dinwiddie Circuit Court,
In Vacation, July 10th 1899

R Lee Cobb
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company } Order allowing writ of Error & Supersedeas

This day came the petitioner, the Norfolk & Western Railway Company & filed its petition before me, Beverly R Hancock, Judge of 2nd Judicial Circuit of Virginia praying for a writ of error and supersedeas to a judgment of the County Court of Dinwiddie, rendered against it at the March Term of said Court and with said petition filed a transcript of the record of said judgment.

And the said Judge having seen & inspected the transcript of the record aforesaid and considered the questions of law & fact raised in said petition, doth allow a writ of error & supersedeas to said judgment, returnable on the 1st day of the next Court of Dinwiddie Circuit Court, But said Supersedeas shall not be effectual until said petitioner or some one for it, shall enter into bond before the Clerk of said Circuit Court, in the penalty of $200.00, payable to the commonwealth of Virginia, with security to be approved by said Clerk, & conditioned to pay said R Lee Cobb his representatives or assigns, the amount of said judgment, interest, cost, and all damages awarded & cost incurred by him by reason of this supersedeas in the Court upon the hearing of the case in the Circuit Court the aforesaid judgment of the County Court shall be affirmed.

The Clerk will issue the proper process.

Beverly R Hancock Judge
2nd Judicial Circuit of Virginia
July 10th, 1899

To Clerk of Dinwiddie Circuit Court.

In the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County
In Vacation, Sept 12th 1899.

W B Ritchie Plaintiff
vs
Andrew Meade, W D Talcott, J Roper Johnson, Ed Sibley, Aaron Sibley, S Adamy, S J Green, John Christie, Simon Meyers, J F Cakewell, J H Pillion, E H Young, B F Keys, N O Moody, John E.

Watkins, S J Guernsey, A M Kirkland and
B F Britton Defendants

This day come the parties by their attorneys and filed before me the judge of the second Judicial Circuit of Virginia their petition for a writ of error and supersedeas to a judgment of the County Court of Dinwiddie County rendered against them on the 26th day of June 1899, whereby the certificate of election awarded to W B Ritchie as Supervisor of Rampino Magisterial District was declared null and void, and filed with said petition a transcript of the record of said judgment in said court and the said Judge having seen and inspected the transcript of the record and considered the questions of law & fact raised in it in the said petition doth allow a writ of error and supersedeas to the said judgment returnable to the first day of the September 1899 of Dinwiddie Circuit Court and the Clerk of said Circuit Court is ordered to issue forthwith proper process, But the said petitioners shall not have the benefit of the supersedeas allowed in this case until they or some of them or some one for them shall execute before the Clerk of the said Circuit Court a bond in the penalty of one hundred dollars with security to be approved by him, conditioned and payable as the law directs

Beverly A Hancock
Judge 2nd Judicial Circuit
of Virginia, Sept 12th 1899

To Clerk of Circuit
Court of Dinwiddie

In Dinwiddie Circuit Court
In vacation, Sept 16 1899

This day come the petitioners S S Gerow J W Gaulsha, B H Barrow, P E Cobb, R B Shell R H Lewis, A L Butterworth, V O Andrews, P H Ragsdale Jr, C E Wells W W Perkins, Charles E Pattiller, John T Thrift, J A Hawkins, C A Thomas T J Lewis B T Jones, W H Nash, J H Boisseau, R H Eden, P P Clarke Charles A Pattiller W A Lewis R E Boisseau & W F Hitchcock, and filed before me Beverley A Hancock, Judge of the second Judicial Circuit of Virginia their petition for a writ of error and supersedeas to a judgment of the County Court of Dinwiddie rendered against them on the 28th day of August 1899 128

whereby their complaint of an undue election and
false returns of the election held in Dinwiddie County
Va on May 25th 1899 as to the office of County Treasurer
of said County was dismissed; and costs were awarded
against them upon said dismissal and the petitioners
filed a transcript of the record of said judgment with
their petition. And the said Judge having seen and
inspected the transcript of the record of said judgment
And considered the questions of law and fact raised
in the petition aforesaid doth allow the petitioners
a writ of error and supersedeas to the aforesaid
judgment returnable on the first day of the next
term of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County.
The Clerk of said Circuit Court is ordered to issue
the proper process forthwith.

But the petitioners shall not have the benefit
of said writ of supersedeas until they or some of
them or some one of them shall enter into bond
before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County
in the penalty of two hundred dollars with se-
curity to be approved by said Clerk and payable
and conditioned according to law.

Beverly A. Hancock
Judge 2nd Judicial Circuit of
Virginia Sept. 16 1899

To Clerk of Dinwiddie
Circuit Court

Virginia. At a circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Court House thereof on Monday the 21st day of September 1896 and of the Commonwealth the 121st

Present Hon. Robert Harwood Judge.

Edwd Brown &c. Plaintiff
&
E A Roach Deft } In Case

On the motion of the plaintiff by his attorney it is ordered that the above case be dismissed.

Norfolk & Western Railway Co. Appellant
&
R Lee Cobb Appellee } Upon writ of Error

On motion of the Appellant and by consent of parties it is ordered that the above case be continued until the 1st day of the next term of the Court special or regular.

C R Ritchie Appellee
&
W A Wade Appellant } Upon writ of Error

On the motion of the appellant and by consent of parties, it is ordered that the above case be continued until the 1st day of the next term special or general.

D T Geroux &c. Appellee
&
John G Hanes Appellant } Upon appeal

On the motion of the appellant and by consent of parties it is ordered that the above case be continued until the 1st day of the next term special or general.

D T Geroux &c Petitioner
&
John G Hanes Defendant } Upon application for a Mandamus

On motion of the petitioner and by consent of parties it is ordered that the above case be continued generally until the 1st day of the next term of the Court special or general.

R H. Mann Jr. Gentleman having obtained a license to practice law in the Courts of this Commonwealth on his motion leave is given him to practice in this Court, whereupon the said Mann appeared in Court and took the oaths prescribed by law

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 8 O'Clock

Beverly A. Hancock

Friday Sept. 22nd 1899.

Present: Hon Beverly A Hancock. Judge

The Court doth allow W.H Young Sheriff the sum of Twelve Dollars it being $2.00 dollars per day for himself & two Deputies two days during this Term, which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment out of the Public Treasury

The Court doth allow to W.H Young Jailor the sum of Fifteen dollars for his services as such during the past six months which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The Court doth allow to W.H Young Sheriff Three dollars for his services in furnishing wood water &c during the present Term of the Court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment,

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next Term

Beverly A. Hancock

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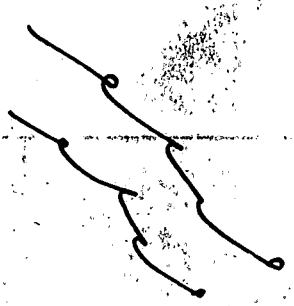
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In Dinwiddie Circuit Court
In Vacation, Sept. 29 1899

The regular Term of Dinwiddie Circuit Court having ended without the dispatch of all its business, and it being expedient in the opinion of the Judge of said Court that a special Term of said Court should be heed it is ordered that a special term of said Court be appointed to be heed on the 5th day of October 1899. The Clerk of said Court will perform the duties imposed upon him by Section 3060 of the Code of Virginia Edition 1887 & will record this order in the Common law & the Chancery order book's of the said Court. Given under my hand this 29th day of September 1899.

Beverly A Hancock
Judge of 2nd Judicial
Circuit of Virginia.

To the Clerk of
Dinwiddie Circuit
Court

Virginia. At a Special Term of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie held at the Courthouse thereof on Thursday the 5th day of October, 1899 and of the Commonwealth the 124th

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock, Judge.

F. H. Christian Gentleman, having obtained a license to practice the law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion license is given him to practice in this Court, whereupon the said F. H. Christian appeared in Court and took the oath required by law.

S. G. Gillian Pltff } Upon a petition for a Mandamus
vs
John G Harris. Defts }

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant by his attorney filed his answer to the petition to which the plaintiff replied generally and also filed a Demurrer to said petition on which the plaintiff joined and the Court having heard the argument of Counsel upon said demurrer doth overrule the demurrer

the case is continued until Monday morning at 10 o'clock A.M.

Order that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock AM

Beverly A. Hancock

Monday Morning October 9th 1899

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

Norfolk and Western Railway Company, Appellant } upon petition of Error & Supersedeas
vs } to a judgment of the County Court
R. L. Cobb. Appellee } of the County of Dinwiddie

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Court hearing read the argument and upon an inspection of the record of the County Court of Dinwiddie County is of the opinion that there is no error in the judgment of the County Court of Dinwiddie County aforesaid Wherefore it is considered by the Court that the same be affirmed and that the appellee recover against the appellant his costs by him about his defence in this behalf expended

S. Y. Gilliam, Petff } upon a Petition for a writ of
vs } Mandamus to Compel the Canvassers
John G. Vaiden, Defts } of Election for the County of Dinwiddie
of Dinwiddie on the 28th Day of May. } on the Election held for the County

This day came the parties by their counsel, and the defendants by counsel demurred to the petition, to try such issues of fact as the court may deem proper, but the court being of opinion that no issues of fact are properly raised in the case declines to direct a jury to be summoned, and the court having maturely considered the petition of the plaintiff, the demurrer of the defendants, and the replication thereto, and the arguments of counsel is of opinion that a writ of mandamus be awarded in accordance with the prayer of the petition of the plaintiff. It is therefore considered by the court that a peremptory writ of mandamus be awarded to compel the said defendants to forthwith convene at the court house of this county and to canvass the judges and clerks of election for the precincts of Dinwiddie and Rohoneville at the election held in this county on the 28th day of May 1899, or a majority of said judges

and clerks to amend their returns from said precincts at said election by signing their names to the returns and various certificates as required by law, and upon the said returns being so signed to canvass and count the same and ascertain from the returns of all the precincts in said County including the returns from said Westboro and Ritchieville Precincts the result of the election held in said county on the 25th of May 1879 for the office of County Treasurer of said County and to certify the result so ascertained and make an abstract thereof and report their action to this court and the said Commissioners of election appointed in the premises of the Court in obedience to the order of the Court, and proceeded to canvass the returns from Westboro and Ritchieville precincts Carroll county to canvass and proceeded to count the votes cast at said precincts and from the returns in said County as counted and canvassed by them, and which they exhibited to the Court it appears that D.G. Gilliam received the greatest number of votes cast in said County at said election for Treasurer and determined and declared that the said D.G. Gilliam was duly elected Treasurer of said County for the constitutional term of said office, it is ordered that said report of said Commissioners as aforesaid be filed with the Clerk of the County Court of Discovery with the election returns from said precincts and that said Commissioners be discharged from any further duty in the premises touching the canvass of the votes cast at said election, and it is ordered that the Clerk of the County Court issue to the said Gilliam a certificate of election to said office.

W.B. Ritchie. Appellant } Upon an appeal.
v. } from the Judgment of the
W.J. Grant, Appellee } County Court of Dickinson
This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the Court having been duly advised of the record of the Court below is of the opinion that there is no error in the judgment of the Court below, both as to the law and the facts, and that each of the said parties pay their own cost.

D.T. Garrett Appellant } Upon an Appeal from
v. } the Judgment of the County Court
J.J. Harris Appellee } of Dickinson County
This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the Court having been duly advised of the record is of the opinion, that the County Court erred in sustaining the demurrer of the defendant to the plaintiffs notice of contest, and accordingly doth overrule the said judgment of the said County Court, and the Court doth remand the said cause to the said County Court for further proceedings.

The Court doth allow to W.H. Young Sheriff $12.00 it being $2.00 per day for himself & two deputies during this term of the Court, which is ordered to be certified &

the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment

The Court doth allow to W H Young for Janitor $3.00 the sum of which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term

Beverly A Hancock

In Vincennes Circuit Court
In Vacation Oct 14th 1899

It being expedient in the opinion of the Judge of Vincennes Circuit Court that a special Term thereof should be held, it is ordered that a special term of said Court be held on the 18th day of October, 1899. No Venire to be summoned. The Clerk will comply with the requirements of section 3060 of the Code of Virginia 1887. Given under my hand this 14th day of October 1899.

Beverly A Hancock
Judge 2nd Judicial Circuit of Va

To the Clerk of Vincennes Circuit Court

Virginia: At a Special term of the Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Wednesday, the 18th day of October 1899 and of the Commonwealth the 124th,

Present Hon. Beverly A. Hancock, Judge,

S. T. Geron & als, Plaintiffs - in Error
vs
John G. Harris Defendant in Error

In this cause which is in this court upon a writ of error and supersedeas to a judgment of the County Court of Dinwiddie County, which was reversed by a former order of this court which order directed this cause to be retained in this court for further proceedings this day came again the parties by their Attorneys, and the Court having heard the evidence and arguments of Counsel is of opinion and doth accordingly order that S. G. Gilliam was duly elected County Treasurer of Dinwiddie County for the term beginning July 1st 1899 at the Election held in said County on the 25th day of May 1899 and that the said S. G. Gilliam is entitled to the Certificate of Election for said Office, And it appearing that the said S. G. Gilliam has already received the said Certificate of Election under a former Order of this Court in another proceeding it is hereby ordered that his right to the same is hereby established & confirmed

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at 8 O'Clock

Beverly A. Hancock

Thursday Morning Oct. 19th 1899

Present Hon. Beverly A. Hancock, Judge

L.L. Gilleam who has been declared duly elected Treasurer of the County of Devereaux for the Constitutional term of said Office commencing July 1st 1899 this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the Oaths prescribed by law and together with The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, Acting by Robert Cabaniss its Atty in Fact as his surety entered into and acknowledged a Bond in the penalty of Thirty Thousand Dollars conditioned as the law directs.

The Court doth allow To W.H. Young Sheriff $8.00 Eight Dollars it being Two Dollars per day for two days during this term of the Court.

The Court doth allow to W.H. Young Jailor Three Dollars for services during two day of this Court

It appearing to the Court that the Order entered on the 22nd day of September 1899 allowing to W.H. Young Jailor the sum of Fifteen Dollars for his services as such during six months was inadvertently made it is Ordered that the same be set aside and annulled.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Beverly A. Hancock

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Wednesday the 21st day of March 1900 and of the Commonwealth the 124th

Present Hon B. A. Hancock Judge

Bartlett Ryan, trading as Ryan & Co,
to
Wm S. Fisher
} Action in Assumpsit

This day come the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant being solemnly called but not appearing judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of One Hundred and Eleven Dollars and Ninety four cents with interest thereon from the 7th day of February 1900 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of of $111.94 with interest aforesaid & also his costs by him about his suit in that behalf expended to be levied of the goods & chattels of the said Wm S. Fisher

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their attendance at this term of the court the following amounts, A. J. Moody $1.24 Ernest Berrille, $1.48, R. S. Major $1.40 J. B. Jones, $2.00, W. D. Stell, $2.00, M. E. Bishop $1.22 R. H. Tuckes, $1.48, J. B. Ford $1.96, B. J. Davis, 1.72, W. J. Berrille $2.00, Henry Evans $2.00 J. C. Hudson, $1.48

On the motion of the proper authorities it is ordered that the following parties be and are hereby appointed Trustees of Olive Branch Baptist Church in place and stead of any Trustees that may have been heretofore appointed to wit: Moses Boulte, R. P. Valentine, Richard Steward, J. M. Goode & Edmund Judd, hereby revoking the authority of all former trustees

Miles B Branch
to
Norfolk & Western Railway Company
Plff
Dfts
} Action of Trespass on the case

This day came the plaintiff and defendant by their attorneys, whereupon the plaintiff filed a statement of the particulars of his claim and the defendant the plea of 133 not guilty to the first count of the declaration and a demur

ver to the second count thereof upon which plea and
issue the Plaintiff joined issue, and thereupon by con-
sent of parties this cause is removed to the Circuit Court
of the City of Petersburg, with the understanding that after
the hearing of the issue joined upon the demurrer it shall
be on the motion of either party removed from said Circuit
court to the Circuit Court of this County.

And that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morn-
ing at 10 o'clock AM

Beverly A Hancock

Tuesday Morning March 22nd 1900

Present Hon Beverly A Hancock Judge.

The Court doth allow W H Young Sheriff the
sum of Ten Dollars it being $2.00 per day for himself
and two deputies One day and two deputies one day
during this term of the Court which is ordered to be
certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for pay-
ment out of the Public Treasury.

The Court certifies to the Board of Supervisors the sum of
Three Hundred and fifty Dollars for payment to A.W.
Organ as a suitable allowance for his services as Clerk
of this Court to the first day of July 1900

Ordered That the Court be now adjourned until
the first day of the next term.

Beverly A. Hancock

In Dinwiddie Circuit Court
In Vacation April 12th 1900

It is Ordered that E. S. Perkins, J. C. Smith, E. C. Powell, Eugene S. Hobbs and J. W. Galusha, be and they are hereby appointed and constituted as the Confederate Pension Board for the County of Dinwiddie, and it is further Ordered that the Clerk of this Court notify said persons of their appointment.

Beverly D. Hancock Jr
Judge 2nd Judicial Circuit of Va

To Clerk of
Dinwiddie Circuit Court

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 24th day of March 1902, and of the Commonwealth the 126th

Present Hon B. D. Hancock Jr. Judge.

On motion of the proper authorities it is ordered that J. M. Goode, Allen Burrows and William Walker be and they are hereby appointed trustees of Olive Branch Lodge, Good Samaritans, No. 238.

T. F. Heath & Co. vs C. G. Matlock — Pltff / Deft — On notice of motion for Judgment

M. O. Kemp vs W. B. Berry — Pltff / Deft — On notice of motion for Judgment

Geo. McCabe & Son vs E. A. Peek — Pltff / Deft — On notice of motion for Judgment

J. J. Crow vs F. R. Fraser & als — Pltff / Deft — On notice of motion for Judgment

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 24th day of September 1900 and of the Commonwealth the 126th

Present Hon Beverly A Nash Judge.

R Lu. Cobb &c. Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Dfdt
Railway. } In case

This day came the parties by their attorneys & the defendant by its attorny demurred to the plaintiffs Declaration in which the plaintiff joined and filed argument thereon and the defendant called for a Bill of particulars and thereupon this cause is continued.

Manson & Shell Pltffs
vs
R E & R B Howard Defts } Upon notice of motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorny and the defendants being solemnly called but came not judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the defendants for the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars, with interest thereon from the 11th day of September 1899 until paid. Subject to a credit of One Hundred and twenty five dollars, paid December 19th 1899. Therefor it is considered by the Court that the said Pltffs. recover against the said Defendants the said sum of Two Hundred and fifty Dollars with interest thereon aforesaid, & their costs about by them in this behalf expended subject to the credit aforesaid.

The Frick Company Plaintiff
vs
C N Rash & J T Crow Defts } Upon notice of motion for judgment

On motion of the plaintiff by their attorny the above cause is dismissed

N B Branch Plaintiff
vs
N & W Railway Company Deft } On motion of the plaintiff by this attorney this cause is continued

Bartlett Roper trading as Bartlett Roper & Co. Pltff
vs
Wm S. Fisher Defts } In Case

Dismissed, on motion of plaintiff by their attorney

Ordered that the following jurors be paid out of the county by the following amounts for their attendance at this term of the Court. To J H Rea $3.44, R H Hunt $3.60, L E Colman $3.60, C Y Lee $1.32, R H Perkins $.92, J G Buston $1.40, W D Falconer $4.00, A C Wheeler $4.00, C J Boyle $4.00, J C Terry $3.92, C E Tingley $4.00,

The Court doth allow to W H Young Sheriff Six dollars being $2.00 per day for himself and two deputies for one days services at this term of the Court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment out of the Public Treasury

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The Court doth allow to W H Young Sheriff $1.50 for his services in furnishing wood water &c at this term of the Court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment

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Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term

Beverly A Hancock

Virginia At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Court house thereof on Thursday the 21st day of March 1901 and in the 125th Year of the Commonwealth.

Present, Hon. Beverly A Hancock Judge.

E P Buford gentleman, having obtained a license to practice law in the courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is granted him to practice law in this court, Whereupon the said Buford took the oath required by law

Meade Haskins gentleman, having obtained a license to practice law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, On his motion leave is granted him to practice law in this court, Whereupon the said Haskins took the oath required by law

On the motion of the proper authorities the following parties are appointed Trustees of Center Star Baptist Church, in place and stead of any trustees that may have heretofore been appointed, to wit Frank Prichard, John Gregg Sr, Thomas Gregg, Anthony Richardson & John Batts

Supervisors of Brunswick Co. Pltff
vs
County of Dinwiddie Deft
} On appeal from County Court.

On motion of attorneys and by consent of parties the above styled cause is continued generally until the first day of the next term of the Court

J H Cole Plaintiff
vs
A E Richardson Deft
} In Cos

This day came the plaintiff by attorney, and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff's action, Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum Two Hundred and Two & 82/100 with interest on Seventy Four & 37/100 Dollars a part thereof from June 20th 1896 until paid, and on Ninety Four Dollars & Eighty Six Cents another part thereof from August 19th 1896 until paid, and on Thirty Three

Dollars and fifty nine cents, the remainder thereof from August 25th 1876 until paid and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on Homestead waiver acceptances of drafts.

Seymour Pump & Well Company Pltffs
vs
Wm S. Fisher & J H Tomlinson partners enter the firm name of Dennisville Lumber Co Defts } In Case

M B Branch Plaintiff
vs
N & W Railway Company Deft } In Case

On motion of parties and for reasons appearing to this court this cause is continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court

R. Lee Cobb Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. Deft } In Case

This day come the parties by their attorneys and on motion of counsel and with consent of parties this cause is dismissed

Mary E Ford &als Pltffs
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Defts } Case

For reasons appearing to the court this cause is continued until the first day of the next term

T. H. Lockett Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. Deft } In Case

For reasons appearing to the court this cause is continued until the first day of the next term of this court

Robertson & Thomas Pltffs
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. Defts } In Case

For reasons appearing to the court this cause is continued until the first day of the next term

M A Williams Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Deft } In case

For reasons appearing to the Court this cause is continued

K A Blanton Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. Deft } In case

For reasons appearing to the court this cause is continued

Branch & Colb Pltff's
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Deft } In case

For reasons appearing to the court the above cause is continued

Daniel Taylor Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. Deft } In case

For reasons appearing to the court this cause is continued

Hanes Hargrave Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defts } In case

Edna F Bowman Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defts } In Case

W F Hitchcock Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft } In case

Walter Hitchcock Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft } In Case

For reasons appearing to the court the above styled causes are continued generally

A L Hitchcock — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Defts
} In Case

R A Bain — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft
} In Case

next term of this court. Continued generally until the first day of the

Ordered that the following jurors be paid out of the County Levy the following amounts to wit R D Hicks $2 vs J P Atkinson $2 vs S T Clark $1.96 Wm Nash $1.64 A C Wheeler $2 vs J G Fisher $1.40 Church Thrift $1.64 C Y Lee $1.32 Wm H Mathews $1 vs J A Clark 1.64 Books Ellis $1.48 Francis Hanson $1.96

R E Howard — Pltff
vs
W J Baicy — Deft
} Upon a notice of motion for judgment.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant not appearing. Judgment by the court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of One Hundred Dollars with interest thereon from the 7th day of October 1900 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of One Hundred Dollars with interest thereon aforesaid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

This judgment is upon a Homestead waiver note.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at eleven o'clock A M.

Beverly A Hancock

Friday Morning, March 22nd 1901

Present Hon B A Hancock, Judge.

Williams T Davis gentleman having obtained a license to practice law in the courts of this Commonwealth. On his motion leave is granted him to practice the law in this Court and thereupon he took the oath required by Law.

Fleshpin Boswell — Pltffs
vs
Mrs T B Temple — Deft
} Upon notice of motion for judgment

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On motion of the plaintiffs by their attorney it is ordered that the above cause be dismissed, and it is further ordered that the clerk of this court withdraw from the papers in this cause the bond of Mrs Temple and deliver the same to her, taking her receipt therefor and filing the same with the papers in said cause

J F Heath & Co. Pltffs } Upon notice of
vs Deft } Motion for judgment
C G Medlock
Dr.

John Mayhew Pltff } Upon notice of motion
vs Deft } for judgment
J B Odgers

M O Temple Pltff } Upon notice of motion
vs Deft } for judgment
W B Berry

On motion of the Plaintiffs and with the consent of the court the above styled causes are continued until the next term of this court.

M B. Branch Pltff } Upon removal from Circuit
vs Deft } Court of Petersburg
N & W Railway Co

All matters of controversy in this cause involved having been adjusted between the parties, by their consent it is ordered that the suit be dismissed, the plaintiff paying his and the defendant's costs in the action expended and the order continuing this cause on yesterday is set aside

Smith Bros. Plaintiffs } Upon notice of motion
vs Defts } for judgment
E A Poarch & Son

On motion of Plaintiff by their attorney this cause is dismissed

Eleanor E. Cole Pltff } In case
vs Deft
B W Edwards

On motion of Plaintiffs attorney and with the consent of the court this cause is continued until the

next term of the court

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The court doth allow to W H Young Sheriff the sum of $8.00 being two dollars per day for two deputies two days during this term of the court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

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The court doth allow to W H Young Janitor the sum of $3.00 for two days services as such during this term of the court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

The court doth certify to the Board of Supervisors the sum of Three Hundred and Fifty Dollars as a Quarterly allowance to A M Organ for services as clerk of this court to the first day of July 1901

Ordered that all causes not otherwise disposed of be and they are hereby continued

Ordered that the court be now adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Beverly A. Hancock

Office Judgments Confirmed March 22 1901

Sydnor Pump & Well Co — Plaintiffs
vs
Wm S. Fisher & F H Tomlinson partners in trade under the firm & Style of Demiddie Lumber Co — Defts

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This day came the Plaintiffs by their attorney and it appearing that process in this cause has been served only on Wm S. Fisher, one of the defendants, and the defendant said Wm S. Fisher say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefor it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant said Wm S. Fisher the sum of Three Hundred and Sixty Dollars and twenty nine cents, with interest on $281.35 from July 24th 1900 until paid, and on $78.94 the residue thereof from Sept 5th 1900 until paid and

also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, subject to a credit of $75.00 paid January 16th 1901

Slater Myers and Co Plaintiffs
vs } Debt
A E Richardson Deft

This day came the plaintiffs by attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefor it is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of Two Hundred and Eighty One and 50/100 Dollars with interest thereon from the 25th day of October 1897 until paid and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on a Homestead waiver not

S P Spain, S C Loving Plaintiffs
vs } Case
A E Richardson Defts

This day came the plaintiffs by attorney, and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therfor it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the sum of Three Hundred and Four and 54/100 Dollars with interest on $58.82 a part thereof from July 8th 1896 until paid and on $16.81 another part thereof from August 5th 1896 until paid. On $179.26 another part thereof, from August 6th 1896 until paid, and on $49.69 the residue thereof from August 22nd 1896 until paid and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is upon Homestead waiver acceptances of drafts

In the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, Virginia.
April 9th 1901 in vacation

Joseph T Hall
vs } Petition for a writ of
S T Gerow Justice of the Peace } Prohibition

This cause come on this day to be heard upon the petition of Joseph T Hall verified by oath, and treated as an affidavit upon the motion of the said plaintiff by counsel, the Judge of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, Virginia, in vacation during it pleases, doth hereby order that the proceedings sought to be prohibited

by the plaintiff as set out in his petition aforesaid, a copy whereof is to be served on the defendant be suspended until the final decision of this cause, that a copy of this order be served on the defendant S T Gerow Justice of the Peace,

Which is entitled to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County and ordered to be recorded according to law.

Beverly A Hancock
Judge 2nd Judicial Circuit of
Virginia April 9 1901

To the Clerk of Dinwiddie
Circuit Court

A list of Jurors for the Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie, prepared by the Judge of the said Court in June 1901, as required by Act of Assembly Approved March 6th 1900.

Darvills District

1 Allen B.H.	2 Allen E.H.	3 Allen W.D.
4 Baskerville G.T.	5 Baskerville W.G.	6 Baird W.F.
7 Borjeau J.L.	8 Borjeau A.H.	9 Cabaniss F.H.
10 Cairns F.J.	11 Cousins A.H.	12 Doyle J.R.
13 Doyle L.R.	14 Davis W.K.	15 Elder J.M.
16 Fraser J.B.	17 Fisher J.M.	18 Fisher J.A.
19 Hudgins E.H.	20 Hobbs E.D.	21 Hawthorne J.C
22 Hawkins J.A.	23 Harrison W.V.	24 Howard R.E
25 King C.A.	26 Lathrop A.H.	27 Lewis R.H.
28 Lewis J.N.	29 Mallory B.C.	30 Meredith E.N.
31 Newton R.E	32 Prasise E.B.	33 Rives C.M.
34 Staples John	35 Thompson N.F.	36 Wainwright R.J.
37 White W.S.	38 White R.D.	39 Wilkerson R.E.

Dapony District

40 Atkinson J.T.	41 Atkinson P.H.	42 Abernathy J.K.
43 Avery J.F.	44 Batte J.B.	45 Bain J.H. Jr.
46 Berthwright E.L.	47 Bourdon P.C.	48 Bishop W.E.
49 Berille Frank	50 Borjeau Peter	51 Borjeau B.L.
52 Crowder E.D.	53 Crowder C.T.	54 Darby John T.
55 Edmunds P.C.	56 Goodwyn W.Harvie	57 Goodwyn J.H.
58 Galusha J.H.	58 Gibbs Armistead	59 Hitchcock G.A.
60 Hunt A.H.	61 Hayes Junius	62 Hawkins C.T.
63 Jolly Archer	64 Kennedy C.M.	65 Lucy P.C.

66 Nuntree E.T. 67 Nuddock R.G. 68 Powell A.K.
69 Powell E.T. Jr. 70 Rose J.M. 71 Threatt J.J.
72 Twift C.G. 73 Young J.B. 74 Zehmer A.K.

Namozine District

75 Andrews J.F. 76 Bradt W.A. 77 Boisseau J.M.
78 Bentley J.A. 79 Burgess Geo C. 80 Branch W.J.
81 Clark J.E. 81 Clark Berkley 82 Dewsburg Robert
83 Dichl E.B. 84 Gates M.H. 95 Gerow G.J.
96 Hardy R.C. 97 Harman W.G. 98 House A.R.
99 Kirks John T. 100 Lovard R.J. 101 Mertens Henri
102 Meade J.H. 103 McIlwaine J.H. 104 Potts A.B
105 Pegram Eddie 106 Ragsdale W.H Jr. 107 Steward Walter
108 Spain S.C. 109 Scott C.F. 110 Thomas J.B. Jr.
111 Beck J.N. 102 Moody B.F. 113 Adams B.L.

Rowanty District

114 Boisseau F.H. 115 Boisseau Willard 116 Branch N.B. Jr
117 Butterworth W.B. 118 Birdsall F.H. 119 Crawford Cabell
120 Crawford Orie 121 Cleaton W.J. 122 Darby J.C.
123 Fisher J.G. 124 Hawkins Eugene 125 Hitchcock Jno. C.
126 Harris G.W. 127 Haddon E.J. 128 Haddon Chas K.
129 Irvin W.A. 130 Knott W.H. 131 Lee C.J.
132 Mayo J.B. 133 Muncure A.B. 134 Meredith L.L.
135 Reaves H.C. 136 Otin H.C. 137 Perkins E.C.
138 Perkins H.H. 139 Perkins W.H. 140 Rice J.C
141 Rice J.M. 142 Stockdell W.C. 143 Hull R.B.
144 Scott B.F. 145 Temple A.D. 145 Thrift P.N.
148 Wilkerson D.H. 149 Wynn E.M. 150 Wynn C.H.

Virginia: In Dinwiddie Circuit Court,
In Vacation July 22nd 1901

It is ordered that the One hundred fifty persons whose names are written & mentioned above shall be the list of the inhabitants of Dinwiddie County from which Jurors for the Circuit Court of said County shall be drawn during the year ending May 31 1901

To Clerk of Dinwiddie Circuit Court

Beverly A Hancock
Judge 2nd Judicial Circuit of Va,
July 22 1901

In Dinwiddie Circuit Court

In vacation July 22 - 1901

Griffin Organ is hereby appointed a Commissioner in Chancery of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County. Given under my hand this 22nd day of July 1901

Beverly A Haycock,
Judge 2nd Judicial Circuit of Va

To Clerk of Dinwiddie Circuit Courts.

2nd Judicial Circuit
Circuit Court of Dinwiddie
In vacation, August 2nd 1901

Griffin Organ, who was on the 22nd day of July 1901, by an order of the Judge of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie and of record in said Court appointed a Commissioner in Chancery for the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, this day appeared before me and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law. Given under my hand the day and date first aforesaid.

Beverly A Haycock
Judge 2nd Judicial Circuit
of Virginia,

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie

Virginia:- At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Court House thereof on Saturday the 21st day of September 1901 and in the 125th year of the Commonwealth.

Present, Hon Beverly A Haycock Judge.

John Moyler Pltff
vs
J B Rogers Jr Deft
} Upon notice of motion for judgment.

On motion of the plaintiff by counsel this cause is dismissed.

C H Fishe Pltff
vs
P H Thomas Deft
} Upon notice of motion for judgment

On motion of the plaintiff by counsel this cause

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is dismissed.

Eleanor E. Cole Pltff
vs
B. N. Edwards Defts
} In case

On motion of the plaintiff it is ordered that this cause be dismissed.

T. F. Meade & Co. Pltff
vs
C. G. Medlock Deft
} On notice of motion for judgment

On motion of the plaintiff this cause is continued generally until the 1st day of the next term of this court.

Supervisors of Brunswick County Pltff
vs
Dennidin County Deft
} On appeal from County Court

Continued generally until the next term of this Court

Costs
Clk fee 2.00
Sheriff .50
Atty " 2.50
Wt. 1.00
$6.00

A. Wright Pltff
vs
A. N. Hawkes Deft
} Upon notice of motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiff by his atty & the defendant being solemnly called & not appearing, judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of One Hundred and ninety eight dollars and eight cents, with legal interest thereon to be computed from the 1st day of August 1901 until paid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said sum of $198.08 with interest as aforesaid & also his costs.

Mary E. Ford adms Deft
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Deft
} In case

T. N. Lockett Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Deft
} In Case

Robertson v Thomas — Peff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co — Deft
} In case

M A Williams — Peff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co — Deft
} In case

N A Blanton — Peff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co — Deft
} In case

Branch v Cobb — Peff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co, — Deft
} In case

Daniel Taylor — Peff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co, — Deft
} In case

On motion of the plaintiff and by consent of parties it is ordered that the above styled causes be continued generally until the next term of this Court—

Harris v Hargrove — Peff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft
} In case

Edna F Bossieux — Peff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft
} In case

N F Hitchcock — Peff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft
} In case

Walter Hitchcock — Peff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft
} In case

All matters of controversy in the above styled causes having been agreed between the parties; by their consent it is ordered that the above styled causes be dismissed, the defendant paying all costs,

A. L. Hitchcock Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft } In case

R. H. Blain Pltff
v
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft } In case

All matters of Controversy in the above styled cause having been adjusted between the parties by this consent it is ordered that the above styled cause be dismissed the defendant paying all costs.

J. Edward Moyle Pltff
vs
Dennis Lumber Co Deft } In Case

On motion of the plaintiff by his attorney it is ordered that this cause be dismissed.

Butterworth & Bro. Pltff
vs
Richmond Petersburg & Carolina Railroad Co Deft } In case

J. R. Lee Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft } In case

R. Butterworth Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft } In case

John Newton Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft } In case

B. J. Epps Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft } In case

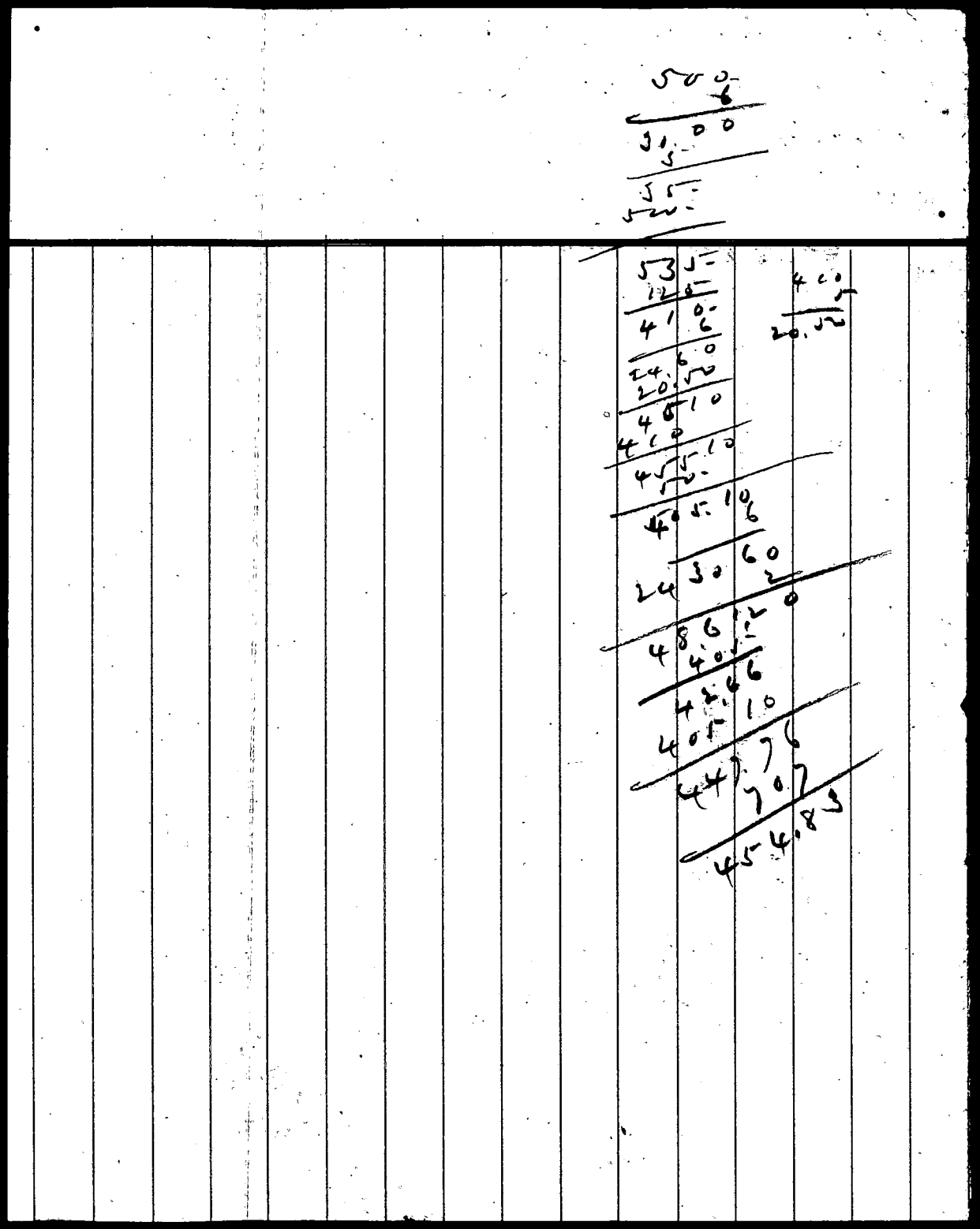
On motion of the parties to the above styled causes by their attorneys, it is ordered that the above causes be continued until the next term of this Court.

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M O Hempler Pltff
vs
W B Berry Deft } On notice of motion of judgment

On motion of the plaintiff by his attorney this cause is continued until the next term of this court

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The court doth allow to W H Young Sheriff $4.00, being $2.00 per day for himself and one deputy for one days services during this term of this court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment

Copy sent & delivered Jany 22nd 1902

The Court doth allow to W H Young Sheriff $1.50 for his services in furnishing wood water &c, at this term of the Court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment;

Ordered that the Court be now adjourned until the ~~first day of~~ the next term.

Beverly A Hancock

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 24th day of March 1902, and of the Commonwealth, the 126th

Present: Hon Beverly A Hancock, Judge,

On motion of the proper authorities it is ordered that J M Goode, Allen Browder and William Walker be and they are hereby appointed Trustees of Olive Branch Lodge Good Samaritans, No 258,

J F Hoth & Co. Pltffs
vs
C G Murdock Deft } On notice of motion for judgment

M O Hempler Pltff
vs
W B Berry Deft } On notice of motion for judgment

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued until the first day of the next term of this court.

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Geo McCabe & Son, Pltffs
vs
E A Porch Defts } On notice of motion for judgment

J T Crews Pltffs
vs
F R Fraser & als Defts } On notice of motion for judgment

Farmers Bank Pltffs
vs
A G Butterworth Defts } On notice of motion for judgment

Farmers Bank Pltff
vs
J M Coleman Deft } On notice of motion for judgment

Ordered that the above style cause be continued until the first day of the next term of this Court.

Supervisors of Brunswick County Pltff
vs
County of Dinwiddie Deft } Continued generally until the first day of the next term of this Court.

Mary E Ferrell & als Pltffs
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Deft } In case

T K Lockett Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Deft } In case

Robertson & Thomas Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Deft } In case

M A Williams Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Deft } In case

W. A. Blanton	Petff	}	In case
vs			
Norfolk & Western Railway Co.	Defts		
Branch & Cobb	Petff	}	In case
vs			
Norfolk & Western Railway Co.	Defts		
Daniel Taylor,	Petff	}	In case
vs			
Norfolk & Western Railway Co	Defts		
Bullington & Bro.	Petff	}	In case
vs			
Richmond Petersburg & Carolina R.R. Co	Defts		
J. R. Lee	Petff	}	In case
vs			
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		
R. Bullington	Petff	}	In case
vs			
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		
John Newton	Petff	}	In case
vs			
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		
B. J. Epps	Petff	}	In case
vs			
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		
E. C. Powell	Petff	}	In case
vs			
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		
Virginia A. Stone	Petff	}	In case
vs			
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued generally until the first day of the next term of this Court without prejudice to any of the parties

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The court doth Certify to the Board of Supervisors the sum of Three Hundred and fifty dollars as a suitable allowance to Wm Organ for Services as Clerk of this Court to first day of July 1902,

Copied ordered to Wrty Oct 23rd 1902.

The Court doth allow to W.H. Young Sheriff the sum of $4.00 being two dollars for himself and two deputies one day during this term of the Court which is certified to the Auditor of Public accounts for payment,

Copies ordered

The court doth allow to W.H. Young, Janitor the sum of one dollar and fifty cents for his Services as such during one day of this term of the Court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment,

Ordered that all causes not otherwise disposed of be and the same are hereby continued,

Ordered the court be adjourned until the first day of the next term of this court,

Beverly A Hancock
J

Officer Judgment Confirmed Mar 24th 1902.

F M D'Allen, trading as D'Allen & Co. Pltff
vs
Squire Holdsworth, W.H. Holdsworth & W. Barnes Butterworth, late partners, trading as Holdsworth Bros & Butterworth. Defts } In Case

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant Squire Holdsworth this day filed a plea of nil debet to the plaintiff's action, and this cause is continued as to him, and the defendant said W Barnes Butterworth, say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiff action Therefore, it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant, said W Barnes Butterworth the sum of Ninety Two Dollars and one cent, $92.01, with interest thereon from the 29th day of May, 1901, till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this by half expended

In Dinwiddie Circuit Court In Vacation,
June 28th 1902,

It ordered that John G. Harris, Dr. E.H. Perkins and A.A. Dance be and they are hereby Constituted and appointed the pension board of Dinwiddie County in accordance with the Act of the General Assembly, Approved on the 2nd day of April, 1902,

Given under my hand this 28th day of June 1902,

Beverly A. Hancock
Judge 2nd Judicial Circuit of Va

To Clerk of Dinwiddie Circuit Court

In Dinwiddie Circuit Court, In Vacation, August 6th 1902,

It is Ordered that Thomas B. Scott, J. L. Bondurant and A. Dance be and they are hereby appointed a board of pension commissioners for the County of Dinwiddie under the Act of April 2, 1902,

Beverly A Hancock,
Judge 2nd Judicial Circuit of Va,

To Clerk of Dinwiddie Cir Ct

In Dinwiddie Circuit Court. In vacation, September 9th 1902,

It is ordered that A.A. Dance, T.O. Ruies and R.H. Perkins, be and they are hereby appointed the Board of pension commissioners for Dinwiddie County and that the Clerk of this Court notify them of their appointment, All other appointments heretofore made for said pension Board are hereby revoked, Given under my hand this 9th day of September 1902,

Beverly A Hancock Judge Second
Judicial Circuit of Va,

To Clerk of Dinwiddie Circuit Court

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 22nd day of September, 1902, and of the Commonwealth the 127th

Present: Hon. B. A. Hancock, Judge.

J. F. Healt & Co. Pltffs
vs. } On notice of motion for
C. G. Medlock Deft. } Judgment.

On motion of the plaintiffs this cause is dismissed at costs of plaintiffs.

M. O. Hemphill Pltffs.
vs } On notice of motion for
W. B. Berry Deft. } Judgment.

Continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court.

Supervisors of Brunswick County }
vs }
Dinwiddie Co }

Continued generally until first day of next term of this court.

J. T. Crow Pltff.
vs } On notice of motion for
F. R. Fraser vals Defts. } Judgment.

On motion of plaintiff by attorney this cause is dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

James Bank Pltff.
vs } On notice of motion for Judgment
A. G. Butterworth Deft. }

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the defendant plead payment to the plaintiffs action; and thereupon this cause was continued.

Bernard Mann, Executor of John Mann, dec'd. Pltff. On notice of
vs. } motion for
Willis Madison & Henry Madison Defts. } Judgment.

This day came the plaintiff by attorney, and the defendants being solemnly called but came not. Judgment by the Court

in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of Ninety Nine Dollars and Twenty three cents with interest thereon from the 24th day of February 1898, till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended. Therefor it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the said sum of Ninety Nine Dollars and Twenty three cents with interest as aforesaid and also his costs.

George and A E McCabe, partners doing business under the firm name and style of Geo McCabe and Son, Pltffs

vs

E A Porch Deft

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant by his attorney filed a special plea in nature of set-offs, to which plaintiff Replied generally, and of this he putteth himself upon the Country, and the Plaintiffs likewise, and issue is joined thereupon, and thereupon came the following jury, to-wit:- D. S. Thomas, C. F. Scott, J. H. Meade, A. M. Hall, J. P. Darby, A. B. Moreau, Armistead Gibbs, C. N. Nash, B. L. Boisseau, C. W. Maitland, A. A. Hudson & T. J. Caines, who being elected, tried and sworn the truth to speak upon the issue joined, and having heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to their room to consider of their verdict and after some time came into court and reported as follows: We, the jury find for the plaintiff the amount claimed in the within notice, being the sum of one hundred and thirty seven dollars and forty six cents ($137.46) without interest. Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and thirty seven dollars and forty six cents, without interest as aforesaid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

James Mullen, Gentleman, having obtained a license to practice the law in the courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is granted him to practice in this court, and thereupon the said James Mullen appeared in court and took the oaths prescribed by law.

On motion of the proper authorities it is ordered that G L Boggins and Thomas Bowers, be and they are hereby appointed Trustees of Elijah Council No. 99, Independent Order of St Luke, to fill the ~~vacancies~~ caused by the death of Wm Brandon, and 145

suspension of James Patterson, and it is ordered that the legal title to the real estate of the said J. O. of St Luke be vested in the trustees hereby appointed and in those heretofore appointed, which have not been removed

R. Butterworth & Bro.	Petffs	In case
vs		
Richmond, Petersburg & Carolina R R Co	Defts	
J. R. Lee	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts	
R. Butterworth & Bro.	Petffs	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts	
John Newton	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts	
B. J. Epps	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Deft	
E. C. Powell	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Deft	
Virginia A. Sherin	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts	
M. B. Hardy	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts	
Edna F. Brisman	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Deft	

Ordered that the above styled cases against the Richmond, Petersburg & Carolina R.R. Co. and the Seaboard Air Line Railway be continued generally until the first day of the

next term of this court,

Virginia A Storm Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft } In case.

Continued generally until the first day of this next term of this court,

A Bimlty & W. C. Matthews, partners Plaintiffs.
trading as A Bimlty & Co.
vs } In assumpsit.
R. Lee Cobb Deft

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing judgment by the court in favor of the plaintiffs against the defendant for the sum of Five Hundred and Ten Dollars and sixty nine cents with interest thereon from the 8th day of January 1902, until paid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended, Therefor it is considered by the Court that the said plaintiffs recover against the defendant the said sum of Five hundred and ten dollars and 69/100, with interest as aforesaid and also their costs,

J W Hall Pltff
vs
Lewis & Reams Defts }

Continued until the first day of the next term of the Court

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10-0'Clock AM

Beverly A Hancock

Tuesday Morning
September 23rd 1902

Present Hon. B. A. Hancock Judge.

N. J. Branch & B. E. Cobb, Pltffs } In case
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company Defts }

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant entered a plea of "not guilty" to the plaintiffs declaration, to which the plaintiffs replied generally, and issue was joined thereupon, and thereupon came the following jury to-wit J. G. Fisher, C. F. Scott, J. H. Meade, A. M. Watts, J. P. Darby, A. B. Moncure, Armistead Gibbs, C. A. Rash, B. L. Boisseau, J. K. Abernathy, A. A. Hudson, and T. J. Cairns, who being elected, tried and sworn the truth to speak upon the issues joined, and upon before the court, and after several witnesses had been examined the plaintiffs moved the court to allow them to amend their bill of particulars, which motion the court granted, and thereupon the plaintiffs amended the said bill of particulars, and the defendant excepted to said ruling. And the jury having partly heard the evidence, and the court being about to adjourn, ever adjourned over until to-morrow morning at ten thirty o'clock a. m.

Ordered that the court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10.30 o'clock a.m. Beverly A. Hancock

Wednesday Morning,
September 24th 1902

Present, Hon. B. A. Hancock, Judge,

N. J. Branch & B. E. Cobb, Pltffs } In case
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company Defts }

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the jury sworn in this cause appeared in court pursuant to their

adjournment to-wit: J. G. Fisher, C. F. Scott, J. H. Meek, A. M. Watts, J. P. Darby, A. B. Moreum, Armistead Gibbs, C. A. Rash, B. L. Boisseau, J. K. Abernathy, A. A. Hudson, and T. J. Cairns, and on motion of the plaintiffs Court is granted them to further amend their bill of particulars, to which the defendant objects, and the jury having partly heard the evidence were adjourned over until the 3rd day of October

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10-o'clock A.M. Beverly A. Hancock

Saturday, September 27th 1902

Present:

Hon B A Hancock Judge

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10-A.M. Beverly A. Hancock

Thursday October 2nd 1902

Present: Hon. B A Hancock Judge

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10-o'clock A.M. Beverly A. Hancock

Friday October 3rd 1902.

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge.

H. J. Branch & B. E. Cobb Plaintiffs } In case
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company Deft }

This day come again the parties by their attorneys and the jury sworn in this cause again appeared in court pursuant to this adjournment, to wit: J G Fishe, C F Scott, J A Meade, A M Watts, J P Darby, A B Monroe, Armistead Gibbs, C A Rash, B L Batson, J K Abernathy, A A Hudson and T J Camus, and having fully heard the evidence, and the court being about to charge, they were adjourned over until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 30 o'clock A M.

Beverly A Hancock

Saturday.
October 4th 1902.

This day came the Board of Pension Commissioners of this County, and by leave of Court, filed their report, as required by the Act of April 2nd 1902, showing that they had allowed to the persons hereinafter named the amounts opposite their names, to wit: M. E. Bishop,

Bishop M. E.	Twenty Five Dollars	$25.00
Brooks Ira W.	Fifteen "	15.00
Barnes W. J.	Thirty "	30.00
Brough J. A.	Fifteen "	15.00
Brooks J. A.	Thirty "	30.00
Bishop Mary E.	Twenty Five "	25.00
Brough C. M.	Fifteen "	15.00
Barnes J. H.	Fifteen "	15.00
Bridgman Geo. H.	Fifteen "	15.00
Copenhaver Elias	Fifteen "	15.00
Coleman E. M.	Fifteen "	15.00
Dalton R. H.	Fifteen "	15.00

Drinkwater C & Jr.	$15.00	Fiftun Dollars
Elmore John Wm.	15-00	" "
Ennis A. Jr.	30.00	Thirty "
Elam Alex	15-00	Fiftun "
Elder E. M.	30.00	Thirty "
Hall J. S.	15-00	Fiftun "
Hawkins Thos. H.	30.00	Thirty "
Hitchcock Thos. R.	30.00	" "
Heath R. T.	15-00	Fiftun "
Hawkins Harriet A.	26-00	Twenty Five "
Hawkins Mary E.	25-00	" " "
Jackson R. J.	15-00	Fiftun "
Jones B. T.	15-00	" "
Moody P. T.	15.00	" "
Mitchell R. B.	15-00	" "
Moody R. B.	15.00	" "
Phillips Mary E.	25-00	Twenty Fif "
Powell Isaiah W.	15-00	Fiftun "
Powell Edward T.	15-00	" "
Perkins George P.	15-00	" "
Riddle J. R.	30.00	Thirty "
Spain Gustavus O.	30.00	" "
Tucker A. S.	15-00	Fiftun "
Tucker A. G.	15-00	" "
Wilkinson W. S.	15-00	" "
Wells M. A.	30.00	Thirty "
Waller H. G.	15-00	Fiftun "
Wray Jack	30.00	Thirty "
Wilkinson Julia	25-00	Twenty Fiv "
Wells F. M.	30.00	Thirty "
Watkins T. M.	15-00	Fiftun " "
Williams Joseph S.	15-00	" " "
West J. T.	30.00	Thirty " "

And it appearing from said report that Kinnon Stewart and R.B. Chandler were rejected by the Board because they had not filed the statments as required by law, and they having since the filing of said report filed said statments before this Court, it is ordered that their names be placed upon the Pension Roll of this County for the amount of fiftun ($15.00) each, And it further appearing to the Court that M.E. Rush, C.A. Rash, and W.S. Williamson have property of an assessed value exceeding $500, it is ordered that their names be stricken from the Pension Roll of this County 148

And the Court having inspected the said report and considered the same statements, with the jurats and certificates attached thereto, and from a personal inspection of each of said pensioners is of the opinion that each of said pensioners comes within and is entitled to aid under the provisions of the Act approved March 7th 1902, doth order the Clerk of this Court to certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts that each of said pensioners comes within the provisions of said Act and is entitled to the relief therein provided to the extent of the amounts opposite their names, It is ordered that all other applications under the Act of March 7th 1900, be referred to the Board of Pension Commissioners for further action in the premises.

It appearing that Virginia Bentley and C. C. Gill, filed in the Clerk's Office of this County twenty days before the regular term of this Court an application for relief under the Act approved April 2nd 1902, And the Court having taken up, Examined & Considered such applications, which have been certified by the Clerk of this Court, is satisfied that the requirements of this Act have been substantially complied with, and that said applications are supported by the affidavits and certificates required by law, is satisfied of the justice of the claims of said applicants,

It appearing that the Board of Pension Commissioners were duly notified of said applications fifteen days before the regular term of this Court, have filed no objections thereto, it is ordered that the said Virginia Bentley and C. C. Gill be placed upon the Pension Roll and shall be entitled to receive the amounts opposite their names, to-wit Virginia Bentley $25.00, twenty-five dollars, C. C. Gill $15.00 fifteen dollars, It is ordered that the Clerk of this Court certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts a certified extract from this order as required by law.

W. J. Branch & B. E. Cobb, Plaintiff,
vs. } In case
Norfolk & Western Railway Company, Deft. }

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the jury sworn in this case again impaneled in Court, to-wit: J. G. Fisher, C. F. Scott, J. H. Mead, A. M. Watts, J. P. Darby, A. B. Hansen, Amistead Gibbs, C. A. Rash, B. L. Bonsteen,

J K Abernathy, A A Hudson and T J Cairns, and thereupon the defendants filed its demurrer to the plaintiffs evidence, and the plaintiff joined in the said demurrer. Whereupon the said jury being required to say what damages the plaintiff hath sustained retired to their room, and after some time spent therein returned into Court and reported as follows; If the Court be of the opinion upon the demurrer to the evidence that the law is for the defendant, then we find for the defendant; but if the Court upon the demurrer to the evidence be of opinion that the law is for the plaintiff, then we find for the plaintiff and assess the damages at $400.00. The defendant excepted to several rulings of the Court made during the progress of the trial of this case and was given leave to file its bills of exceptions to said rulings. And because the Court is not yet advised of its judgment to be given in the premises, this cause is continued for argument for the said demurrer.

Ordered that the following jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their services and attendance at this term of the Court to-wit J S Thomas $2.00, C F Scott 10.00, J H Mears $9.80, A M Watts $5.60, J P Darby $8.20, A B Moreau $9.00, Armistead Gibbs $7.40, C M Rash $9.40, B L Bozeman $9.00, A A Hudson $9.80, T J Cairns $10.00, J G Fisher $7.00, J K Abernathy $6.80

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until Monday Morning at ten o'clock A M.

Beverley A Hancock

Monday Morning
October 6th 1902

Present: Hon. B. A. Hancock Judge -

Mary E. Ford adm'x, Pltff's
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company, Deft } In case

J. H. Lockett, Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company, Deft } In case

Robertson v Thomas — Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Deft } In con

W. A. Williams — Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Deft } In con

W. A. Blanton — Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Deft } In con

Daniel Taylor — Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Deft } In con

Ordered that the foregoing styles causes be continued until the first day of the next term of this Court

The Court doth allow [corrected to] the Sheriff the sum of $34.00 being two dollars per day for himself for ten days, and two dollars per day for one deputy ten days, and two dollars per day for one deputy eight days during this term of the Court, which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

Copy ordered to W. H. Young Oct 23rd 1902

The Court doth allow to W. H. Young, janitor the sum of $7.50 for his services as such during four days of this term of the court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

Copy ordered

On motion of the proper officials of Safety Protestant Episcopal Church, it is ordered that J. W. Galusha, R. H. Hunt and J. A. Wells be and they are hereby appointed Trustees for said Church in place and stead of those heretofore appointed.

On motion of the proper officials of Good Shepherd Protestant Episcopal Church, it is ordered that J. E. White, T. C. Terry and H. C. Sims be and they are hereby appointed Trustees for said Church in place and stead of those heretofore appointed.

On motion of the proper officials of Calvary Protestant Episcopal Church, it is ordered that Wm. Orgain, W. M. Stern and J. W. Rossman

be and they are hereby appointed trustees for said Church in place and stead of any that may have been heretofore appointed

David Palmer
vs
The Commonwealth of Va } Order granting a writ of error & supersedeas.

This day came David Palmer and filed his petition praying for a writ of error & supersedeas to a judgment of the County Court of Dinwiddie rendered against him by said Court at its August term, 1902, by which he was sentenced to the penitentiary for five years, and with his petition he filed also a transcript of the record of said Court in its proceedings relating to his trial, And the Court having seen and inspected said transcript of the record & maturely considered the same, doth grant the said David Palmer a writ of error and supersedeas to said judgment and doth order the Clerk of this Court to issend a writ of error & supersedeas to said judgment accordingly, but said supersedeas not to operate to discharge said David Palmer from the custody of the Sheriff of this County but he shall remain in his custody until the further order of the Circuit Court of this County.

Commonwealth of Va Pltff
vs } Order granting new trial
David Palmer Deft

This day came the said David Palmer by counsel, as well as the Commonwealth by her attorney and by consent of parties, this case in which a writ of error and supersedeas was awarded to-day is placed upon the docket of this Court & by like consent this cause came on this day to be heard upon the petition of said David Palmer and upon a transcript of the record of said case in said Court upon the arguments of counsel, and the Court having seen and inspected the transcript of the record & maturely considered the said petition aforesaid & the arguments of counsel & being of opinion that there is error in the judgment of the County Court aforesaid doth set aside said judgment of the County Court & doth grant said David Palmer a new trial, It is further ordered that the Clerk of this Court certify this this case to the County Court for a new trial to be had therein.

Ordered that the sum of $29.00 be certified to the Board of Supervisors for payment to G A Bressard for services in guarding the jail of this county from the 2nd day of September 1902 until the 30th day of Sept 1902,

Ordered that the court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Beverly A Hancock

Office Judgments Confirmed Oct 6th 1902,

Charles Leonard Pltff
vs. } In Case,
W W Hawkes Deft

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of $221.48 Two Hundred and twenty one dollars and forty eight cents, with interest thereon from the 20th day of February, 1902 till paid, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended,

In Dismissed Circuit Court In vacation, December 22, 1902.

This day came W S Eans, C P Jolly, W C Celey, C A Cabaniss & A M Watts and filed before the Judge of Dismissed Circuit Court in vacation the statements required under the pension Act of 1902 with the certificates and Jurats required by Law, And the Judge of said Circuit Court having Examined the report of the Board of Pension Commissioners of said County in reference to the said statements & the applications for said pensions by the parties above named and having inspected said certificates & jurats, and the original application of each of said parties under the Act of March 7th 1900 is of opinion and doth decide that each of the parties above named are entitled to pensions under the Act of March 7, 1900, as follows: to wit: W S. Eans for $15.00 C P. Jolly for $15.00 W C Celey for $15.00 C A Cabaniss for $15.00 and A M. Watts

for $15.00 and the Clerk of this Court is ordered to certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts that the parties above named are entitled to pensions under the Act of March 7, 1900, in the amounts above stated.

Beverly A. Hancock Judge,
2nd Judicial Circuit of Va

To Clerk of Dinwiddie Circuit Court.

Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County,
In vacation, December 22, 1902.

David Palmer
vs
Commonwealth } Order Awarding Writ of Error.

This day came David Palmer by his Attorneys and presented to the Judge of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, in vacation his petition praying a writ of error and supersedeas to a judgment of the County Court of Dinwiddie County rendered in the 20th day of November, 1902 whereby the said David Palmer was sentenced to Confinement for a term of four years in the State Penitentiary in accordance with the verdict of the jury rendered on the trial of the said David Palmer upon a certain indictment for felony for maiming. And the Judge of the said Court having read and maturely considered the said petition and transcript of the record of the said judgment presented with the said petition, a writ of error and Supersedeas is awarded the said David Palmer to the judgment of the County Court of the said County of Dinwiddie, aforesaid, Nothing in this order is to be construed as operating to discharge the said David Palmer from custody.

Beverly A. Hancock,
Judge of Second Judicial Circuit of Va.

To the Clerk of the Circuit
Court of Dinwiddie County.

In Dinwiddie Circuit Court
In vacation, January 27th 1903.

This day came J. W. Bryant, Samuel Bristow, J. W. Bridgman, W. B. Bridgman, Susan F. Dickenson, Samuel P. Gibbs, Tilman G. Gallien, Elizabeth J. Hazard & A. Lewis, Dora J. Mitchell, Dora J. Hicks & A. J. Moody, Edward A. Osmore, George B. Boyd, John R. Tatum, Stephen G. White &

and filed befor me, Beverly A. Hancock, Judge of Dennidin Circuit Court, the Statements required to be filed by the pension Act of April 2nd 1902, and it appearing that these applications were rejected by the Pension Board of said County only because of failure to file said Statements, and the said Judge having examined the said Statements, proofs and certificates filed therewith, and having personally Examined the original applications of each of the persons above named, is of opinion and doth decide that each of said applicants has substantially complied with the requirements of the Act of April 2nd 1902, and is entitled to the aid provided for in said Act of March 7th 1900, & doth order the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County to certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts that each of said persons is entitled to aid under the Act of March 7th 1900, as follows:

Brough J. W.	Fifteen	Dollars
Baldree Samuel	Fifteen	Dollars
Bridgman J. W.	"	"
Bridgman W. B.	"	"
Dickerson Susan F.	Twenty Five	Dollars
Gallion Silman G.	Fifteen	"
Gibbs Samuel P.	"	"
Hogwood Elizabeth J. F.	Twenty Five	"
Lanier C. H.	Fifteen	"
Mitchell Dora J.	Twenty Five	"
Moody A. J.	Fifteen	"
Osthoff Edward A.	Thirty	"
Royal George W.	"	"
Talbert John R.	Fifteen	"
White Stephen G.	Thirty	"
Wills Parthenia	Twenty-Five	"

Given under my hand this 27th day of January 1903.

Beverly A. Hancock, Judge,
Dennidin Circuit Court

To the Clerk of Dennidin
Circuit Court.

David Palmer
vs
The Commonwealth } Order granting New trial

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the Judge of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie having maturely considered the questions of law presented by the petitioner is of opinion that the County Court of said County erred in refusing to recall the witness, W. J. Jennigan, said in refusing to instruct the jury to disregard the language used by the Attorney for the Commonwealth as set out in the Defendants Instruction No. 2, and doth therefore set aside the Judgment of the County Court sentencing the petitioner to confinement in the penitentiary for four years & doth also set aside the verdict of the jury finding the petitioner guilty as set forth in the record, and a new trial is granted the said petitioner,

But this order shall in no wise change the custody of the petitioner,

Given under my hand this 28th day of Feby. 1903.

Beverly A. Hancock,
Judge of 2nd Judicial Circuit of Virginia

To Clerk of Dinwiddie
Circuit Court

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 23rd day of March 1903, and of the Commonwealth the 127

Present Hon B A Hancock Judge

M O Temple Pltff
vs
W B. Berry Deft } On notice of motion for judgment

By consent of parties this cause is removed to the Circuit Court of the City of Petersburg for further proceedings to be had herein.

Farmers Bank Pltff } On notice of motion for judgt
vs
J M. Coleman Deft

Continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court

Alstair L. Straus, Henry Guest & Emanuel H Guest, partners trading as
Straus, Guest & Co, Pltff } On notice of motion
vs
T J Caines Deft for judgment

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and the defendant being solemnly called & not appearing, judgment by the court in favor of plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of One Hundred and Seventy Eight dollars and two cents with interest thereon from the 21st day of May 1901, therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and Seventy Eight dollars and two cents, with interest as aforesaid & also his costs about his suit in this behalf Expended

Supervisors of Brunswick County Pltff }
vs
County of Dinwiddie Deft }

Continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court

Wm R. Perkins Jr having obtained a license to practice the law in the courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is given to practice the law in this court, and

thereupon the said Wm R. Perkins appeared in Court and took the oath prescribed by law

E. W. Hubbard gentleman, having obtained a license to practice the law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is given him to practice the law in this Court, thereupon the said E. W. Hubbard took the oath prescribed by law,

B. B. Wootson, gentleman having obtained a license to practice the law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is granted him to practice the law in this Court, and thereupon the said B. B. Wootson took the oath prescribed by law,

Mary E. Ford & als — Pltff
vs — In Case
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Defts

T. W. Lockett — Pltff
vs — In Case
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Defts

Robertson & Thomas — Pltff
vs — In case
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Defts

M. A. Williams — Pltff
vs — In case
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Defts

W. A. Blanton — Pltff
vs — In case
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Defts

Daniel Taylor — Pltff
vs — In case
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Defts

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued generally until the first day of the next term of this Court

Butterworth & Bro. — Pltff
vs — In Case
Richmond, Petersburg & Carolina R R. Co — Defts

J R Lee	Pltff		
vs			Dw case
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		
R Butterworth & Bro	Pltff		
vs			Dw case
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		
J Chas Stewart	Pltff		
vs			Dw case
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		
B J Epps			
vs	Pltff		Dw case
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		
E L Powell	Pltff		
vs			Dw case
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		
Virginia A Stone	Pltff		
vs			Dw case
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		
H B Howry	Pltff		
vs			Dw case
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		
Edna F Bissinger	Pltff		
vs			Dw case
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		
Virginia A Stone	Pltff		
vs			Dw case
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Defts		

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued generally until

J W Hall	Pltff		
vs			Case
Lewis Evans	Defts		

Continued until the first day of the next term of this court

James Bank Pltff
vs } In case
A.G. Butterworth Deft
Continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court

John G. Harris v John Morgan Pltff
vs } In case
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft

M.C. Organ Pltff
vs } In case
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft

John Bartis Administrator Pltff
vs } In case
F.P. Flippin & D.H. Boswell, partners under the firm name of Flippin & Boswell Defts

This day came the plaintiff by his attorneys, and the defendant filed his demurrer to the plaintiff's declaration, which demurrer the court sustained. And on motion of the plaintiff by his attorney leave is granted him to amend his declaration

A.J. Goldsberry Pltff
vs } In case
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft
Continued until first day of the next term of this Court

Watt Plow Company Pltff
vs } Detinue
H.H. Hawkins. Deft
Continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court

F.M. D'Allen trading as D'Allen Bro. Pltff
vs
Isaac Holdsworth, W.H. Holdsworth & H. Barnes Butterworth, late partners trading as Holdsworth Bros & Butterworth Deft
Continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court

N. J. Branch & B. E. Cobb Pltffs
vs } In Case
Norfolk & Western Railway Company Defts

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the Court having heard the arguments of Counsel on the defendants Demurrer to the plaintiffs Evidence, and having maturely considered the questions of fact and law therein involved, and being of the opinion that the evidence is not sufficient to maintain the issue joined on the part of the plaintiffs, doth sustain said demurrer, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs take nothing by their false claims &c, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the defendants recover against the plaintiffs its costs by it about the defense of this suit expended, Whereupon the plaintiffs by their attorney Excepts to the said ruling and judgment of the Court, and are given leave to file their bill, or bills of exceptions within sixty days from the end of the present term of this Court as allowed by law. And on the motion of the plaintiffs by desiring to present a petition for a writ of Error and Supersedeas to said judgment, the execution of said judgment is suspended for a period of sixty days from this date but before the plaintiffs shall have the benefit of this order, they or some one for them, shall give bond before the the clerk of this Court in the penalty of One hundred dollars, conditioned as the law directs

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County levy, to-wit: To C. J. Hawkins, 1.96, E. S. Graves 2.00 to G. P. Hitchcock 2.00 to J. T. Stevens, 1.72 to R. C. Hardy Heirs Martens 1.72 to E. M. Flynn 1.24 to D. H. Hilkinson 1.80 to J. M. Rees, 1.80

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Beverly A. Hancock

Tuesday Morning,
March 24th 1903.

Present Hon B A Hancock, Judge,

On motion of the proper authorities of Good Shepherd Protestant Episcopal Church it ordered that J. L. White, T. C. Levy and W. C. Rives be and they are hereby appointed Trustees for said Church in the place and stead of any trustees that may have been heretofore appointed.

On motion of the proper authorities of Calvary Protestant Episcopal Church, it is ordered that A M. Organ, W M. Stone & J W. Bossieux be and they are hereby appointed Trustees for said Church in the place and stead of any trustees that may have been heretofore appointed.

On motion of the proper authorities of Asbury Protestant Episcopal Church it is ordered that- J W. Galusha, R H. Hunt and J A. Wells, be and they are hereby appointed Trustees for said Church, in the place and stead of any trustees that may have been heretofore appointed.

The Court doth certify to the Board of Supervisors the sum of Three Hundred and fifty dollars as a suitable allowance to A M. Organ, Clerk for his services as Clerk of this Court to July 1st 1903.

Certified

The court doth allow to W H Young Sheriff the sum of Ten dollars, being two dollars per day for himself and one deputy two days, and two dollars for one deputy one day during this term of the Court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment

Certified

The Court doth allow to W H Young Janitor the sum of three dollars, being one dollar and fifty cents per day for his services as such during two days of this term of the Court which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

Certified

Ordered that the court be adjourned until the first day of the next term

Beverly A. Hancock

Office Judgments Confirmed March 24th 1903.

Elmer E Peters Pltff } In case
vs
C Guy Medlock Deft }

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of $132.02, One Hundred and thirty two dollars and two cents, with interest thereon from the 25th day of May 1901, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf Expended.

American Fertilizing Company, a corporation Pltff } [redacted] case
vs
A G Buttermorth Deft }

This day came the plaintiff by attorney & the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Four Hundred and Fifty One Dollars and forty two cents, with interest thereon from the 18th day of February 1903 till paid and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended. On instruments waiving the Homestead Exemption

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the Courthouse thereof on Monday, the 21st day of September 1903, and of the Commonwealth the 128th.

Present: Hon B. A Hancock, Judge.

John C. Easley who has been commissioned a Notary Public for the County of Dinwiddie, by the Govnr of Va for the term of four years commencing on the 4th day of September 1903, this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law, and together with F. Setterding as his security, who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500.00 conditioned as the law directs.

The Southern Oil & Supply Co. Pltff
vs
Wm S. Fisher and Geo T. Meade, partners in trade under the firm name of Fisher & Meade Defts } On notice of motion for Judgment

This day came the Plaintiff by its attorney, and it appearing to the Court that fifteen days notice of this motion has been given, and that the notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court ~~ten days before~~ [illegible] days after the service of the process of this Court, and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of Sixty Dollars and 92/100, with interest thereon from the 1st day of July 1903 until paid. Therefor it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the said defendants the sum of Sixty Dollars and 92/100 with interest as aforesaid, also its costs about its suit in this behalf expended. (This judgment is upon an instrument waiving the Homestead Exemptions)

Lucien B. Bernard Pltff
vs } On notice of motion for Judgment
Thomas Chambliss Defts

This day came the plaintiff by attorney and it appearing to the Court that fifteen days previous notice of this motion has been given and that the notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court ~~ten days before~~ [illegible] days after the commencement of this term, and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of One Hundred and fifty dollars with interest thereon from the 3rd day of June 1902 till paid. Therefor it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against

the Defendant the said sum of One Hundred and fifty dollars with interest as aforesaid also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended (This judgment is upon an instrument waiving the benefit of the Homestead exemptions

Farmers Bank Pltff
vs
J M Coleman Deft
} On notice of motion for judgment

On motion of the plaintiff this cause is continued generally until the first day of the next term of this Court

Watt Pleas Co Pltff
vs
H W Hawkins Deft
} In case

The matter in controversy in this case having been decided in the Bankrupt Court on motion of the plaintiff this cause is dismissed

Supervisors of Brunswick Co Pltff
vs
Dennis Bin County Deft
} Continued generally until the first day of the next term of the court

Mary E. Ford & als Pltffs
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Defts
} In case

T W Lockett Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. Deft
} In case

Robertson & J. S Thomas Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. Deft
} In case

W A Blanton Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Deft
} In case

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued generally until the first day of the next term of the Court

Daniel Taylor	Petff	In case
vs		
Norfolk & Western Railway Co.	Deft	
R Builterworth & H. K. Builterworth	Petff	In case
vs		
Richmond, Petersburg & Carolina R. R. Co	Deft	
J. R. Lee	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co	Deft	
R Builterworth & H. K. Builterworth, partners	Petff	In case
trading as R Builterworth & Bro.		
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co.	Deft	
John Steelton	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co	Deft	
B. J. Epps	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co	Deft	
E. C. Powell	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co.	Deft	
Virginia A Skeen	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co	Deft	
M. B. Hardy	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co.	Deft	
Edna F. Boisseau	Petff	In case
vs		
Seaboard Air Line Railway	Deft	

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued generally until the first day of the next Term of the Court

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Virginia A Stone — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co — Deft } In Case,

John G. Harris & John Hargrove — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co, — Deft } In case

A Mc Organ — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co — Deft } In case

A. T. Goldberry — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co, — Deft } In case

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court.

M. A. Williams and Lula Williams, the latter being an infant under the age of twenty-one years, who sues by said M. A. Williams, her next friend — Plaintiffs
vs
Norfolk and Western Railway Company, a corporation — Defts } In case

On motion of the plaintiff by consent Lula Williams is made a party plaintiff in this cause and This day came the parties by their attorneys and the plaintiff waived the first count of their declaration, and the defendant filed a plea of "not guilty" to the 2nd count of the plaintiffs declaration, to which the plaintiffs replied generally, and thereupon issued was joined and thereupon came the following jury, to-wit: J. N. Bird, E. B. Diehl, W. S. Hannon, H. E. Orton, A. B. Mercer, Eugene Hawkins, E. W. Hudgins, S. H. Hilton, N. D. Allen, J. B. Young, McClanahan Goodwyn and J. W. Galusha, who being elected, tried and sworn the truth to speak upon the issues joined and now before the court. And the court being about to adjourn the jury were adjourned over until to-morrow morning at 10.30 o'clock A.M.

Farmers Bank — Pltff
vs
A. J. Butterworth — Deft } In case

Continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10.30 o'clock A.M.

Beverley D. Bancroft

Tuesday Morning
September 22nd 1903

Present: Hon B. A. Hancock, Judge

M. A. Williams and Lula Williams, the latter being an infant under the age of twenty-one years, who sues by said M. A. Williams, her next friend — Plaintiffs
vs
Norfolk and Western Railway Company, a corporation — Defendant
} In case

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury sworn in this cause appeared in Court pursuant to their adjournment, to-wit: J. A. Beck, E. B. Deihl, W. S. Harmon, H. E. Otey, A. B. Mercure, Eugene Hawkins, E. W. Hudgins, S. H. Allen, W. D. Allen, J. B. Young, McIlwaine Goodwyn, and J. W. Galusha, and having partly heard the evidence, the jury were adjourned over until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock a.m.

Edward Barton Administrator of John Barton, dec'd — Pff
vs
F. P. Flippin & D. W. Boswell, partners under the firm name of Flippin & Boswell — Defts
} In case

On motion of the plaintiff this case is continued until the first day of the next term of this Court.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

Beverly A. Hancock

Wednesday Morning
September 23rd 1903.

Present: Hon B. A. Hancock, Judge

J. W. Hall — Pff
vs
Lewis & Reams — Defts
} In case

Ordered that this cause be continued generally until the first day of the next term of this Court.

It appearing to the court that the property of Geo. B. Royal at the 158

his name was placed upon the pension roll & when his application was certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts on January 27th 1903, was assessed at more than $500.00, & that the certificate of the Commissioner of the Revenue attached to said application of said Royal certified to the Auditor shows the value of said property to be over $500.00 and that by inadvertance and through mistake the name of said Royal was placed upon the pension roll & his application certified to the Auditor. Therefore it is ordered that the name of said Geo B Royal be stricken from said pension roll & that a copy of this order be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts.

M A Williams & Lula Williams the latter being an infant under the age of twenty one years who sues by said M. A. Williams her next friend — Pltffs

vs — In case

Norfolk & Western Railway Co. — Deft

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury sworn in this case again appeared in court pursuant to their adjournment to wit: J N Beck, E B Deibl, W S Harman, A E Orton, A B Moore, Eugene Hawkins, E W Hudgins, S H Allen, H D Allen, J B Young, W Silvania Goodwyn, and J W Galusha and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to their room and after sometime came into court and reported the following verdict to wit: "We the jury find for the plaintiff and assess the damages at $433 33/100 dollars." And thereupon the defendant by counsel moved the Court to set aside the said verdict and grant a new trial, on the grounds that it is contrary to the Law and the evidence, that the Court erred in admitting certain illegal testimony and that the Court erred in giving certain instructions offered by the plaintiffs. And the Court being fully advised doth overrule said motion, to which ruling the defendant excepted, and was given leave to file their bill or bills of exception within thirty days from the end of the present term of this Court as required by law. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant Company the sum of Four Hundred and Thirty Three Dollars and thirty three cents, the amount by the jury in their verdict ascertained, also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock A.M.

Beverly A. Hancock

Thursday September 24th 1903

Present Hon B A Hancock, Judge.

Cost Ck 7.97
Atty 2.50
Sheff .50
C.J. 1.00
6.97
Ck 1.00
7.97

R B Hartley and E A Hartley, partners trading as Hartley & Bro. Pltffs
vs
W H Abernathy Defts
} On notice of motion for judgment

This day came the parties by their attorneys and it appearing to the Court that fifteen days previous notice of this motion has been given and that said notice was returned to the Clerks office of this Court five days after service of the same, and nothing being offered or alleged in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of three hundred and twenty-five dollars, with interest on two hundred dollars, a part thereof from the first day of October 1897, till paid, and on One hundred and twenty-five dollars, the residue thereof from the first day of November, 1898 till paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $325.00 with interest as aforesaid, also their costs about this suit in this behalf expended. (This judgment is upon instruments waiving the Homestead Exemption)

L C Younger Pltff
vs
J E Dedman Defdt
} On notice of motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and it appearing to the Court that the defendant has had fifteen days previous notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this Court five days before the commencement of this term, and the defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of One hundred and one dollars and fifty cents, with interest on fifty dollars and fifty cents a part thereof from June 30th 1903 until paid and on fifty one dollars the residue thereof from the first day of September 1903 until paid and costs.
Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of one hundred and one dollars and fifty cents, with interest as aforesaid, and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended. (This judgment is upon instruments waiving the benefit of the homestead Exemption) Subject to a credit of $10.50 paid July 16th 1903.

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County Levy for their attendance during three days of this term of the Court and Sheriff's 159

and for mileage, as follows. To J. N. Berk $4.68, E. B. Dickie $4.92, W. S. Harmon $6.00, H. E. Orton $5.88, N. B. Marcum $5.40, Eugene Hawkins $5.48, E. W. Hodgins $6.00, S. H. Allen $6.00, A. D. Allen $6.00, J. B. Young & Co. $6.00, W. Delaware Goodrum $5.88, J. W. Galusha $5.40,

It appearing that B. E. Bishop, S. F. Chappell, Martha E. Hodgins, Rebecca Maitland, Mary A. C. Thomas, Mattie V. Vaughan, John F. Penfield, W. J. Wells, and Bettie Rives and A. J. Dodson filed in the Clerk's office of this County twenty days before the regular term of this Court an application for relief under the Act approved April 2nd 1902. And the Court having taken up, examined & considered such applications which have been certified by the Clerk of this Court, is satisfied that the requirements of said Act have been substantially complied with, and that said applications are supported by the affidavits and certificates required by law, (Except the applications of Bettie Rives and A. J. Dodson,) is satisfied of the justice of the claims of each of the other of said applicants. It appearing that the pension commissioners were duly notified of said applications fifteen days before before the regular term of this Court & have filed no exceptions thereto it is ordered that the said B. E. Bishop, S. F. Chappell, Martha E. Hodgins, Rebecca Maitland, Mary A. C. Thomas, Mattie V. Vaughan, John F. Penfield & W. J. Wells, be placed upon the pension roll and shall be entitled to receive the amounts opposite their names, to-wit:

To B. E. Bishop	$30.00	Thirty Dollars
" Sarah F. Chappell	25.00	Twenty-five Dollars
" Martha E. Hodgins	25.00	" " "
" Rebecca Maitland	25.00	" " "
" Mary A. C. Thomas	25.00	" " "
" Mattie V. Vaughan	25.00	" " "
" John F. Penfield	30.00	Thirty "
" W. J. Wells	15.00	Fifteen "

And it appearing that the certificate of the Camp of Confederate Veterans attached to the application of A. J. Dodson was not signed by the Commander of the Camp in this County, and it also appearing from the certificate of the Commissioner of the Revenue attached to the application of Bettie Rives that she has property of an assessed value exceeding $500.00. It is ordered that the applications of the said A. J. Dodson, and of Bettie Rives be rejected.

The Court doth allow to W. H. Young Sheriff the sum of twenty-two dollars, being two dollars per day for himself for attendance during three days and two dollars per day for two deputies four days during this term of the Court, which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment out of the public treasury.

2.2 dollars by writ

Cobell - due to Wyatt

The Court doth allow to W.H. Young for his services as Janitor during this term of the court, the sum of Six dollars, being one dollar and fifty cents per day for four days.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term

Beverly A. Hancock

Office Judgments Confirmed September 24th 1903

Geo S Van Cleef — Pltff
vs
H. D. Dietrich — Deft
} In case

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and the defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of Seventy Five Dollars, with interest thereon from the second day of July 1903, until paid, and also the costs by him, about his suit in this behalf expended

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 16th 1903

B J Epes, who was on the 3rd day of November 1903, duly elected by the qualified voters of said County, Attorney for the Commonwealth for the County of Dinwiddie for the Constitutional term of said Office, Commencing on the first day of January, 1904, as shown by his certificate of election produced before me, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law, to-wit: the oath of office and anti-duelling oath,

Test: A M Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 19th 1903,

John P Tucker, who was on the 3rd day of November 1903, duly elected Supervisor for Rowanty Magisterial District for the term of four years commencing on the 1st day of January 1904, as shown by his certificate of Election produced before me, this day appeared before me, in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law. And together with S.D. Allen, as his surety who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of One thousand dollars, conditioned as the law directs,

Test: A M. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December the 21st 1903.

Henry Chappell, who was on the 3rd day of November, 1903 duly Elected by the qualified voters, Constable for Rowanty Magisterial District, of Dinwiddie County for the term of four years commencing on the 1st day of January 1904, as shown by his certificate of Election produced before me, this day appeared before me, in my Office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law; And together with The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, acting by John Kuyler, its duly authorized attorney in fact, as his security, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Five Hundred Dollars, conditioned as the law directs.

Test: A M. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 17th 1903,

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Mr A. M. organs Clark of
the county of Nismiddle Co Va
Dear Sir
Please ishu Mr Eddie Fagans
Licsen to Marry him Mr
Pink Jones the Daughter of
Callie Jones an Patsy W.
Jones my age 22 years
of age my Residence is in
Nismiddle county Va an have
Been from my Birth Given
under my hands this above
Mr Pink Jones
W. E. Bates

John G. Bristow, who was on the 3rd day of November, 1903, duly elected a Justice of the Peace for Rowanty Magisterial District, Dinwiddie County, Va. for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January, 1904, as shown by his certificate of Election produced before me, this day appeared before me, in my office, aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law.

Teste: A. M. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie, December, 16th 1903.

H. J. Bevill, who was on the 3rd day of November, 1903 duly elected Constable for Namozine Magisterial District, Dinwiddie County, Va. for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January, 1904 as shown by his certificate of Election produced before me, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law, And together with J. E. Clark, John Harrison and H. O. Moody as his securities, who justified as to their sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of two thousand dollars conditioned as the Law directs

Teste: A. M. Organ, Clerk.

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 16th 1903.

J. A. P. Wells, who was on the 3rd day of November, 1903, duly elected Overseer of the Poor for Sapony Magisterial District, Dinwiddie Co., Va. for the term of four years commencing on the first day of December, 1904, as shown by his certificate of election produced before me, this day appeared before me, in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law and together with J. W. Watkins and J. E. Wells, as his securities, who justified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of of Five Hundred Dollars conditioned as the Law directs

Teste: A. M. Organ, Clerk,

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 21st 1903.

W. B. Prosise, who was on the 3rd day of November, 1903 duly elected a Justice of the Peace for Darvills Magisterial District, Dinwiddie County, Va. for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January, 1904, as shown by his certificate of Election produced before me, this day appeared before me, in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law. Teste: A. M. Organ, Clerk

Judgments Confessed in the Clerks Office October 29th 1903.

Costs
Writ Fee $2.32
Writ Fee 1.00

W. E. Stockdell — Plaintiff
vs
Ruffin Wyatt — Defendant
} In Debt

This day came the parties in their own proper person, and the defendant acknowledged legal service of the Summons and confessed a judgment in favor of the plaintiff for the Sum of Sixty five Dollars with legal interest thereon from the 21st day of October 1903 until paid. Therefor it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the said Sum of Sixty five dollars with legal interest thereon as aforesaid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

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Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 21st 1903

Robt A Reams, who was on the 3rd day of November, 1903 duly elected a Justice of the Peace for Darvills Magisterial District Dinwiddie County Va for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January 1904 as shown by his certificate of Election, produced before me, This day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law.

Teste: A. M. Orgain Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 21st 1903

W. T. Fisher, who was on the 3rd day of November, 1903 duly elected Constable for Darvills Magisterial District, Dinwiddie County, Va for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January, 1904, as shown by his certificate of election, produced before me, This day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law and Exhibited with W. B. Rosser, R. A. Reams, J. C. Chambers & W. H. Young as his securities, who justified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Two Thousand Dollars, conditioned as the law directs

Teste: A. M. Orgain, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 21st 1903,

Peter Solod who was on the 3rd day of November 1903, duly Elected Overseer of the Poor for Rowanty Magisterial District Dinwiddie County, Va for the term of four years, commencing

WM. B. McILWAINE,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

PETERSBURG, VA., March 6th, 1906.

Mr. A. M. Orgain, Clerk,

Dinwiddie, Va.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find motion for judgment Alexander Van Rensselaer against the John A. Dix Industrial School, service of which has been duly acknowledged. Please docket the same for the next term of the court. I will settle the writ tax when I see you.

Very truly yours,

Wm B McIlwaine

Enc.-

January [redacted], 1936.

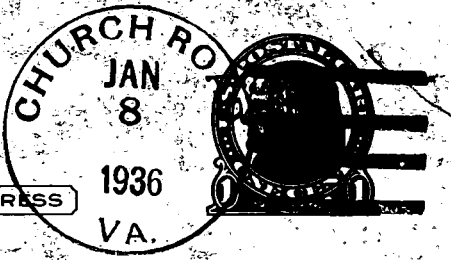
The annual meeting of the Dinwiddie County N. F. L. A. will be held at Dinwiddie C. H. on Tuesday, January 14th, 1936, at 10:30 A. M. for the purpose of electing officers for the following year and for any other business that may be brought before the meeting. You are urgently requested to attend this meeting as matters of importance will be brought to your attention which should be looked after.

Very respectfully,

W. D. HARDY, President.

T. P. CLARKE, Sec'y-Treas.

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THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Miss A. M. Organ
Dinwiddie Va.

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on the first day of January, 1904, as shown by his certificate of Election produced before me, This day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law, and together with R H. Perkins and E. L. Perkins as his securities, who testified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Five Hundred Dollars conditioned as the law directs

Teste. A. M. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 21st 1903,

F. A. Wells, who was on the 3rd day of November, 1903, duly elected Overseer of the Poor for Darvills District, Dinwiddie County, Va. for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January, 1904 as shown by his certificate of election produced before me, This day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law, and together with W. P. Wells and W. H. Young as his securities, who qualified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Four Hundred Dollars conditioned as the law directs

Teste: A. M. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court, December 21st 1903,

John Hargrave, who was on the 3rd day of November, 1903, duly elected Commissioner of the Revenue for District No. 2, Dinwiddie County, Virginia, for the term of four years commencing on the 1st day of January, 1904, as shown by his certificate of Election produced before me, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law, and together with C. T. Brown, R. D. Temple and T. B. Scott, as his securities, who testified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of three Thousand Dollars conditioned as the law directs

Teste: A. M. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 22nd 1903,

Robt Fraser, who was on the 3rd day of November, 1903, duly Elected a Justice of the Peace for Sapony Magisterial District, Dinwiddie County, Va. for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January 1904 as shown by his cer-

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Certificate of Election produced before me this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law.

Teste. A.M. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 26th 1903

F.R. Briggs, who was on the 3rd day of December, 1903 duly Elected a Justice of the Peace for Rowanty Magisterial District Dinwiddie County Va for the term of four years commencing on the first day of January 1904 as shown by his certificate of Election produced before him, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law.

Teste. A.M. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 28th 1903

F.O. Robertson, who was on the 21st day of December 1903 duly appointed a Justice of the Peace for Namozine District Dinwiddie County, Va to fill a vacancy in said office occasioned by the failure to elect, said term of office to commence on the 1st day of January 1904, this day appeared before in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law.

Teste. A.M. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 29th 1903,

S.G. Gillian, who was on the 3rd day of November 1903, duly elected Treasurer of the County of Dinwiddie for the term of four years, commencing on the 1st day of January 1904 as shown by his certificate of election produced before me, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law, and together with The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, acting by John Moyler its Agent and attorney in fact, as his security entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Thirty Thousand Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs

Teste:

A.M. Organ Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 29th 1903.

John W Galusha, who was on the 3rd day of November, 1903 duly elected Sheriff of the said County of Dinwiddie for the term of four years, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1904, as shown by his certificate of election presented before me, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law, and together with The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Company, acting by John Mayes, its agent and attorney in fact, as his Security entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Ten Thousand Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs.

IV Test: Alex Organ, Clerk,

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 29th 1903

J W Bissett who was on the 22nd day of December, 1903 appointed by the County Court of Dinwiddie County Va., upon the recommendation of the Board of Supervisors, Superintendent of the Poor for the said County of Dinwiddie for the term of four years commencing on the first day of January 1904, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law and together with John Hargrave and S.G. Gilliam, as his securities who justified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Four Thousand Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs.

W Test: Alex. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 29th 1903,

Geo. W Harris, who was on the 3rd day of November, 1903, duly elected a Justice of the Peace for Rowanty District, Dinwiddie County Va., for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January, 1904 as shown by his certificate of election presented before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law.

J Test: Alex. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie, December 31st 1903

Wm. E Southerland, who was on the [illegible] day of November, 163

1903, duly elected a Justice of the Peace for Nansemond District, Isle of Wight County, Va as shown by his certificate of election pre-
duced before me, this day appeared before me in my office afore-
said and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths
required by law,

Teste. Wm. Organ, Clerk

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The following causes pending in the County Court of Dinwiddie County on the 31st day of January 1904 were certified to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County as provided by Act of Assembly approved December 31st 1903 to wit.
"The Commonwealth of Virginia vs Andrew Field" Felony.

David M. C. Rash.
James M. Geo. H. Barnes
James M. J. G. Briggs.
James M. J. B. Booth.
James M. R. L. Wynne
James M. J. S. Kuler.
James M. W. H. Thompson
James M. W. A. Jones
James M. Peter Dodd.
James M. D. B. Mead.
James M. R. W. Watson
James M. J. D. Allen
James M. E. G. Goodwyn
James M. W. D. Klein.
James M. L. L. Meredith
James M. W. B. Bridgman
James M. Alfred Green

Presentment of the Grand Jury for violating Ch 98 Acts 1902-3 to promote pure elections.

Master Bridge over Stony Creek upon Road & Contract upon Kuler " " " " " " " "
Scotts " " Gravelly Run Creek Con to Vaughn Rd.
Claiborne " on Claiborne Road.

Office of the Judge of the Circuit Court
Fourth Judicial Circuit of Virginia
Norfolk & Portsmouth Va.

To A M Organ Esq Clerk of the Circuit
Court of Dinwiddie County Va

I Walter A Watson, by virtue of the authority vested in me by law in Vacation Setting, do
hereby Name and appoint B L Clark Superintendent of the Poor for Dinwiddie County, Va
for the unexpired term of J W Bispham, dec'd and you are hereby authorized and directed
to enter this Appointment upon the order Book of your said Court and cause
said Clark to qualify before you according to law. Given under my hand this 4th
Mar 1904

Walter A Watson Judge of the Circuit
Court Dinwiddie County.

Virginia In Dinwiddie Clerks Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court March 8 1904
B L Clark who was on the 4th day of March inst appointed Superintendent of the
Poor for Dinwiddie County to fill the vacancy in said office occasioned by the
death of J W Bispham dec'd this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid
and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law,
and together with Charlotte J Clark & W M Pierce as his sureties entered into and
acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Ten thousand Dollars conditioned
as the law requires.

Teste A M Organ Clerk

Virginia.

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 21st day of March A.D. 1904 and of the Commonwealth the 128th.

Present Hon Walter A Watson. Judge.

The Grand of the Court made a report of deeds and other writings admitted to record at said Since the January Term last of the County of Dinwiddie Court which were ordered to be filed as required by law.

The following Accounts Current having remained in the Clerks Office Forty days and no exceptions being filed thereto were confirmed and ordered to be recorded. to wit John P. Atkinson admr of Nimrod Field dec'd.

Same " " F.A. Jones dec'd.

Geo S. Bernard & T.H. Drewry Trustees of J.E. Williams under Deed of Trust,

On motion of J.W. Galusha Sheriff Court doth appoint J.C. Galusha Deputy Sheriff of the County of Dinwiddie whereupon the said J.C. Galusha appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law.

Commonwealth of Va vs C.A. Rash	Pet'ff Deft	For violation of Chap 98, Acts 1902-3
Commonwealth of Va vs Geo W Bass	Pet'ff Deft	For violation of Chap 98, Acts 1902-3
Commonwealth of Va vs J.G. Bristow	Pet'ff Deft	For violation of Chap 98, Acts 1902-3
Commonwealth of Va vs J.B. Booth	Pet'ff Deft	For violation of Chapter 98, Acts 1902-3
Commonwealth of Va vs R.L. Hynes	Pet'ff Deft	For violation of Chapter 98, Acts 1902-3

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Commonwealth of Va	Pltff	For violation of Chapter
vs		98 Acts 1902-3
I S Keeler	Deft	Presentment
Commonwealth of Va	Pltff	A presentment for
vs		violation of Acts 1902
M W Thompson	Deft	-3,
Commonwealth of Va	Pltff	Presentment for vio-
vs		lation Chapter 98
W A Irvin	Deft	Acts 1902-3
Commonwealth of Va	Pltff	On a presentment for
vs		violation Chapter
D B Meade	Deft	98 Acts 1902-3
Commonwealth of Va	Pltff	On a presentment
vs		for violation of
R W Walker	Deft	Chapter 98 Acts 1902-3
Commonwealth of Va	Pltff	On a presentment
vs		for violation of
Peter Sloe	Deft	98, Acts 1902-3,
Commonwealth of Va	Pltff	On a presentment
vs		violation of Chapter
S D Allen	Deft	98, Acts, 1902-3
Commonwealth of Va	Pltff	On a presentment
vs		for violation of
E G Goodwyn	Deft	Acts 1902-3 Chap 98
Commonwealth of Va	Pltff	On a presentment
vs		for violation of Chap
W D Stell	Deft	~~Chr 98~~ Acts 1902, 3,
Commonwealth of Va	Pltff	On a presentment
vs		for violation of Chap
Lee L Merritt	Deft	98, Acts 1902-3,

Commonwealth of Va. Pltff } On a presentment for
vs violation of Chapter 98
Wm. B. Bridgeman Deft } Acts 1902 & 3.

Commonwealth of Va Pltff } On a presentment for
vs violation of Chapter
Alfred Green Deft } 98. Act 1902 & 3.

The Attorney for the Commonwealth with the consent of the court says that he will not further prosecute in the above styled causes, And it is ordered that the presentments against the above named parties, be dismissed

John Henderson Pltff } On appeal from a
vs decision of a justice, on
Commonwealth of Va Deft } warrant for a misdemeanor

On motion of Counsel and with the consent of the parties Court this cause is continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court.

R. W. Manson and J. R. Shell, partners Pltff
trading as Manson & Shell
vs
Mumford Morgan, R. T. J. Spain, administrator
of J. C. Spain, deceased, John G. Harris, A. M.
Organ and W. M. Lewis Defts } On notice of motion for Judgment.

This day came the parties by their attorneys and it appearing to the court that the defendants have had fifteen days previous notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this court within five days service of the same, and nothing being offered in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs, judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the Defendants for the sum of One Hundred Dollars, with interest thereon from the 21st day of January 1895 until paid, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendants the sum of One Hundred Dollars, with interest as aforesaid, and also their costs about their suit in this behalf Expended, This Judgment is upon an instrument giving the benefit of the Homestead Exemption, and is subject to a credit of $75.00, paid May 17th 1897.

The John F. Plummer Company Pltfs
vs } On notice of motion
A. M. Lewis & E. H. Reames Defts } for judgment

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This day came the parties by their attorneys, and it appearing to the Court that fifteen days previous notice of this motion has been given and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this Court within five days service of the same, And thereupon, on motion of the plaintiffs attorney this cause is continued until the next term of this Court.

JJ

R. H. Manson & J. R. Shell, partners trading as Manson & Shell, Pltffs. vs. Henry Madison, R. T. J. Spain, administrator of J. C. Spain, deceased and Wm. M. Madison Defts. } On motion of motion for judgment

This day came the parties by their attorneys and it appearing to the court that the defendants have had fifteen days previous notice of this motion and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this Court more than five days after service of the same, And the death of Henry Madison one of the defendants being suggested this cause abates as to him

Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the defendants R. T. J. Spain, administrator of J. C. Spain, deceased, and Wm. M. Madison for the sum of One hundred and forty-five dollars, with interest thereon from the 20th day of February 1893 until paid, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants the sum of One Hundred and forty five dollars with interest as aforesaid, and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended, This judgment is upon and instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead Exemption and is subject to the following credits $6.19, paid March 21st 1894; $25.00 paid March 1st 1895; $25.00, paid December 16th 1895 and $10.00 paid November 16th 1896.

JJ

On motion of S. G. Gilliam, County Treasurer the Court doth permit T. E. Perkins to qualify as his deputy, and thereupon the said T. E. Perkins took and subscribed the oaths required by law.

JJ

Mary E. Ford, J. M. Ford, Ella V. Watkins, Anna Watkins, A. W. Ford, J. E. Ford & M. J. Ford Pltffs. vs.

Norfolk and Western Railway Company, a Corporation — Defendant } In case
vs
J. H. Lockett — Plaintiff } In case
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company, a Corporation — Defendant

H. J. Robertson & J. S. Thomas Jr. — Plaintiff } In case
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company, a Corporation — Defendant

H. A. Blanton — Plaintiff } In case
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company, a Corporation — Defendant

Daniel Taylor — Plaintiff } In case
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company, a Corporation — Defendant

By consent of parties the above styled causes are continued generally until the first day of the next term of the Court

R. Butterworth & H. K. Butterworth, partners trading as R. Butterworth & Bro. — Pltffs } In case
vs VR Po & R R Co
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft

J. R. Lee — Pltff } In case
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft

R. Butterworth — Pltff } In case
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft

John Newton — Pltff } In case
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft

B. J. Epes — Peltf
vs — In case
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft

On motion of the parties and with the consent of the court the above styled cause was continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court.

E. C. Powell — Peltf
vs — In case
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft

On motion of the plaintiff and by consent of the parties this cause is dismissed at cost of the defendant

Virginia A Sturm — Peltf
vs — In case
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co — Deft

M. B. Hardy — Peltf
vs — In case
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. — Deft

Edna F. Boisseau — Peltf
vs — In case
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft

Virginia A. Sturm — Peltf
vs — In case
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft

John G. Harris & John Haynes — Peltf
vs — In case
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co — Deft

A. M. Ogan — Peltf
vs — In case
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co — Deft

By consent of parties the above styled causes are set for trial on the third day of the next term of the court

John Rankin Administrator — Pet'ff
vs — } In case
Fleffin & Bosewell — Defts.

N. T. Goldsberry — Pet'ff
vs — } In case
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. — Defts

Supervisors of Brunswick Co. — Pet'ff
vs — } In case
Brunswick County — Defts

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued generally until the first day of the next term of this Court.

Alice Vaughan orphan of J. A. Vaughan dec'd, who is over the age of fourteen years by a paper writing addressed to the Court made choice of J. H. Vaughan for her guardian, who together with W. B. Brown, J. C. Chambers and J. A. Fisher as his security who justified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of of $500.00, conditioned as the law directs.

On motion of Mary V. Madison, who made oath thereto, and together with A. W. Harris and Thomas M. Griffin as her securities who qualified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Five Hundred Dollars conditioned as the law directs, Certificate is granted the said Mary V. Madison for obtaining Letters of administration on the Estate of Henry Madison, dec'd, in due form.

Ordered that J. E. Epps, Edw Thomas, David Thomas, Chas Abernathy and James Boots, or any three of them being first duly sworn for the purpose, do truly and justly appraise and set off the goods and chattels of the personal estate of Henry Madison, deceased as may be produced to them, and return their appraisement under their hands as the law directs.

C. I. Brown gentleman, foreman together with J. A. Harris, C. G. Lee, R. H. Lewis, J. G. Fisher, R. E. Hunt, J. A. Fisher, and S. P. Spain were sworn a Special Grand Jury of inquest in and for the body of the County of Dinwiddie, and after having received their charge relative to their room and after some time came into Court and reported as follows:

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Commonwealth of Va
vs
Clarence Ashburn
} Charged with housebreaking with intent to commit larceny. A true bill.

And the grand jury having nothing further to do were discharged.

Ordered that the following grand jurors be paid out of the County levy for their attendance & mileage in coming to and returning from the court, to-wit: To J. A. Herin $2.00, C. G. Lee $1.32, R. H. Lewis $2.00, J. G. Fisher $1.40, R. H. Herin $1.80, J. A. Fisher $2.00, S. P. Slain $2.00, C. L. Brown $1.40

Commonwealth of Va vs James Tally
Pet'ft, Deft
} On warrant for a misdemeanor & on appeal from a justices court

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner appeared in Court in discharge of his recognizance, and the prisoner "plead not guilty" and thereupon came the following jury, to-wit: C. G. Lee, J. G. Fisher, W. C. Tuskey, M. Wells, E. G. Goodwyn, J. A. Hawkins, Eugene Sutherland, R. H. Gibbs, Jno Atkinson, W. J. Crowder, T. S. Chambers, and Geo Hilbert, and John Brinkley, who were sworn to well and truly try the issue joined and after hearing fully heard the evidence and argument and of counsel retired to their room, and after some time came into court and reported as follows: "We the jury find the defendant not guilty" and thereupon proclamation being made as the manner is and nothing further being offered or alleged against him, it is considered by the court that the said James Tally be acquitted and discharged and go thereof without day.

F. W. D'Alton, trading as D'Alton & Co.
vs
Squire Holdsworth, W. F. Holdsworth & W. Barnes Butterworth, late partners, trading as Holdsworth Bros. & Butterworth
Pet'ft, Deft's
} In Debt

Continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court.

Charles Lenard
vs
Squire Holdsworth, W. F. Holdsworth & W. Barnes Butter-

Everitt & Partners &c Holdersmith }
Bro v Butterworth Defts } In case

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant W Barnes Butterworth plead the statute of limitations to the plaintiffs action, and this cause is continued upon said plea as to him, And the defendant Squire Holdersmith, say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action thereof it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover of the said defendant and the sum of $263.79 with interest thereon from the 2nd day of March 1900 until paid, and also his costs about his suit in that behalf expended.

Ordered that the court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning.
March 22nd 1904

Present: Hon Walter A Watson, Judge

On motion of John Hargrove Commissioner of the Revenue for District No. 2, W J Bevill is permitted to qualify as his Deputy, and thereupon the said W J Bevill appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law.

On the recommendation of the Board of Supervisors W C Rives is appointed County Surveyor of the County of Dinwiddie, thereupon the said W C Rives appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law and together with John Hargrove and W M. Stem as his security acknowledged a bond in the penalty of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs

Commonwealth of Va Plff } On an indictment for
vs maiming.
Anderson Fields Deft }

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of said County, and the prisoner demurred to the indictment, which demurrer the Court overruled to which the prisoner excepted, and being arraigned, plead "not guilty" and the said Sheriff having returned the writ of venire facias, together with the names of sixteen persons summoned by him, and taken from the list furnished by the Judge of the Court, and a panel of of sixteen qualified jurors, free from exceptions, being

confident and the prisoner having stricken from the said panel four of the said jurors the remaining twelve constituted the jury for the trial of the prisoner, to wit, C.G. Lee, W.F. Hitchcock, W.C. Tucker, J.A. Hawkins, Eugene Sutherland, R.H. Gibbs, John P. Ketchum, W.J. Crowder, J.B. Chambers, Andrew Clarke, B.L. Bissett and George Hitchcock, who were sworn the truth to say and upon the premises to speak, and having heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to consider of their verdict, and after some time returned into court with a verdict as follows: "We the jury find the prisoner guilty as charged in the within indictment and fix his punishment at four years in the penitentiary." And the prisoner is remanded to jail. And thereupon the prisoner by his counsel moved the court to set aside the verdict and grant him a new trial on the ground that it is contrary to the law and the evidence which motion is rocked and continued until the next term of this court for argument.

On motion of Alfred Grew, who made oath thereto and together with John Norgrove as his security, who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of One hundred and fifty dollars, conditioned as the law directs, certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of the said Thomas Bennett in due form.

On motion of the proper authorities of Gravelly Run Baptist church, it is ordered that E.M. Scott, Alfred Grew and Wm Grew be and they are hereby appointed trustees for said church.

Ordered that the following veniremen be paid out of the public treasury for their mileage and attendance at the term of the court to-wit: To C.G. Lee 1 3/4, W.F. Hitchcock 1 3/4, W.C. Tucker 1 3/4, A.G. Wells 1 3/4, E.G. Goodrich 1 3/4, J.A. Hawkins 1 3/4, Eugene Sutherland 2 3/4, R.H. Gibbs 1 3/4, John P. Ketchum 2 3/4, W.J. Crowder 2 3/4, W.F. Dozier 1 3/4, J.B. Chambers 1 3/4, J.H. Steel 1 3/4, Andrew Clarke 1 3/4, B.L. Bissett 1 3/4, Geo. Hitchcock 1 3/4, Randolph Bissett 1 3/4, J.G. Fisher 1 3/4, C.G. Lee 1 3/4, W.C. Tucker 1 3/4, A.G. Wells 1 3/4, E.G. Goodrich 1 3/4

J. A Hawkins $1 4 E. ; that the following petit jurors be excused for payment out of Fit Calvy, Eugene Bulkley 1,50 cts 4 Pds 1,16 John Peterson 2 Cts, 1,07 Crenshaw 20, 1,23 Chambers 1,32 J St Frais 1,76 Andrew Clarke 1,64 Jno Brinkley 1,80 Geo Dilstrock 1,76

On motion of the proper authorities of the Demopolis Circuit of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, it is ordered that R.D. Temple, Charles H. Johnson, John G. Harris and John H Lee be and they are hereby appointed Trustees of said Demopolis Circuit of the Methodist Episcopal Church South,

On motion of the proper authorities of Calvery Episcopal Church W.W. Selma, Ass. Organ and S.G. Gibson be and they are hereby appointed trustees for said Church,

Ordered that Ass. Organ for W.F. Dyer, Jno G. Harris and A. T. Powell, be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners in Chancery for the Circuit-Court of the County of Demopolis

The Court doth appoint A.T. Powell, a Commissioner in Chancery of the Circuit-Court of Demopolis County, said commissioner for the said County,

The Court doth appoint John G. Harris, Clerk of this Court, Commissioner of Accounts for the said Court

Ordered that W.L. Peebles be and he is hereby appointed member of the School Trustee Electoral Board for the County of Demopolis

The Court doth designate John G. Harris, one of the Commissioners of this Court the Commissioner before whom the Clerk may draw juries

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock

Walter A. Watson

Monday, March 23rd 1904

Present. Hon. Walter A Watson Judge

The following resolution in respect to the death of Judge Beverly A Hancock were presented to the Court, and ordered to be spread upon the minutes of the Court; which was accordingly done as follows:

Dinwiddie Court House Va,

March 21st 1904

At a meeting of the members of the bar of the Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie, the officers of said Court and the citizens of said County this day held for the purpose of taking appropriate action in respect to the death of the late Judge Beverly A. Hancock; on the motion of Hon C T Lassiter, Hon. Walter A Watson was called to the chair and Mr Albert M. Organ Jr. appointed secretary of the meeting, and on like motion the chair appointed Messrs Geo S. Bernard, W J Epes, A T Parker and P H Drewry a committee to draft and report to the meeting suitable resolutions:

The Committee reported the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted:

1. Resolved that in the death of Hon. Beverly A Hancock, lately the judge of the Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie, who has passed away since its September term 1903, at which he presided, the members of the bar of said Court, the officers of the Court and the people of Dinwiddie have sustained a serious loss. During the seventeen years of his service as the judge of the judicial Circuit of which this County was a part Judge Hancock presided at the trial of many cases, criminal and civil, some of them of great importance, and in considering all of these years, both in and off the bench, was such as to command the high respect of all who had business with him of any kind in his official character, his uniform courtesy and kindly manner in discharging the duties of his office endearing him to all. He was a painstaking and learned jurist conscientious and painstaking in the investigation of all questions which came before him. No litigant or his counsel who can had been decided adversely to his contention ever left Judge Hancock's Court with the impression that any ruling of the Court had been

made Thereon than under the conviction on the part of the presiding judge that justice and the law required him to so decide. He won the esteem worthily and we deeply deplore his death, a loss not only to the people of his circuit, but also to the people of the whole Commonwealth.

2. Resolved that these resolutions be presented to the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie with the request that they be spread upon the order book of the Court and that a copy thereof be sent to the family of the deceased

Geo S. Bernard
B W Epes
A T Powell
P H Drewry
Committee

The following claims against the Commonwealth of Va were examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment:

To E H Sheffield Sheriff Costs	$2.68
" S T Gunn J.P.	.50
" J W Graham Sheriff	9.95
" W L Clark Atty for Com	50.60
" " " " "	5.75

A Thos Powell, who has been appointed Commissioner in Chancery of this Court appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oath prescribed by law.

A Thos Powell who has been appointed Civil Commissioner of the County of Dinwiddie appeared in Court and qualified to his said office by taking and subscribing the oath prescribed by law.

J J Brittle, R S Temple and C Tyler Commissioners appointed by the County Court to let the repairs to Rohoic bridge over Stony Creek reported to the Court that the work had been completed according to contract, which said report is approved and it is ordered that the sum of $180. be reported to the Board of Supervisors for payment, together with the following allowance to the Commissioners, viz: to each of them the sum of two dollars

George P Smith, R D Major T B Scott and John A Trimble Commissioners appointed to let the rebuilding the bridge across Grassy Run Creek on Vaughans road reported a contract and bond with George P Smith for rebuilding said bridge for the sum of $75 which contract and bond are approved and the work ordered to be done

John M Harris who has been appointed Commissioner in Chancery of this Court appeared in Court and qualified to said office by taking and subscribing the oath required by Law.

John M Harris who has been appointed Commissioner of Accounts of this Court appeared in Court and qualified to his said office by taking subscribing the oath required by Law.

A M Bryan Jr. who has been appointed Commissioner in Chancery of this Court appeared in Court and qualified to his said office by taking and subscribing the oath required by Law.

Ordered that the Court be now adjourned until the first day of the next term

B L Clerke who has been appointed Superintendent of the Poor for the County of Dinwiddie to fill the vacancy in said office caused by the death of J W Bonsack this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law, And together with John Haygood and W M Stone as his securities who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $12.00 per payment to J W Tolbird, Sheriff, being two dollars per day for himself and one deputy during three days of this term of the Court

Ordered that the Court be now adjourned until the first day of the next term

Waller A Watson

Virginia, In the Clerks Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court, April 11th 1904.

O.L. Peebles who has been duly appointed by the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, a member of the School Electoral Board for Dinwiddie County, this day personally appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law.

Test A.W. Organ Clerk

Virginia, In the Clerks Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court May 4th 1904

I Eugene LePowell Dep. Sch. do certify that W.J. Brock on this 16th day of April A.D. 1904 personally appeared before me and took and subscribed the oaths required.

Eugene LePowell Dep. Schools

I Eugene LePowell do certify that D.J. Gerrin on the 29th day of April A.D. 1904 W.D. Temple personally appeared before me and took and subscribed the oaths required.

Eugene LePowell Dep. Schools

I Eugene LePowell do certify that D.J. Gerrin on this 29th day of April 1904 personally appeared before me and took and subscribed the oaths required.

Eugene LePowell Dep. Schools

I Eugene LePowell do certify that O.L. Peebles on this 29th day of April A.D. 1904 personally appeared before me and took and subscribed the oaths required.

Eugene LePowell Dep. Schools

I Eugene LePowell do certify that McRives on this 30th day of April A.D. 1904 personally appeared before me and took and subscribed the oaths required.

Eugene LePowell Dep. Schools

I Eugene LePowell do certify that F.J. Jones on this 26th day of April A.D. 1904 personally appeared before me and took and subscribed the oaths required.

Eugene LePowell Dep. Schools

I Eugene LePowell do certify that Harry Hawkins on this 30th day of April A.D. 1904 personally appeared before me and took and subscribed the oaths required.

Eugene LePowell Dep. Schools

I Eugene LePowell do certify that on this 25th day of April A.D. 1904 personally appeared before me and took and subscribed the oaths required

Eugene LePowell Dep. Schools

I Eugene LePowell do certify that on this 25th day of April A.D. 1904. J.W. Jefferson personally appeared before me and took and subscribed the oaths required.

Eugene LePowell Dep. Schools

W.L. Peebles a member of the School Electoral Board for Dinwiddie County this day appeared before me and took and subscribed the oaths required by law May 16 1904

A.W. Organ Clk

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 16th day of May 1904 and in the 128th year of the Commonwealth

Present: Hon. Walter A Watson: Judge:

The Clerk of this Court made a report of deeds & admitted other writings admitted to record by him in his office during and since the March term of this Court which is approved & filed.

The Court doth assign John T Collier, guardian of John Arthur Thomas Collier, who is under the age of fourteen years, & John Arthur Thomas Collier having given his consent in writing thereto over said and thereupon the said John T Collier appeared in Court and together with Thomas Roberts and P M. Record as his securities who justified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of twelve hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs.

B. P. King of this County having died intestate more than thirty days and no person having applied for administration of the estate of of the said B. P. King. On motion of Robt A. Lewis, a Creditor of the said B. P. King the estate of the said B. P. King is committed to the Hands of J W Gathright, Sheriff for administration

Ordered that Henry Birdsong and Phil Johnson be exonerated from the payment of Capitation Taxes, both State & County on account of old age and bodily infirmities ~~on account of old age and bodily infirmities~~.

C. F Smith and Geo. C Burgess acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Va in the sum of $25.00 to be levied of their respective goods & chattels, land and tenements, for the use of the said Commonwealth but to be void, should the said C. F. Smith and the said Geo. C. Burgess and each of them personally appear in this Court to-morrow morning at nine o'clock A.M. to testify on behalf of Com Henry Austin charged with murder and not depart thence without the leave of this Court.

On the application of R E. Hawkes, D Dunn and others

for commissioners to view the road leading from Ford Depot to Nansemond Creek known as Gregg's Branch Road and report as whether the said road should be opened as a public road. Leading from Ford's Depot in Demiddie County to the County line of Sussex County it is ordered that J.E. Young, Edwd Hammond, Eugene Hobbs, C.E. Tingley and D.W. Allen be appointed viewers, to view the ground and report to the Court the conveniences and inconveniences that will result to individuals as well as to the public if such road shall be opened as a public road as proposed, and especially whether any yard, garden or orchard, or any part thereof will be cut through and how to be taken, and the said viewers shall also ascertain and report to, whether the said road will be one of such new private conveniences, as to make it proper that it should be opened and kept in order by the person or persons for whose convenience it is desired. Said viewers shall also report the names of the land owners on such route, which of them require compensation, the probable amount, in the opinion of the viewers to which such party may be entitled and further as the law directs.

Capt. Malcolm
C.W. Hammond
Eugene Hobbs

David Taylor Plaintiff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company Defendant } In Equity

All matters of controversy between the parties to this cause having been adjusted and settled by consent of parties it is ordered that this cause be and it is hereby dismissed, the parties to pay their respective costs in this behalf expended.

On motion of the proper authorities of Big Bethel Baptist Church, it is ordered that Booker Ellis, Jno A. Madison, Baker Hobbs, Hilliard Dowgood, Edward Draper, John Thomas & Edward H. Thomas be and they are hereby appointed Trustees for said Big Bethel Baptist Church in the place and stead of any trustees that have been heretofore appointed.

W.A. Blanton, gentleman foreman, together with J.S. Thomas, A.A. Hudson, John P. Tucker, J.E.G. Wells, O.J. Brisman & C.C. Wells, Archer Clopton, and T.B. Chambers were sworn a Special Grand Jury of enquest in and for the County of Dinwiddie, and after having received their charge retired to their room, and after some time came into court having

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found the following presentments and indictments, to-wit:

Commonwealth of Va
vs
Wm Henry Austin } Indictment for murder — A true bill

The Commonwealth of Va
vs
Charles Healy } Indictment for shooting at a train on Nor W Railway — A true bill

The Commonwealth of Va
vs
Alexander Jackson & James Hemmicit } Indictment for murder — A true bill

The Commonwealth of Va
vs
Jno Reid } Indictment for practising medicine without license — Not a true bill

And the grand jury having no further business before them they were discharged. And it is ordered that they be paid out of the County levy for their attendance at this term of the court as follows: To J. S. Thomas Jr. 1.96, A A Hudson 1.96, John P. Tesher 1.96, J E Y Wells 1.88, O J Bossieux 1.96, W A Blanton 1.88, C C Wells 1.96, Archer Clarke 1.88, T B Chambers 1.70.

Commonwealth of Va — Pltff
vs
Anderson Field — Deft } On indictment for a felony.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the jailer of this Court: And the court having maturely considered the defendants motion for a new trial, is of the opinion that there is error in the rulings and judgment of the court, doth set aside the said verdict and grants the defendant a new trial. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

The John F. Plummer Co. — Pltffs
vs
Lewis & Reams — Defts } On motion of motion for Judgment

On motion of the plaintiffs this cause is dismissed and removed from the docket.

Mary E. Ford & others — Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Deft
} In case

T. W. Lockett — Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co — Deft
} In case

J. S. Thomas Jr. & W. J. Robertson — Pltffs
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Deft
} In case

W. A. Blanton — Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Deft
} In case

Continued generally until the first day of the next term.

J. A. Lee — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. — Deft
} In case

R. Butterworth — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. — Deft
} In case

John Newton — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. — Deft
} In case

B. J. Epes — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. — Deft
} In case

A. T. Goldsberry — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Deft
} In case

Continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court.

A paper writing bearing date on the 12th day of December 1887, purporting to be the last will and testament 174

of William Jones, decd. was this day produced in Court and offered for proof and was proven by the oath of J.H. Moore one of the subscribing witnesses thereto who testifies that himself and A.O. Moore and D.T. Williams the other subscribing witnesses thereto were present together at the same time and in the presence of the testator and at his request, signed their names to said will as witnesses thereto. And thereupon the said will is admitted to probate as and for the last will and testament of the said William Jones, decd.

This day came A.T. Patterson, Jr. who made oath that he is the Secretary and Treasurer of the Riverside Club, that the said Club was chartered and organized as a social club before the 16th day of April 1903, and has its place of business or Club house in the County of Dinwiddie, and Exhibited in Court a list of the active members of said Club; and the Court being satisfied that such membership exceeds thirty bona fide members, and that such organization is a bona-fide Social Club, and not an organization created or conducted for the purpose of violating or evading the laws of this State regulating the licensing and sale of liquors; and that the said corporation has on or before the 30th day of April 1904, paid to the Treasurer of this County, wherein the club house or other place of meeting of the said corporation during the preceding year, the Court doth hereby order that the said Riverside Club be and the same is hereby entitled to distribute and dispense wines, ardent spirits, malt liquors, or any mixture thereof, alcoholic bitters or bitters containing alcohol, or fruit preserved in ardent spirits as the case may be, to and among its members entitled and including the 30th day of April 1905, without obtaining any license or paying any further tax, either State, municipal or County for the said privilege than is above provided.

The Commonwealth of Va. Plff. } On indictment for
vs } murder of Cephas
William Henry Austin Deft. } Dinkins

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and the prisoner by counsel objects to the writ of venire facias in this case for the reason

that it was not drawn as the law directs, which objection the Court overruled, and thereupon the prisoner by counsel demurred to the indictment, which demurrer the Court also overruled, to which rulings of the Court the prisoner by counsel excepted. And upon arraignment the prisoner pleaded "not guilty," and the said Sheriff having returned the writ of venire facias, together with the names of sixteen persons summoned by him and taken from the list furnished by the Judge of the Court, and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors, free from exceptions being completed, and the prisoner by counsel having stricken from the said panel four of the said jurors the remaining twelve constituted the jury for the trial of the prisoner, to-wit: R. D. Temple, C. T. Hawkins, E. H. Hill, Geo. Perkins, A. B. Potts, J. H. Goodwyn, J. W. Avery, W. E. Stockell, W. C. Tucker, W. B. Lavin, F. T. Jones, & A. B. Womack, who were sworn the truth of, and upon the premises to speak, and having partly heard the evidence, and the Court being about to adjourn, the jury were given in charge of J. W. Gelashas Sheriff of the County, and his deputy, J. C. Gelashas, to whom was administered an oath that they would keep the jury together without communication with any person, and that they would neither converse with them themselves touching this trial, nor permit any other person to do so, and would cause them to appear in Court to-morrow morning at nine o'clock A.M. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at nine o'clock, A.M.

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning
May 17th 1904

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson Judge.

On motion of the proper authorities of Eleven Oaks Baptist Church, it is ordered that A. Stuart, Geo. Hudson, Wm. Bias, Jas. Ragsdale, & E. D. Hudson, be and they are hereby appointed Trustees for said Church.

The Commonwealth of Va. Pettf. } On Indictment for
vs } the murder of
William Henry Austin Deft } Cephas Dinkins

This day came again the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner was again led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of the County, and the jury sworn in this cause on yesterday appeared in Court in charge of the Sheriff in pursuance of their adjournment, to wit: R. D. Temple, C. T. Hawkins, E. H. Hill, George Perkins, A. B. Potts, J. H. Goodwyn, J. W. Airey, W. E. Stockdell, W. C. Tucker, W. B. Lanier, F. A. Jones, and A. B. Maupin, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to their room to consider of their verdict and of the sentence came into Court and declared that they were unable to agree upon a verdict, and thereupon they were given in charge of the Sheriff of this County and his deputies, to whom was administered an oath, that they would keep the jury together without communication with any person, and that they would neither converse with them themselves touching this trial ~~nor permit~~ nor permit any other person to do so, and would retain them to appear in Court to-morrow morning at nine o'clock a.m. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

On motion of J. W. Galusha Sheriff of this County, and with the consent of the Court W. J. Burell is permitted to qualify as his deputy, and thereupon the said W. J. Burell appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
May 18th 1904

Present, Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Commonwealth of Va. Pettf. } On indictment for
vs } murder of Cephas
William Henry Austin Deft } Dinkins.

This day came again the Attorney for the Commonwealth

and the prisoner was again led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and the jury sworn in this cause again appeared in Court in pursuance of their adjournment, to wit. R. D. Temple, C. T. Hawkins, E. H. Hill, Geo. Perkins, A. B. Potts, J. H. Gadbury, J. W. Airey, W. E. Stockdell, W. C. Tucker, W. B. Lanier, F. A. Jones, and A. B. Maxwell and retired to their room for to consider of their verdict, - and after some time returned into Court having found the following verdict:- "We the jury find the prisoner guilty of voluntary manslaughter and fix his term of confinement for two years in the public jail and State Penitentiary." And nothing being offered by the prisoner or his counsel why sentence should not now be pronounced against him according to law, and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof. It is considered by the Court that the said Wm Henry Austin be confined in the penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the term of two years the period by the jurors in their verdict as aforesaid. And it is ordered that the proper authorities remove and safely convey the said William Henry Austin from the jail of this County to the said penitentiary there to be kept confined & imprisoned & treated in the manner directed by law. And the prisoner was remanded to jail

On motion of Marcellas Poole and Chas W. Poole orphans of J. W. Poole decd, who are over the age of fourteen years the Court doth appoint Lillie A. Poole guardian of said Chas W. Poole and Marcellas Poole. And thereupon the said Lillie A. Poole together with Rudolph Wachsman, as her security who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500.00 conditioned as the law directs.

Commonwealth of Va. Pltff
vs
Egbert Long Defdt

On indictment for house-breaking and larceny

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the jailor of this Court and upon arraignment a plea of "~~not~~" guilty" was entered by the accused in person, and with the consent of the attorney for the Commonwealth, the Court proceeded to hear and determine the case without the intervention of a jury. And the Court having fully heard the evidence doth adjudge, that the said Egbert Long be confined in the County jail of this County for a period of six months. And it being asked of the prisoner if any thing for himself he had or knew to say why the Court should not now proceed to pronounce sentence against him according to law, and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof, it is considered by the Court that the said Egbert Long be confined in the County jail of this county for the term of six months there to be kept confined as aforesaid. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

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George Perkins, acknowledged himself to be indebted to the Com-

Commonwealth in the sum of $500 to be levied of his goods &c for the use of the said Commonwealth but to be void should the said Geo Paskins personally appear in Court on the first day of the next term of this Court to testify in behalf of the Commonwealth of Va vs James Henderson charged with a misdemeanor and not depart without the leave of this Court.

Edward Barter, Administrator of John Barter, deceased, Pltffs.

vs

F O. Flippin and D W Boswell, partners, doing business under the style & firm of Flippin & Boswell Defts.

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendants by counsel demurred to the plaintiff's declaration which demurrer the Court overruled, and thereupon the defendant filed a plea of not guilty to the plaintiff's declaration to which the plaintiff replied generally, and thereupon issue was joined and there came the following jury which was examined by the Court and found free from objections, to wit C E Pafiello, C A Thynn, J A Bentley, R B Minahan, M E Bishop, W H Crowder, J D T Wells, J W Hawkins, & O J Bussinger and the parties having Exercised their right of challenging two of said jurors C E. Pafiello, C A. Thynn, J A Bentley, R B. Minahan, M E Bishop and J D T Wells the following constituted the jury for the trial of the case who being Elected, tried and sworn the truth to speak upon the issue joined and now before the Court. And having fully heard the evidence the defendants demurred to the plaintiffs evidence, and the plaintiff joined in the said demurrer. Whereupon the said jury being required to say what damages the said plaintiff hath sustained, retired to their room and after sometime came into Court and reported as follows: "If upon the issue joined the Court be of opinion that the law entitles the plaintiff to recover in this case, we the jury find for the plaintiff and assess his damages at $300 &c, but if the Court be of the opinion that under the law no liability rests upon the plaintiff, then we find for the defendant" And the Court having heard argument of Counsel upon the demurrer to the Evidence doth take time to consider of its judgment until a further day of this term.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until Saturday Morning at ten o'clock A M.

Walter A. Watson

Virginia: At a Circuit Court continued & held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the Courthouse thereof on Saturday the 21st day of May 1904, and of the Commonwealth the 128th

Present: Hon. Watts A Watson, Judge.

Commonwealth of Virginia — Pltff. — On indictment for
v. — unlawfully shooting
Charles Mosby — Deft. — at a passing train

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and being arraigned pleaded "not guilty," and the said Sheriff having returned the writ of venire facias together with the names of sixteen persons summoned by him, and from the list furnished by the jury of the Court fourteen of whom were found free from Exceptions, and alias venire facias was issued, commanding the sheriff to summon two additional jurors to appear forthwith, which said jurors were Examined by the Court and found free from Exceptions and qualified to stand as jurors, and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors, free from Exceptions being completed, and the prisoner having stricken from the said panel four of the said jurors the following twelve constituted the jury for the trial of the prisoner, to-wit: C E Pattillo, S G Adams, J D T Wells, P A Thrift, J R Brinkley, J A Beatty, C A Wynn, Percy Rose, J A Rose, W H Crowder, W E Stockdell and A G Brisseau, who were sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having heard the evidence, retired to their room to consider of their verdict, and after sometime returned into Court with a verdict as follows: "We the jury find the prisoner guilty as charged in the within indictment and fix his term of confinement at one year in the public jail and $50 fine and thereupon it being demanded of him if any thing for himself he had or knew to say why the Court should not now proceed to pronounce sentence against him according to law, and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof. It is ordered by the Court that the said Chas. Mosby be imprisoned in the Penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the term of one year, the period by the jury in this verdict ascertained. And it is ordered that the proper officer remove and safely convey the said Chas Mosby from the jail of this County to the said 177

peremptory, thereon to be kept imprisoned and treated in the manner directed by law. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

Ordered that an alias venire facias be issued directing the sheriff of this County to summon two jurors to appear forthwith for the trial of Chas Worley.

J. P. Tucker, T. B. Sevit and R. S. Mayer commissioners appointed by the County Court of Dinwiddie County to contract for the repairing or rebuilding of Gravelly Run Bridge this day reported to the Court that the bridge had been built by Geo. Smith, the contractor according to contract, which report is approved & filed, and the sum of $75.00 ordered to be certified to the Board of Supervisors for payment to the said Geo. Smith for said work, and the sum of $2.00 to John P. Tucker, R. S. Mayer, and T. B. Sevit, Commissioners

J. G. Buster, R. D. Temple, and C. G. Lee Commissioners appointed by the County Court of Dinwiddie to contract for the building of Nash's Bridge, over Stony Creek, reports that the bridge has been completed according to contract which report is approved & filed, and the sum of $200 be certified to the Board of Supervisors for payment to J. C. Crawford, the contractor, and the sum of $2.00 to each of said commissioners

John P. Tucker and G. E. Perkins, Commissioners appointed by the County Court at its January term 1902, to let to contract the building of bridge over Hatchers Run Creek this day reported that said bridge had been completed according to contract, which said report is approved & filed, and the sum of $100.00 certified to the Board of Supervisors for payment to C. F. Smith, the contractor, and the sum of $2.00 to each of the contractors commissioners

Edward Barlow, Administrator
of John Barlow dec'd
vs
F. P. Flippin and D. W. Bonnell, partners
doing business under the firm and style
of Flippin & Bonnell

Pltff
Deft

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This day came again the parties by their attorneys and

the Court having heard the argument of Counsel on the defendants demurrer to the plaintiffs Evidence, and having maturely considered the questions of fact and law therein involved, and being of the opinion that the evidence is not sufficient to maintain the issue joined on the part of the plaintiff doth sustain the said Demurrer, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff take nothing by his false clamor, and that the defendants recover against the plaintiff their costs by them about the defence of this suit expended,

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until Monday morning at ten o'clock

Walter A. Watson

Monday Morning
May 23rd 1904

Present: Hon Walter A. Watson, Judge:

Ordered that the following accounts in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Henry Austin, be paid out of the State Treasury for their attendance and mileage at this term of the Court, to-wit: R D. Temple 3 days $3.72, A B. Potts $4.00, J W Avery $4.00, W C. Tucker, $3.80, F A Jones 3.96, C T Hawkins $3.56, Geo Perkins 3.80, W E. Lockhart $3.48, W B. Lewis 3.96, A B. Munson 3.80, J M. Goodwyn $4.00, C H Wynn 1.48, Jno Brinkley 1.80, C E. Pattillo 1.64, R B. Munson 1.96, in case of Commonwealth of Va vs Chas Mosely, to C E. Pattillo 1.64, S G. Adams $1.00, J D. Wills 1.16, P A. Thrift 1.48, J R. Brinkley 1.80, J A. Brinkley 1.96, C H Wynn 1.48, Percy Rose 1.64, J H Rose 1.64, W H Carver 2.00, W E. Lockhart 1.48, A G. Brinson 1.16, M E. Bishop 1.72, R B. Munson 1.96, Annistead Gibbs 1.56, J A. Hawkins, 1.56 O J. Brinson 1.16,

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County Levy as follows: Archer Jolly 1.88, J W. Atkinson 1.88 C H Wynn 1.48, E P. Perkins 1.96, J D. Brinson 1.96, J A Brinkley $1.96

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to morrow morning at ten o'clock

Walter A. Watson

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Tuesday Morning
May 24th 1904

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge:-

Commonwealth of Va — Pltff — On indictment for murder of
vs
Alex Jackson & James Simmons — Defts

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoners was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County. Asked thereupon the attorney for the commonwealth, with the consent of the court says that he will not further prosecute in this cause. And proclamation being made as the manner is and nothing further being offered or alleged against the said defendants, it is ordered that they be discharged.

Commonwealth of Va — Pltff — On Indictment for felony
vs
Andrew Field — Deft

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County and upon being arraigned a plea of "Guilty" was entered by the accused in person. And thereupon, with the consent of the attorney for the Commonwealth the Court proceeded to hear and determine the case without the intervention of a jury. And the Court having fully heard the evidence doth adjudge that the said Andrew Field be confined in the public jail and State Penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the period of one year. And it being asked of the prisoner if any thing for himself he had or knew to say why the Court should not now proceed to pass sentence upon him according to law, and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof. It is considered by the Court that the said Andrew Field be confined in the Penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the term of one year aforesaid. And it is ordered that as soon after the adjournment of this court as practical the proper officer summon and safely carry the said Andrew Field from the jail of this County to the State Penitentiary of this Commonwealth, there to be kept imprisoned and treated in the manner prescribed by law

And the prisnr is remanded to jail.

Commonwealth of Va, Pltff
vs
Wm Reed Deft

For practicing medicine as a physician for compensation, and on information filed by the attorney for the Commonwealth

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and by leave of Court filed an information in this cause. And thereupon the prisnr appeared in Court in custody of the Sheriff of this county and in his own proper person tendered a plea of "guilty" to the charge, and thereupon, with the consent of the attorney for the Commonwealth the Court proceeded to hear and determine the case without the intervention of a jury. It is considered by the court that for the said offence the said William Reed be fined $50.00 Fine to the use of the Commonwealth. Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Va recover against the said Wm Reed the said fine of $50.00 and costs.

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County levy the following amounts, to C E Patillo 1.64 to C H. Wynn 1.80 to John Bunch 1.76 R B. Munden 1.80 O J Burton 1.76 W E Bishop 1.92 W H. Crowder 2.00 J D T Wells 1.76 J W Hawkins 1.64

Ordered that the following jurors summoned against in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Alex Jackson & James Hunnicutt be paid out of the State Treasury as follows: Martin Warren 2.32 J C. Dean 2.00 W J. Bailey 2.00 J T. Hutchins 2.48 W E Scotchell 2.96 C E. Patillo 2.28 J R. Binkley 3.60 J A. Bailey 2.92 J D T. Wells 2.32 W H Crowder 2.00 C H Wynn 2.96 R B Munden 3.60 J M. Rose 2.96 H O Hardy 1.96 Hally Heartwell 2.00 W F. Hitchcock 2.48

Ordered that the following witnesses in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Henry Austin be paid out of the State Treasury for their attendance & mileage at this term of the court as follows to Barlow Jones 4.86 Robt Dinkins 1.80 Willis Overton 1.80 Sallie Mitchell 1.80 Henry Mitchell 1.80 Manuel Mitchell 1.80 Fannie Robinson 4.86 Geo Blunt 4.86 Wyatt Wright 4.86 Jno Dinkins 1.80 Mary Dinkins 1.00 Wm Bolling 1.80 W J Bailey 1.48 Dr. J R. Beckwith 1.62 in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs R F Green James Hunnicutt $1.00 In the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Egbert Ivey To J J. Donahue 4.86 Same vs Chas Holly To Buck Marshall 3.78 to Henry Peace 3.78 to Tom Epps 3.78 to Milton Epps 3.78 Commonwealth of Va vs Wm

Reade, To Adam Tunnis 0.50, to Viola Wallace 0.62, to Hannah Mack 0.58, to Carrie Hudson 0.58, to Martin Stuart 0.58, to Andrew Coleman 0.50, to Wm Hudson 0.58, to Sydna Wallace 0.58, to C H Zellmer 0.58, to John Crump 0.50,

S G Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day returned to the Court a list of delinquent lands, lots &c in the County of Dinwiddie which have been sold by him to the Commonwealth of Va for taxes and charges for the year 1902, which said list is approved & ordered to be certified & a copy thereof ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts,

S G Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day returned to the Court a list of lands in said County which have been sold by him to others than the Commonwealth of Va for taxes and charges for the year 1902, which said list is approved & filed & a copy thereof ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts,

S G Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day returned to the Court a list of delinquent lands in said County for the year 1902, which were not offered for sale having been theretofore sold to the Commonwealth, which is approved & filed and a copy thereof ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts,

S G Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County reported to the Court a list of lands in said County, which were returned delinquent for the year 1902, the taxes upon which were paid him before sale, which is approved filed and a copy thereof ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for

The Court doth certify to the Board of Supervisors the sum of $20.00 to be paid to Wm Organ Clerk of the Circuit Court for his services as such from July 1st 1902 to February 1st 1903

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $3.00 for payment to J W Gallusha Sheriff out of the public Treasury, being two dollars per day for himself and one deputy during three days of this

term of the court, and two dollars per day for one deputy during one day of this term of the court,

Ordered that R.J. Epes, Attorney for the Commonwealth in this Court be allowed the following sums for forty-five dollars for his services at this term of the court in the following cases, to wit: Commonwealth of Va vs Andrew Field, Wm Henry Austin, Charles Worley and Egbert Long, charged with a felony, and Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Reid, charged with a misdemeanor, to conviction

The following claims against the Commonwealth of Va, were examined and allowed by the court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to wit to A.M. Organ Clerk, 14.50 to B.L. Clark $18.65 - to W.B. Prosser $2.50, to S.T. Green, J.P. $1.00 to same 1.00, B.H. Ragsdale, Special Constable $1.37 to Major Perkins Spl. Constable $3.40, to W.J. Revill, Constable $4.80 to B.L. Clark, Act. Jailer 2.00 to same $133.45, W.S. Biggs $30.00, J.W. Galusha 7.30

The court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $36.00 for payment to J.W. Galusha Sheriff for board of jurors in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Henry Austin, on trial for murder for three days beyond day of empaneling.

The electoral board for the county of Dinwiddie shall be composed of the following members, who are hereby appointed as such S.D. Allen, who shall serve for a term of one year from the first day of March 1904, John P. Atkinson, who shall serve for a term of two years from the first day of March 1904, and Chas. I. Brown who shall serve for a term of three years from said first day of March 1904,

Ordered that A.M. Organ Jr. one of the Commissioners in Chancery of this court be and he is hereby designated to cast the deciding vote in case of a tie vote of the Board of Supervisors upon any question.

Ordered that the road board for the County of Dinwiddie be composed of the following members who are hereby appointed as such, J.E. Perkinson at large from Sampson Magisterial District, J.M. Beck. R.H. Perkins from Rowanty Magisterial District, R. H. Perkins from Darnells Magisterial District, S. S. Hobbs from Dupuy Magisterial District, and E.J. Clarke from the County at Large

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who shall hold office until the first day of July nineteen hundred and five

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
May 25th 1904.

Present, Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Supervisors of Brunswick County, Pltff. } On appeal from an order of the County
vs } Court of Dinwiddie County
Dinwiddie County, Deft } as to Birches Bridge

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Court having seen and inspected the record in the Court below and heard the evidence of witnesses introduced by the parties and argument of counsel, is of opinion that a bridge is necessary over the roadway at the point in question and that an equitable ~~allocation~~ division of the Expense of constructing the bridge ~~reported~~ described and specified in the contract and report of Commissioners filed in these Proceedings is for the County of Brunswick to pay two-thirds of said cost and the County of Dinwiddie to pay one third of said cost. And it is considered by the Court that each county pay its own costs in ~~the~~ its behalf expended.

The Court being of opinion that the public service requires a greater number of Justices in Darvills Magisterial District than fixed & specified in the Constitution and that no additional ratio is needed, doth hereby appoint C. M. Rives a Justice of the Peace for the term ending Dec 31st 1907; whereupon C. M. Rives appeared in

Court and qualified as such by taking & subscribing the oaths required by Law.

Ordered that it be certified to the Circuit Court of the County of Brunswick that it is the opinion of this Court that a bridge on the Boydton Plank Road over the Nottoway River at a point between this County and Brunswick is necessary for the Public service.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Walter A. Watson

E. P. Perkins school trustee for Rawaney District, Dinwiddie Co. } Sworn to and subscribed
and T. B. Scott " " " " " " " Co. } The oath required before
me this 16th day of May 1904

Eugene Powell Dep. Sheriff

Virginia, Fourth Judicial Circuit

I Walter A Watson Judge of the Cir. Court of Dinwiddie County, in Vacation hereby appoint R. H. Perkins A. A. Dance & C. J. Lee, members of the Pension Board for Dinwiddie County to fill the term prescribed by law. Done this 28th May 1904.

Walter A Watson. Judge.

State of Virginia City of Petersburg, To wit

I W. P. Wells do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Virginia, ordained by the Convention which assembled in the City of Richmond, on the twenty first day of June nineteen hundred and one, and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge all of the duties incumbent on me as Deputy Clerk of the Revenue for the County of Dinwiddie according to the best of my ability, So help me God.

W. P. Wells.

And further I swear that I have not, while a citizen of this State, since the 10th day of July, 1902, fought a duel with a deadly weapon or sent or accepted a challenge to fight a duel with a deadly weapon, either within or beyond the boundaries of this State, or knowingly carried such challenge or aided or assisted in any manner in fighting such duel, and that I will not fight a duel with a deadly weapon or send or accept or accept a challenge to fight a duel with a

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duly recorded, either within or beyond the boundaries of this State, or knowingly
convey such challenge or aid or objection in any manner in fighting such duel during
my Continuance in office or both. so help me God.

W. P. Hills.

Subscribed and Sworn to in vacation this 20 day of June 1904

Walter A Watson Judge Cir Ct.
D. Dimmick.
Tim A McGrann Cir Ct

In the Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie
In vacation, Jeely 16th 1904

Whereas, by the certified list of S.G. Gillam County Treasurer filed in the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie County on the 7th day of May 1904, showing the persons who had paid the poll tax required by law, prior to the 8th day of May 1904, omitted the names of W.D. Allen, T.G. Avery and various others, and Whereas, the said W.D. Allen T.G. Avery and various others, whose names are contained in a list filed in the Clerk's Office this day, and signed by the Judge of this Court, have made application to have the said certified list corrected, and their names placed thereon, and

Whereas, said S.G. Gillam has this day appeared before me, and waiving the notice required by law and furnished satisfactory evidence that all of said applicants had prior to the 8th day of May 1904, paid the poll taxes assessed or assessable against them under this Constitution, for the year 1903 (which is the only poll tax thus far assessed or assessable under this Constitution) I, therefore, Walter A. Watson, Judge of said Court hereby direct that the names of W.D. Allen, T.G. Avery and all others contained in the list above referred to, which list is hereby made a part of the record in this matter, be placed upon and added to the list already certified by the Treasurer, and

Whereas it appears from the applications of J.E. Conaway, E.C. Powell, Thomas Thweatt, Paul Pegram (Colored) Victor Smith, Colored, E.W. Perkins Jr. and J.M. Rives, that their names appear upon the said certified list misspelled, or otherwise incorrect and they desiring that said list may be corrected in this respect and the Treasurer

appearing in person and waiving the notice required by law, it is ordered that the said list be corrected in accordance with the applications of said petitioners, and the Clerk of this Court is hereby directed to enter a copy of this order in his common law order book as of this date.

Walter A. Watson, Judge of the
Circuit Court of Dennison

To the Clerk Circuit Court of
Dennison County.

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the Courthouse thereof on Monday, the 15th day of August, 1904, and of the Commonwealth the 129th.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

The Clerk of the Court made a report of deeds and other writings admitted to record by him in his Office during and since the May term of this Court which is approved and filed.

Zehmer Pltff.)
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Vs.) Notice
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Reams Deft.)

Ordered that the above case be dismissed.

James Mann having been licensed to practice law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, leave is given him to practice in this Court. Whereupon the said Mann appeared and took the oath prescribed by law.

The Commonwealth of Virginia

Vs.

Eddie Harris

Ordered that the above case be referred to W. B. Brosise for further examination.

A paper writing purported to be the last will and testament of Ben. Taylor, dec'd., bearing date on the day of , was this day produced in Court and offered for probate and was proven by the oaths of A. W. Harwell and S. J. Walker, subscribing witnesses thereto, and ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of Lucy Graves, Executrix therein named, who made oath thereto, entered into an acknowledged bond in the penalty of $150, conditioned as the law requires, without security, the will dispensing with it and the Court not requiring it, Certificate is granted her for obtaining a probate of the said will in due form.

Ordered that George Chatman Robert Mason, A. Hobbs, Sam Walker and George Perkins appraise the said estate and make report as required by law

John [illegible] Henderson Appellant) On appeal from a Judg-
Vs.) ment of a Justice of the
The Commonwealth Appellee) Peace.

Ordered that this case be continued until the first day of the next

term of Court.

On the motion of John W. Slate, who made oath thereto, and together with J. C. Duane, R. P. Heartwell and T. B. Jolly as his sureties who justified as to their sufficiency, entered into an acknowledged bond in the penalty of $200, conditioned as the law directs, Certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of John R Slate, dec'd.

Ordered that Robt. Ritchie, Ernest Bishop, Otto Gerecke, Louis Owen and Eddie Pegram be appointed to appraise the said estate and make report as required by law.

Ordered that the following cases be and are hereby continued until the first day of the next term of Court, to-wit:

Farmers Bank — Pltff
Vs. — } In case
J. M. Coleman — Deft

W. A. Blanton — Pltff
Vs. — } In case
N. & W. R.R. Co. — Defe

Butterworth & Bro. — Pltff
Vs. — } In case
Petersburg & Carolina R.R. Co. — Defe

J. R. Lee — Pltff
Vs. — } In case
S.A.L. R.R. Co. — Defe

R. Butterworth — Pltff
Vs. — } In case
S.A.L. R.R.Co. — Defe

John Newton — Pltff
Vs. — } In case
S.A.L. R.R. Co. — Def

B. J. Epes — Pltff
Vs. — } In case
S.A.L. R.R. Co. — Defe

V.A. Sterne — Pltff
Vs. — } In case
S.A.L. R.R. Co. — Defe

V. A. Sterne — Pltff
Vs. — } In
S.A L. R.R. Co. — Defe

J.W. Hall — Pltff
Vs. — } In case
Lewis & Reams — Defts

Farmers Bank Pltff
Vs. } In case
Butterworth A. G. Deft

Goldsberry Pltff
Vs. } In case
S.A.L. R.R. Co. Deft

Chas. Leonard Pltff
Vs. } In case
Lewis & Reams Deft

Chas. B. Roberts Pltff
Vs. } In case
B. F. Starr & Co. Defts

Ordered that the following cases be dismissed, to-wit:

C. H. ZEhmer Pltff
Vs. } In case
W. A. Reams Deft

E. F. Boisseau Pltff
Vs. } In case
S.A.L. R.R. Co. Deft

Harris & Hargrave Pltff
Vs. } In case
S.A.L. R.R. Co. Deft

A. M. Orgain Pltff
Vs. } In case
S.A.L. R.R. Co. Deft

J. O. & Ella C. Falconer Pltff
Vs. } In case,
S.A.L. Ry. Co. Deft

A paper writing bearing date on the 19th day of April, 1904, purporting to be the true last will and testament of S. B. Watkins, decd, was this day produced in court and offered for proof and was proven by the oaths of J. E. Perkinson and A. C. WheeLer, the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded as and for the last will and testament of the said S. B. Watkins dec'd. And on motion of N.H. W. Watkins, the executor named in the said will, who made oathe thereto, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $400. conditioned as the law directs, without security, the will requesting that none be required and the court requiring none, certificate is granted him for obtaining a probate of the said will in due form.

Ordered that J. E. Perkinson, A.C. Wheeler, R.F. Watkins, N. J. Ford and John Shelton, or any three of them, being first duly sworn for the purpose, do truly and justly appraise such of the personal property of the estate of S.B. Watkins, dec'd as may be shown them, and return their appraisement under their hands as the law directs.

Ordered that J.N. Beck be and he is hereby appointed a member of the Road Board for Dinwiddie County, from Namozine Magisterial District, to fill the vacancy on said Board caused by his failure to qualify, And thereupon the said J. N. Beck appeared in court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law.

Ordered that A.C. Wheeler and C.Y. Lee be and they are hereby appointed members of the Confederate Pension Board for the County of Dinwiddie, to fill vacancies on the said board, and thereupon the said A.C. Wheeler appeared in Court and qualified by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law.

R.W. Manson, J.R. Shell and A.S. Bridgforth, trading as Manson & Shell Co — Pltfs
Vs.
A.G. Ferguson and Jas. H. Ferguson — Defts
) On notice of motion for Judgment.

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and it appearing to the Court that the plaintiffs have had fifteen days notice of this motion, and that the said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this Court within five days after service of the same, and nothing being offered in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action it is considered by the court the the plaintiffs recover of the defendants the sum of Five Hundred and Fifty Dollars, with interest thereon form the 16th day of March, 1903, evidenced by two certain Homestead waiver bonds for the sum of $275 each, one payable September 16th , 1903 and the other payable March 16th, 1904, and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended.

R.W.Manson, J.R. Shell and A.S.Bridgforth, trading as Manson & Shell Co., — Pltfs
Vs.
R.E.Wells and W.J. Williamson. — Defts
) On notice of motion for Judgment

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and it appearing to the court that the plaintiffs have had fifteen days previous notice of this motion, and that the said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this Court with five days after service of the same, and nothing being offered or alleged in bar of the plaintiffs action, it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover of the defendants the sum of One hundred and firty dollars with interest thereon from the 21st day of April, 1902 until paid, and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is upon an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead

exemption, and is subject ~~e~~to a credit of twenty-five dollars, paid Dec 21st 1903.

Chas H. Bruns & Co. Pltff's
Vs
Ella F. Fowlkes Def't. } On notice of motion for judgment.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and it appearing to the Court that the defendant has had fifteen days previous notice of this motion and that the said notice was returned to the clerk's office of this Court within five days after service of the same.

Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of two hundred and seventy-three dollars and sixty three cents, with interest thereon from the 30th day of August, 1901 until paid, and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

R.W.Manson, J.R. Shell and A.S.Bridgforth, partners trading as Manson & Shell Co. Pltffs
Vs
Aron Batts, Mary V. Madison admt'x of Henry Madison, dec'd. and John A. Madison Deft's } Oh notice of motion for judgment.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and it appearing to the court that the defendants have had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this court within five days after service of the same. and the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing it is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants the sum of one hundred and thirty dollars with interest thereon from the 23rd day of April, 1900 until paid and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended.

This judgment is upon an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead exemptions

R.W. Manson, J.R. Shell and A.S.Bridgforth, trading as Manson & Shell Co. Plaintiffs
Vs.
M.H. Riddle, D.P. Chappell & J.M. Reese Defts. } On notice of motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and it appearing to the Court that the defendant, D. P. Chappell, has not had legal notice of this motion, this cause abaits as to him, and it further appearing that the defendants M.H. Riddle and J.M. Reese, have had legal notice of the said motion and that the said notice was returned to the clerk's office of this

court within five days service of the same. Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover of the said defendants , M.H. Riddle & J.M. Reese, the sum of the sum of One hundred and forty dollars, with interest thereon from the 20th day of January, 1902 until paid, also their costs about their suit in thi s behalf expended, This judGment is on an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead exemption.

R.W.Manson, J.R.Shell and A.S. Bridgforth, partners trading as Manson & Shell Co. Pltff's
Vs. On notice of motion for judgmen
J.Frank Epes, Joe Williams, Isaiah Heartwell Lee Knox and Mary V. Madison, adm'tx. of Henry Madison, dec'd. defendants

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney, and it appearing to the court that the defendants have had legal notice of this motion and that the said notice was returned to the clerks office of this court within five days after the service of the same, and the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing. It is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants the sum of three hundred dollars, with interest thereon from the 25th day of December, 1899, until paid and also their costs abouth their suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead exemption and is subject to the following credits. $40 paid March 18th, 1901 and $40, paid Feb. 16th, 1903.

R.W.Manson, J.. J.R.Shell and A.S. Bridgforth, trading as Manson & Shell Co. Plaintiffs
Vs. On notice of motion for judgment.
J.Frank Epes, Peter Drumgoole, Paul Pegram & Isaiah Heartwell, Defts

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and it appearing to the court that the defendants have had legal notice of this motion and that the said notice was returned to the clerk's office of this court within five days after the service of the same, and the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing. It is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendants the sum of One hundred and fifty dollars with interest thereon from the 26th day of May, 1902 until paid, and also their cost about their suit by them, in this behalf expended. This judgment is on an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead exemption.

Geo.H. Kuhst & Merker R. Hamilton, owners of Barge "Swansboro" Plaitiffs
Vs On notice of motion for judgment.
Ella F.Fowlkes Defts

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This day came the parties by their attorneys and it apearing to the court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion and that the said notice was returned to the clerk's office of this Court within five days after the service of the same. And thereupon this cause is continued until the first day of the next term of this court, with leave to the said defendant to defend the said motion.

R.W.Manson, J.R. Shell and A.S. Bridgforth, partners trading as Manson & Shell Co. Plaintiffs vs. Mary V. Madison, admt'x of Henry Madison, decd Deft. } On motion to require a new bond as administratrix.

This day came the plaintiffs, who are creditors of the estate of Henry Madison dec'd. and the notice to the said administratrix having been returned duly executed, on her motion this cause is continued until the first day of the next term of this court.

C.M. Rives, Gentleman, foreman, together with G.R. Slate, W.A. Webb, John T. Kirks, W.A. Leonard, B. Q. Adams, L.L.Meredith, P.A.Thrift, J.O. Hitchcock, J.P. Atkinson, C. W. Kennedy and J.P. Batte were sworn a regular grand jury of inquest in and for the body of the County of Dinwiddie and having received their charge retired to their room and after some time came into court and reported the following indictment, to-wit;

Commonwealth of Va, vs. Robert Elder. } Indictment for house burning. A true bill.

And the grand jury having no furher business before them were discharged, and it is ordered that the be paid out of the county levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the court as follows, to G.R. Slate $1,64, to C.M. Rives, 1,80, W.A. Webb 1,96, John T. Kirks 1,88, W.A. Leonard 2,00, B.Q.Adams 1,48, L.L. Meredith 1,56, P.A. Thrift 1,48, J.O. Hitchcock 1,24, J.P. Atkinson, 2,00, C.W. Kennedy 2,00, J.P. Batte 1,80

R. A. Lewis Vs. A. M. Orgain, Adr. D.B.N. of Wm. Ettenborough & J.W. Galusha, Shff. of Dinwiddie County and as such Adr. of B. P. King, dec'd. } Upon a notice to have lien of Deed of Trust released.

This day came the said R. A. Lewis by his Attorney and it appearing to the Court that twenty days notice of this motion has been given, and it further appearing to the Court that more than twenty years have elapsed since the maturity of the lien of the Deed of Trust from the said R. A. Lewis to Wm. Ettenborough dated the 20th day of May, 1869 tp settle a debt therein mentioned and described to B. F. king and recorded in Dinwiddie County court

Clerk's Office on the 16th day of August, 1869, Deed Book 12, page 269, it is ordered a copy of this order be entered by the Clerk of this Court on the margin of the page of the book in which said deed is recorded., the right to enforce said deed having expired on the 1st day of May, 1903, - See Acts 1904, p. 271.

Ordered that the following venire-men in case of the Commonwealth Vs. Eddie Harris charged with a felony be paid out of the public Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of Court as follows: To E. B. Diehl $1.64, to James Bradt $1.80, E. G. Haddon $1.24, J. P. Tucker $1.96, J. F. Avery $2.00, A. A. Hudson $1.96, W. F. Abernathy $2.00, B. E. Bishop $2.00, T. J. Cairnes $1.96, Percy T. Powell $1.96, Chas. R Rainey $1.40, W. K. Davis $2.00, C. A. King $2.00, G. A. Boisseau $1.40, B. T. Scott $1.48, J. E. Reese $1.48

Ordered that the following petit jury be paid out of the County Levy for their attendance and mileage at this term of Court as follows: E. H. Hawkins $1.80, R. S. Major $1.48, B. O. Mallory $2.00, G. M. Sutherland $2.00, J. M. Rose $1.72, G. W. Harris $1.96, Walter Stewart $2.00, Harry Ragsdale $1.72, H. W. Lathrop $2.00.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday morning,

August 16th, 1904.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

W. C. Rives who was on the 10th day of August 1904 appointed and commissioned by the Governor of Virginia, a Notary Public for the County of Dinwiddie for the term of four years commencing on the 10th day of August, 1904, this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law, and together with John D. Rives as his security, who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500. 00 conditioned as the law directs.

The report of J.E. Young, C. W. Hamner and others, Commissioners appointed by this Court at its May term, last to view the raad ledaing from Ford Depot to Namozine Creek known as Georges Branch Road this day made a repobt to Court which is filed, and it is ordered that Cropsy & Mitchell, S.E. Reames, T.R. House & Bro, Robert Johnson, Julius Farley Park Harris, Thad Jones, Robert Griffin, Sam Cook, Wash Hardy, Tony Hardy, & Mrs. S. E. Vaiden, proprietors and tenants of the lands through which said woad will pass be summoned to the first day of the next term of this court to show cause, if any they can why the said repprt should not be confirmed and the road opened according said report.

Ordered that the court be adjourned until Saturday, August 20th, 1904 at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Saturday morning, Aug. 20th, 1904.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

S. Y. Gilliam Treasurer of Dinwiddie County, this day presented to the Court a list of the real estate in the district of C. E. Aberhathy, Commissioner of the Revenue of the said district, which is delinquent for the non-payment of taxes thereon for the year 1903 with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinions of the Commissioner aforesaid and the Board of Supervisors, touching the propriety of such lists, and each case therein contained, verified by their oaths thereto annexed, which said list, after being examined by the Court being satisfied of the correctness of the same, doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of tHis Court.

S. Y. Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County, this day presented to the Court a list of real estate in the district of John Hargrave, Commissioner of the Revenue of said County, which is delinquent for the non-payment of taxes thereon for the year 1903 with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinions of the Commissioner aforesaid and the Board of Supervisors, touching the propriety of such lists, and each case therein contained, verified by their oaths thereto annexed, which said list, after being examined by the Court being satisfied of the correctness of the same, doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court.

S. Y. Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County, this day presented to the Court a list of insolvents in the capitation and personal property taxes for the year 1903, and a list of improper assessments of lands in the district of C. E. Abernathy, Commissioner of the Revenue in said County, with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinion of the Commissioner of the Revenue, aforesaid, touching the propriety of such lists and each case therein contained, verified by his oath thereto annexed, and the Certificate of the Board of Supervisors, which said list, after being examined and corrected by the Court, the Court doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of the Court.

S. Y. Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County, this day presented to the Court a list of insolvents in the capitation ~~of~~ and personal property taxes for the year 1903, and a list of improper assessments of lands in the district of John Hargrave, Commissioner of the Revenue in said County, with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinion of the Commissioner of the Revenue aforesaid, touching the propriety of such lists and each case contained therein, verified by his oath thereto annexed, and the Certificate of the Board of Supervisors, which said list, after being examined and corrected by the said Court, the Court doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of the Court.

The Court doth allow to John W. Galusha, Sheriff, the sum of twelve dollars, it being two dollars per day for himself and one deputy during three days of the term of this Court, which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts, out of the public Treasury.

The following accounts against the Commonwealth of Virginia who are examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment, to-wit: W. J. Beville $2.86, B. L. Clark $2.05, same $127.65, W. T. Fisher $13.46, same $5.96, John W. Galusha, Sheriff, $2.50.

Ordered that the following witnesses in case of the Commonwealth Vs. James Henderson, charged with a misdemeanor, be paid out of the State Treasury as follows. to-wit: To G. W. Paskins $4.74, Jeanie Parsons $5.70,

On the motion of Alfred Green, who desires permission to erect a dam across Stony Creek on his land at the point of what is known as the old Hill Mill site in the County, and it appearing to the Court that the notice required by law has been duly given, it is ordered that G. A. Boisseau, J. M. Reese, J. E. Reese, W. E. Stockdell and M. A. Rainey, disinterested freeholders, being first duly sworn for the purpose, be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners whose duty it shall be to meet on said land on the 10th day of September 1904, or on such subsequent day as they may designate 10 days previous notice of what time and place shall be given to the parties in interest and proceed to enquire and ascertain if the leave be granted, whether the mansion house of any person, or the outhouses, yard, garden, or orchard thereto belonging, will be overflowed or taken; whether and in what degree ordinary navigation and the passage of fish will be obstructed; whether by any, and if any, by what means such obstruction may be prevented; and whether the health of the neighbors will be annoyed to the stagnation of the waters or otherwise. They shall also circumscribe so much of the lands not owned by the applicant as may be necessary for the dam to be constructed as aforesaid not being (beyond what is in the bed of the watercourse) more than one acre for the dam and shall ascertain what will be a just compensation therefor. And any lands which will probably be overflowed or deprived of water, or otherwise injured by such dam, or be injured by the con-

struction of the work aforesaid, shall likewise be examined by them, and they shall ascertain what will be a just compensation to the several owners thereof, for the damage to the same respectively and make report to Court.

Ordered that it be certified to the Circuit Court of Brunswick County that it is the opinion of this court that a bridge over Nottoway River at a point between Brunswick and Dinwiddie Counties, known as Jones Mill is Necessary for the public service.

Ordered that the court be now adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Walter A. Watson

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court,
September 13th, 1904.

State of Virginia, County of Dinwiddie, to-wit:

"I, Wm. S. Harmon, do declare myself a citizen of the Commonwealth of Virginia, and do solemnly sewar (or affirm) that I will support and maintain the constitution and laws of the United States, and the constitution and laws of the State of Virginia; that I recognize and accept the civil and political equality of all men before the law; and that I will faithfully perform the duty of School Trustee to the best of my ability. So help me God.

And, furthermore, "I swear that I have not, while a citizen of this State, since the first day of May eighteen hundred and eighty-two, fought a duel with a deadly weapon, or sent or accepted a challenge to fight a duel with a deadly weapon, either within or beyond the boundaries of this State, or knowingly conveyed such challenge, or aided or assisted in any manner in fighting such duel; and that I will not fight a duel with a deadly weapon, or sent or accept a challenge to fight a duel with a deadly weapon, either within or beyond the boundaries of this State, or knowingly convey such challenge, or aid or assist in any manner in fighting such duel during my continuance in office so help me God."

Wm. S. Harmon.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of September, 1904.

Eugene C. Powell.

Supt.

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 17th day of October, 1904 and of the Commonwealth the 129th

Present- Hon Walter A Watson Judge-

The Clerk of the Court this day made a report of deeds and other writings, admitted to record by him in his Office during and since the August term of this Court which is ordered to be filed.

James Henderson
vs
Commonwealth of Va
} On warrant- appealed from a decision of a Justice of the Peace

This day came again the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and with the consent of the Court says that he will not further prosecute in this cause, And thereupon the prisoner is discharged

Farmers Bank Pltff
vs
J. M. Coleman Deft
} On notice of motion for judgment

Continued generally until the first day of the next term of this Court

Owners of Barge Swansboro Pltffs
vs
Edd F Fowlkes Deft
} On notice of motion for judgment

Continued generally until the first day of the next term of this Court-

J. T. Kirks
vs
John Slate, Admr of
} On appeal from a decision of a Justice of the Peace

All matters of controversy in the above styled cause having been amicably adjusted between the parties, by consent of parties this cause is dismissed, and it is considered by the Court that the appellee pay the costs of this cause.

E. A. Branch Pltff
vs
T. W. Doris Deft
} On notice of motion for judgment-

All matters of controversy in the above styled cause having

been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties by consent of the parties this cause is dismissed at the plaintiffs costs.

Mary E. Ford adm'x Pltff's
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company Deft } In case

T. H. Lockett
vs. Pltff } In case
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Deft

J. W. Robertson & J. S. Thomas Pltff's
vs } In case
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Deft

H. A. Blanton Pltff } In case
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company Deft

R. Butterworth & Bro. Pltff's
vs } In case
Richmond, Petersburg & Carolina R. R. Co Deft

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court.

J. R. Lee Pltff } In case
vs
Seaboard Air Line R. R. Co Deft

All matters of controversy in the above styled causes having been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties, On motion of the plaintiff this cause is dismissed at costs of the plaintiff.

R. Butterworth Pltff } In case
vs
Seaboard Air Line R. R. Co Deft

All matters of controversy in this cause having been adjusted between the parties, On motion of the plaintiff this cause is dismissed at the plaintiff's costs.

On motion of David Thomas a Subpoena is granted him for obtaining the sites of witnesses and together with Sol Gillian entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $50. conditioned as the law directs.

John Newton — Pet'ff
vs
Seaboard Air Line R. R. Co. — Deft } In case

B. F. Epes, — Pet'ff
vs
Seaboard Air Line R. R. Co, — Deft } In case

All matters of controversy in the above styled causes having been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties, On motion of the plaintiff the above styled causes are dismissed, at the costs of the plaintiffs.

T. A. Stem — Pet'ff
vs
Seaboard Air Line R. R. Co. — Deft } In case

T. A. Stem — Pet'ff
vs
Seaboard Air Line R. R. Co, — Deft } In case (2)

J. W. Hall — Pet'ff
vs
Lewis & Reams — Defts } In case

Farmers Bank — Pet'ff
vs
A. G. Butterworth — Deft } In case

N. T. Godbey — Pet'ff
vs
Seaboard Air Line R. R. Co — Deft } In case

Chas. Lenard — Pet'ff
vs
Lewis & Reams — Defts. } In case

Chas. B. Roberts — Pet'ff
vs
B. F. Slate & Co. — Deft } Attachment In case on

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued generally until the first day of the next term of this Court

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F M D'Alton, trading a D'Alton & Co. Pltff.

vs

Squire Holdsworth, H H Holdsworth & H. Barnes Butterworth, late partners, trading as Holdsworth, Bros. & Butterworth Dfts } In Eq.

Continued as to Squire Holdsworth

Commonwealth of Va Pltff

vs

Robert Elder Dft } On an indictment for house burning

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the Bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and the court having a reasonable doubt as to the sanity of the prisoner, the following jury were empaneled to-wit: H. D. Scott, T B Jolly, S T Green, J T Slate, Heath Berth, W J Crowder, C E Pattillo, A J Sutherland, J A Clark, P E H Vaughan, J W Wells & W L Pulley, who were sworn to well and truly enquire into the fact as to such sanity, and having fully heard the evidence retired to their room and after some time came into court and reported as follows: "We the jury impanelled and sworn to enquire whether or not Robert Elder a person held for trial upon a charge of felony in this court find that Robert Elder is insane now and was insane at the time of committing the crime of which he is charged. A J Sutherland, Foreman." And thereupon the Atty for the Commonwealth, with the consent of the court says that he will not further prosecute in this case, and the prisoner is remanded to jail. And it is ordered that the said Robert Elder be removed thence to one of the lunatic asylums of this State.

Ordered that the matter of Establishing a public road from Ford Depot to Amelia County line be referred to the Board of Supervisors of this County for further proceedings to be had therein.

E. M. Scott this day produced credentials of his ordination and also of his being in regular communion with the Stanley Run Baptist Church, took the oaths of allegiance to the Commonwealth, and with Alfred Green as his security entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500 conditioned as the law directs. Whereupon on his motion, a diploma is granted him

in due form to celebrate the rites of marriage.

R.B. Willett Jr. having obtained a license to practice Law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is granted him to practice in this Court, and thereupon he took the oath prescribed by Law.

Ordered that the following jurors in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Robert Elder charged with a felony, be paid out of the public treasury as follows: Jno Hankins $1.48 Thos Wells $1.96 Barnum Rose $2.00 D.B. Wilson $2.00 Hoot Bostician $1.32 E.B. White 2.00 Wm Baird 2.00 W.W Hamm 2.00 J.E. Wilson 1.96 Jno Hutcherson 1.96 Peter Ross 2.00 Lee Shelton 1.96 O.H. Rainey 1.80 W.T. Hancock 2.00 Jno Edmunds 2.00 H.L. Moore 1.56 W.D. Scott 2.00 J.B. Jolly 1.96 S.T. Gunn 1.96 J.T. Slate 1.96 Hearts Bunch 1.96 W.J. Crawford 2.00 C.E. Pattillo 1.64 A.J. Sutherland 1.96 J.A. Clarke 1.88 P.E. Vaughan 1.32 J.W. Wells 1.96 W.L. Pullen 2.00

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County Levy as follows: John W Bain Jr 1.88 W.B. Butterworth 1.88 T.R. Doyle 2.00 M Branch Jr. 1.40 T.E. Clark 2.00 A.B. Pitts 2.00 John P. Darby 1.56 H.V Johnson 1.80

On motion of J.B. Jones, who made oath thereto, as the law directs and together with C.E. Abernathy, J.G. Harris, J.C. Deane and W.E. Fraher, as his security, who justified as to their sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Two hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs, certificate is granted the said J.B. Jones for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of L.V. Goodwyn decd in due form of law.

Ordered that C.E. Abernathy, J.C. Deane, A.D. Noyes, E.T. Powell & S.T. Clarke, or any three of them being first duly sworn for the purpose do justly and truly appraise such of the personal estate of L.V. Goodwyn as may be produced to them and return their appraisement under their hands as the law directs.

Ordered that Geo L. Harris be and he is hereby appointed and additional Constable for Rawanty District.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock

Walter A. Watson

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge. Tuesday Morning, Oct. 18. 1904.

This day came Wm Lewis & E.F. Reames, late partners trading as Lewis & Reames, and moved the Court to order the proof of 190

the payment and discharge of the debts secured by the two deeds of trust hereinafter mentioned to be entered by the Clerk on the margin of the page in the book wherein said two deeds of trust are recorded, which entry when so made, should operate as a release of said two deeds of trust. And it appearing to the Court from competent evidence introduced before it that the debts secured by the said two deeds of trust have been fully paid and discharged, and it further appearing to the Court that Stratton & Bragg, the persons entitled to the benefit of the said two deeds of trust, have had twenty days notice of this motion, it is ordered that the Clerk of this Court do make upon the margin of the respective pages in the book wherein the two deeds of trust are from Lewis Reams to Geo. Mason as Trustee dated on the 25th day of July 1899 and recorded in Dinwiddie County Clerk's Office in D.B. 22, page 529 and the other from Lewis Reams to George Mason as Trustee, dated on the 24th day of August 1900 and recorded in Dinwiddie County Clerk's office in D.B. 23, page 91, an entry that the debts secured by the two said deeds of trust have been fully paid and discharged and when such entry, when so made, shall operate as a release of said two deeds of trust. It is further ordered that the said Lewis & Reams pay the costs of this proceeding and of the entry of satisfaction of said deeds of trust on the land books aforesaid.

Alfred Gunn
vs
C. L. Brown & others

Upon the petition of Alfred Gunn for a dam across Stony Creek & a water grist mill.

The commissioners appointed at the August term 1904 of this Court to inquire & report under said application as provided by Section 1350 of the Code of 1887, this day made their report to court which is this day filed and there being no exceptions filed thereto, and the Court seeing no objection to the granting of the leave asked for, doth confirm said report, and doth thereupon order that the applicant, Alfred Gunn be granted the leave to erect and maintain a dam across Stony Creek at the site of what is commonly known as Hills Mill, and a water grist mill thereon, said mill to be operated by said Alfred Gunn, subject to all the provisions and restrictions of Chapter 61 of the Code of Va. Edition 1887

R W. Manson, J. R. Shell & A S. Bird Jr. Partners trading as Manson & Shell Co. Pltffs. } On motion to
v. } give new bond
Mary V. Madison, Administratrix of Henry } as administratrix
McDorin, dcsd Deft }

Ordered that this cause be continued generally until the first day of the next term of this court.

The property Books of this county have been filed in the Clerk's office of this court and the certificates thereto are as follows.
Dist-No. 1 A. M. Organ Clerk do hereby certify that I have carefully examined the foregoing property books & that I find the same correct.

Dist-No. 2. I. A. M. Organ Clerk hereby certify that I have carefully examined the foregoing property books & find the same correct.

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of Eight dollars for payment to J. W. Gamble, being two dollars per day for himself and one deputy during two days of this term of this Court.

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $25.00 for payment to A. M. Organ Clerk for his services in Examining the land & property books of District No 1 & Dinwiddie County for year 1904, the certificates having been given and received as the law directs.

Ordered that John C. Chambers, a resident freeholder of Dinwiddie County be and he is hereby appointed Assessor of Lands for Darvills & Sapony District-No V. to make the assessments of lands in said District for the year 1905.

Ordered that R. H. Perkins be and is a resident freeholder of Dinwiddie County be and he is hereby appointed Assessor of Lands for Rowanty & Namozine District (No 2) to make the assessments of lands in said District for the year 1905.

Ordered that the following claims against the Commonwealth of Va be entered to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to-wit- To B. L. Clerk, Asst Jailer $50.00 R. H. Rayson Special Constable 3 days, W. J. Bird Constable $2.40, B. F. Ricketts 10c S. T. Green J.P. 1 day, S Rainey 10c, to J. W. Gamble, Sheriff $2.90, 191 to W. D. Stith 10c, to Ano. Organ Clerk 2.50, to B. F. Bird 10c to W. F. Bird 10c

To S T Green 50 cts to J W Spurr 1 Co to W B Proctor 1 Co to S T Green for Pro C W of Built Constable $1.50

Ordered that the court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Walter A Watson

Virginia,

In the Clerks Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court November 6th 1904.

Geo L Harris who was on the 17th day of October 1904 appointed Constable for Rowanty District Dinwiddie County by the Judge of the Circuit Court this day appeared before me in my Office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law and together with James Halligan & John G Harris as his sureties who made oath as to the sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $2000.00 conditioned according to Law.

Virginia In the Clerks Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Dinwiddie November 22d 1904. This day appeared before me in my Office aforesaid A J Sutherland who was on the 12th day of November 1904 by his Excellency the Governor of Virginia appointed and Commissioned a Notary Public for the County of Dinwiddie for a Term of four years from said date, and entered into bond in the penalty of $500.00 with approved security, conditioned and payable according to Law and took and subscribed the oath of office prescribed by Law.

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the courthouse thereof, on Monday, the 19th day of December, 1904, and of the Commonwealth the 129th.

Present: Honorable Walter A. Watson, Judge.

The clerk of the court made a report of the deeds and other writings admitted to record by him in his office during and since the October term of this court, which is approved and filed.

International Harvester Company of America, Plaintiff,

vs.) On notice of motion for Judgment.

G. E. Tucker and W. R. White . Defendants.

Mem. Notice of Motion for Judt

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney, and it appearing to the court that the defendants have had legal notice of this motion and that the said notice was returned to the clerk's office of this court within five days after the service of the same, and the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing, it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants the sum of thirty-five dollars, with interest thereon from 1st day of September, 1901, until paid, and also its costs about this suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead exemption.

In ternational Harvester Company of America, Plaintiff,

vs.) On notice of motion for Judgment.

T. J. Cairn, Defendant .

Mem Notice of Mo for Judt.

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney, and it appearing to the court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion and that the said notice was returned within five days after the service of the same, and the said defendant beinf solemnly called and not appearing, it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of forty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents, with interest thereon from January 22nd, 1903, until paid, and also its costs about this suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead

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exemption.

G. W. Barner & Co , Plaintiffs,

vs.) On notice of motion for Judgment.

R. E. Howard, Defendant .

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and it appearing to the court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that the said notice was returned to the clerk's office of this court within five days after the service of the same, and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, it is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the sum of one hundred and thirteen and thirty-eight/100 dollars ($113.38), with interest thereon from December 3rd, 1900, till paid, and also their costs about this suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead exemption.

J. J. Percival & Son, Plaintiffs,

vs) On notice of motion for Judgment.

Mary V. Madison, admtx of Henry Madison, Decd., Defendant.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and it appearing to the court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that the said notice was returned to the clerk's office of this court within five days after the service of the same, and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing it is considered by the court, that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the sum of one hundred and ninety-six and 32/100 dollars, with interest thereon from the 16th day of November, 1903, till paid, and also their costs about this suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead exemption.

International Harvester Company of merica, Plaintiff,

vs .) On notice of motion for Judgment.

W. H. Crowder, co-obligor of himself and J. G. Crowder, Defendnants.

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney, and it appearing to the court that the defendants have had legal notice of this motion, and that the said notice was returned to the clerk's office of this court within five days after the service of the same, and the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing, it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants the sum of sixty-five dollars ($65.00), with interest thereon from the 25th day of May, 1901, until paid, and also its costs about this ~~suit~~ suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead exemption.

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xxxxxxxx morning.

Tuesdayxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx .

Present:xxxHonxxxWalterxxAxxWatsonxxxxJudgexxx.

Marvin Smithy having obtained a license to practice law in the courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion, leave is given him to practice in this court, whereupon the said Smithy appeared in court and took the oath prescribed by law.

J. C. Duane, Foreman, with T. R. Cleaton, J.A.P.Wells, B. F. Williams, E. P.Perkins, R. S. Majors, R. B. Moody, W. N. Matthews, J. H. Watts, were swon and empanelled a special grand jury of inquest, in and for the body of the county of Dinwiddie, having received their charge, retired to their room, and after some time spent therein, returned to the court and reported as follows: The Commonwealth of Virginia vs. Arthur Peace and Henry Harris, indictment for housebreaking and larceny, a true bill, J. C. Duane, Foreman.

The grand jury having nothing further to report were discharged.

Ordered that they be paid out of the County Treasury as follows for their services,

to-wit: T. R. Cleaton $1.16, J. A. P. Wells $1.56, B. F. Williams $1.54, E. P. Perkins $2.00, R. S. Majors $1.46, R. B. Moody $1.24, W. N. Matthews $1.24, J. H. Watts $1.16, J. C. Duane $2.00,

Commonwealth of Virginia, Prosecuting

vs.) Upon an Indictment for a Felony.

Arthur Peace and Henry Harris. Defts.

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoners were led to the bar in custody of the jailor of this court, and elected to be tried jointly, and being thereof arraigned plead not guilty to the indictment. And thereupon came the following jury summoned by the Sheriff of this court, were examined by the court, and a panel of sixteen were found free from legal exceptions and duly qualified to serve as jurors according to law, and the prisoners having exercised their privilege under the act of assembly of striking from the panel the names of four of said jurors, and the following failed remained for the trial of the prisoners, to-wit: J.M.Rose, F.R. Briggs, E. H. Hawkins, J. S. Thomas, Sam Harris, H. J. Jolley, J. E. Williams, Peter Solo, T. E. Hudgins, R. E. Wells, J. W. Phillips, R. H. Taylor, being sworn as the law directs, and having heard the evidence and argument of counsel, retired to their room to consider of their verdict, and after sometime returned into court and reported the following verdict: "We the jury find the accused guilty as charged in the indictment and assess their punishment of each of them to be four years in the public jail & State Penitentiary, F. R. Briggs, Foreman ", and it being asked of them if they had anything for themselves, they had or knew to say, why this court should not now proceed to pronounce judgment against them according to law, and nothing bein offered or alleged in delay of judgment it is considered by the court that the said Arthur Peace and Henry Harris, be imprisoned in the public jail and penitentiary of this commonwealth for the term of four years each, the period by the jurors ascertained. And the prisoners are remanded to Jail

Ordered that the following veniremen be paid out of the State Treasury as follows: R. B. Shell $1.48, C. T. Lee $1.20, H. T. Royal $1.20, J. M. Rose $1.72, F. R. Briggs $1.08, E.H.Hawkins $1.80,

J. S. Thomas $2.00, Sam Harris $2.00, H. J. Jolley $2.00, J. E. Williams $2.00, Peter Solo $2.00, T. E. Hudgins $1.40, R. E. Wells $1.40, J. W. Phillips $1.32, R. H. Taylor $2.00, B. J. Davis $2.00

Ordered that B. J. Epes, Attorney for the Commonwealth, be allowed the sum of ten dollars for prosecuting Arthur Peace, indicted and tried for a felony, and ten dollars for prosecuting Henry Harris for a felony, and W. M. Orgain, Clerk, for services in the trial of Arthur Peace for felony, the sum of two dollars and fifty cents, and fifty cents for registering same, and a like sum for services in the case of Henry Harris for felony tried at this term of the Court,

This day came William B. McIlwaine, who alleges that he is aggrieved by an erroneous assessment of $60.00 county levy, $30.00 county road tax, $30.00 county school tax, and $15.50 district achool tax on income returned by him for state taxes, and moved the court to relieve him from the payment of the same. And the Commonwealth's attorney having had notice of this motion, appeared and defended it, and John Hargrave, the Commissioner of the Revenue, who made said assessments was examined on oath touhhing said application and it appearing to the court that the said taxes were assessed against the income returned by the said Wm. B. McIlwaine for taxation by the State of Virginia, and there being no provision of law for the assessment of the said taxes on income, the court order that the said Wm.B.McIlwaine be relieved from the payment of the said taxes, to-wit, $60.00 county levy, $30.00 county road tax, $30.00 county school tax, and $15.50 district school tax. And the Commissioner of the revenue is authorized and directed to make the proper entry upon the property books of his district.

Ordered that A. M. Orgain, Clerk, be allowed the sum of twenty-five dollars for making copy of the Land Book and list of transfers for use of the Land Assessors, which is certified to the Board of Supervisors for payment.

A paper writing baring date the 6th day of August, 1904, purporting to be the last will and testament of Archer Jolly, deceased, was this day produced in court and offered for proof, and was proven by the oath of J M. Rose, one of the attesting witnesses thereto, who testified that himself and other witnesses thereto, subscribed their names in the presence of the testator and of each other as witnesses thereto. Whereupon the said will is ordered to be recorded.

R. W. Manson & Co., Pltff

vs. Upon Notice of Mo. to give Bd

Mary V. Madison, admtx. of Henry Madison, deceased. Defts

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney and the defendant not appearing, the court having maturedly considered the application of said plaintiffs, and having heard the evidence of witnesses, doth order that the said Mary V. Madison, admxt. of Henry Madison, deceased, do appear before the clerk of this court within fifteen days from the rising of the court, and execute a new bond as such administratrix in the penalty of fifteen hunderd dollars, conditioned according to law, and in case of her failure to give such new bond, then her powers as such administratrix are hereby revoked.

R. H. Perkins who has been duly appointed as sessor of lands for District No. two for Dinwiddie County, this day appeared in court and qualified as such, by taking and subscribing the prescribed oath required by law, and together with E. L. Perkins and Eugene C. Powell, his sureties, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of five thousand dollars, conditioned as the law directs.

J. C. Chambers who has been duly appointed assessor of lands for District No. one for Dinwiddie County, this day appeared in court and qualified as such, by taking and subscribing the oath required by law, and together with The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co., by John Moyler, its attorney in fact, his surety, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of five thousand dollars, conditioned as the law directs.

On motion of J. C. Chambers, assessor of lands, for District number one, Dinwiddie County, J. M. Rose is appointed his assistant, who thereupon appeared in court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oathsprescribed by law, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of five thousand dollars, conditioned as the laws directs. with John Y. Harris & Jno. Musgrave his sureties

Oredered that the following accounts be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment: B. L. Clark, acting jailer, $29.30, John W. Galusha, Sheriff, $1.75, John W. Galusha, Sheriff, $3.05, B. L. Clark, $2.55, W. B. Prosise, J. P., $2.00, B. T. Jones $6.08, W. B. Bridgman $2.50, J. B. Jolly $1.00, B. L. Clark, acting jailer, for dieting lunatics, $21.25, it appearing to the court that applications were made to the proper asylums for admission for said lunatics, and they have been received.

Ordered that E. L. Perkins be, and he is hereby appointed, a member of the Road Board of Dinwiddie County, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of R. H. Perkins.

Ordered that John W. Galusha Sheriff be and is hereby allowed Six Dollars, it being Two Dollars per day for himself for 2 days attendance after Court and one Deputy three days attendance at this term of the Court, which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment one of the Publication.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Dec 20th 1904

Present Hon. Walter A. Watson Judge

Ordered that Court be now adjourned until the second day of the next term.

Walter A. Watson

Affirm Judgment Confessed Dec 20th 1904

W. E. Stockdell, Pltff
vs. } In Debt.
George Boone, Dft

This day came the defendant in his own proper person and acknowledged legal service of the within Summons and Confessed Judgment in favor of the plaintiff for the Sum of Fifty four dollars with legal interest thereon from the 20th day of December 1904 the said Thereford it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the said Sum of Fifty four dollars with interest thereon as aforesaid, and also his Costs expended.

Virginia At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday, the 16th day of January, 1905. and of the 129th year of the Commonwealth.

Present Hon Walter A Watson Judge

The Clerk of the Court this day made a report of deeds and other writings admitted to record by him in his office during and since the December term of this Court which is approved and ordered to be filed.

Benjamin Walker Pltff
vs
John W Bain Defdt } On warrant removed from Justices Court for trial

By consent of parties this cause is continued to the first day of next term of this court.

Pltff
vs
R J Davis Defdt } In case

By consent of parties this cause is continued to the first day of the next term of this Court

J. S. Buck this day tendered to the Court his appointment as a member of the Road Board for Dinwiddie Co. from Stonegate District, which is accepted by the court.

On motion of R S Perkins Assessor of Lands for District No. 2 Dinwiddie County, It is ordered that J. S. Buck is permitted to qualify as his Assistant. And thereupon the said J. S. Buck appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law, and together with E L Powell and J R Buck as his securities who justified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Five Thousand Dollars conditioned as the law directs.

Copied & delivered to Sheriff Jan 6th 05.

This day came Jno T Cullen & Adelina L Cullen Executors of John Cullen, and who allege that they are aggrieved by an entry on the personal property book made by John Stephens Commissioner of the Revenue for District No 2 Dinwiddie County for the year 1904

page 33 line number 8 exhibit stay are charged with Forty One Dollars & Eighty three cts. State taxes for the year 1904 on personal property.

And thereupon the said John T. Callier and Arthur L. Callier Executors &c. moved the court to exonerate them from the payment of Forty one & Dollars and Eighty three cts of the State taxes so erroneously charged against them for said year, which motion was defended by R. J. Epes the Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said John A. Hogshire the Commissioner who made the assessment was Examined on oath as a witness touching as well as the Examiner of Records for the 4th Judicial Circuit the application, And it appearing that the said book in which said alleged erroneous entry has been made was delivered to the Treasurer of the said County on the day of 1904, and that application for redress was made on this day for the first time, and that the erroneous assessment was not caused by failure or refusal of the applicant to furnish the Commissioner, on oath, with the necessary information as required by law, and it appearing that the said parties should have been assessed with State taxes on personal property amounting to ~~$119.50~~ $82.40 instead of: as $119.50

All which the court certifies as facts proved upon the application aforesaid. On consideration whereof, and from such facts so proved the Court is satisfied that the said John T. Callier and Arthur L. Callier Executors &c is erroneously charged in said Book with State taxes amounting to Thirty Eight Dollars & Ninety six cents

Whereupon it is ordered that the said John T. Callier and Arthur L. Callier, Executors &c be exonerated from the payment of Thirty Eight dollars and ninety six cents, if not already paid and if paid that it be refunded to them, and said Executors are further relieved from the payment of any penalty or interest on said tax so erroneously assessed and the Treasurer is also relieved from the charge of any penalty or interest thereon.

It is ordered that John T. Callier & Arthur L. Callier Exors of John Callier dec'd be exonerated from the payment of $47.52 — County tax $11.12 District — School tax 24.26 County Levy tax, and 2.26 Road tax on personal property erroneously charged against them on the personal property book of District No 2 if not already paid and if paid that it be refunded to them and said Executors are further relieved from the payment of any penalty or interest on said tax so erroneously assessed and the Treasurer is also relieved from the charge of any penalty or interest thereon.

Copies ordered &c by J.S.

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Peter S. Revey, widow of J.P. Revey, dec'd this day offered

in Court and relinquished her right to the administration of the estate of her deceased husband in favor of J.W. Reeves of the County of Sussex, and on motion of the said J.W. Reeves, who made oath thereto, and together with Patten S Ramey as his security who qualified as to his sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $300.00 conditioned according to law whereupon certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration of the estate of the said H.P. Ramey dec'd in due form.

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County Levy as follows: To David Bains $1.10 to J.W. Bains $1.80 S.P. Clark 1.80 to E.L. Wells 1.96 to W.E. Stockdell 1.24 J.W. Kenney 1.96 C.E. Pattillo 1.64 to J.N. Rick 1.64 to H.A. Stinson 1.96

W.C. Rives, County Surveyor this day made a report of a survey of a tract of land sold to the Commonwealth of Va for delinquent taxes, the same in name of Nancy Bevis and purchased by Geo W. Barnes, J. McBlum & Jno P. Bolton, which said report is confirmed ordered to be recorded.

On motion of S.G. Gillian Treasurer, Milton B. Webb is permitted to qualify as his deputy and thereupon the said Milton B. Webb appeared in Court and took and subscribed the oaths prescribed by Law.

The following claims against the Commonwealth of Virginia was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment. To B.L. Clark Acting Jailer $2.20 to B.L. Clark Acting $3.65 to same $9.75 to Tom Pelham $1.90 to Newman W. Gates, Special Constable $2.92 to Geo W. Gates J.P. $.60 to W.D. Epps M.D. $2.75

Ordered that the sum of $4.00 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to J.W. Jobe Sheriff for the services of himself and deputy at this Court

the Court.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of day of the next Term.

William A. Watson

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday, the 20th day of March, 1905 and of the Commonwealth the 129th

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

The Clerk of the Court made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him, in his office during and since the January Term of this court, which said report is approved and ordered to be filed, and recorded as required by Law.

Ordered that Geo. B. Royal be exempted from the payment of capitation taxes both State & County on account of old age & totally infirmities.

On motion of Henrietta Pegram who made oath thereto, as the law directs and together with J. E. Pegram and Gwen Pegram as her sureties, who justified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $300.00 conditioned as the law directs entitled is granted the said Henrietta Pegram for obtaining Letters of administration on the personal estate of James Pegram died in Dinwiddie County,

Ordered that W. F. Bangh, Chas Field and Arthur Brown being first duly sworn for the purpose do well and truly appraise such of the goods and chattels of the estate of James Pegram dec'd as may be produced before them and return their appraisement under their hands as the law directs.

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A paper writing, bearing date on the 21st day of July 1890,

purporting to be the true last will and testament of James R Phillips decd was this day produced in court and offered for proof and was proven by the oath of R. H. Reames one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordred to be recorded as and for the true last will and testament of the said James R Phillips decd.

Owners of Barge Sevarsboro Plaintiffs } On notice of motion
vs } for judgment
Ella V. Fowlkes Defts

Continued until the first day of the next term of this court

Ended 10/15/40 APN

Farmers Bank Plaintiff } On notice of motion
vs } for judgment
J M Colman Defendant

Ordered that this cause be removed from the docket

F. M. D'Allen trading as D'Allen & Co. Pleff } Case
vs
Squire Holdsworth, W. H. Holdsworth & H. Barnes Butterworth, late partners, trading as Holdsworth Bros & Butterworth Defts

Continued until the first day of the next term of the court

W. H. Sloan Pleff } In case
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co Deft

W. H. Sloan Pleff } In case
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co Deft

By consent of parties this cause is continued generally until the next term of this court

Chas. B. Roberts Pleff } In case
vs
B Frank Sloan & Thos W Sloan, partners in trade under the firm & Style of B F Sloan & Co. Deft

All matters of controversy in this cause having been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties, on their motion this cause is ordered removed from the docket

James Bassicar, Geo. Branch, T. Moss, John Rives and Dr. W.S. Briggs acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Va in the just and full sum of $100.00 each, to be levied of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements &c, for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said James Bassicar, Geo. Branch, T. Moss, John Rives and W.S. Briggs and each of them personally appear in this court on this second day of the May term of this court to testify and give evidence in the case of the Commonwealth of Va. vs. Enoch Granderson, charged with a felony, and not depart thence without leave of this court.

George Bland, Nick Byrd, W.B. Ponsis, and W.T. Fisher, acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Va in the just and full sum of $100.00 each to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands & tenements &c, but to be void should the said Nick Byrd, W.B. Ponsis, Geo. Bland and W.T. Fisher and each of them personally appear in this court on the 18th day of May inst, to testify and give evidence in the case of the Commonwealth vs Benton Jones, charged with unlawful shooting and not depart thence without the leave of this court.

Edgar Worrill, Andrew Worrill, David Worrill and Henry Whitaker acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Va in the sum of $100.00 each to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements &c, for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said Edgar Worrill, Andrew Worrill, David Worrill & Henry Whitaker personally appear in this court on the 22nd day of March to testify and give evidence in the case of the Commonwealth vs Henry Chappell and not depart without the leave of this court.

This day came C.W. Reams & Bro, who alleges that they are aggrieved by an entry in the personal property books made by John Horgan, Commissioner of the Revenue for District No 2, in Dinwiddie County for the year 1904 page 9, line number 17 whereby they are charged with one dollar and fifty cents State Capitation Taxes for the year 1904. And thereupon the said C.W. Reams & Bro. moved the Court to exonerate them from the payment of One dollar and fifty cents of the State Capitation so erroneously charged against them for said year, which motion

Capitation added to Sheriff's

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was defended by B.J. Epes, the Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said John Hargrave, the Commissioner who made the assessment was examined as a witness touching the application. And it appearing that the said book in use which said alleged erroneous entry has been made, was delivered to the Treasurer of the said County on the 17 day of September, 1904, and that application for redress was made on this day for the first time; and that the erroneous assessment was not caused by the failure or refusal of the applicant to furnish the Commissioner, on oath, with the necessary information as required by law, and it appearing that the said C.W. Reams & Bro. are assessed individually with State Capitation Taxes, and have paid the same. All which the Court certifies as facts proved upon the application aforesaid. On consideration whereof, and from said facts so proved, the Court is satisfied that the said C.W. Reams Bro. are erroneously charged in said book with State Taxes amounting to one dollar and fifty cents. Whereupon the said C.W. Reams & Bro. be exonerated from the payment of one dollar and fifty cents, State capitation taxes so erroneously charged, if not already paid, and if paid, that it be refunded to him, together with the penalty thereon.

Minerva Ann Williams

On application to change her name from Williams to Watts.

This day came Minerva Ann Williams and filed her petition asking that her surname be changed from Williams to Watts, her Christian name being allowed to remain as it now is. On consideration whereof, the Court doth grant the prayer of the aforesaid petitioner, and doth order that the change in the name asked for, as aforesaid, be made.

John P. Tucker, gentleman, foreman together with C.A. Hudson, J.B. Fellows, E.G. Goodwyn, J.H. Frazier, J.E. Williams, C.W. Kinney, C.F. Faulk and Andrew Clark, were sworn a special Grand Jury of inquest in and for the body of the County of Dinwiddie and after receiving their charge, retired to their room and after sometime came into Court and reported the following indictments and presentments, to-wit

Commonwealth of Va
vs
Benn Jones } Indictment for unlawful shooting
A true bill

Commonwealth of Va
vs
Ernest Grandeson } On indictment for murder, -
A true bill: -

Commonwealth of Va
vs
Ivan Valentine } Indictment for maiming - A true bill

Commonwealth of Va
vs
Ezra Bauer } A presentment for obstructing a public highway

And the jury having no further business before them, were discharged.

R. Butterworth & H. K. Butterworth, partners trading as Butterworth & Bro. Plaintiffs
vs
Richmond, Petersburg & Carolina Railroad Company, a Corporation Defendants } In Assumpsit

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the defendant filed a demurrer to the plaintiff's declaration, and to each and every count thereof, in which the plaintiff joined. And thereupon this cause is continued until the 29th day of March, the present term of this court.

Martin & Son Pltffs
vs
B. J. Davis Defts } In case

All matters in controversy in this cause having been adjusted between the parties, this cause is removed from the docket.

Ordered that the following witnesses in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Ivan Valentine be paid out of the State Treasury for their mileage & attendance at this term of the court:
Allen Luder $2.92, Robert Harris 2.20, Austin Anderson, Jno, W. L. Wray 2.60

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow at 10 o'clock A.M.

Walter T. Watson 199

Tuesday Morning.
March 21st 1905

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Commonwealth of Va. Plff
vs. } On Indictment for
Isaac Valentine Deft } Maiming

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the Bar in custody of the sheriff of this county, and being arraigned pleaded "not guilty" and the sheriff having returned the writ of venire facias, together with the names of sixteen persons summoned by him and taken from the list furnished by the judge of this court, and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors free from exceptions being completed, and the prisoner not wishing to exercise his privilege of striking from said panel four of said jurors; the clerk drew by lot the names of four of said jurors and the following twelve remained for the trial of the prisoner, to-wit: D. A. Barnes, Jno. W. Bain Jr., T. R. Coates, J. O. Hitchcock, J. T. Mathews, H. P. Gordon, A. G. Bassett, J. D. F. Wells, Robert G. Bassett, W. H. Wray, C. W. Rainey, J. H. Gibbs who were sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to their room to consider of their verdict, and after sometime came into court and reported as follows: "We the jury find the prisoner guilty of unlawful wounding as charged in the within indictment and ascertain his term of confinement in the public jail & State Penitentiary at one year, and thereupon it being demanded of him if any thing for himself he had or knew to say why the court should not now proceed to pronounce sentence against him according to law and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof it is ordered by the court that the said Isaac Valentine be imprisoned in the Penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the term of one year and the period by the jurors in their verdict ascertained. And it is ordered that the proper officer do now after the adjournment of this court as commonly known and safely convey the said

Irvin Valentine from the Jail of this County to the public jail and penitentiary of this Commonwealth, there to be kept imprisoned and treated in the manner prescribed by law, And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

Ordered that the grand jurors be paid out of the County Levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court as follows: A.A. Hudson 1.96 J.B. Tebbins 1.76 E.G. Goodwyn 1.96 J.A. Fraser 1.88 Jno P. Tucker 1.96 J.E. Williams 1.88 C.W. Kennedy 1.96 C.F. Smith 2.00 Andrew Clark 1.32

Ordered that the following jurors in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Irvin Valentine be paid out of the State Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court, as follows:- D.A. Bames 1.32 Jno W. Bain Jr. 1.80 W.W. Mathews 1.24 J.O. Hitchcock 1.32 J.T. Mathews 1.24 H.P. Goodwyn 1.80 A.G. Barnes 1.24 J.D.T. Wills 1.12 Robt G. Barnes 1.40 W.H. Wray 1.80 F.R. Briggs 1.00 B.L. Barnes 1.12 C.W. Rainey 1.40 J.A. Gibbs 1.48 J.M. Rives 1.48 T.R. Clarke 1.12 A.P. Clarke 1.88

Farmers Bank Pltff
vs
A.G. Burnett Deft } On motion of motion for judgment

On motion of the plaintiff this cause is removed from the docket.

Ordered that the court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday.
March 22nd 1906

Present, Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge,

Henry Chappell — Appellant — On an appeal from a decision of a Justice of the Peace imposing a fine of $100 & $2.70 costs
vs
Commonwealth of Va. — Appellee

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the appellant by counsel moved the court to dismiss the warrant in this cause on the ground that the same does not charge any offense, which motion the court doth sustain, and doth dismiss the said warrant.

Citizens Bank of Blackstone, Va. — Pltff — On notice of motion for
vs
R.E. Hawks & E.A. Hawks — Defts — judgment

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney and it appearing to the court that the defendants have had legal notice of this motion and that the notice was returned to the clerk's office of this court in the time prescribed by statute, and the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing. Thereon it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants the sum of Fifteen Hundred and sixty-two dollars, and defts give judgment accordingly with interest on three hundred and thirty-one dollars, a part thereof from the 3rd day of February 1905, till paid, and on two hundred and four dollars, another part thereof from February 6th 1905, till paid, on two hundred and fifty-one dollars, another part thereof from the 8th day of February, 1905, till paid, on two hundred and one dollars another part thereof from February 13th 1905, till paid, on five hundred and one dollars another part thereof from the 14th day of February, 1905, till paid, on one hundred and seventy-six dollars, another part thereof from the 24th day of February, 1905, till paid, and on three hundred and one dollars, the residue thereof from the 3rd day of March 1905 till paid. And it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants the sum of $19.62 cts with interest as aforesaid. This judgment is upon instruments vesting the benefit

of the homicide Expenses

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff } On warrant for a
vs Misdemeanor, For causing
Henry Chappell Defendant } and abusing Sarah Harrell of
causing language reasonably calculated to provoke a breach of the
peace

This day came the attorny for the Commonwealth and the prisoner appeared in court in charge of the sheriff. And thereupon came the following jury C.B. Thrift, B.E. Bishop, T.E. Perkins, J.H. Connelly, T.T. Slate, E.S. Crowder, F.A. Jones, who were sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to their room and after sometime came into court and reported the following verdict to-wit "We the jury find the dft. not guilty" And nothing further being offered or alleged against the said defendant - it is considered by the court that the said Henry Chappell be acquitted and discharged of the said offence and go thereof further hereby. And it is considered by the court that the said Sarah Harrell pay the costs of these proceedings.

Benjamin Walker Plaintiff } On a warrant in debt
vs And on removal from a
John W Bain Defendant } Justices court

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the defendant moved the court to dismiss the warrant on the ground that the Justice of the Peace issuing the warrant was not properly qualified, which motion the Court overruled. And thereupon came the following jury to-wit: C.B. Thrift, B.E. Bishop, T.E. Perkins, J.H. Connelly, E.E. Hawkins, T.T. Slate, and F.A. Jones, who were sworn to well and truly try the issue joined, and now before the court, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to their room to consider of their verdict - and after sometime spent their came into court and the court being about to adjourn, the jury were adjourned over until 29th day of March at ten o'clock A.M.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until Wednesday the 29th day of March at 10 o'clock A.M.

Walter T. Watson

Virginia: At a Circuit Court continued held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the Courthouse thereof on Wednesday the 29th day of March, 1905

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge

Benjamin Walker, Appellant Plaintiff
vs
John W. Bain, Appellee Defendant

On a warrant on debt on removal from a justices Court

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the following jury sworn in this cause appeared in court pursuant to adjournment: to-wit: C. B. Thrift, B. E. Bishop, T. E. Perkins, J. H. Connelly, Eugene Hawkins, T. T. Slate, F. A. Jones, who again retired to their room to consider of their verdict and afterwards came into court and reported as follows: "We the jury find for the plaintiff and assess that he recover of the defendant ten bags of Spanish Pea-nuts of four bushels each, the said ten bags of Pea-nuts being those removed from the residence of the said plaintiff by W. B. Bredeman, Constable and now in the possession of the defendant." Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Appellant recover against the Appellee ten bags of Spanish Peanuts of four bushels each, now in the possession of the Appellee, also his costs about his appeal in this behalf expended as well as his costs before the justice

Ordered that J. N. Brooks be and he is hereby exonerated from the payment of capitation taxes, both State and county on account of old age and bodily infirmities.

May E. Ford & Others
Plaintiffs
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. Defendant

In case

This day came the parties by their attorneys, whereupon the plaintiffs moved the court to grant them leave to file an amended declaration, which motion the defendant opposed. The court overruling the defendant's objection, granted the plaintiffs leave to file an amended declaration, for which purpose this cause is remanded to rules, to which ruling of the court allowing the

the plaintiffs to amend their declaration the defendant excepted

Ordered that J. C. Smith be and he is hereby appointed a member of the Road Board for Dinwiddie County from Namozine District, to fill the vacancy on said Board caused by the resignation of J. A. Beck,

On motion of the proper authorities of Good Shepherd Church Church A. Thos. Powell is appointed a trustee for the said church to fill a vacancy caused by the removal of T. B. Lucy from the State

Ordered that the following jurors in case of the Commonwealth of Va. vs Henry Chappell, charged with a misdemeanor be paid out of the State Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the court, as follows: C. B. Thrift 72, B. E. Bishop $2.00 T. E. Perkins 2.00, J. H. Connelly 72, J. T. Slate 2.00, E. S. Crowder 72, F. A. Jones 1.76,

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the county treasury as follows: C. B. Thrift 3.72, Jno. B. Fraser 2.00, B. E. Bishop 4.00, T. E. Perkins 4.00, J. H. Connelly 3.72, Edgar Hawkins 3.00 J. T. Slate 4.00, E. S. Crowder 3.44, F. A. Jones 3.72, Wm. Williamson 1.60,

R. Butterworth & H. K. Butterworth, partners trading as R. Butterworth & Bro. Plaintiffs
vs
Richmond, Petersburg & Carolina Railroad Company, a corporation Deft

In case

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the defendant by leave of court filed a supplemental demurrer to the plaintiffs, declaration, filed in this cause on the second day of this term, in which said supplemental demurrer the plaintiffs joined, Thereupon the matters of law arising upon the said demurrer & supplemental demurrer of the defendant to the plaintiffs declaration being argued, it seems to the court that the said declaration, and the matters therein contained are sufficient for the plaintiffs to have and maintain their action against the said defendant. Therefore it is considered by the court that the defendants said demurrer and supplemental demurrer to the plaintiffs 20

to which ruling of the Court in overruling the said demurrer and said supplement thereto the defendant excepted declaration be overruled. Whereupon the defendant pleaded "non-assumpsit" to the said declaration. And on motion of the defendant the plaintiffs are required to file a bill of particulars at the next term of this court. And on motion of the defendant this cause is continued until the fourth day of the May term of this court.

Ordered that the court be adjourned until to-morrow at ten o'clock a.m.

Walter A. Watson

Thursday Morning
March 30th 1905

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

T. W. Lockett, Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co, Deft } In case

Robertson & Thomas, Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. Deft } In case

W. A. Blanton, Pltff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. Deft } In case

All matters of controversy in the above styled causes between the parties, On motion of the plaintiffs its is ordered that they be nonsuited from the docket.

The court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $10.00 for payment to B. F. Epes, Attorney for the Commonwealth for his services in prosecuting Irvin Valentine, charged with a felony & indicted by the grand jury

The court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $30.00 for payment Asa Organ Clerk for his services in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Irvin Valentine charged with a felony & indicted by the grand jury and for copying case

Ordered that the sum of $20.00 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to John W. Galusha Sheriff, being $2.00 per day for the attendance of himself and one deputy during five days of this term of the court

The following claims against the Commonwealth of Va. were examined & allowed by the Court & certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment, to-wit: To B. L. Clark, Asst. Jailer $32.35, to same $2.60 to Henry Chappell, Constable $2.00, to J.W. Galusha Sheriff $2.90 for executing Venire facias &c at this Term of Court.

Heretofore, on the first day of this term came A. T. Patterson Jr. who made oath that he is the Secretary & Treasurer of the Riverside Club, that the said Club was chartered & organized as a social club before the 16th day of April 1903, and has its place of business & clubhouse in the County of Dinwiddie and exhibited into the court a list of the active members of said Club, and the court being satisfied that the said membership exceeds thirty bona-fide members, and that such organization is a bona-fide social club & not an organization created or conducted for the purpose of violating or evading the laws of the State regulating the licensing & sale of liquors, and that the said corporation will on or before the 30th day of April 1905, pay to the Treasurer of this county, wherein the Club House or other place of meeting of the said corporation during the preceding year, the tax required by law not exceeding $300.00, the court doth hereby order that the said Riverside Club be and the same is hereby entitled to distribute and dispense wines, ardent spirits, malt liquors, or any mixtures thereof, alcoholic bitters, or bitters containing alcohol, or spirit presumed to be ardent spirits, as the case may be to and among its members until & including the 30th day of April 1906, further obtaining any license or paying any further tax, either State, municipal or County for the said privilege than is now required.

Ordered that Court be adjourned until the first day of the next Term

Waller T. Watson

I Eugene L Powell Supt. of Schools do certify that Wm A Goodwyn, Wm S Harrison, C M Rives & Thomas B Scott School Trustees each on this 1st day of May 1905 appeared before me and took and subscribed the oath required

Eugene L Powell
Supt Schools

Jim A W Organ cer

Virginia:

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday, the 15th day of May, 1905 and of the Commonwealth, the 129th

Present: Hon. Hatter A. Watson, Judge,

The Clerk of this court made a report of deeds and other writings, admitted to record by him in his office, during and since the March term of this court which said report is approved & filed & ordered to be posted as required by law.

The following fines have been paid to the clerk of this court since his last report to wit:-

Comm of Va vs Wm Jones $6.00 paid by C M Rives J.P. Mch. 23rd 1905-
" " " Robt Epes $5.00 " " Robt Fraser " " " "
" " " Anderson Stony $2.50 " " C M Rives. April 8 "
" " " Belton Stony $2.50 " " " " " " "
" " " Albuts 2.50 " F R Briggs " 10 "
" " " Ingrams $2.50 " " " " 25- "
" " " Willie Jackson $5.00 " G L Harris May 3 "

On motion of Edmund Ross, who made oath thereto as the law directs, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $2000.00 without security conditioned as the law directs entitled is granted him for obtaining letters of administration on the Estate of Joseph Ross, dec'd in due form

A paper writing, bearing date on the 4th day of December 1899, purporting to be the true last will and testament of Julia A. Andrus, dec'd was this day produced in court and offered for proof and was proved by the oaths of J. C. Smith and J. T. Kirby, the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. And on motion of John T. Andrus the Executor named in said will, who made oath thereto, and together

entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $200.00 conditioned as the law directs, whereupon upon complying with, certificate is granted him for obtaining a probate of said will in due form

The Court doth appoint M. J. Moss, guardian of Georgiana Branch orphan of Nancy Branch, dec'd, who is under the age of fourteen years, and thereupon the said M. J. Moss appeared in Court and together with A. W. Harvill & Sidney Chatman as his security entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $1000.00, conditioned as the law directs.

Robt H. Jones and Lucy Jones acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Va in the just and full sum of $250.00, to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements &c, for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said Robt H. Jones personally appear in this Court on the 1st day of the August term to answer a charge of felony, and not depart thence without the leave of this Court.

E. B. Sheffield and S. G. Gilliam acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Va in the just and full sum of $500.00, to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements &c, for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said E. B. Sheffield personally appear in this Court on the first day of the next term & surrender himself to answer a charge of felony against him pending, and not depart thence without the leave of the Court.

A. W. Bethel, A. P. Spriggs, Floyd Crowder, Sam Crowder, Geo. Jagues, Mary Tinder, F. Talley, Irvin Crowder, John Talley, Thos R. Jones, James H. Jones, Robt Bland, W. H. Spain & Wm H. Spain and each of them acknowledge themselves to be justly indebted to the Commonwealth of Va in the sum of $100.00 each, the said A. W. Bethel in the sum of $100.00 and each of them in the said sum of $100.00, to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands &c, but to be void, should the said A. W. Bethel, A. P. Spriggs and each of them personally appear in this Court on the first day of the next term to testify and give evidence in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Bennie Jones, charged with felony & not depart thence without the leave of this Court.

Commonwealth — Appellant
vs
Commonwealth of Va — Appellee
} On an appeal from a decision of a justice of the Peace,

Continued until the first day of the next term of this court.

Owners of Barges Steamboats — Pltffs
vs
Ella V. Fowlkes — Defdt
} On notice of motion for judgment

On motion of parties this cause is continued until the first day of the next term.

W. B. McKenney — Pltff
vs
C. E. Wells — Defdt
} On notice of motion for judgment

All matters of controversy in the above styled cause having been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties, On motion of the plaintiff this cause is dismissed and ordered to be removed from the docket.

R. W. Manson, J. R. Shell & Austin Bridgforth trading as Manson & Shell Co. — Pltffs
vs
Thos. Manson, George King, Albert Taylor, M. J. Rogsdale, Secretary Field and Wm. Bias — Defts
} On notice of motion for judgt

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and it appearing to the court that the defendants have had legal notice of this motion and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this court within the time required by statute. And the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing, Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the defendants in the sum of $115.00 with interest thereon from the 18th day of January 1894 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants, and each of them the sum of $115.00 with interest thereon from the 18th day of January 1894 until paid and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended. This Judgment is upon an instrument waiving the benefit of the Homestead Exemptions, and is subject to a credit of $18.00 paid Dec. 19th 1904

For good cause shown to the court it is ordered that the time

sition which the Assessors of Lands may make return of their Assessment be extended to the first day of July.

Mary E. Ford & als. Pltffs
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. Defts } In case

By consent of parties this cause is continued until the first day of the next term

D'Alton Co. Pltffs
vs
Butterworth Bros & Holdsworth Defts } In case

Continued until the first day of the next term of this Court

R Butterworth & H K Butterworth, partners
trading as R Butterworth & Bro. Plaintiffs
vs
Richmond Petersburg & Carolina
Railway Company Defendant } In Assumpsit

This day came the parties by their attorneys whereupon the plaintiffs moved the court to grant them leave to file an amended declaration in this cause, which motion the defendant opposed. The court overruling the defendants objection, granted the plaintiffs leave to file an amended declaration for which purpose this cause is remanded to rules, to which ruling of the court the defendant excepted. for further proceedings &c as to the rules according to Law.

V. A. Sims Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co Defendant } In case

V. A. Sims Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. Defts } In case

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued until Thursday of the present term of this court.

N. J. Goldsby Pltffs
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. Defts } In case

Ordered that this above styled cause be continued until the first day of the next term of this court.

On motion of J W Galusha, Sheriff and with the consent of the Court Robert P. Atkinson is permitted to qualify as his deputy, and thereupon the said Robert P. Atkinson appeared in Court and took and subscribed the oaths prescribed by Law.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning
May 16th 1905

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson Judge.

On motion of J. W. Galusha, Sheriff, and with the consent of the Court B. L. Brisseau is permitted to qualify as his deputy, whereupon the said B. L. Brisseau appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

On motion of B. E. Cobb, who made oath thereto as the Law directs, and together with J. E. Clarke as his security, who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $300.00 conditioned as the Law directs, certificate is granted the said B. E. Cobb for obtaining Letters of administration on the personal estate of the said S. E. Parker, in due form.

It is ordered that T. A. Overby, C. H. Robinson, Benham Morris, G. E. Kennedy, O. Hardaway, or any three of them, being first duly sworn for the purpose, do truly and justly and truly appraise such of the goods and chattels of S. E. Parker, deceased, as may be produced to them, and return their appraisement under their hands as the Law directs.

Commonwealth of Virginia — Plaintiff
vs.
Everett Grandison — Defendant

On a indictment for the murder of Emmet Meriwether.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, whereupon the prisoner by counsel demurred to the

indictment which demurrer the Court overruled, to which ruling of the Court the prisoner by counsel Excepted. Whereupon the prisoner upon being arraigned, pleaded "not guilty" and the said Sheriff having returned the writ of venire facias, together with the names of sixteen persons summoned by him, and taken from the list furnished by the Clerk of this Court, and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors, free from Exceptions, being completed, and the prisoner by Counsel having stricken from the said panel seven of the said jurors the remaining twelve constituted the jury for the trial of the prisoner, to-wit: A G Wells, Robert Pamplin, Frank Bivell, C M. Rives, W D. Stith, M W. Thompson, J R. Brinkley, J G. Fisher, J C. Deane, J W. Avery, L L. Merchant, & W S. Harrison, who were Sworn the truth of, and upon the premises to speak, and having fully heard the evidence, and the Court being about to adjourn, the jury were given in charge of the sheriff of this County and his deputy, to whom was administered an oath that they would keep the jury together, without communication with any person, and that they would neither converse with them touching this trial, nor permit another person to do so, and would cause them to appear in Court to-morrow morning at nine o'clock. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

Willis Amos Cate & Montgomery Davis acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Va. in the sum of $500.00 each, to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands & tenements &c. for the use of the said Commonwealth of Va. but to be void should the said Montgomery Davis personally appear in this Court on the first day of the next term to answer a charge of violation of the revenue Laws, and not depart thence without the leave of this Court.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at nine o'clock

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
May 17th 1905

Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Ordered that the following petit jury be paid out of the County levy for their attendance and mileage and attendance at this term of the Court, viz: M. C. Overton $1.24 L. L. Merchant 206

1.64, J W Bain, Jr, 1.80, G A Hitchcock, 1.85, A P Thrift, 1.45, W S Harmon, 2.00, S T Gerow, 1.96, G E Perkins, 1.80, E H Booth 1.96

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs
Everett Grandison Defendant
On a indictment for Murder of Emmet Mewatha

This day came again the attorny for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was again led to the bar in custody of the sheriff of this county, and the jury sworn in this cause on yesterday appeared in court in charge of the sheriff in pursuance of this adjournment to-wit: A Y Wells, Robert Pamplin, Frank Bewley, C M Rees, W D Steel, M Lee Thompson, J R Brinkley, J G Fishes, J C Deacon, J W Avery, L L Meredith, & W S Harmon and having fully heard the argument of counsel retired to their room to consider of their verdict and after sometime came into court and reported as follows: "We the Jury find the prisoner guilty of Assault & Battery & fix his punishment at a fine of $20.00" Therefore it is considered by the court that the Commonwealth of Virginia recover of the said Everett Grandison the fine aforesaid and also her costs in this behalf Expended.

R Butterworth Bro & Wm Sloan
vs
Commonwealth of Va
On motion to the relief of an erroneous assessment on lumber

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This day came R Butterworth Bro & Wm Sloan who alleges that they are aggrieved by an entry in the land book made by C E Abernathy, Commissioner of the Revenue for Safety District, in Dinwiddie for the year 1904, page 29, line number 10, whereby they are charged with four dollars and twenty cents, State taxes for the year 1904 on a tract of standing timber, containing acres, lying in said Safety District.

And thereupon the said Butterworth Bro & Wm Sloan moved the Court to Exonerate them from the payment of four dollars and twenty cents of the State Taxes so erroneously charged against them for said year, which motion was defended by B J Epes the Attorny for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said C E Abernathy the Commissioner who made the Assessment, was examined as a witness touching the application.

And it appearing that the said book in which said alleged erroneous

entry has been made was delivered to the Treasurer of said County on the day of — 1904 and that application for rehearing was made on this day for the first time, and it appearing that the said timber is on a tract of land belonging to A.E. Jones, which timber was conveyed to said R Butterworth & Bro & W.M. Stone, and by them to the Burnside Lumber Co. by deed recorded in said Book 24 pag— 469 on the 7th day of May 1902.

All which the Court entities as facts proved upon the application aforesaid. On consideration whereof and from such facts so proved the Court is satisfied that the said R Butterworth & Bro. & W.M. Stone is erroneously charged in said book with State Taxes amounting to Four Dollars and twenty cents.

Whereupon it is ordered that the said R Butterworth & Bro and W.M. Stone be exonerated from the payment of Four dollars and twenty cents State Taxes & twenty one cents penalty so erroneously charged, if not already paid and if paid that it be refunded to him.

And it is further ordered that the said R Butterworth & Bro and W.M. Stone be exonerated from the payment of County levy as follows: County levy $4.80, Road tax $2.40, County School $2.40, District School $1.20, penalty $0.54 if not already paid and if paid that it be refunded to him.

R. Butterworth & Bro. & W.M. Stone

vs

Commonwealth of Va

This day came R. Butterworth Bro. & W.M. Stone, who alleges that they are aggrieved by an entry in the Land Book made by C.E. Abernathy, Commissioner of the Revenue for Safony District, in Dickenson County, for the year 1904 page 29 line 11 wherein he is charged with four dollars and sixty cents State Taxes for the year 1904, on a tract of standing timber, assessed at $1600, on land in name of A.E. Jones, lying in Safony District. And thereupon the said R Butterworth & Bro & W.M. Stone moved the Court to exonerate them from the payment of four dollars and sixty cents State Taxes and twenty-eight cents penalty so erroneously charged against them for said year, which motion was opposed by B.J. Estes, the Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said C.E. Abernathy, the Commissioner who made the assessment, was examined as a witness touching the application. And it appearing that said book in which said alleged erroneous entry has been made was delivered to the Treasurer of said County on — the day of 1904 and that application for rehearing against the erroneous entry was made on this day for the first time, and it appearing that the said timber was

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conveyed to said parties by F.A. Jones and by them to the Brunswick Lumber Co. by deed recorded in deed book 24, page 469 on the 7th day of May 1902, and is now owned by said Brunswick Lumber Co

All which the court entitles as facts proved upon the application aforesaid. On consideration whereof, and from such facts so proved, the Court is satisfied that the said R. Butterworth & Bro. and W.M. Stone are erroneously charged in said book with State taxes amounting to Five Dollars and sixty cents, and 25 cents penalty as same. Thereupon it is ordered that the said R. Butterworth & Bro. and W.M. Stone be exonerated from the payment of Five dollars and sixty cents State Taxes, so erroneously charged, if not already paid, and if paid that it be refunded to him, together with the penalty aforesaid.

And it is further ordered that said R. Butterworth & Bro. & W.M. Stone be exonerated from the payment of County Levy on said standing timber as follows: County Levy $6.40 Road Tax $3.20 Co. School $3.20 Dist School $1.60 & $.72 penalty.

R. Butterworth & Bro. & W.M. Stone

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Commonwealth of Va

This day came R. Butterworth & Bro. & W.M. Stone, who alleges that they are aggrieved by an entry in the land book made by C.E. Abernathy, Commissioner of the Revenue for Lapsley District in Dinwiddie County, for the year 1904, page 29, line number 13 whereby they are charged with Two Dollars and two cents, State Taxes for the year 1904, on a tract of standing timber assessed at $640.00 on land belonging to F.A. Jones, in said Lapsley District.

Copy delivered to R.G. Stone

And thereupon the said R. Butterworth & Bro. & W.M. Stone moved the Court to exonerate them from the payment of Two dollars and two cents of the State Taxes so erroneously charged against them for said year, which motion was opposed by B.J. Epps the Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said C.E. Abernathy the Commissioner who made the assessment was Examined as a witness touching the application.

And it appearing that the said book in which said alleged erroneous entry has been made was delivered to the Treasurer of the said County on the ____ day of ____ 1904, and that application for redress against the erroneous entry was made on this day for the first time, and it appearing that the said standing timber was conveyed to said Butterworth Bros & W.M. Stone by F.A. Jones

and by them to the Brunswick Lumber Co. by deed recorded in
deed book 24, page 469, on the 7th day of May 1902.
All which the Court enlightens as facts proved upon the application
aforesaid. On consideration whereof, and from such facts so
proved, the Court is satisfied that the said R Butterworth Bro.
and W.M. Stern an erroneously charged in said book with State Taxes
amounting to two dollars & ten cents. Whereupon, it is ordered that
the said R Butterworth Bro. & W.M. Stern be & exonerated from the
payment of Two dollars and ten cents, State Taxes so erroneously
charged if not already paid and if paid, that it be refunded to him, together
with a penalty of $0.11 thereon.
And it is further ordered that said R. Butterworth Bro and W.M.
Stern be Exonerated from the payment of County Levy on said
standing timber as follows: County Levy $.24¢ Road tax $1.2¢ County
Schools $1.20 District Schools $0.6¢ penalty $0.2¢

Ordered that the Brunswick Lumber Co. be summoned to appear
before this Court on the first day of the next term to show cause,
if any they can, why they should not be agent to pay the taxes
for the year 1904 on the standing timber on a tract of 222 acres of
land belonging to S.A. Jones, as 175 acres owned by A.E. Jones and
on 210 acres of land owned by F.A. Jones, which said standing
timber was assigned to the Brunswick Lumber Co. by R Butterworth
& Bro. W.M. Stern, and is now charged to them ~~said Butterworth Bro.~~ and Stern

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning
at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Thursday Morning
May 18th 1904

Present, Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Ordered that the Clerk issue an alias venire facias com-
manding the Sheriff to summon Eight additional veniremen
to be taken from a list furnished him by the Court
to appear forthwith for the trial of Bennie Jones, charged with felony.

Commonwealth of Virginia Pltff.
vs } On an indictment for
Bennie Jones Defd. maiming

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This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County and being arraigned, pleaded "not guilty" and the said Sheriff having returned the writ of venire facias together with the names of sixteen persons summoned by him and taken from the list furnished by the clerk of this court, and said list having been exhausted and only eight found free from exceptions and qualified to serve as jurors, and an alias venire facias having been returned by the said Sheriff together with the names of eight additional persons taken from a list furnished by the Court and summoned by him, five of whom were examined by the Court found free from objections, and qualified to serve as jurors, and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors free from exceptions, being completed, and the prisoner by counsel having stricken from the said panel four of the said persons the remaining twelve constituted the jury for the trial of the prisoner, to wit: Percy Rose, C. A. Drinkwater, John W. Phillips, Robt. Pamplin, Frank Bivins, C. M. Rives, W. D. Stell, J. G. Fisher, J. W. Avery, L. L. Mundy, J. C. Deane, & F. R. Briggs, who were sworn the truth of, and upon the prisoner to speak, and having heard the evidence, and retired, having the Court room returned a verdict as follows: "We the jury find the prisoner not guilty as charged in the indictment. J. C. Deane" And nothing further being alleged the prisoner and proclamation being made as the manner is it is considered by the Court that the said Bennie Jones be acquitted and discharged of the felony aforesaid, and go thereof without day.

Ordered that the following petit jury be paid out of the County levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court, to-wit: Jo M. C. Harlow $1.44 L. L. Mundy $1.04 Jno W. Bain Jr. $1.80 G. A. Hatchett $1.92 A. P. Thrift $1.48 W. S. Hansen $2.00 S. J. Green $1.96 G. E. Perkins $1.80 E. H. Booth $1.96 Jno W. Phillips 1.32

Ordered that the following venire men in case of the Commonwealth of Va. vs Everett Gandrum, be paid out of the State Treasury, as follows: C. A. Drinkwater $1.40 C. E. Perkins $1.64 E. S. Crowder $1.72 Percy Rose $1.64 A. Atkinson 1.26 Ay. Wills 2.80 J. C. Deane $3.00 C. M. Rives $2.80 Robt Pamplin $2.96 Frank Bivins $2.96 W. D. Stell $3.00 M. W. Thompson $2.96

Jno Brinkley $2.50, J. G. Fisher $2.40, J. W. Avery $3.00, L. L. Merritt $2.64, W. S. Hanna $3.00. That the following jury in case of Commonwealth of Va vs Bennie Jones, to-wit- J. C. Dean $2.00 C. M. Rives $1.50, Robt Pamplin $1.96, Frank Brien $1.96, W. D. Sales $2.00, John Brinkley $1.50, J. G. Fisher $1.40, J. W. Avery $2.00, L. L. Merritt $1.64, W. S. Hanna $2.00, F. R. Briggs $1.00, J. W. Phillips $1.32, C. C. Wells $1.96, J. D. T. Wells 1.16, W. W. Martin $1.24, C. A. Drinkard $1.40, E. S. Coates $1.72, Percy Rose $1.64, C. E. Patrick $1.64, Eugene Sutherland $2.00, Lem Tucker $2.00, A. J. Wells $1.80

T. A. Stone Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Company Defendant } In case

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant by counsel pleaded the general issue, and moved the Court to require the plaintiff to file a bill of particulars, And this cause is continued until the first day of the next term of this Court.

T. A. Stone Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Company Defendant } In case

This day came the parties by their Attorneys and the defendant by counsel pleaded the general issue, and moved the Court to require the plaintiff to file a bill of particulars, and thereupon said motion was rejected
And this cause is continued until the first day of the next term of this Court.

Ordered that the following witnesses in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Bennie Jones be paid out of the State Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court as follows: Geo. Bland $3.40, W. T. Fisher $2.00, W. B. Brown $2.00. That the following witnesses in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Everett Grandison be paid out of the State Treasury as follows: Wm Bristow $1.00, J. W. Pendleton $1.00, John Hays $0.50, John Rives $1.00, W. B. Briggs $1.00, M. C. Hunter $0.50.

The Court doth order to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $5.00 for payment to Wm Organ Clerk for his services in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Everett Grandison charged with a felony, and Commonwealth of Va vs Bennie Jones, charged with a felony, being $2.50 in each case.

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The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $20.00 for payment to B J Epes, Attorney for the Commonwealth, being $10.00 for prosecuting Everett Grandison charged with murder & $10.00 for his services in prosecuting Bernie Jones charged with a felony.

Cert'd & Mailed to J.W.G.

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $24.00 for payment to John W. Galusha Sheriff for board of Jurors in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs. Everett Grandison, on trial for murder at this term of the Court for two days, the jury ~~last Thursday and pending~~ @ 1.00 per day per juror, the said Jury being kept together by Goodes of Court.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Friday Morning
May 19th 1905

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

A. M. Organ, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County whose term of office as such was Extended by the Constitution of Virginia ordained by the Convention which assembled in the City of Richmond Va. on the 12th day of June 1901, from the first day of July 1905 to the first day of January 1906. This day appeared in Court and together with L. W. Thompson, acting by Jno G. Harris, his duly authorized attorney in fact, R. T. J. Spain, acting by the said John G. Harris, his duly authorized attorney in fact and A. M. Organ Jr. as his surety, who qualified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $10,000 conditioned as the law directs for the faithful performance of his duties as such, during said Extended term as provided in said Constitution of Va.

Cert'd & Mailed to J.W.G.

The court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $18.00, being two dollars per day for the services of himself five days and one deputy four days during this term of the court.

Ordered that the court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10. o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Saturday Morning
May 20th 1905

Present, Hon Walter A Watson, Judge.

The following claims against the Commonwealth of Va. were examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment, viz:- To W. T. Fisher Constable $3.00; to J. T. Thrift Special Constable $3.50 to C. M. Rives Justice of the Peace $1.00; to W. H. Lewis guard $2.50; W. F. Hitchcock, acting Jailer $7.20 to Sam $75.60 to W. T. Fisher Constable $5.86

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Walter A. Watson

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court
June 6th 1905

Eugene C. Powell, who has been appointed by the State Board of Education, Division Superintendent of Public Free Schools Schools for Dinwiddie County, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law. Given under my hand this 6th day of June 1905.

A. M. Organ, Clerk.

I, S. Y. Gilliam, Treasurer of the County of Dinwiddie, do swear that the above list contains a true account of all the real estate within my county which has been sold by me during the present year for the non-payment of the taxes and levies thereon for the year 1903; and that I am not directly or indirectly interested in the purchase of any of said real estate, so help me God.

Virginia,
Dinwiddie County:

In the Circuit Court of said County, in vacation.

I, Walter A. Watson, Judge of said Court, certify that S. Y. Gilliam whose name is signed to the above statement, personally appeared before me this day in vacation, and subscribed under oath to the truth of the same. And I also certify

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that I have examined the above lists of sales of deliquent land made by said Treasurer for taxes of 1903 and find same correct and do confirm said report and direct same to be recorded in proper manner by the Clerk of said Court.

As witness my hand this June 8th 1905-

Walter A Watson Judge

T. A. M. Organ, Clerk of said Court.

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the Courthouse thereof on Wednesday, the 23rd day of August, 1905- and of the Commonwealth the 130th

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge,

The clerk of this court this day made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office since the last- term of the court, which is approved, filed and ordered to be posted, as the law directs.

I, A M. Organ, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, do hereby certify that I have carefully examined the Commissioners books for districts Nos 1 & 2 Dinwiddie County, Va., and that they appear to be correct.

The following fines have been paid to the Clerk of this Court since his last report to-wit:

Commonwealth of Va. vs. Wm. Brunt $2.50 Trespass, Paid by J. R. Briggs, June 21 1905

" " " Lawson $2.50 Assault " " R. H. Reams J.P., July 25- "

" " " Vaughan $5.00 " " " " " " " " " " " "

On motion of the proper authorities of Oak Grove, Methodist Episcopal Church South, it is ordered that John P. Tucker, W. B. Lewis, Geo. W. Harris, W. E. Webb, and A. O. Webb be and they are hereby appointed trustees for said Church in place and stead of any other trustees heretofore appointed.

Kennedy & Overly — Pltffs — On notice of motion for judgment
vs
R E Wells, C E Wells & M O Chappell — Defts

This day came the plaintiff by their attorneys, and it appearing to the court that the defendants have had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the clerk's office of this court in the time prescribed by by statute, And the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants and each of them, the sum of One hundred and Eighty Eight Dollars and sixty two cents, with interest at $1.85 per, a part thereof from the 20th day of January 1905 until paid and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on an instrument waiving the benefit of the Homestead Exemptions

Mansen & Shell Co. — Plaintiff — On notice of motion for judgment
vs
Jos Williams, James Lynch, J Frank Ellis and John Hargrove — Defts

This day came the plaintiffs by attorney, and it appearing from the return of the Sheriff of this County that the defendants have had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this court in the time provided by Statute, And the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants the sum of One hundred and forty dollars, with interest thereon from the 18th day of December 1899 until paid, also their costs about their said suit in this behalf expended, This judgment is on an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead Exemptions.

Mansen & Shell Co, — Pltff — On notice of motion for judgment
vs
Jos Williams, Isaac Hearlwell & W M Tucker, — Defts

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and the defendants having had legal notice of this motion, which said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this court on the time required by Statute, And the said defendants say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action

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Therefore it is ensedered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants the sum of One Hundred and twenty five dollars with interest thereon from the 14th day of March 1901, until paid, and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is in an instrument evairing the benefit of the homestead exemptions and is subject to a credit of $25.00 paid April 5th 1904.

Ordered that Ira W Brooks be and he is hereby exempted from the payment of capitation taxes both State and County on account of old age and bodily infirmities

Ordered that John W Bain, C C Wells and Ernest Bevill be and they are hereby appointed a pension board for the County of Dinwiddie

John P Tucker, gentleman, foreman, together with, C E Patteson, T E Perkins, A O Ogburn, E G Goodwyn, W T Doyle, H C Levitt, B E Bishop and J E Williams, were sworn a special grand jury of inquest in and for the body of the County of Dinwiddie and after having received their charge retired to their room and after sometime came into Court and reported as follows:

Commonwealth of Va
v. } Indictment for murder,
John Harrell } A true bill.

The Commonwealth of Va
v. } Indictment for forgery
A C Terry } A true bill. And this case is referred to
C H Johnson Jr. for further proceeding.

Commonwealth of Va } Indictment for obstructing
v. } Running Electric Railway.
Lewis Hobbs } A true bill

And the jury having nothing further to do were discharged

David Faggins, Sallie Faggins, and Belle Faggins and such of the acknowledgments thereon to be entered to the Commonwealth of Va in the just and full sum of $100.00 each to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels lands and tenements, for the use of the said Commonwealth

last to be and should the said David Faggins, Sallie Faggins and Bell Faggins and each of them personally appear in this court on the first day of the next term of this court to testify and give evidence on behalf of the Commonwealth in its prosecution vs John Hamlet, indicted for murder, and not depart thence without the leave of this Court.

The court doth appoint Thomas Walker, guardian of Maria Walker and an unnamed female child, infants of Samuel Walker and Lucy Walker dec'd, and thereupon said Thomas Walker appeared in court and together with J. N. Burk, as his surety, who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $200.00 conditioned as the law directs.

William Mahone Plaintiff } On a warrant for damages and on removal from a Justices court
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendant }
Continued until the first day of the next term of this Court.

D Alton & Co.
vs
Sqr. W. Holdsworth, W.H. Holdsworth
& W Barnes Butterworth, late partners trading, Pltff
as Holdsworth Bro's & Butterworth Defts } In case
Continued until the first day of the next term of the the Court.

On motion of The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, surety on the bond of Henry Chappell, as Constable, and with the consent of the said Henry Chappell the said United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company is hereby released from all further responsibility on the official bond of said Henry Chappell, Constable, whereupon said Henry Chappell, together with John G. Harris, John Morgan and C. I. Brown, as his sureties, who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $1000, conditioned as the law directs, for the faithful performance of his duties as Constable,

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Copied & mailed to B.Y. Williams Aug. 10. 1904. A.M.C.

This day came the Camp Manf'g Co. Assignees &c. who alleges that they are aggrieved by an entry in the land book made by C. E. Abernathy Commissioner of the Revenue for District No. 1, in Dickenson County for the year 1904, page 30, line number 18, whereby they are charged with one dollar and five cents State taxes for the year 1904, on a tract of timber and land containing 135 acres described as lying on Splash Creek in name of J. H. Winfield, And thereupon the said Camp Manf'g Co. assignees &c. moved the Court to exonerate them from the payment of one dollar and five cents of the State Taxes so erroneously charged against them for said year; which motion was defended by B. J. Epes the Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said C. E. Abernathy the Commissioner who made the assessment was examined as a witness touching the application, And it appearing that said book in which said alleged erroneous entry has been made was delivered to the Treasurer of said County on the ___ day of ___ 1904 and that application for error against the erroneous entry was made on this day for the first time, and it appearing that the timber on said tract of land was cut and removed therefrom in the year 1903. All which the Court entertains as facts proved upon the application aforesaid. On consideration whereof and from said facts so found the Court is satisfied that the said Camp Manf'g Co. assignees &c. are erroneously charged in said book with State taxes amounting to one dollar and five cents. Whereupon it is ordered that the said Camp Manf'g Co. assignees &c. be exonerated from the payment of $1.05 cents State taxes so erroneously charged, if not already paid and if paid that it be refunded to them, together with 5% penalty thereon. And it is further ordered that the Camp Manf'g Co. be exonerated from the payment of County taxes on said timber as follows. To County $.20 Road Tax $0.60, County school $0.60 District School Tax $0.80

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This day came the Camp Mfg. Co. Assignees of The Breeding Lumber Co. who alleges that they are aggrieved by an entry in the land book made by C.E. Abernathy Commissioner of the Revenue for No. 1 District in Dickenson County for the year 1904 in charging a tract of land containing 125 acres of

acres, deeded as lying on Hawkins Run, in name of S. L. Vaughan. And thereupon the said Camp Mfg. Co. assignee &c moved the Court to exonerate him from the payment of forty four cents of the State Taxes so erroneously charged against him for said year; which motion was defended by R. J. Epes, the attorney for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said C. E. Abernathy the Commissioner who made the assessment, was Examined as a witness touching the application; and it appearing that the timber on said tract of land was cut and removed therefrom in the year 1903. All which the Court entertains as facts proved upon the application aforesaid. On consideration whereof and from such facts so found the Court is satisfied that the said Camp Manufacturing Co. assignee &c, are erroneously charged in said book with State Taxes amounting to forty four cents. Whereupon it is ordered that the said Camp Manfg. Co, be exonerated from the payment of $0.45 State taxes so erroneously charged, if not already paid and if paid, that it be refunded to them, together with the penalty of 5% thereon. And it is further ordered that said Camp Manfg. Co. be exonerated from the payment of County levy as follows; County levy 50 cts, Road tax 25 cts, Co School tax 25 cts, District School tax 13 cts, and a penalty of 5% thereon if not already paid and if paid that it be refunded to them.

This day came the Camp Manufacturing Co assignee of the Brunswick Lumber Co, who alleges that they are aggrieved by an entry in the land book, made by C. E. Abernathy, Commissioner of the Revenue for number 1 District in Dinwiddie County for the year 1904, page 29, line number 12, whereby they are charged with two dollars and two cents, State Taxes for the year 1904, on the timber and land of land containing 160 acres, described as lying on Great Branch in name of F. A. Jones, And thereupon the said Camp Manf. Co. assignee &c, moved the Court to exonerate them from the payment of one dollar and forty eight cents of the State Taxes so erroneously charged against them for said year, which motion was defended by R. J. Epes, the Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said C. E. Abernathy, the Commissioner who made the assessment was examined as a witness touching the application, And it appearing that said book in which said alleged erroneous entry has been made was delivered to the Treasurer of the said County on the day of 1904, and that application for redress against the erroneous entry was made on this day for the first time, and it appearing

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that the said Camp Manfg. Co. had previous to the 1st day of Feby 1904 cut and removed timber from the said tract of land of the value of $4.23 cts, leaving standing on said land at said date timber of the value of $176.40, All which the court certifies as facts found upon the application aforesaid. On consideration whereof, and from such facts so found, the court is satisfied that the said Camp Manfg. Co. Assignee &c are erroneously charged in said book with State Taxes amounting to One dollar and forty eight cents. Whereupon it is ordered that the said Camp Mfg. Co. Assignee &c be exonerated from the payment of one dollar and forty eight cents State taxes so erroneously charged if not already paid, and if paid that it be refunded him, also the penalty of 5% thereon. And it is further ordered that the said Camp Manfg. Co be exonerated from payment of County Levy on said timber as follows. Co Levy 1.62, Road tax 85 cts, Co school 85 cts, District School 43 cts, if not already paid that it be refunded to them also the 5% penalty thereon.

Copies mailed to Sff Gilliam Aug 10, 1904. Rec'd

This day came The Camp Manufacturing Company assignee of the Brunswick Lumber Co. who alleges that they are aggrieved by an entry in the land book made by C.E. Abernathy Commissioner of the Revenue for Co. 1 District, in Dinwiddie County for the year 1904, page 29 line number 10, whereby they are charged with four dollars and twenty cents State taxes for the year 1904, on timber on a tract of land containing 175 acres, described as lying on S.A.L.R.R. in name of A.E. Jones. And thereupon the said Camp Manfg. Co. Assignee &c moved the Court to exonerate them from the payment of Two Dollars and sixty six cents of the State taxes so erroneously charged against them for said year, which motion was defended by B.F. Eggleston Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said C.E. Abernathy Commissioner who made the assessment was Examined as a witness touching the application. And it appearing that said book in which said alleged erroneous assessment has been made was delivered to the Treasurer of said County on the ____ day of ____ 1904, and that application for process against the erroneous entry was made on this day for the first time, and it appearing that the said Camp Manufacturing Company had previous to the first day

of February 1904 cut and removed from said tract of land timber of the value of $846.96 leaving standing on said land at said date, timber of the value of $3504. All which the court finds as facts from upon the application aforesaid, On consideration whereof and from such facts so found, the Court is satisfied that the said Camp Manfg Co, Assignees &c, are erroneously charged in said book with State Taxes amounting to $2.96. Whereupon it is ordered that the said Camp Manfg Company, Assignees &c, be exonerated from the payment of two dollars and ninety six cents, state taxes so erroneously charged if not already paid, and if paid, that it be refunded to them, also the penalty of 5% thereon. And it is further ordered that the said Camp Manufacturing Co be exonerated from the payment of County Levy as follows. County Levy $3.39 Road Levy $1.70, County School 1.70, District School, .75 cts, if not already paid, and if paid that it be refunded to them, together with a penalty of 5% thereon.

This day came the Camp Manufacturing Company, Assignees and successors of the Brunswick Lumber Company who alleges that they are aggrieved by an entry on the land book made by C.E. Abernathy, Commissioner of the Revenue for No 1 District in Dorchester County for the year 1904, page 29 line number 11, wherein they are charged with Five Dollars and sixty cents, State Taxes for the year 1904, on the timber on a tract of land containing 22 27/75 acres, described as lying on S.A.L. RR. in name of A.A. Jones. And thereupon the said Camp Manufacturing Co, Assignees &c moved the Court to exonerate them from the payment of $2.93, of the State Taxes so erroneously charged against them for said year, which motion was defended by B.J. Epps the Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said C.E. Abernathy, the Commissioner who made the assessment, was Examined as a witness touching the application. And it appearing that said book in which said alleged erroneous entry has been made was delivered to the Treasurer of the said County on the day of 1904, and that application for notice against the summons was made on this day for the first time, and it appearing that the said Camp Manfg Co had previous to the 1st day of July 1904, cut away timber from said tract of land of the value of $1129.32, leaving standing on said land at said date timber of the value of $470.64,

All which the Court finds as facts from upon the application aforesaid, On consideration whereof, and from

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Such facts so proved the Court is satisfied that the said Camp Manufacturing Co. is erroneously charged in said book with State Taxes amounting to Three Dollars and ninety-five cents. Wherupon it is ordered that the said Camp Manufacturing Company be exonerated from the payment of $3.95 State Taxes so erroneously charged if not already paid, and if paid that it be refunded to him, and also a penalty of 5% thereon. And it is further ordered that the said Camp Manufacturing Company be exonerated from the payment of County Levy on said timber as follows: County Levy 4 5-2, Road Tax $2.26 County School Tax 2.26 District School Tax 1 1/3 together with a penalty of 5% thereon.

Copies recorded to D.H. Williams Aug. 10. 1907. Bond

Ordered that John R. Stephenson Agent for the Camp Manufacturing Co. be exonerated from the payment of County Levy on $690 a part of $2087 assessed on real estate of Lands, as follows County Levy $2.76 Road Levy 1 35, County School 1 35, District School, 69 cts. it appearing to the Court that said sum of $690 is assessed in Roxanty and Sabine Districts, and the tax has been paid in both of said districts

Mrs L. C. Robbins Plaintiff
vs. } On notice
A.G. Ferguson and S.P. Ferguson Defendant } for judgment

This day came the plaintiff by atty and it appearing to the Court that the defendants have had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court in the time required by statute and the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing. It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants, and each of them the sum of four hundred and four dollars, with interest on $179.00 a part thereof from May 20th 1903, and on $225.00 the residue thereof from the 21st day of March 1903, until paid. This judgment is an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead Exemptions.

L. C. Gregory Plaintiff
vs. } On notice of motion
E.H. Reams Defendant } for judgment

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney, and it appearing to the Court that defendant has had legal notice

of this motion and that said notice was returned to the Clerks Office of this court in the time required by law And the said defendants having solemnly called and not appearing it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of twenty six dollars with interest thereon from the 17th day of December 1907 until paid, and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the county levy for the attendance at this term of the Court to-wit W.J. Clenton 1d, E.G. Hudson 1.25, J.W. Hawkins 1.50, J.E. Wells 1.85, G.M. Royster 1.50, R.B. Mercer, 1.65, C.E. Wells 1.40, Amistead Gibbs 1.40, M.B. Webb 2.00,

That the following Grand Jurors be paid out of the County levy to-wit Jno. P. Tuck 1.40, C.E. Patillo 1.65, T.E. Perkins 2.00, A.C. Ogburn 1.65, E.J. Gordon 1.40, H.F. Doyle 1.35, A.B. Levitt 2.00 E.E. Bishop $2.00, J.C. Williams 1.85,

Ordered that the following petit jurors in case of the Commonwealth vs. James Shuffler be paid out of the Levy Treasury, A.H. Bethel 1.40, A.P. Spriggs 1.40, F. Talley 1.00, John Talley 1.00, W.H. Spain 1.00, Jno. Crowder 1.65 etc, Geo. Joyner 4.20, Mary Sutton 9.00, Floyd Crowder 3.40, same vs Montgomery Dons, Ruben Ryland $3.40, same vs Barnum, Ruben Ryland 1.70, J.J. Donnahue 1.70, Wm. Dunlop 1.70, same vs Lewis Stokes, W.L. Ennis 1.70, G.H. Hyde 1.70, R.M. Perkins 1.70 Joseph Bishop 1.70,

Owners of Royal Seamless, Plaintiffs, } In case
vs
Ella V. Fowlkes Defts }

Continued until first day of next term of Court.

T.A. Stern, Plaintiff }
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co Defendant }

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the defendant plead not guilty to which the plaintiff replied generally, and thereupon issue was joined

W A Sturm — Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Company — Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant pleaded "not guilty" to the plaintiffs declaration to which the plaintiff replied generally, and thereupon issue was joined. And this cause is continued.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A Watson

Thursday Morning
August 24, 1905.

Present Hon. Walter A Watson Judge.

Ordered that Jno. W. Bain be and he is hereby appointed a commissioner of the Road Board for District No. 1 Loudoun County, Virginia, Magisterial District to succeed S. T. Blank, resigned. And thereupon the said Jno. W. Bain qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law.

The following application for pensions having been allowed by the pension board and certified to this Court, were examined by the Court, and it appearing to the Court that the same has been substantially complied with as certified by the Auditor of Public accounts for payment:

Mrs M J Bishop	$25
Alexander Tatum	$30
J S Williams	$30
A G Tuckers, deceased	$30
A O Webb	$30
Gustavus Connell	$30

The Commonwealth of Va
vs
Lewis Hobbs } Indictment for felony.

This day the defendant who was heretofore recognized in the sum of one hundred dollars, with W B McClain as his surety to appear at the first day of this term to answer said indictment having failed to make his appearance in obedience to said recognizance and still failing to appear & answer the attorney for the Commonwealth moved the Court to declare the said recognizance forfeited

and enter judgment thereupon in favor of the Commonwealth which motion is docketed and continued until the first day of the next term,

Montgomery Davis and William Kate acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of five hundred dollars to be levied of their respective goods and chattels, land and tenements to the use of the Commonwealth, but to be void should the said Montgomery Davis personally appear in this the first day of the next term to answer a charge of felony, and not depart thence without the leave of this Court ...

The following claim against the Commonwealth was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment

To W. T. Hitchcock jailer $5.25 Jan 1st 75 cts

to J. W. Galusha Sheriff $3.60 W. T. Hitchcock jailer $1.75

W. L. Briggs M.D. $1.75, A. Theo Powell Bail Comm. $2

Ordered that the sum of Eight dollars be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to J. W. Galusha Sheff. for the attendance of himself and one deputy during two days of this term of the Court and to said J. W. Galusha Sheff. three dollars for his services as janitor during two days of the term of this Court.

Ordered that the sum of twenty five dollars be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to A. D. Ogain Clerk for examining the books of the Commissioners of the revenue District 102 for the year 1905 the certificate required by law having been given and recorded

ordered that E. L. Perkins, J. C. Smith, and Eugene Hobbs, and Jos. E. Perkinson be and they are hereby appointed members of the Road Board for Dinwiddie County for the year ending July 1st 1906.

The Court doth appoint Nannie E. Williamson, guardian of Edna Virginia Williamson, Chas. Powell Williamson and Willie B. Williamson, orphans of Chas. E. Williamson dec'd, all of whom are under the age of fourteen, Thereupon the said Nannie E. Williamson, together with Chas. K. Hudson and R. A. Williamson, as her securities, who justified as to their sufficiency, appeared in Court and entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Three Hundred Dollars, conditioned as the law directs, for the faithful performance of her duties as such guardian

S G Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day presented to the Court a list of real estate in the district of C E Abernathy, Commissioner of the Revenue for said County, which is delinquent for the non payment of taxes thereon for the year 1904, with the oaths of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof subscribed and accompanied by the written opinion of the Commissioner aforesaid and the Board of Supervisors touching the property of such lists and each one therein contained, verified by their oaths thereto annexed, which said list after being examined by the Court, and the Court being satisfied of the correctness of the same, doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court,

S G Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day presented to the Court a list of real estate in the district of John Norgrove, Commissioner of the Revenue of said County which is delinquent for the non-payment of taxes thereon for the year 1904, with the oaths of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed and accompanied by the written opinion of the Commissioner aforesaid and the Board of Supervisors touching the property of such list and each one therein contained, verified by their oaths thereto annexed, which said list after being Examined by the Court, and the Court being satisfied of the correctness of the same doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court,

S G Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day presented to the Court a list of insolvents in the collection of personal property taxes for the year 1904, and a list of unpaid assessments of Land for said year 1904 in the district of John Norgrove, Commissioner of the Revenue, of said County with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed and accompanied by the written opinion of the Commissioner aforesaid and the Board of Supervisors touching the property of such lists, and each one therein contained, verified by their oaths thereto annexed, which said lists, after being Examined by the Court, and the Court being satisfied of the correctness of the same, doth order that copies thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court

S G Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day presented to the

Court a list of insolvents in the Capitation & personal property taxes for the year 1904 and a list of improper assessments of Land for said year 1904 in the district of C. E. Abernathy Commissioner of the Revenue of said County with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed and accompanied by the written opinion of the Commissioner aforesaid and the Board of Supervisors touching the propriety of such lists, and each and every thereon endorsed, verified by their oaths thereto annexed, which said lists after being Examined by the Court and the Court being satisfied of the correctness of the same doth order that a copy of each of said lists be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court.

Ordered that Court be adjourned until first day of the next Term.

Walter A. Watson

Virginia

In the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, in Vacation Sept 30th 1905.

On the motion of T E Navis the Judge of the said Circuit Court in vacation doth appoint him as guardian of Maria Walker Mary Walker and Martha Walker orphans of Daniel Walker and Lucy Walker, said orphans being under the age of fourteen years and thereupon said T E Navis and Richard Block his surety who justified upon oath as to his sufficiency and who acted by W R. Pegram his attorney in fact, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of two hundred and fifty dollars conditioned according to law for the faithful performance of the duties of such guardian, and said guardian took the oath prescribed by law. This order and said bond and power of attorney also being certified to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County for recordation

W A M Organ Esq
Clerk Cir Court.

Walter A. Watson Judge.
Sept 28 1905.

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday, the 16th day of October, 1905, and of the Commonwealth the 130th

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge:

The clerk of the court this day made a report of deeds & other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office during and since the August Term of this court, which was examined and approved & ordered to be filed.

Allen Epes, gentleman, of Nottoway County having obtained a license to practice law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion here as granted him to practice law in this Court.

On motion of Mary S. Newell, who made oath thereto, and together with J. S. Newell as her security, who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500.00 conditioned as the law directs certificate is granted the said Mary S. Newell for obtaining Letters of administration on the estate of Charles M. Newell, dec'd.

Ordered that Charles Gresky, Gresky, Edward Perpinson, Charles Kirkland & Ewan McDaniel, or any three of them being first duly sworn for the purpose do justly and truly appraise such of the personal Estate of Charles M. Newell, dec'd, as may be produced to them and return their appraisement under their hands as the Law directs.

Annie L. Hitchcock & W. F. Hitchcock her husband, Plaintiffs, } On application for a Trustee
vs.
R. H. Jones, J. A. Jones and R. T. J. Spain, Administrators of } Defendants
of John C. Spain, deceased, Trustee

This day came the plaintiffs by Counsel and moved the Court to appoint P. H. Drewry, of the City of Petersburg, Virginia, as Trustee, in the place and stead of John C. Spain, deceased, who was Trustee in a certain deed of trust from R. H. Jones, dated November 2nd 1896, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of this Court in Deed Book

20 Nov. 2. page 345.- And this day came also the said R.H. Jones, and J.A. Jones by Counsel.

On consideration whereof it appearing to the Court that the parties hereto are the only persons interested in the execution of the trusts of the aforesaid deed, and that the said John C. Spain, the sole trustee in said deed is dead, and that reasonable notice of this motion has been given to each of the parties hereto, except the plaintiffs, the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that the said P.H. Drewry, be and he is hereby appointed and substituted as Trustee in the deed of trust hereinbefore mentioned in the place and stead of the said John C. Spain deceased, Trustee, to act thereunder and in accordance with the terms thereof, and with all the powers, rights and privileges, and liable to all the duties and obligations of trustee as conferred or imposed by said deed of trust. And by consent of all parties, by counsel, no bond or security is required of the said P.H. Drewry as such substituted Trustee. And it is further ordered that the Clerk of this Court do record a copy of this order in the current Deed Book in his office, and index the same in the names of the parties hereto, and in the name of said P.H. Drewry, substituted Trustee, and that he file the papers in this matter among the ended causes of this Court and enter the same on the index of ended causes.

W.F. Doyle, gentleman, foreman, together with Archer Clark, M.H. Thompson, E.G. Goodwyn, J.A. Hawkins, Ernest Bernier, E.S. Crowder, J.W. Hawkins & B.T. Geiver, were sworn a Special Grand Jury of inquest, in and for the body of the County of Dinwiddie, and after having received their charge retired to their room and after some time came into Court, having found the following endorsed, to wit

Commonwealth of Va.
vs } Indictment for Burglary
Mayes Turbaville & Elam Sechrest } A True Bill

And the grand jury having no other matters before them were discharged.

Ordered that the following grand jurors be paid out of the County levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court, to-wit: To Archer Clark 1.85 M.H. Thompson 1.96, E.G. Goodwyn 1.96 J.A. Hawkins 1.45, W.F. Doyle 1.32 Ernest Bernier 1.45 E.S. Crowder 1.72 J.W. Hawkins 1.66 B.T. Geiver 1.96

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Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff
vs
Lewis Hobbs Defendant
} On a indictment for obstructing Railway

This day came again the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner still failing to appear and answer said indictment, on motion of Wm B. McElwain, surety on the bail bond of said Hobbs and with the consent of the attorney for the Commonwealth this cause is continued until the first day of the next term of this Court.

Owners of Barge Swansboro Plaintiffs
vs
Ella V Fowlkes Defts
} Notice of motion for judgment

Continued until the first day of the next term of this Court.

R. B. Jones H. L. Jones & R. H. Manson Jr. partners doing business as Blackstone Clothing House Pltffs.
vs
E. B. Elam Deft
} On notice of motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and it appearing to the court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this court in the time prescribed by statute, And the said defendant being solemnly called, and not appearing. Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the said defendant for the sum of Twenty-one dollars and twenty-five cents, with interest thereon from the 1st day of January 1905 ~~until paid~~ is given. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the said Plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the sum of $21.25 with interest as aforesaid, and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended

W. T. Crawford Plaintiff
vs
Richard Cross Deft
} On removal from Justices Court

On motion of the defendant this cause is continued until the first day of the next term of the court.

Mary E. Ford & als — Plaintiff,
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. — Deft

D'Alton & Co. — Pltffs.
vs
Butterworth Bros. & Holbrook — Defts

R. Butterworth & H. C. Butterworth, partners,
trading as R. Butterworth & Bro. — Pltffs
vs
Richmond, Petersburg & Carolina R.R. Co. — Defts

Ordered that the above styled cause be continued until the first day of the next term of this court.

Wm. Mahone — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line R.R. — Deft

Ordered that this cause be continued until the first day of the next term of this court.

A. T. Goldsmith — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line R.R. Co — Deft

Ordered that this cause be continued until the first day of the next term of the court, on motion of the plaintiff.

Edmund Ross, Administrator of
Joseph Ross, dec'd — Pltff
vs
Wm. Northrop & Henry T. Wickham, Receivers of
the Virginia Passenger & Power Co, a Corporation — Defts
} Trespass on the case

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the defendant, by their attorney filed a demurrer to the plaintiff's declaration, and to each and every count thereof, in which said demurrer the plaintiff joined. And thereupon this cause is continued until the 20th day of October.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

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Tuesday Morning,
October 17th, 1905.

Present, Hon Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs
John Harvell Defendant } On indictment for murder.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner appeared in Court in custody of the sheriff of this County, and upon arraignment pleaded not guilty to the indictment, and the sheriff having returned the writ of venire-facias, together with the names of sixteen persons, ~~summoned~~ by him and taken from a list furnished by the Clerk of this Court, and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors free from exception being completed the prisoner by counsel struck from the panel four of said jurors, and the following twelve remained for the trial of the prisoner, to-wit: Henry Royal, Eugene Hawkins, Perin Thrift, O. J. Bateman, Jno. F. Thrift, S. S. Young, A. C. Clarke, J. H. Gills, J. T. Williams, S. T. Clarke, Peter Sowers, J. M. Rose & J. S. Williamson, who were sworn, the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to their room to consider of their verdict and after some time came into Court and reported the following verdict, "We the jury find the prisoner not guilty as charged in the within indictment." J. M. Rose foreman. And thereupon to bring bring read as the manner is and nothing further being offered or alleged against the said John Harvell, it is ordered that he be acquitted and discharged of the felony aforesaid & go thereof without day.

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs
Mayle Tuckahoe & Stacy Defendants } On an indictment for Burglary
Sokoska

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoners appeared in Court in charge of the Sheriff of this County and upon arraignment pleaded "not guilty" to the indictment, and the sheriff having returned the writ of venire facias together with

the names of sixteen persons summond by him and taken from a list furnished by the Clerk of this Court, and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors being complete, and the prisoner not wishing to exercise their privilege of striking from the panel four of said jurors, as provided by Statute, the Clerk drew from said panel, & put the names of four of said jurors, whom the following twelve remained for the trial of the prisoner, to wit: R.E. Stockdell, Eugene Hawkins, H.A. Hobbs, H.T. Royal, O.J. Brisscan, John T. Thrift, J.F.H. Soloe, J.S. Williamson, C.J. Brown, J.M. Reed, R.B. Shell, J.T. Williams, who were sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel, retired to their room and after some time returned into Court having found the following verdict, to-wit: "We the jury find the prisoner not guilty, R.B. Shell, Foreman" And thereupon proclamation being made as the manner is and nothing further being offered or alleged against the said defendant it is considered by the Court that they be acquitted and discharged of the felony aforesaid, and go thereof without day.

On motion of R.H. Reames, Jr. who made oath thereto, and together with R.E. Cole & C.W. Reames, as his surety entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500 conditioned as the law directs, Certificate is granted the said R.H. Reames, Jr. for obtaining Letters of administration on the estate of E.H. Reames, dec'd, in due form.

Ordered that John T. Hardy, H.A. Hudson, Robt. H. Reames Sr. Wm. H. Long and R.E. Cole, or any three of them being first duly sworn for the purpose do justly and truly appraise such of the goods and chattels of the Estate of E.H. Reames, dec'd, as may be produced before them, and return their appraisement under their hands as the law directs.

On motion of the proper authorities of Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church South, J.M. Johnson, P.H. Rainey, J.E. Doily and T.C. Johnson are duly appointed Trustees for said Church

On motion of the proper authorities of Rocky Run Methodist Episcopal Church South T.I. Elder, R.D. Temple and T.R. Chambers are duly appointed trustees for said Church.

On motion of the proper authorities of Gravely Run Methodist— 220

Episcopal Church South, it is ordered that J. N. Rich, John Hudson & S. G. Bussean be and they are hereby appointed trustees for said church.

On motion of the proper authorities of Lebanon Methodist Episcopal Church South, it is ordered that A. M. Organ, John G. Harris, W. F. Doyle, J. B. Scott, C. K. Hadden & Eugene Hawkins be and they are hereby appointed trustees for said Church.

On motion of the proper authorities of Hawkin's Methodist Episcopal Church South, Armistead Gibbs and Robt Gibbs are hereby appointed trustees for said Church

On motion of the proper authorities of Ocean Methodist Episcopal Church South, it is ordered that J. B. Bowles, C. E. Young, A. J. Sutherland and James E. Rawlings be and they are hereby appointed trustees for said Church.

On motion of the proper authorities of Crawford's Methodist Episcopal Church South, it is ordered that A. M. Organ, John G. Harris, J. B. Scott, C. K. Hadden & Eugene Hawkins, be and they are hereby appointed trustees for said Church

Ordered that the following witnesses in case of the Cmwlth of Va. vs John Hensley, charged with a felony be paid out of the public Treasury for the mileage and attendance at this term of the Court to wit To Sallie Faggins $1.74 to Biden Faggins $1.74 & Dave Faggins $1.74
In case of the Commonwealth vs Tony Sochalski & Mayle Timberwolves, To Catherine Brown $1.00 Jesse Field $1.00 Ernest Green $1.00, Berkley Bland $1.00, Melvin Bland $1.00

W. H. Harrison Company Plaintiff
vs
James Sleet Defendant } On notice of motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiff by attorney, and it appearing to the Court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court within the time prescribed by statute, and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing. It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $24.85 with interest thereon from the 6th day of March 1905 until paid and also the costs about this suit in this behalf Expended

This judgment is on an instrument waiving the benefit of the Insolvent Exemptions

Ordered that the following jurors in the cause of the Commonwealth of Va vs. John Howes & same vs Stany Sochoski & Mayb. Trenbos Towns, be paid out of the public Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the court to-wit Penn Thrift $2.96 Eugene Hawkins 2.64 H. T. Royal $2.96 W A Webb 3.92 O J Brison 2.64 J. T. Thrift $4.00 D A Barnes 2.64 J S Young 2.64 A P Clark 2.96 J. H. Fitts $2.96 J T Williams 3.44 Jno Helms $4.00 S T Clark 3.92 Peter Sokol $3.60 J S Williamson $2.48 Jno Rice 2.96 W B Webb 1.80 C I Brown 1.32 W E Stockell 1.48 R B Shell $1.48

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow at 10 o'clock a.m.

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
October 18th 1905

Present, Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Commonwealth
vs. } Indictment for Misdemeanor violation of the Revenue laws.
Montgomery Davis } This came again the defendant in discharge of his recognizance and moved the Court to continue his case whereupon for good cause shown this case is continued until the first day of the next Term; and thereupon said defendant with William Cate his surety entered into a recognizance and acknowledged themselves bound unto the Commonwealth in the sum of $500.00 ℔ of their lands & tenements, goods and chattels to be levied to the use of said Commonwealth - to be void however if said defendant should well and truly appear in person before this Court on the first day of the next Term to answer said charge and depart

leave without leave of Court — whereupon
to remain in full force.

ordered that this Court be adjourned until
the first 20th day of October 1905 at 10 o'clock
A. M.

Walter A. Watson

At a Circuit Court continued &
held for the County of Dinwiddie
at the Court House thereof on
Friday Oct 20th 1905 and in the
130th year of the Commonwealth

Present

Walter A. Watson Esqr.
Judge

Edmund Ross, Admr.
of Joseph Ross, decd. }
vs. }
Wm. Northrup & Henry } Trespass on the Case
J. Wickham Receivers }
of the Virginia Passenger &
Power Company, Corporation }

This day came again the parties
by their attorneys and on motion of the
Plaintiff and by agreement of counsel this
case is continued until the first day of
the next term. Whereupon in addition to
the demurrer heretofore entered by the Defen-
dant, the said defendant pleaded to the
general issue and says he is not guilty
of the trespass in the manner and
form as is alleged in the Plaintiff's
declaration.

On motion of Mrs. Fussy Smith a widow with
five children in indigent circumstances
and who by encurrence of J. C. Dunn sup-
ervisor and J. R. D. Wells Superintendent of

of the Poor for Lafayette Magesterial District is now allowed the sum of $4.00 per month outside the Poor House for maintenance and support, notice having been given to said Supervisor and Superintendent, and the Court having heard evidence and not being satisfied that said allowance is sufficient to provide said widow with the necessaries of life it is ordered that for the period of two months the said Mrs. Smith be allowed the sum of $8.00 per month - said period to begin upon the expiration of the present month. And a copy of this order is directed to be certified to the Board of Supervisors and they are expected to furnish this Court ~~with~~ at the next Term a statement of the number of the poor now a charge upon the county outside the Poor House together with the allowance made to the same, and also a statement of the average cost per capita of maintaining the inmates of the County Poor House for the last fiscal year.

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V. A. Sterne
vs
S. A. L. Ry. Co. } Trespass on the Case

Virginia A. Sterne
vs.
S. A. L. Ry. Co } Trespass on the Case

These day came again the parties in both of the above cases by their attorneys, and by agreement of Counsel these cases are continued generally.

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Ordered that T. C. Coleman be and he is hereby appointed a Special Police for the County of Dinwiddie and the Clerk of this Court is directed to permit him to qualify in

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his office by taking and subscribing the oaths reqd by law.

Ordered that W. T. Hazzardwell be and he is hereby appointed a Justice of the Peace for the Dafoney Magisterial District Dinwiddie County Va. and the Clerk of the court is directed to permit him to qualify before him in his office by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law.

Dr. E. H. Perkins, Coroner of the County this day tendered his resignation as such, which is accepted, and on motion of Dr E. H. Perkins Jr. the Court doth appoint him Coroner of the County in the place and stead of the said E. H. Perkins, resigned, and doth order that he appear before the the Clerk of this Court and execute the bond required by Law.

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court to-wit: To [illegible] Rainey $3.60, B. L. Bowen $2.32, P. F. Moody $2.48, Percy Rose $3.28, B. H. Hawkins 7.60 J. W. Bain $3.60, H. D. Elder $3.28, C. A. King $3.92, J. T. Slate $4.00

The following claims against the Commonwealth of Va. were Examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to-wit: To H. J. Burrell Constable $4.60, C. Smith Sum. J. P. $1.00, R. M. Perkins, Sheriff Constable $3.40, to Same $2.00, J. W. Galusha Sheriff $18.50, Smith J. Sum. 50 cts, Wm. B. Bridgman, Constable $3.04.

Ordered that the sum of $30.00 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to B. J. Epes, Atty. for the Commonwealth for his services in the cases of the Commonwealth of Va. vs John Hornell, charged with a felony; Commonwealth of Va. vs Stanly Sochoski, charged with a felony and the Commonwealth of Va. vs Mayo Pickertown, charged with a felony; all of which were endicted by the grand Jury.

Cert'd - Dec'd to B. J. Epes Nov. 7 05

Ordered that the sum of $7.50 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to Mrs. Organ Cook for his

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Session in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs John Hamner, charged with felony; Commonwealth of Va vs Stony Sochurk, charged with a felony & the same vs Mayk Trubitowns, charged with a felony; all of whom were indicted by the grand jury. Benj H. Eb sworn and

ordered that A. H. Reams be and he is hereby appointed county policeman and the Clerk of this Court is directed to permit him to qualify by taking in his office and subscribing the oaths of office as required by law.

W. F. Hitchcock acting Jailor of the County, this day produced an Ac. vs. the Comth. in the sum of 58.70 ℔ for board of prisoners in Jail for the period from Aug 24th to Oct 20th 1905 which was examined, allowed, and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment; and also produced an Ac. vs. the Com. in the sum of $.50 ℔ for clothes furnished prisoners in Jail for the period from Sep. 29th to Oct 20th 1905 which was examined, allowed, and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

Ordered that Court be now adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Walter A. Watson

Office Judgments Confessed in the Clerks Office October 24th 1905

E L Lee — Plaintiff
vs
Ben Graves. — Defd
} In Debt

This day came the plaintiff in his own proper person & did the Defendant by R E Bap his attorney in fact under a Power of attorney for confessing a judgment and acknowledged legal Service of the Same and confessed a judgment in favor of the plaintiff against the Defendant for the Sum of Eighty four and 22/100 Dollars with legal interest thereon from the 1st day of May 1904 till paid the debt and interest in the Sum mentioned and also $3.03 for his cost by him about his Suit in this behalf expended. Subject to the following credits to wit $11.00 paid 9th Oct 1904 $7.50 paid 11th Nov 1904 $15.00 10 Nov 29 1904 & $7.65 paid 30th March 1905 Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defd the Said Sum of $84.22/100 Dollars the debt and interest aforesaid and also his cost subject to the credits aforesaid. This judgment is upon an instrument waiving the benefit of the Homestead exemptions.

E L Lee — Plaintiff
vs
Richard Graves — Defd
} In Debt

This day came the plaintiff in his own proper person & did the Defendant by his Attorney under a power of Attorney for confessing a judgment and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the said mentioned, and confessed a judgment in favor of the plaintiff against the Defendant for the Sum of Thirty Six Dollars and twenty cents with interest thereon from the 13th day of March last past paid, and also his cost by him about his Suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is upon an instrument waiving the benefit of the Homestead exemptions.

E L Lee — Plaintiff
vs
Robt Mackin. — Defd
} In Debt

This day came the plaintiff in his own proper person & did the Defendant by his Attorney in fact acting under a Power of Attorney for confessing Judgment and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the said mentioned and confessed a judgment in favor of the plaintiff against the Defendant for the Sum of Ninety Six and 1/100 Dollars with interest thereon from the 30th day of April 1902 until paid, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the said Sum of $96.1/100 with interest as aforesaid and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is upon an instrument waiving the benefit of the Homestead exemption

E L Lee — Plaintiff
vs
Geo Mitchell. — Deft
} Jm Debt.

This day came the plaintiff in his own proper person as did the Defendant by his attorney acting under a Power of Attorney for confessing Judgment and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned and confessed a Judgment in favor of the plaintiff against the Defendant for the Sum of $37.83/100 Dollars with interest thereon from the 5th day of September 1901 till paid Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the said Sum of $37.83/100 with interest as aforesaid and also his cost by him about his Suit in this behalf expended This Judgment is upon an instrument waiving the Homestead.

E L Lee — Plaintiff
vs
Joseph Walker — Deft
} Jm Debt.

Cert $3.03

This day came the plaintiff in his own proper person and did the Defendant by his attorney in fact acting under a Power of Attorney for confessing Judgment and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the said writ mentioned and confessed a judgment in favor of the plaintiff against the Defendant for the Sum of $12.84/100 Dollars with interest thereon from the 9th day of February 1898 till paid Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the said Sum of $12.84/100 with interest as aforesaid and also his cost by him about his Suit in this behalf expended This judgment is upon an instrument waiving the Homestead.

Virginia In the Clerks Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court November 15th 1905.

T C Coleman who was appointed a Notary for the County of Dinwiddie this day personally appeared before me in the Office aforesaid and qualified as such by Taking and Subscribing the oaths required by law.

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dickenson at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 18th day of December 1905 and of the Commonwealth the 130th

Present: Hon. Walter A Watson Judge:

The clerk of the Court made a report of deeds and other writings admitted to record by him in his office during and since the October term of the Court which is approved and filed

International Harvester Co. of America Plaintiff
vs
Jas. Pattison Deft } On motion of motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiff by their attorney, and it appearing to the Court that the plaintiff has had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this Court within the time prescribed by law and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Forty-Two Dollars, with interest thereon from the 24th day of September, 1902, until paid to be levied of his goods & chattels &c, and also its costs about their suit in this behalf Expended, Upon an instrument waiving the benefit of the Home Stead Exemption

International Harvester Co. of America Plaintiff
vs
P. F. Moody Defendant } On motion for motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiff by Attorney, and it appearing to the Court that the plaintiff has had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this Court within the time prescribed by Statute, and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff, against the defendant for the sum of $64.00 with interest thereon from the 1st day of September 1903 until paid, and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf Expended, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $64.00, with interest as aforesaid and also their costs. This judgment is w an instrument

vaiving the benefit of the Homestead Exemption

International Harvester Co of America Pltff
vs
Geo. W. Barnes Deft } On notice of motion for judgment

On motion of the plaintiff this cause is removed from the docket at the said plaintiffs costs,

International Harvester Co of America, Pltff
vs
Andrew Jenkins Deft } On notice of motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiff by Attorney, and it appearing from the Sheriff's return that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court within the time prescribed by Statute, and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against said defendant for the sum of $360, with interest thereon from the 1st day of September 1903 is given, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the said sum of $360, with interest as aforesaid, and also its costs about its suit in this behalf expended, This judgment is upon an instrument evidencing the benefit of the Homestead Exemption, subject to a credit of $5.00, paid Sept. 29th 1904.

International Harvester Co, of America, Pltff
vs
Anderson Rogsdale & J. H. Rogsdale, partners, trading as Anderson Rogsdale & Bro. } On notice of motion for judgment

This day called the plaintiffs by their Attorney, and it appearing that the defendants Anderson Rogsdale, is named in the plaintiffs notice as "Andrew Rogsdale" but should have been Anderson Rogsdale as shown by the notes filed in this cause, and the return of the Sheriff upon the notice On motion of the plaintiff by Attorney, the affidavit required by law having been this day filed, permission is granted said plaintiffs to make proper change in name of said Rogsdale, And it appearing to the Court that the said Anderson Rogsdale & J. H. Rogsdale have had legal notice of this motion, as shown by the returns of the Sheriff thereon endorsed, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office in the time prescribed by Statute, and the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing, Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the said defendants and each of

thereon on the sum of $42.00 with interest thereon from the 30th day of May 1900 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants the sum of $42.00 with interest aforesaid and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is an instrument waiving the benefit of the Homestead Exemptions and is subject to a credit of $3.77 paid Feb 20th 1902 and $14.00 paid Sept 30th 1902.

Charles Leonard Pltff
vs
C E Wells Deft
} On notice of motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and it appearing to the Court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that the said notice was returned to the Clerk's office within the time prescribed by statute, and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the said defendant is given for the sum of $256.58 with interest on $90.32 a part thereof from the 9th day of May 1904 until paid and on $166.26 the residue thereof from the 9th day of June 1904 until paid, and also their costs about his suit in this behalf Expended. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $256.58 with interest as aforesaid, and also his costs. This judgment is an instrument waiving the benefit of the Homestead Exemptions

Charles M. Walsh Plaintiff
vs
Mrs J W. Jackson Defendant
} On notice of motion for Judgment

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and it appearing to the Court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court within the time prescribed by law and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing. Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the said defendant the sum of $178.00 with interest thereon from the 9th day of December 1902 until paid is given. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $178.00 with interest as aforesaid also their costs

about this suit on this behalf expended.

Owners of Bays Swansboro Plaintiffs
vs
Ella V. Frothis Defendants } On notice of motion for judgment

Continued until the first day of the next term of the Court.

Wm Mabord Appellant
vs } On
Seaboard Air Line Railway Appellee

All matters of controversy in this cause having been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties, on motion of parties this cause is removed from the docket.

W. T. Crawford Plaintiff
vs } On removal from
Richard Cears Defendant Justices Court

On motion of the plaintiff this cause is continued until the first day of the next term.

Mary E Ford and others Plaintiffs
vs } In as
Norfolk & Western Railway Co Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and it being stated in open court by said attorneys that all matters of controversy between said parties have been fully adjusted and settled between them, on motion of the plaintiffs and by consent of the defendant it is ordered that this cause be and it is hereby dismissed the parties to pay their respective costs.

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Montgomery Davis
vs } Upon an appeal from a decision of a Justice on tobo warrants, which he was fined $100 & sentenced to the Jail for ninety day, and on the other of which he was fined $25 & costs for violating Rev. Revenue Laws of this State.
The Commonwealth of Va

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the court having seen and inspected the record of the Court below, and upon mature consideration thereof the Court is of opinion that there is no error in the judgment of the said court, doth confirm the same. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Va recover against the said Montgomery Davis the sum of One Hundred Dollars assessed against him in said trial court &c. 216

fine and also its costs; in warrant Marked A, And in warrant marked "B" it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Va recover against the said Montgomery Davis the sum of $25-00 for a fine and also its costs for the use of the said Commonwealth, And in addition thereto it is ordered that the said Montgomery Davis be confined in the County jail of this County for a period of thirty days, And the prisoner is remanded to jail

Montgomery Davis
vs
Commonwealth of Va.

On appeal from a decision of a Justice of the Peace on warrants, Marked "C" & "D" whereby he is fined $100.00 costs & on the other of which last is fined $25-00 costs for violation of Revenue Laws

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the Court having heard & inspected the record in the trial Court in said cause. And upon the evidence of witnesses before the Court, is of the opinion that the said Court erred in its judgment rendered in said cause, and doth reverse said trial Court and set aside said judgments, and proceeding to give such judgment as said Court should have given, doth dismiss said appeals, and doth adjudge that said Commonwealth take nothing by its appeal, and that said Montgomery Davis be thereof acquitted and discharged.

Edmund Ross, Admr of Joseph Ross dcd. Pltff
vs
Receivers of Virginia Passenger & Power Co Defts } Trespass on the Case in Assumpsit

All matters of controversy having been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties, by consent of parties this cause is dismissed at costs of the defendant.

R. Butterworth & H.K. Butterworth,
partners trading as R. Butterworth Bro. Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co Deft } Debt

By consent of parties this cause is ordered until the next term of this court.

V.A. Steven Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Company Deft } Debt

By consent of parties this cause is dismissed and removed from the docket the matters of controversy between the parties having been satisfactorily adjusted

W. A. Stone Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. Defts

All matters of controversy in this cause having been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties, by consent of parties this cause is dismissed at the defendants costs.

N. T. Gresham Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. Defts

By consent of the parties this cause is continued until the next term of the Court.

Commonwealth of Va Pltff
vs
Lewis Hobbs Deft } On an indictment for a felony

On motion of plaintiff by his attorney this cause is continued until the first day of the next term of the Court.

A paper writing bearing date on the 31st day of January 1900, purporting to be the true last will and testament of Wm H. Kirkland dec'd was this day produced in Court and offered for proof, and thereby being no subscribing witness thereto, Walter Stewart and W. F. Pugh were sworn, who deposed and said that they were well acquainted with the hand writing of the said testator and verily believed the said will and the signature thereto subscribed to be wholly written by the testators own hand. And thereupon the said will is admitted to record as and for the true last will and testament of said Wm H. Kirkland dec'd.

Ordered that Walter Stewart, E. A. R. Wyatt & W. S. Perkins, be and they are hereby appointed appraisers, who being first duly sworn for the purpose shall well and truly appraise such of the personal estate of Wm H. Kirkland dec'd as may be produced before them and return their appraisement under their hands to the Court.

E. W. Perkins, Jr., who has heretofore been appointed Coroner for the County of Dinwiddie this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law.

B H Barrow

vs

Court of Va. vs Co of Dinwiddie

On application to be relieved of an errors assessment.

This day came B.H. Barrow, who alleges that he is aggrieved by an entry on the Personal Property Book made by Chas E Abernathy, Commissioner of the Revenue for District No. 1, in Dinwiddie County for the year 1904, page 14, line number 29, whereby he is charged with Three Dollars and Sixty cents State taxes for the year 1904 on personal property. And thereupon the said B.H. Barrow, moved the Court to exonerate him from the payment of Three Dollars and Sixty cents State Taxes so erroneously charged against him for said year, which motion was defended by R.L. Epes, the Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said C.E. Abernathy, the Commissioner who made the assessment was examined as a witness touching the application. And it appearing that the said book in which said alleged erroneous entry has been made, was returned to the Treasurer of said County on the day of 1904, and that application for relief was made on this day for the first time, and that the erroneous assessment was not caused by the failure or refusal of the applicant to furnish to Commissioner, on oath, with the necessary information as required by law, and it appearing that the said B.H. Barrow is also assessed with taxes on said personal property in District No. 2 of said County, and that he has paid taxes on said property in both of said Districts.

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All of which the Court entertains as facts proved upon the application aforesaid. On consideration whereof, and from such facts as proved, the Court is satisfied that the said B.H. Barrow, is erroneously charged in said book with State Taxes amounting to Three Dollars and Sixty Cents, Whereupon it is ordered that the said B.H. Barrow be exonerated from the payment of Three Dollars and Sixty cents State Taxes so erroneously charged, if not already paid, and if paid, that it be refunded to him.

And it is further ordered that said B.H. Barrow be exonerated from the payment of County levy on said personal property erroneously assessed against him as District No. 1 for said year 1904 as follows: County Levy 45¢, Road Levy 20¢, District School 40¢ and County School 20¢ if not already paid and if paid that it be refunded to him.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock,

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning,
December 19th 1905

Present Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
December 20th 1905

Present Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

A. M. Organ, who was on the 7th day of November, 1905 elected County Clerk of the County of Dermidin, by the qualified voters of said County, for the Constitutional term of said Office, commencing on the 1st day of January 1906, this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law and together with A. M. Organ Jr., R. T. J. Spain, acting by John G. Harris, his atty in fact and L. K. Thompson, acting by the said John G. Harris, his atty in fact, who justify as to their sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty Ten Thousand Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs

On motion of A. M. Organ County Clerk of Dermidin County A. M. Organ Jr, is permitted to qualify as his deputy, and thereupon the said A. M. Organ, Jr, appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law,

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the county levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the court, as follows: H. L. Wiles $2.00, W. P. Wells $2.00, J. S. Major $1.40, J. E. Perkins $2.00, J. E. Rose $1.75, Amasleah Gibbs 1.40, A. C. Hinder $2.00, W. V. Harrison $2.00, T. C. Edmunds $1.80, W. A. Goodrum $1.96,

Ordered that the sum of Six Dollars be entered to the Auditor

Copies ordered of Public Accounts for payment to John H. Galenshaw Sheriff for bond to J.W. Galenshaw Jan 4 06

of venire, kept together by order of the Court in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs. John Stovall on trial for murder, at the October term of this Court,

Copies ordered to J.W. Galenshaw Jan 4. 06 Ans

Ordered that the sum of ten dollars be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to J.H. Galenshaw Sheriff, for the attendance of himself during three days of this term of the Court and for the attendance of one deputy during two days of this term of the Court,

F.M. D'Alton, trading as D'Alton & Co. Plaintiff
vs
Squire Holdsworth Deft } In Debt

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and the defendant not appearing to make further defence, It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $92.01 with interest thereon from the 29th day of May 1901 till paid. Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant said sum of $92.01 with interest as aforesaid and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended.

Order that the following claims against the Country of Virginia, which were examined and allowed by the Court be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment, to wit: To W.F. Hotchkiss Sheriff Jailer for boarding prisoners in jail to Dec. 20th 1905, $13.70, To W.H. Reams Special Constable for services in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Mayo Tuberfield and Stanley Sochoski $4.55.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of this next term,

Walter A. Watson

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday the 15th day of January 1906, and of the Commonwealth the 130th

Present: Hon Watts A Watson, Judge

The Clerk of the Court this day made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office during and since the last term of this court which is approved and ordered to be filed

Owners of Bags / Swanston. Plaintiffs
vs
Edd V. Frokes Defts

Ordered that this cause be continued until the first day of the next term of this court.

N. T. Goldsby Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co Deft

Continued until the first day of the next term of this Court.

T. C. Johnson, heretofore having obtained a license to practice law in the courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is given him to practice in this court, and thereupon the said T. C. Johnson took the oath prescribed by law.

J. F. Hardy Plaintiff
vs. On notice of motion
W. J. Robertson Defendant for judgment.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and it appearing to the Court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court within the time provided by statute, and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of Four Hundred and Seven Dollars and fifty cents, with interest thereon from the 4th day of January 1904 is given. Thereon 289

et is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Four Hundred and Seven Dollars and fifty cents with interest thereon from the 4th day of January, 1904 until pay and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on instruments waiving the benefit of the homestead exemptions.

On motion of R.H. Lewis, who made oath thereto, and together with The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, acting by John Mayhew its attorney in fact as his security entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of three hundred dollars, conditioned as the law directs, certificate is granted the said R.H. Lewis for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of W.P. Lewis in due form.

It is ordered that J.E. Talley, R.A. Maitland, J.H. Mosby, C.H. Lewis and T.H. Bridgman, or any three of them, being first duly sworn by the person so duly and justly appraise each of the goods and chattels of W.P. Lewis, deceased, as may be produced to them and return their appraisement under their hands as the law directs.

On motion of Mrs. Susan Smith, a widow with four children, in indigent circumstances, and who by consent of J.C. Deason, Supervisor and J.A.P. Wells, Overseer of the Poor for Lapsley Magisterial District was allowed the sum of $4.00 per month outside the poor-house, for maintenance and support, notice having been given to said Supervisor and Overseer of the Poor, and the Court having heard evidence, and well being satisfied that said allowance is sufficient to provide said widow and children with the necessaries of life, it is ordered that for the period of three months next ensuing, said Mrs. Smith be allowed the sum of $4.00 per month, said period to commence with the first day of the present month, and a copy of this order is directed to be certified to the Board of Supervisors.

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of

the county levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the court to-wit: To F.R. Biggs $1.00 to J.H. Lee $1.32 to G.W. Taylor $1.64 to T.R. Cleaton 1.00 to A.P. Tinsley $1.48 to S.T. Clark $2.00 to W.B. Webb $1.50 to E.L. Perkins $2.00 J.E. Wills 1.88

U.T. Crawford Plaintiff
vs
Richard Cross Defendant } On a warrant removed from a Justices court upon trial

By consent of parties this cause is continued until the first day of the next term.

The following fines have been paid to the Clerk of this court by Justices of the peace since his last report.

Commonwealth of Va	vs	Richard Jones	$2.00
Same	"	David Perkins	1.00
Same	"	Betty White	20.00
Same	"	Zeke Winfield	20.00
Same	"	Sarah Bland	1.00
Same	"	Same	1.00
Same	"	John Field	1.00
Same	"	Willis Field	1.00
Same	"	— Massenburg	1.00
Same	"	David Rins	2.50

which list was examined by the court and ordered to be filed

Ordered that the court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning
January 16th 1906.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Ordered that the sum of Six Dollars be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to Kirk Satterfield Sheriff for the attendance of himself during two days and one deputy during one day of this term of the court.

Ordered that T.J. Cleaton, C.G. Lacy and E.G. Hudson be and they are hereby appointed a Board of Revenue Commissioners

for the County of Dinwiddie

Ordered that the court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Walter T. Watson

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 19th day of March term 1906 and of the Commonwealth the 130th

Present: Hon Walter A Watson, Judge.

The Clerk of the Court this day made a report of deeds which have been admitted to record by him in his office during and since the last term of this court which is approved and ordered to be filed.

The following fines have been paid to the clerk of this court since his last report to wit.

G. E. Kennedy & T. A. Overby, Partners trading as Kennedy & Overby — Pltffs — On motion of motion for Judgment

vs.

A. G. Ferguson & Jas. A. Ferguson — Defts

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and it appearing to the court that the said defendants have had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this court within the time provided by law. And the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing. It is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants, and each of them the sum of One hundred and Eighty Dollars, with interest thereon from the 8th day of May 1905 - till paid and Ten dollars protest charges also their costs about this suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is a lien subject to the benefit of the Homestead Exemptions and is subject to a credit of $40.00 paid May 12 - 1905.

John T. Hasty, Pltff
vs
H. A. Reams Deft } On d notice of motion for judgment

On motion of the Plaintiff by this attorney it is ordd that this cause be removed from the docket of this court and that the said plaintiff pay the costs of this proceedings

Revel Brothers & Jas. E. Bristo, ptfs
vs
John E. Bristo and James E. Bristo partners doing business under the firm name and style of J. E. Bristo and Brother Defendants } On d notice of motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and it appearing to the court that the plaintiffs have had legal notice of this motion and that said notice was returned to the Clerks Office of this court within the time prescribed by statute, and the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing it is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants the sum of Six Dollars with interest thereon from the 8th day of January 1906, until paid, and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is an an instrument arising the benefit of the Homestead Exemptions

J. M. Barnes Plaintiff
vs
C. D. Abernathy Defendant } Unlawful detainer

On motion of the plaintiff by his attorney this cause is removed from the docket of this court at the plaintiffs costs. It appearing that all matters of controversy in this cause have been adjusted between the parties hereto.

~~Alexander Vaul Rensellear Plaintiff~~
~~vs~~
~~The John A. Dix Industrial Lodge, a corporation Defts~~ } ~~On notice of motion for judgment~~

~~This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and it appearing to the Court that the Defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this court within the time prescribed by statute, and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing. Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the sum of Thirty Thousand Six Hundred and Eighty nine dollars and ninety cents ($30689.90) with interest~~

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~~thereon from January 29th 1906 till paid and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended.~~

Upon the petition of P.M. Nash to be allowed to adopt Daniel Nash Robertson, as his own child, and that his name be changed from Daniel Nash Robertson, to Daniel Nash

This day came P.M. Nash and by leave of the court filed his petition praying the court to be allowed to adopt Daniel Nash Robertson as his own child, and that his name be changed from Daniel Nash Robertson to Daniel Nash in pursuance of the Statute (Section 2614 A Code of Virginia, 1904) in such case made and provided; then came also the said Daniel Nash Robertson, an infant over fourteen years old, to-wit: of the age of twenty years, and by leave of the court filed his written consent to such adoption and change of name, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that both of the parents of the said infant are dead, and that he has no legal guardian, and having been appointed for him E.S. Hobbs, a discreet and suitable person was appointed by the court to act in these proceedings as the next friend to the said child, and thereupon by like leave of court said next friend filed his answer to said petition and his written consent to such adoption and change of name; and thereupon the court being satisfied of the ability of the petitioner to bring up and educate the said child properly, having reference to the degree and condition of his parents and the fitness and propriety of such adoption, it is ordered that from the day of the date hereof the said child to all legal intents and purposes is and shall be the child and heir-at-law of said petitioner, entitled to all the rights and privileges and subject to all the obligations of a child of the said petitioner begotten in lawful wedlock, and his name be and the same is hereby changed from Daniel Nash Robertson, his present name, to Daniel Nash, which shall hereafter be his lawful name.

It is further ordered that the petitioner pay the costs of this proceeding.

Robert G. Bass Jr, gentleman having obtained a license to practice law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, or his foreign license is granted him to practice law in the Courts

And thereupon the said Robt G. Boggs Jr. appeared in court and took the oaths prescribed by Law.

Owners of Barge Swansboro. Pltffs
vs
Edd V. Faulks Deft } Notice of Motion for Judgt.

Continued until the first Day of the next term of this Court.

R Butterworth & H K. Butterworth, partners trading as R. Butterworth Bro. Pltffs
vs
Seaboard Air Line Defts

A. T. Goolsby Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued until the next term of this court.

E L Perkins Gentleman Foreman with T Eldridge J A Hawkins J W Phillips J Williams, A T Clarke, David Hartley, Barnes Butterworth, & D H Fisher were sworn and impannelled as special Grand Jury of Inquest in and for the body of Duplin County, and after hearing their charge retired to their room and after some time spent therein returned into Court, and reported the following Indictments, towit, The Commonwealth of Va vs William Ruffin alias Junius Ruffin Indictment for Felony "a true bill" Signed E L Perkins Foreman. The State vs J M Rivenbark. Indictment for Felony "Not a true bill" Signed E L Perkins Foreman and the Grand Jury having nothing further to present. They were discharged. And it is ordered that they be paid out of the County Treasury for their services as follows towit. E L Perkins $2.00 T Eldridge $2.00 J A Hawkins $1.40 J W Phillips $1.30 J E Williams $1.80 A T Clarke $2.60 David Hartley $1.90 Barnes Butterworth $1.10 D H Fisher $2.00

Duncan Wright & came this day and made oath that he is the duly appointed Treasurer of the Riverside Club, that the said Club was chartered and organized as a social club on the 16th April 1903. and has exhibited unto the said Court a list of its members as required and it appearing to the Court that the membership exceeds thirty four, and that such organization is a bona fide social club and not an organization for the sale of liquor and violating the laws of the State regulating the sale of Liquor. and therefore upon the payment by the said Club on or before the 30th day of April 1906 to the County Treasurer of a license tax not exceeding the sum of $300.00 the Court doth certify that said Club is entitled to obtain and dispense wine among its members until the 30th April 1907.

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W. T. Crawford — Pltff } Upon an appeal removed from a J.P. before tried.
vs
Reuben A. Crop. — Defdt

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came the following jury to wit. Robt King Wm Baird Jr Allison Andrew Sheffield R.N. Taylor Jr E.T. Hedges J. M. Beck and having heard the evidence rendered the following verdict to wit "We the jury find for the defendant", Therefore it is considered that the Plaintiff recover of the Defendant his costs by him about his defence of this suit expended &c.

The Commonwealth — Prosecution
vs
J. M. Rupell — Defdt.

The Grand Jury having rejected not a true Bill, it is ordered that the defendant be discharged and proclamation being made as the manner or directed by the manner is is &c &c.

A paper writing purporting to be the true last will and testament of Wm R. Chambers dec'd bearing date the 24th day of December 1903, purporting to be the true last will and testament of Wm R. Chambers dec'd was this day produced in Court and offered for proof and was proven by the oath of W. C. Rice and C. Connelly the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded, and on the motion of B. F. Barrow and S. Y. Gill who the executors therein named who made oath thereto entered into and acknowledged a Bond in the penalty of Eighteen Hundred Dollars conditioned according to law with the National Surety Fidelity and Guaranty Co. acting by John Mayes its Attorney in fact as the surety. Ordered that Connelly Jones Connelly R. D. Temple E. F. Hill & L. Eckhardt any three to act appraise the estate of said W. R. Chambers dec'd and make report as required by law.

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors be paid out of the County Treasury for their services at this term of the Court to wit. Wm Baird Jr. J. P. Allison Jr. A. Sheffield $1.60 R. N. Taylor $1.90 J. E. Hedges $1.80 J. M. Beck $1.60 [illegible] $2.00

Ordered that the following Petit Jurors in case of Commonwealth v. J. M. Rupell be paid out of the State Treasury a free and true Getting 2 days $4.00 James King $1. Ernest Johnson $1. Marcus Hamm $1. Jas Bispham $1.

J. A. P. Hill. Motion to be relieved of securities as per Docket No C.

Ordered that J. M. Goodrich Sheriff be allowed the sum of Eight Dollars for

services of himself and one Deputy two days during this term of the Court which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

Alexander Van Rensellear
vs.
John A. Dip Industrial School
a Corporation
} A motion for Judgment.

On motion this case is continued until the first day of the next term.

Commonwealth
vs.
William Ruffin
alias
Jinker Ruffin
} Indictment for a Felony

William, alias Jinker, Ruffin, who stands indicted in this Court for a felony was this day led to the Bar in custody of the Sheriff and for good reasons appearing to the Court this case is continued until the next term. And the prisoner was remanded to Jail.

Hamm Brown, George P. Adams and Ally Fisher, acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the just and full sum of $100.00 each to be levied of each of their goods and chattels lands and tenements &c. for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said Hamm Brown, George P. Adams and Ally Fisher, and each of them personally appear in this court at the first day of the next term at ten o'clock, a.m., to testify and the truth to say on behalf of the Commonwealth in the case of the Commonwealth of Virginia vs. William Ruffin alias Jinker Ruffin, charged with a felony and not depart thence without the leave of this court.

The following fines have been paid to the Clerk of this court since his last report, to-wit:- Commonwealth of Va. vs. Montgomery Davis, for violation of Revenue Laws $100.00; Court of Va. vs. Montgomery Davis for violation of Revenue Laws $25.00; Court of Va. vs. Emmett Dabney $2.50; Same vs. Emmett Dabney $2.50; Same vs. Erastus Fulgham $10.00;

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow at two o'clock a m.

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning,
March 20th 1906.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

W. F. Hitchcock, Acting Jailor presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $25-30 for boarding persons confined in Jail to March 20th 1906, which was examined and allowed by the Court and certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

W. F. Hitchcock, Acting Jailor presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $7.25 for boarding an insane person in Jail, which was examined and allowed by the Court and certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

J. W. Galumbus, Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth of amounting to $2.00 for arresting J. M. Russell charged with murder and for summoning witnesses for Commonwealth in same case, which was examined and allowed and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts. for payment.

Satisfactory evidence having been adduced to the Court that the public service in Nancy district requires an additional constable in said district, H. G. Wheeler, is hereby named and appointed as Constable for Nancy district Division No 2 County to hold Office until the 1st day of January 1908.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Walter A. Watson

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 21st day of May 1906 and of the Commonwealth the 130th

Present: Hon Walter A Watson Judge:

The Clerk of this court made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office during and since the last term of this court which is approved & filed

The following fines have been paid to the clerk of this court since his last report, to-wit:

The Commonwealth vs Ben Pattillo $5.00 Paid March 19th 1906 by J.G. Rives J.P.
" " " Henry Richardson $10.00 " " " " " "
" " " Albert Jackson $2.50 " " " " " "

John H. Oast Jr. gentleman having obtained a license to practice the law in the courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is granted him to practice the law in this court, and thereupon the said Jno H. Oast Jr. took the oath prescribed by Law.

R. T. Thorp gentleman, having obtained a license to practice the law in the courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is granted him to practice law in this court and thereupon the said R. T. Thorp took the oath prescribed by Law.

C. H. Street, S. B. Johnson, W. M. Brown & H. Jones & Lord Bright, acknowledge themselves to be justly indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of $100.00 each to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements &c, for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said C. H. Street, S. B. Johnson, W. M. Brand, H. Jones & Lord Bright and each of them personally appear in the Court at Common morning at ten o'clock to testify and give evidence in behalf of the defendant in the case of the Commonwealth of Virginia v. Tinker Ruffin alias Killian Ruffin, charged with murder and not depart thence without the leave of this court

Warren Brown, Alley Fisher, George Adams and Agnes Brandy, and

each of them acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of $100.00 each to be levied of their respective goods and chattels, lands & tenements, for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said Hamm Bacon, Ally Fisher, George Adams and Agnes Washington, and each of them personally appear in this court on to-morrow morning at ten o'clock and not depart thence without the leave of this court, to testify and give evidence on behalf of the Commonwealth of Va vs Tinkus Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin, charged with murder.

George E. Anderson jr. gentleman having obtained a license to practice the law in the courts of this Commonwealth, as his motion leave is granted him to practice law in this court whereupon the said George E. Anderson jr. appeared in court and qualified as such by taking the oath prescribed by law.

A paper writing bearing date on the 2nd day of May 1877, purporting to be the last will and testament of William Birthwright- dec'd was this day produced in court and offered for proof and was proven by the oath of E.P. Crowder, one of the subscribing witness thereto, who testified that the said William Birthwright- signed and acknowledged the said paper writing as his last will and testament in his presence and in the presence of C.C. Crowder, the other subscribing witness thereto, and that he, the said E. P. Crowder and C.C. Crowder, subscribed their names as witness to said will at the request of the said testator, and in his presence and in the presence of each other. Whereupon the said will is ordered to be recorded as and for the last will and testament of the said William Birthwright- dec'd. And on motion of William D. Birthwright the Executor named in the said will, who made oath thereto, and entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of One Hundred Dollars, conditioned as the law directs, without security the said will requiring that the court require none, and the court not requiring any, certificate is granted the said William D. Birthwright- for obtaining a probate of said will in due form.

Ordered that T.C. Bowers S.T. Clark, C.E. Abernathy, J.A.M. Johnson, Archer Clark, or any three of them being first duly sworn for the purpose do justly and truly appraise such of the

goods and chattels of the personal estate of William Cuthwright dcd as may be produced upon them and return this appraisement under their hands as the law directs

R. W. Manson & J. R. Shell, and Austin Bickford, trading as Manson, Shell & Co. Pltffs } On notice of motion for Judgment—
vs
W. H. Crowder, & E. S. Crowder Defts

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and it appearing to the court from the return of the sheriff endorsed on the said notice that the defendants have had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the clerks office of this court in the time prescribed by statute. And the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing; judgment by the court in favor of the plaintiffs against the said defendants is given for the sum of One Hundred and fifty dollars, with interest thereon from the 21st day of April 1902 until paid.

Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants the said sum of $150.00 with interest as aforesaid, and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is an an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead Exemption and is subject to a credit of of $73.00, paid January 15th 1904.

W. D. Hall, gentleman foreman, together with E. S. Crowder, D. H. Fisher, J. W. Lewis, J. M. Rice, R. C. Hardy, Benjamin Scott, D. H. Wilkinson and T. C. Johnson, were sworn a Special Grand Jury of Inquest in and for the body of the County of Dinwiddie, and after having received their charge returned to their room and after sometime came into court and reported the following presentments and indictments,

Commonwealth of Virginia } Indictment for housebreaking & Larceny.
vs
William Jones } A true bill.

Commonwealth of Virginia } Presmt. for cutting limbs and
vs
J. B. Olgus } A Misdemeanor

Ordered to be sent to F. O. Robinson for trial

And the grand jury having no further business before them were thereupon discharged. And it is ordered that they be paid out of the County Levy as follows: To E. S. Crowder $8.72. D. H. Fisher $2.00 235

to W. D. Steele #1vo, J W Lewis #2vo, J M Rose #14, R C Hoof 196
Benjman Scott 748, D H Williamson #156, T C Johnson #196,

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
v
William Jones Defendant } On an Indictment for Housebreaking & Larceny

This day came the Attorny for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and upon being arraigned, a plea of "guilty" was tendered by the prisoner in person, and waiving a trial by Jury and with the consent of the Attorny for the Commonwealth, the Court proceeds to hear and determine the case without the intervention of a jury. And the Court having fully heard the evidence doth adjudge that the said William Jones be imprisoned in the public jail and State Penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the period of one year. And it being demanded of the prisoner if any thing he had or knew to say why the Court should not now proceed to pronounce Sentence against him according to law, and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof. It is considered by the Court that the said William Jones be imprisoned in the penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the period of one year aforesaid. And it is ordered that the proper officer do as soon as possible after the adjournment of this Court safely convey the said William Jones from the jail of this County to public jail and penitentiary of this Commonwealth there to be kept imprisoned and treated in the manner prescribed by Law for the period of one year aforesaid. And the prisoner is remanded to jail

John Richard Allen orphan of Lucy Allen decd. who is over the age of 16 years this day appeared in Court and with the approbation of the Court made choice of Richard Allen for his guardian, and thereupon the said Richard Allen appeared in Court, and together with Sam Marrum as his surety, who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Seventy Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs

Mrs. E. J. Haywood.
App. decision to be refunded of an unjust assessment.
This day came Mrs. E. J. Haywood who alleges that she is

Copy duly mailed to S.H. Gilliam Aug 10. 1907. and

aggrieved by an entry in the Personal Property Books made by John Hargrove, Commissioner of the Revenue for District No. 2, in Dinwiddie County for the year 1905, page 19 line 7, wherein she is charged with one dollar and fifty cents State Capitation taxes for the year 1905, on one capitation And thereupon the said Mrs. E. J. Hogwood moves the Court to Exonerate her from the payment of one dollar and fifty cents State Capitation taxes so erroneously charged against her for said year, which motion was defended by R.P. Epps, the Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said John Hargrove, the Commissioner who made the assessment, was Examined as a witness touching the application.

And it appearing that the said book, in which said alleged erroneous entry has been made, was delivered to the Treasurer of the said County on the day of 1905, and that application for redress was made on this day for the first time, and that the erroneous assessment was not caused by the failure or refusal of the applicant to furnish the Commissioner, on oath, with the necessary information as required by law and it further appearing that the said applicant is a woman, and is erroneously assessed with State capitation taxes for said year, All which the Court certifies as facts proved upon the application aforesaid, On consideration whereof, and from such facts so proved, the Court is satisfied that the said Mrs. E. J. Hogwood is erroneously charged in said book with State capitation taxes amounting to One Dollar and fifty cents

Whereupon it is ordered that the said Mrs E. J. Hogwood be Exonerated from the payment of One Dollar and fifty cents, State capitation taxes so erroneously charged, if not already paid, and if paid that it be refunded to her, together with the penalty thereon.

The Court doth appoint Ella Yates, guardian of Awthony Edwards, orphan of Martha Edwards, dec'd, the said Awthony Edward, being under the age of fourteen years, And thereupon the said Ella Yates, appeared in Court and together with John H. Williams and James B. Pegram as her sureties, who justified as to their sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $126.00, conditioned as the law directs.

Overseers of Bargs Swansboro Plaintiffs
vs
Ella V. Fowlkes Defendants
} On notice of motion for Judgment.

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Ordered that this cause be continued until the first day of the next term of this court.

R Butterworth & H.K. Butterworth, partners trading as R Butterworth & Bro. — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Defts
} In case

A.J. Goldsberry — Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Defts
} In case

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued until the next term of this Court.

May E. Crowe — Plaintiff
vs
Sarah E. Laurence — Defendant
} Action of Ejectment

John T. Crowe — Plaintiff
vs
Lee Winn & Samuel Sheffield — Defendant
} Trespass on the case in Trover & Conversion

On motion the above styled causes are ordered until the first day of the next term of this court.

Alexander Van Rensselaer — Plaintiff
vs.
The John A. Dix Industrial School, a corporation — Defts
} On a notice of motion for judgment

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney, and the defendant acting by Richard D. Gilliam its duly authorized attorney in fact under seal from the said John A. Dix Industrial School, Executed by H. Churchman its Vice President to the said Richard D. Gilliam, its attorney in fact, and confesses the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the notice mentioned, and confesses a judgment in favor of the plaintiff against the said defendant for the sum of thirty thousand six hundred and eighty-nine dollars and ninety cents ($30689.90) with interest thereon from January 29th 1906, till paid.

Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of thirty thousand six hundred and eighty-nine dollars and ninety cents with interest thereon from January 29th 1906 till paid and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended.

Ordered that this Court be adjourned until to morrow morning at ten o'clock,

Walter A. Watson J.

Tuesday Morning
May 22. 1906.

Present, Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs
Williams Ruffin, alias Timber Ruffin, Defendant } On an indictment for robbery

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the Bar in custody of the sheriff of this county, and the prisoner by counsel demurred to the indictment, which the Court overruled, and the sheriff of this county having returned the writ of venire-facias, together with the names of sixteen persons summoned by him and taken from a list furnished by the clerk of this Court and the prisoner by counsel moved the Court to quash the said writ of venire-facias, which motion the Court overruled. And the said venire facias having been exhausted, and the panel not being completed, and the only ten jurors having been found free from exceptions, and alias venire-facias was issued directed to directing the sheriff of this county to summons Eight additional jurors, taken from a list to be furnished by the judge of this Court to appear forthwith for the trial of the prisoner, and the said sheriff having returned the alias venire-facias, together with the names of Eight persons summoned by him and taken from a list furnished him by the judge of this Court, and the prisoner by counsel also moved the Court to quash the said alias venire-facias, which motion and the said alias writ of venire-facias having been returned upon this motion the Court overruled, to which ruling the prisoner excepted; * Whereupon the prisoner, upon being arraigned pleaded "not guilty", and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors free from exceptions being completed and the prisoner having exercised his privilege under the Act of Assembly of striking from the panel the names of four of said jurors, and the following twelve jurors remained for the trial of the prisoner; to wit: T. W. Atkinson, Ernest Bevill, T. R. Freeman, S. V. Camp, Willis Hitchcock, J. H. Boaz, E. B. Dibble, W. E. Stockdale, G. A. Boisseau, O. J. Boisseau, S. R. Boisseau, and R. B. Minnick, who were sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having fully heard the evidence and argument related to

* This makes a panel of 16 persons free of exceptions.

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this room, and after sometime came into Court, and repor-
ted that they were unable to agree on a verdict. And the
Court being about to adjourn the jury was given in charge
of the Sheriff and his deputy to whom was administered
an oath that they should keep the jury together
without communication with any person, and that
they would neither converse with them themselves
touching this trial, nor permit any other person to
do so, and would cause them to appear in this
Court to-morrow morning at nine o'clock. And the
prisoner is remanded to jail.

Ordered that J. C. Smith, E. L. Perkins, John H.
Bain, E. S. Hobbs, be and they are hereby appointed
members of the Road Board for the County of
Dinwiddie from the several Magisterial Districts of
said County and that J. E. Perkinson be appointed a
Member of said Board from the County at large as
provided by an Act of the General Assembly of 1905-

Ordered that the following witnesses in con of
the Commonwealth of Va vs William Ruffin alias
Tinker Ruffin be paid out of the public Treasury for
their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court
as follows: to Agnes Washington $2.20 to Warren Brown 1.80
Allie Fisher $3.60 to Geo. P. Adams $2.20, The following allowance
to witnesses in case of the Commonwealth vs William
Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin was entered by the
Justice of the Peace for their attendance before him
Warren Brown $1.80 Allie Fisher $2.20 George P. Adams
3.80, J. R. Dunkley $3.96, Chas. Jackson $3.96.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow
morning at nine o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
May 23rd 1906

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $5.00 for payment to S. M. Organ Clerk, being $2.50 for his services in the case of the Commonwealth vs Wilson Jones, charged with a felony, and $2.50 for summoning same; and $2.50 for services in case of the State vs Wm Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin charged with a felony and fifty cents for summoning same.

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $12.00 for payment to J. W. Galusha Sheriff being $2.00 per day for the attendance of himself and one deputy during three days of this term of the Court.

The Commonwealth of Virginia — Presenting — Upon an Indictment for a Felony
vs
Wm Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin — Deft.

This day came again the attorney for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner was again led to the bar in the custody of the Jailor of the Court, and the Jury drawn in this case again appeared in Court in charge of the Sheriff according to their adjournment. [illegible] and after some time returned and retired to their room to consult of their verdict, and after some time returned again into Court, and the Jury appearing Court further proceeded to enquire upon the trial of the prisoner, and the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner with his Counsel appeared, and the Jurors were called and answered to their names, and the prisoner was arraigned and pleaded not guilty, and the Jurors were empannelled and sworn well and truly to try the issue joined between the Commonwealth and the prisoner, and a witness for the Commonwealth was sworn and examined, and the Jury retired to their room to consult of their verdict, and after some time returned into Court, and the Jury appearing

Copied & delivered B.J. Epes July 30th 1906

Attorney for the Commonwealth for his services in prosecuting Willis Jones, charged with a felony, and tried at this term, and also the sum of $10.00 to be paid B.J. Epes, attorney for the Commonwealth, for prosecuting at this term William Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin, Tried for a felony

Last Physician

W.S. Boyles M.D. this day produced an account against the Commonwealth sworn to as the Law requires for the sum of $9.25 for professional services rendered to sundry persons enlisted in the County Jail during the period from Sept. 30th 1905 to May 21st 1906 which was examined allowed and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment

J.A. Galusha Sheriff this day produced an account vs. Commonwealth for the sum of Twenty Four ($24.00) per board of the Jury for two days in the case of the Com. vs. William Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin on a trial for a felony at this term — the Jury having been kept together by order of the Court and the offence being punishable with death — which was examined, allowed, and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment

J.A. Galusha Sheriff, this day produced an account vs. the Commonwealth amounting to $3.60 for executing a venire facias in the case of the Com. vs. Wm Ruffin at rules to the present term, per the order of J.W. Russell, & summoning sundry witnesses to this and the March term of the Circuit Court — which was examined allowed & ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment

On his motion Stafford V. Camp is appointed Guardian for his infant children — Mylah Hope Camp, Francis Asa Camp, Hattie Inez Camp, Lucy Stafford Camp, Nellie Brown Camp, Stafford Vernon Camp, and Annie Camp — aged respectively 11, 9, 8, 6, 5, & —, and — years — and having taken the oath

of office as required by Law & qualified and, ~~also~~ duly Examined as to his sufficiency, entered into a bond in the sum of $100.00, without security, conditioned upon the faithful discharge of the duties of the said office as the Law directs.

// W. F. Hitchcock Jailer produced an acct. vs. the Commonwealth amounting to $6.10 for sundry articles of clothing furnished Wm Ruffin and other prisoners confined in the County Jail during the Period from Jany 6th to May 23d 1906 which was examined allowed & ordered to be certified to the Auditor Public Accounts for Payment.

// W. F. Hitchcock Jailer produced an Acct vs. the Com. amounting to $43.70 for board of Wm Ruffin & others sundry prisoners in Jail for the Period beginning Mar 21st 1906 and ending May 23d 1906 which was Examined, allowed and ordered to be certified to the Auditor Public Accounts for Payment.

// W. F. Hitchcock Jailer produced an Acct vs. the Com. amounting to $1.25 for board of Lonely Evans, col. a Lunatic confined in the County Jail, the Jailer having proved to the Court that immediately after the commitment of said Lunatic to Jail, application was made to the Central State Hospital at Petersburg for admission &c., which was Examined allowed and ordered to be certified to the Auditor Public Accounts for Payment.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next Term.

Walter S. Watson

In the Clerks Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court June 24th 1906.

J Smith E L Perkins & Jno H Bain who were on the 22d day of May 1906 duly appointed Members of the Road Board of Dinwiddie County this day appeared before me in the Office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law.

Virginia In the Clerks office of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie June 30 1906

This day Walter J Branch appeared before me A M Organ Clerk of the said Court in my office aforesaid who was on the 28th day of June 1906 by his Excellency the Governor of Virginia appointed and Commissioned a Notary Public for the County of Dinwiddie for a term of four years from said date and entered into bond in the penalty of $500.00 with approved Security, conditioned according to law, and took and subscribed the oaths of office as required by law.

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday the 20th day of August 1906 and of the Commonwealth the 131st

Present Hon. J. F. West Judge of the 3rd Judicial Circuit of Va, presiding by virtue of a Commission from the Governor of Va to hold the August term of the Circuit of Dinwiddie County in place and stead of Hon Walter A Watson, Judge of said Circuit said Commission being dated July 31st 1906, and being spread upon the Chancery order book at this term

The Clerk of the Court presented a list of deeds and other writings which had been presented to record by him in his office during and since the last term of this Court which is approved & ordered to be filed

The following fines have been paid to the clerk of this Court since his last report to wit

Commonwealth of Va vs Marvin Crump & Paid by F B Briggs J.P. Jan 27, 1906

Two Minutes ... July 27,

Ben Mason 200 ... R.K. Reams ... 27,

Comth of Va vs Wm Hart	$5.00	Paid by S.T. Geier J.P.	July	23	1906
" " " "	$5.00	" " "	"	"	"
" " D Blankenship	2.00	" " "	"	"	"
" " L A Dean	2.00	" " "	"	"	"
" " W Hartless	10.00	" " "	"	"	"
" " Same	5.00	" " "	"	"	"
" " Wm Jerals	2.50	" " W B Preas	"	24	"
" " Lee Gibbs	2.50	" " "	"	"	"
" " Jno Taylor	20.00	" " F B Briggs	"	Aug 1	"
" " Same	20.00	" " "	"	1	"
" " Same	20.00	" " "	"	1	"

On motion the Court doth appoint Mrs. A A Freeman guardian of her grandson Chester F Dassy, orphan of Blanche A Dassy decd who is under the age of fourteen years, Whereupon the said A A Freeman appeared in Court and together with B J Mason as her surety, who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $100.00 conditioned as the law directs.

On motion the Court doth appoint Biddie Parker, guardian of Etta Ragsdale & Emma Ragsdale orphans of Anderson Ragsdale & Jane Ragsdale decd and who are under the age of fourteen years, And thereupon the said Biddie Parker appeared in Court and together with B H Barnes as his security who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $100.00 conditioned as the law directs

Commonwealth of Virginia — Plff
vs
Anderson Field — Deft
} On an indictment for grand Larceny.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Jailor of this county and being thereof arraigned, a plea of "guilty" was tendered by the prisoner in person and waived a trial by a jury; and thereupon, with the consent of the attorney for the Commonwealth, the Court proceeded to hear and determine the case without the intervention of a jury. And the Court having fully heard the evidence doth adjudge that the

said Anderson Field be imprisoned in the public jail and State Penitentiary of this Commonwealth, for the period of one year, And it being demanded of the prisoner if any thing he had or knew to say why the Court should not now proceed to pronounce sentence against him according to law, and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof. It is considered by the Court that the said Anderson Field be imprisoned in the Public jail and State Penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the term of one year. And it is ordered that the proper officer do as soon after the adjournment of this Court as possible, remove and safely convey the said Anderson Field from the jail of this County to the Public Jail and State Penitentiary of this Commonwealth therein to be kept imprisoned and treated as the Law directs, for the term of one year aforesaid, And the prisoner is remanded to jail

Jno. S Hutt, W.H. Miller and R.A. Carrington, general partners, and James R Gleaves, Special partner, doing business in the City of Lynchburg under the name of the Lynchburg Shoe Co. Pltffs

vs

John B. Frazier Defft

On notice of motion for judgment

It appearing to the Court that all matters of controversy in this cause have been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties, On motion of the plaintiffs this cause is removed from the docket of this Court at the costs of the said plaintiffs

R Butterworth & H.K. Butterworth partners trading as R. Butterworth & Bro. Plaintiffs

vs

Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. Defft

In case

A.T. Goldsby Plaintiff

vs

Seaboard Air Line Railway Co Defft

In case

Ordered that the abov styled causes be continued generally

Owners of Barge Swansboro. Plaintiffs
vs
Fowlkes Ella V. Deft } On notice of motion for judgment

By consent of parties it is ordered that this cause be continued until the first day of the next term

Mary E. Crow Plaintiff
vs
Sarah E. Lawrence Defendant } On notice of motion for judgment

John T. Crow Plaintiff
vs
Lee Hines & Samuel Sheffield Defendants } On notice of motion for Judgment

Ordered that the abov styled causes be continued until the first day of the next term of this court

On motion of Mrs Susan Smith, on behalf of herself and five children, who are unable to maintain themselves; and it appearing to the Court that the amount allowed them by the Overseer of the Poor is insufficient to maintain them, it is ordered that they be allowed the sum of Eight dollars per month, commencing with month of April 1906, and for each month thereafter, until further order of this Court.

M. P. Alston and J. H. Ellis who were summoned to appear here on the first day of this term of the Court, as a witness for the Commonwealth of Va in its prosecution against William Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin charged with a felony; and the said M. P. Alston and J. H. Ellis being solemnly called and not appearing. It is ordered that the said M. P. Alston and J. H. Ellis be summoned to appear before this court on the first day of its next term to answer his said contempt

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow at ten o'clock AM

Jesse F. Wash

Tuesday Morning
August 21st 1906.

Present: Hon J. F. West, Judge of the 3rd Judicial Circuit of Va.

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff } On an indictment
vs } for robbery
William Ruffin, alias Tinker Ruffin Defendant }

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County and having been formerly arraigned, pleaded "not guilty," and the said Sheriff having returned the writ of venire facias together with the names of twenty persons summoned by him, and taken from the list furnished by the Clerk of this court and competent to serve as jurors according to law, and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors, free from exceptions, being completed, and the prisoner by counsel having stricken from the said panel four of the said jurors, the remaining twelve constituted the jury for the trial of the prisoner, to-wit: C. G. Lee, C. H. Rainey, S. A. Young, E. A. Gill, J. S. Rose, Henry Chappell, T. J. Andrews, J. F. Breckenridge, Charles Markel, J. W. Hawkins, T. B. Chambers and A. P. Thrift, who were sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having partly heard the evidence, and the court being about to adjourn, the jury was given in charge of the Sheriff and his deputy, to whom was administered an oath that they would keep the jury together, without communication with any person, and that they would neither converse with them themselves touching this trial, nor permit any other person to do so, and would cause them to appear in this court room to-morrow morning at ten o'clock. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Jesse F. West

Wednesday Morning
August 22nd 1906.

Present Hon J. F. West Judge.

W. P. Arrington & S. M. Green, partners trading as Arrington & Green vs George W Travis, Admr. of Geo. W. Artis, dec'd, Sidney Chatman, Abram Roberts, William Green and T. C. Johnson, Admr. of Alfred Green, dec'd — Plaintiffs / Defendants — On notice of motion for judgment.

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and it appearing to the Court from the return of the Sheriff endorsed on the notice that the defendants in this cause had legal notice of this motion and that said notice together with the return of the said Sheriff endorsed thereon was returned to the clerk's office of this Court within the time provided by Statute. And the said defendants offer nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants and each of them the sum of One hundred and Sixty Dollars, with interest thereon from the 20th day of March 1906. until paid, and the further sum of one dollar and fifty cents protest charges, and also the costs about this suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on an instrument evidencing the benefit of the homestead exemption

It appearing that Joanna Hawkins W. W. Matthews, W. F. Doyle, Mary A. Sears, & Clabe B. Ruse, filed in the clerk's office of this County twenty days before the commencement of the regular term of this Court, an application for relief under the Act of April 2nd 1902, and the Court having taken up, examined & considered such applications, which have been certified by the clerk of this Court is satisfied that the requirements of said Act have been substantially complied with, and that said applications are supported by the affidavits and certificates required by law, (except the application of Clabe B. Ruse) is satisfied of the justice of the claims of each of said applicants. And it-

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further appearing that the Pension Board were duly notified of said applications fifteen days before the commencement of the regular term of this court, & have filed no exceptions thereto, it is ordered that the said Joanna Hawkins, W. H. Matthews, W. F. Doyle and Mary A. Means be placed on the pension rolls of Va. and be allowed the amounts opposite their names as follows. To Joanna Hawkins, $20.00 Dollars
" W. H. Matthews 30.00 "
" W. F. Doyle 16.00 "
" Mary A. Means 25.00 "

And it appearing from the application of Clark B. Ruth or from the certificate of the physician attached to said application to what extent the applicant partial disability hinders him from pursuing his usual occupation for a livelihood, doth reject the application of said Clark B. Ruth.

An account of Wm. L. Briggs M.D. against the Commonwealth of Va. amounting to $2.00 for medical attention to prisoner confined in the jail of this County to August [illegible] 1906 was presented, Examined, and allowed by the Court and certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment

The Court certifies that the Hon. J. F. Watt, Judge of the 23rd Judicial Circuit of Virginia is entitled to receive out of the County Levy of Dinwiddie County the sum of $47.40 for his services and mileage for presiding over the Circuit Court of said County four days during the present term of said Court, under a Commission issued by the Governor of Virginia on the 31st day of July 1906. And it is ordered that the same be certified to the Treasurer of Dinwiddie County, who is directed to pay the same

Ordered that the witnesses in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Tinkes Ruffin alias Wm Ruffin for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court to wit: B. D. Edwards $5.40 W. J. Pond $5.00 W. J. Barnett $5.04 G. P. Eason $9.00, Sheppard Tanner $9.00, W. H. Wynne $9.00

Charles Jackson $8.65 Charles H. Stuck $9.05 Agnes Washington $1.70 Hannis Brown 1.30 Allie Fisher $1.70 Geo. P. Adams 3.30 W.S. Hawkins 3.80

The Court doth entry to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $16.00 for payment to to John W. Galusha Sheriff, being $2.00 per day for the services of himself and one Deputy during four days of this term of the Court

Ordered that the sum of $24.00 be entitled to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to J.H. Galusha for board of jury in case of The Commonwealth of Va vs William Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin, on trial for a felony during two days of this term of the Court, The jury being kept together by order of the Court and the offence being punishable with death

Ordered that the following Jury in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs William Ruffin, alias Tinker Ruffin, be paid out of the Public Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court, to wit C. G. Lee 3.60 C.H. Rainey 3.00 S.S. Young 2.32 E.A. Gill 4.00 J.H. Rice 2.60 J.T. Andrews 2.60 J.F. Butterworth 2.60 Chas Market 2.80 J.W. Hawkins 2.56 T.B. Chambers 2.60 A.P. Thrift 2.96 B.B. Barnett 2.60 C.E. Coleman 2.60 E.J. Meredith 2.96. Henry Chappell 2.80, R.H. Henry 2.00 J.H. Bussey 2.64 R.H. Parkins 2.00 Adolphus Temple 1.40, C.W. Tucker 1.96. C.O. Smith 1.96, J.E. Clarke 2.00

The Commonwealth of Va } Petit, On an indictment for
vs
William Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin } Deft Felony

This day came ajn the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisner was ajn led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and the jury sworn in this cause yesterday appeared in Court pursuant to the adjournment to wit: C.G. Lee C.H. Rainey, S.S. Young, E.A. Gill, J.H. Rice, Henry Chappell, J.T. Andrews, J.F. Butterworth, Charles Market, J.W. Hawkins, T.B. Chambers and A.P. Thrift, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of Counsel retired to their room and after consultation upon their Cause came into Court and reported the following verdict, to-wit: We the jury find the prisner guilty and fix his term of confinement in the public jail and State Penitentiary at 18 years. And thereupon the prisner by Counsel

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moved the Court to set aside the verdict and grant him a new trial on the ground that it is contrary to the law and the evidence; which motion is continued until to-morrow morning for argument. And the prisoner is remanded to jail

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County levy for their mileage and attendance during one day of this term of the court to-wit: To J. H. Rose $1.32, R. A. Stuart $2.00, J. P. Darby 1.66, E. N. Hill 1.80, B. A. Ragsdale Jr. 1.80, J. T. Snoddy 1.64, J. F. Burton 1.32, Chas Markel 1.80, J. N. Beck 1.64

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of two dollars for payment to B. J. Epps Commonwealth Attorney for his services in prosecuting Anderson Feild charged with a felony.

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of Three Dollars for payment to A. M. Organ Clerk, being $2.50 cents for his services in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Anderson Feild, charged with a felony, and fifty cents for registering Anderson Feild, after conviction

Ordered that the court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Jesse F. West

Thursday Morning
August 23rd 1906.

Present: Hon. J. F. West Judge.

Commonwealth of Virginia, Plff. } On an in-
vs. } dictment for
William Ruffin alias Tucker Ruffin, Deft. } Robbery

This day came again the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner was again led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and the

Court- have the argument of counsel on the motion for a new trial, and being fully advised, doth sustain the said motion, and doth order that the verdict of the jury be set aside, and doth grant him a new trial. And it is ordered that this case be continued until the first day of the next terms of this court and the prisoner by counsel moved the court to be allowed to give bail, which is granted & the amt of bail fixed at $1500.00 which the prisoner is at this time unable to give and the prisoner is remanded to jail

John W. Galusha, Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth, amounting to $89.60 for board of prisons confined in jail to August 23rd 1906, which was examined and allowed by the court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

John W. Galusha, Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $1.15 for clothing furnished prisons confined in the jail of this county, which was examined and allowed and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment- it appearing that the amounts expended for clothing does not exceed the sum of $10.00 per annum for either of the prisoners

John W. Galusha, Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth amounting to $2.20 for executing a writ facias in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs William Ruffin, alias Tinker Ruffin, and for summoning four witnesses in the same, which was examined and allowed by the court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public for payment-

The court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accts the sum of four dollars for payment to John W. Galusha Sheriff, for the services of himself and one deputy during two days of this term of the court guarding jury in case of the Commonwealth vs Wm Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin, kept together by order of the Court

Ordered that the court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Jesse F. West

Virginia

At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 23rd Day of October 1906. and of the Commonwealth the 131st

Present Walter A Watson Judge.

I A W Organ Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County. Do hereby certify that I have carefully examined the foregoing Property Book of Charles E Abernathy Commissioner of the Revenue for Dist No 1 Dinwiddie County and that the same appears to be carefully made. Given under my hand this 14 Day of Sept 1906

A W Organ Clerk Circuit Court.

I A W Organ Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County Do hereby certify that I have carefully examined the foregoing Property Book of John Hargrave Commissioner of the Revenue for District No 2 for Dinwiddie County for the year 1906 and that the same appears to be carefully made. Given under my hand this 24th Day of September 1906

A W Organ Clerk Circuit Ct.

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts that A W. Organ Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County has heretofore examined the Personal Property Book of the of the Commissioner of the Revenue for said County for the year 1906 and has made the proper certificate for which service he is entitled to the Sum of Twenty four dollars which is certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment out of the Public Treasury.

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The Clerk of the Court presented to Court a list of Deeds and other Writings admitted to record by him in his Office since the last Term of the Court. Together with a list of Fines received by him since said Term which is ordered to be filed.

E. C. Palmer Esqr. of Brunswick County gentleman having obtained a license to practice law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is granted him to practice in this Court and thereupon the said E. C. Palmer appeared in Court and took the oath prescribed by Law.

Owens of Barge Swansboro } Plaintiff
Ella F. Fowlkes } Deft } Notice of motion for Judgt.

Ordered that this cause be continued until the first day of the next term

Mary E. Crow Plaintiff
vs
Sarah E. Lawrence Deft. } On motion for Judg't

On motion of the plaintiff by counsel this cause is continued until the next term of this court

Jno. T. Crow. Plaintiff
vs
Ted Winn & Samuel Sheffield Defendants } Notice of motion for Judgment

On motion of the defendants this cause is continued until the first day of the next term of the court

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs.
Anderson Field Deft

With the consent of the Court the Attorney for the Commonwealth says that he will not further prosecute in this cause. And it is ordered that the said Anderson Field be discharged. And it is ordered that the Sheriff of this county take the said Anderson Field before some Justice of the Peace, and that said Justice enquire into the sanity of said Anderson Field.

E. F. Alwood and W. P. Fitch, partners
trading under the firm name of Alwood
& Fitch & George L. Burgess Plaintiffs
vs.
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and on motion of the defendant by attorney it is ordered that this cause be continued until the next term of this court.

T. E. Chambers gentleman, foreman, together with J. A. P. Wells, A. P. Thrift, A. A. Hudson, J. E. G. Wells, S. S. Young, G. A. Ross, T. B. Scott, & R. L. Rojo, duly sworn & special grand jury of inquest, in and for the body of the County of Dinwiddie, and after having received their charge retired to their room and after some time came into Court having found the following indictments.-

Commonwealth of Va
vs
Otis Gordon } Indictment for Maiming - A true bill:-

Commonwealth of Va
vs } Indictment for Malicious Maiming:
James Ford } A True bill:

And the grand jury having no further business be-
fore them were discharged and it is ordered that they be
paid out of the County Levy for their mileage and attend-
ance at this term of the Court as follows: To J. A. P.
Wells $1.96; A. P. Thrift 1.45; A. A. Hudson 1.96; J. E. Chambers 2.00;
J. G. Wells 1.85; S. B. Young 1.10; J. R. Rose 2.00; J. B.
Scott 1.45; R. S. Major 1.45

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs } On an indictment for
Opie Goodyear (Col) Defendant unlawful maiming

This day came the Attorney for the Common-
wealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in
custody of the sheriff of this County, and the prisoner
by Counsel demurred to the indictment, which demurrer
the Court overruled, to which ruling of the Court the
prisoner excepted. And thereupon the prisoner upon being
arraigned, pleaded "not guilty" And the said Sheriff having
returned the writ of venire facias together with the
names of sixteen persons summoned by him and taken
from the list furnish by the Clerk of the Court, and
the said venire-facias being exhausted, and the panel
not being completed, an alias venire-facias was issued
directed to the Sheriff of this County commanding him
to summon ten additional jurors to appear forth-
with for the trial of the prisoner, which said alias
venire facias was returned executed, and a panel of six-
teen qualified jurors, ~~from~~ from ~~exceptions~~ being completed,
and the prisoner by Counsel having stricken from the
said panel four of the said jurors the remaining twelve
constituted the jury for the trial of the prisoner, to-wit
C. M. Sims, W. W. Johnson, M. B. Webb, Hillard Brassard, E. M.
Wynn, ~~B. M. Branch Jr.~~ J. O. Hilchwood, E. P. Perkins, R. B. Shell,
Walter Stewart, E. N. Hawkins, J. W. Hawkins, who were
sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and
having partly heard the evidence, and the Court being
about to address the jury and adjourned until to-morrow
morning at ten o'clock, And the prisoner was remanded
to jail

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff
vs
James Ford Defendant } On an indictment for Malicious maiming

On motion of the defendant by his attorney it is ordered that this cause be continued until the next term.

R Butterworth & H. K. Butterworth, partners trading as R. Butterworth Bro. Plaintiffs
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co Defendants

N. J. Goldsberg Plaintiffs
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Company Defendants

On motion of the plaintiffs by their attorneys it is ordered that the above styled causes be continued generally.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at eleven o'clock

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning
October 16th, 1906.

Present: Hon Walter A. Watson Judge.

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs.
Opie Goodwyn (Col) Defendant } On an indictment for unlawful maiming

This day came again the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was again led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and the following jurors sworn in this cause on yesterday appeared in Court pursuant to this adjournment: to-wit: C. M. Rives, H. W. Johnson, M. B. Webb, Willard Briscoe, E. M. Wynn, M. B. Branch Jr., J. O. Hatcher, E. P. Perkins, R. B. Slade, Walter Stewart, E. H. Hawkins and J. H. Hawkins, and having fully heard the evidence relative to this issue to consider of their verdict and after some time came into Court and reported the following verdict: We the jury find the prisoner, Opie Goodwyn, not guilty. C. M. Rives, Foreman. 246

And thereupon proclamation being made as the manner is and

nothing further being offered or alleged against the prisoner it is considered by the Court that the said defendant be acquitted and discharged of the felony aforesaid, and go thereof instant day.

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the county levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court to wit: To J. M. Fishes $2.00, J. R. Doyle 1.96, W. P. Wells 2.00, E. C. Bishop 1.64, J. P. Batte 1.80, J. W. Bain Jr. 1.80, B. E. Bishop 1.80, W. J. Perkins 1.96, J. M. Rose 1.48.

Ordered that the following venire-men in Case of the Commonwealth of Va. vs Opie Goodwyn, be paid out of the State Treasury, to-wit: To C. M. Sims 3.60, J. M. Rose 1.64, H. W. Turner 3.76, W. J. Branch 1.80, G. W. Harris 1.96, M. B. Webb 3.92, Willard Bassett 2.64, E. M. Wynn 2.48, M. B. Branch Jr. 2.64, J. D. Holdcroft 2.64, E. P. Perkins $4.00, R. B. Shell 2.96, Walter Stewart 4.00, B. T. Scott 1.48, E. H. Hawkins 3.60, J. A. Hawkins 2.96, B. D. Adams 1.48.

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff

vs On an indictment for

Lewis Hobbs Defendant a felony

The said Lewis Hobbs having failed to appear according to his recognizance entered into before the Justice of the Peace committing him, with Wm. J. McElwaine his surety, in the penalty of $100.00, conditioned that the said Lewis Hobbs would appear before this Court on the 1st day of the October Term 1905. Surrender himself into custody and not depart thence without leave of this Court, to answer and indictment to his prefered against him for a certain felony, was again solemnly called but came not, and the said defendant still failing to appear the said recognizance is hereby declared forfeited and thereupon Wm. J. McElwaine the surety thereon appeared and waiving notice of motion to declare said recognizance forfeited upon motion of the Att'y for the Commonwealth the said Wm. J. McElwaine, his surety paid into Court, to the clerk thereof the sum of One Hundred Dollars, the amount of said recognizance.

Ordered that Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
Oct 17th 1906

Present Hon Walter A Watson Judge &c

W. J. Bickle Constable presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va for services in case of the Commonwealth vs Jim Ford indicted for a felony, amounting to $2.00 which was examined and allowed and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment

W. J. Bickle Const presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va for services in case of the Commonwealth vs William Crawford, charged with a misdemeanor, amounting at current amounting to $4.50 which was examined and allowed and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment

J. W. Galusha Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $2.00 for executing a summons in case of the Commonwealth vs Opie Goodwyn and for summoning three witnesses in case of Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin which acct was examined and allowed by the Court and certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

J. W. Galusha Sheriff presented an acct against the Commonwealth of Va for clothing furnished prisoners in county jail amounting to $5.20 which was Examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment It appearing to the Court that the amount expended for clothing for victims of said prisons does not exceed the sum of $100 per year per prisoner.

J. W. Galusha Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $49.60 for feeding prisoners confined in County jail from August 23rd 1906 to October 17th 1906 which was Examined and allowed and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

Ordered that the sum of $12.00 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to J. W. Galusha Sheriff, being two dollars per day for the attendance of himself and

deputy during three days of this term of the Court.

Chas T P Co. + Ordered that the sum of $10.00 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to R. K. Epes Commonwealths Attorney for his services prosecuting Opie Goodwyn charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury.

Chas Wyatt The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accts. the sum of $2.50 for payment to Mrs. Organ Clerk for his services in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs. Opie Goodwyn charged with a felony and indicted by grand jury.

S. G. Gilliam Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day presented to the Court a list of property on the Commissioners Land Books improperly placed thereon, or not ascertainable for the year 1905 - in the district of C. E. Abmeadey Commissioner of the Revenue of said County with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed and accompanied by the written opinion of the Commissioner aforesaid and the Board of Supervisors touching the property of such lists, and each case therein contained, signed by their oaths thereto annexed, which said lists, after being Examined and Corrected by the Court, doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court.

S. G. Gilliam Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day presented to the Court a list of such estate in the district of C. E. Abmeadey, Commissioner of the Revenue of said County, which is delinquent for the non payment of taxes thereon for the year 1905 - with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinions of the Commissioner aforesaid and the Board of Supervisors touching the property of such list and each case therein contained, signed by their oaths thereto annexed, which said lists after being Examined by the Court being Satisfied of the correctness of the same, doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court.

S. G. Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County, this day presented to the Court a list of certificates for the capitation and property taxes

for the year 1905 in the district of C. E. Abernathy, Commissioner of the Revenue in said County, with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinion of the Commissioner of the Revenue aforesaid touching the propriety of such lists and such cases therein contained, verified by his oath thereto annexed, and the certificate of the Board of Supervisors, which said list after being examined and corrected by the Court, the Court doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of the Court.

S. G. Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County, this day presented to the Court a list of insolvents in the capitation and property taxes for the year 1905 in the district of John Horgrove Commissioner of the Revenue in said County, with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinion of the Commissioner of the Revenue aforesaid touching the propriety of such lists and such cases therein contained, verified by his oath thereto annexed, and the certificate of the Board of Supervisors, which said list, after being Examined and corrected by the Court, the Court doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court.

S. G. Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County, this day presented to the Court a list of property on the Commissioners Land Book, improperly placed therein, or not ascertainable, for the year 1905, in the district of John Horgrove, Commissioner of the Revenue of said County, with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinions of the Commissioner aforesaid, and the Board of Supervisors, touching the propriety of such lists, and such cases therein contained, verified by their oaths thereto annexed, which said list, after being Examined and corrected by the Court, doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts, by the Clerk of this Court.

S. G. Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day presented to the Court a list of real estate in the district of John. Horgrove, Commissioner of the Revenue of said County, which is delinquent for the non-payment of taxes therein for the year 1905, with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto 248
subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinions of the Commissioner

aforesaid and the Board of Supervisors, covering the propriety of such lists, and each and every thereon contained, verified by their oaths thereto annexed, which said lists, after being Examined by the Court, being satisfied of the correctness of the same, doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court.

Ordered that the following witnesses for the Commonwealth in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs William Ruffin, alias Tinker Ruffin be paid out of the public Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court, to-wit: To Allen Fisher $11.96.; to Warren Brown, 1.30; to Agnes Washington 1.70; A. W. Hawkes $3.80

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow Morning at eleven o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

At a Circuit Court continued and held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Co. House thereof on Thursday the 18th day of Oct. 1906 and in the 131 year of the Commonwealth:

Present

Walter A. Watson Esq.

Judge.

Ordered that Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

At a Circuit Court continued & held for the county of Dinwiddie at the Court House Thereof on Friday the 19th day of October 1906 and in the 131st year of the Commonwealth.

Present

Walter A. Watson

Judge.

Ordered that J. E. Chambers be and hereby is appointed a member of the Electoral Board for this County to fill the unexpired term of S. D. Allen dec'd

Oath & Bond filed

Commonwealth
vs.
William, alias
Tinker Ruffin

Indictment for a Felony

William, alias Tinker Ruffin, who stands charged with a felony by him committed within the Jurisdiction of this Court and this day arraigned & to the Bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and on his motion and by consent of the attorney for the Commonwealth This case is continued until the first day of the next term of this Court; and thereupon the prisoner was remanded to Jail.

Ordered that Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Walter A. Watson

Ojected and filed

Virginia Fourth Judicial Circuit Dinwiddie County towit,

I Walter A Watson, Judge of the Circuit Court of s^d County in vacation time, being of opinion it is expedient there should be held a special term of s^d Court for the trial of a case of felony pending therein, towit, the case of the Commonwealth vs William Ruffin, I hereby appoint and call a special term of s^d Court for Monday, November 26th 1906. and the Clerk of s^d Court is directed to summon forthwith, according to law, a Venire to attend upon s^d term, and in selecting the panel to draw the names of Thirty Disinterested persons, of whom Thirty two shall be summoned by the Sheriff in execution of the writ of Venire facias ispued therefor. The s^d Clerk will also record this warrant in the Common Law Order Book of this s^d Court.

Given under my hand this 29th Oct 1906.

Walter A Watson Judge

To A M Organ Esq
Clerk of Circuit of
Dinwiddie County.

Virginia,

At a Special term of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie held at the Court House thereof on Monday the 26th day of November 1906 and of the Commonwealth the 131st pursuant to the order of the Hon W A Watson Judge,

Present Hon Walter R Watson Judge

The Clerk of the Court made a Report of duls and other certificates ordered to be made by him at and since the last term which is ordered to be filed and filed as required by law also a list of fines paid to him since said term,

H. Monroe Gravatt gentleman, having obtained a license to practice the law in the courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is granted him to practice the law in this Court and thereupon the said H. Monroe Gravatt appeared in Court and took the oath prescribed by law,

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff — Order and Judgment for Robbing
vs
William Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin Defendant — Warrant Bond

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in the custody of the Sheriff of this County and having been formerly arraigned pleaded "not" guilty." And the said Sheriff having returned the writ of venire-facias, together with the names of thirty two persons summoned by him and taken from the list furnished by the Clerk of this Court and competent to serve as jurors and drawn according to law and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors, free from Exception being (not) completed, and the prisoner by counsel having stricken from the said panel four of said jurors, the remaining twelve constituted the jury for the trial of the issues to-wit: C. T. Hawkins, J. E. Doty, John O. Nicholson, Amistead Gibbs, R. L. White, R. E. Howard, A. C. Wheeler, W. A. Goodwyn, C. G. Thrift, S. P. Spain, F. G. Birdsall and J. E. Reid, who were duly sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having partly heard the evidence and the court being about to adjourn the jury were given in charge of the Sheriff of this County and his deputies to whom was administered and

and oblth that they would kept the jury together and not allow them to separate, that they would neither converse with them themselves touching this trial nor permit any other person to do so, and would cause them to appear in this court room to-morrow morning at ten oclock. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

Francis Manny Allen this day produced befor the court satisfactory evidence of his ordination as a minister of the Gospel, and also of his being in regular communion with the Presbyterian Church, and together with E. H. Allen as his security entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500.00 conditioned as the law directs. Said thereupon on his motion a testimonial is granted him to celebrate the rites of marriage in the due form of law.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow at ten o'clock, a.m.

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning
November 27th 1906

Present: Hon Walter A. Watson, Judge.-

Commonwealth of Virginia — Plaintiff
vs
William Ruffin, alias Tinker Ruffin — Defendant

} On an Indictment for robbing woman Brown

This day came again the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner who was again led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County and the jury sworn in this cause on yester appeared in Court in charge of the Sheriff of this County pursuant to their adjournment, to wit: C. J. Hawkins, J. E. Doty, Jno. O. Hitchcock, Amistead Gibbs, R. D. White, C. E. Howard, A. C. Wheeler, W. A. Goodwyn, C. G. Thrift, S. P. Spain, F. G. Bonsall and J. E. Rust, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of Counsel, and the court being about to adjourn the jury were given in charge of the sheriff and his deputy to which was delivered and oath that they would keep the jury together and not allow them to separate, that they would not converse with them themselves

Nor permit any other person to do so, and could cause them to appear in this court room to-morrow morning at ten o'clock. And the prisoner was remanded to jail.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
November 28th 1906.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

This day J. W. Galusha, Sheriff, produced and acct. against the Commonwealth of Va. in the sum of $36.00 for board of the jury in the case of the Commonwealth vs Wm Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin, as tried for a felony at this term, and kept together by order of the Court for three days, from Nov. 26th to Nov. 28th inclusive, @ $1.00 per day; which is allowed and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

Ordered that the following witnesses in the case of the Commonwealth of Va. vs Wm. Ruffin, alias Tinker Ruffin for their mileage and attendance at this term of this court to-wit: Jacob Jones $1.32, Agnes Washington 2.92, B. M. Hawkins $3.16, Allie Fisher 2.14, Hannah Brown $2.18, A. J. Butterworth 1.46, S. B. Johnson $9.08, Robt. Palmer $3.62, George P. Adams $5.16.

Ordered that the following witnesses in the case of the Commonwealth of Va. vs Wm. Ruffin, alias Tinker Ruffin be paid out of the Public Treasury for their mileage and and attendance at the October term of this court, to-wit: ~~B. M. Hawkins $2.66~~ Hannah Brown $1.78, Allie Fisher $2.14, George P. Adams $4.66.

The Commonwealth of Va. Plaintiff, On an indictment
vs. for Robbing Hannah
Wm Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin Deft. Brown.

This day came again the Attorney for the Commonw-

wealth, and the prisoner was again led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and the following jury, sworn in this cause on Monday, appeared in Court in charge of the said Sheriff of this county, pursuant to this adjournment, to-wit: C. T. Hawkins, J. E. Darby, John O. Hitchcock, Emmshead Gibbs, R. D. White, R. E. Howard, A. K. Wheeler, W. A. Goodwyn, C. G. Thrift, S. P. Spain, F. G. Birdsall, and J. E. Reed, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to their room and after some time spent therein came into Court and reported the following verdict, "We the jury find the prisoner guilty as indicted and fix his punishment at eight years in the penitentiary" Thereupon the prisoner by counsel moves the Court to set aside the said verdict and grant him a new trial on the ground that it is contrary to the law and the evidence, and by reason of after discovered evidence. And the Court being fully advised of its judgment doth overrule this motion for a new trial until the next term, & the prisoner is remanded to Jail.

John W. Galusha Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to two dollars and ten cents for executing nine Venires and summoning witnesses in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin, which was received and allowed and certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of Six dollars for payment to John W Galusha Sheriff for the services of himself and his deputy during three days of this term of the Court guarding jury in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin, kept together by order of the Court.

Ordered that the sum of $12.00 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to John W Galusha Sheriff for the attendance of himself and his deputy during three days of this term of the Court, being two dollars per day for the services of the Sheriff and his deputy.

Ordered that the jury in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin be paid out of the Public Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court. To C. T. Hawkins, 3.56, J. E. Darby 3.72, Jno O. Hitchcock 3.72, 2.51

Amistead Gills 3.48, R.D. White 4.00 R.E. Howard 3.96, A.L. White 4.00, W.A. Goodwyn 3.96 J.E. Rives 3.48 F.G. Birdsall 3.96, C.G. Thrift 3.48, S.P. Spain 4.00, R.D. Temple 1.40, J.A. Beverly 1.40 E.P. Perkins 2.00 J.W. Ross 1.80 M.B. Branch jr 1.32, W.W. Stuart 1.10 R.H. Perkins 1.96 S.J. Ennis 1.96, J.W. Thrift 1.56 L.L. Merritt 1.56, B.T. Doyle 1.96 E.C. Wells 2.00 J.B. Fraser 2.00 Geo E. Burgess 2.00, E.S. Crowder 1.74 W.E. Bishop 1.56 T.L. Barron 2.00, T.C. Edmunds 1.64 J.C. Smith 1.96

J.W. Galusha Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $1.00 for clothing furnished a prisoner in the county jail which was examined and allowed & ordered to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term

Walter A. Watson

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 17th day of December 1906 and in the 131st year of the Commonwealth.

Present Hon. Walter A. Watson Judge.-

The clerk of the Court made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office during and since the last term of this Court which is approved and ordered to be filed.

The following fines have been paid to the clerk of this Court since his last report, to-wit.

Commonwealth of Va vs Willie Jordan $10.00

Walter Austin $2.50

Ernest Hardy, Emmett Turner, Smith Robinson, Carrie Pegram and J.B. Johnson, acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the just and full sum of $100.00 each, to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements &c, for the use of the said Common-

wealth, but to be void should the said Ernest Hardy, Everett Turner, Smith Robison, Carus Pegram, J. B. Johnson, and each of them personally appear in this Court on the first day of the January term 1907 to give evidence on behalf of the said Commonwealth in its prosecution against James Ford indicted for a felony, and not depart thence without the leave of this Court.

Nelson Ford, David Hicks, Armand Marriott, Dr E W Perkins, W J Brill, William Metcalf, Harry Mabry, Eugenia McRae, Virginia Ann Tucker, Thomas Chambers, Alexander Keys, Wm McRae, acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the just and full sum of $100.00 each, to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements &c, for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said Nelson Ford, David Hicks, Armand Marriott, Dr. E. W. Perkins, W. J. Brill, William Metcalf, Harry Mabry, Eugenia McRae, Virginia Ann Tucker, Thomas Chambers, Alexander Keys, Wm. McRae and each of the acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the said Commonwealth in the sum of $100.00 but to be void should the said Nelson Ford and each of them personally appear in this Court to testify and give evidence in behalf of the defendant in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Jas Ford indicted for a felony, and not depart thence without the leave of this Court.

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff } On an indictment
vs } for a felony.
Jas. Ford Deft }

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner appeared in Court in discharge of his recognizance. And on motion of the plaintiff by his attorney this cause is continued until the first day of the next term of this Court. And thereupon the said Jas. Ford and Nelson Ford acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Va in the sum of $250.00 to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements &c for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said Jas. Ford personally appear in Court on the 1st day of the next 252

term of this court surrender himself into custody to answer an indictment preferred against him for a felony and not depart thence without the leave of this court.

Frank. Coots & Frances Coots orphans of
deed by a paper writing this day filed made choice of Maggie Coots as their guardian and thereupon the said Maggie Coots and J.H. Coots her surety who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500 conditioned as the law directs for the faithful discharge her duties as such guardian.

Ordered that Cornelius Goodwyn be exempt from the payment of capitation taxes both State and county on account of old age & bodily infirmities.

Ernest H. Wells, gentleman having obtained a license to practice law in the Courts of this Commonwealth on his motion leave is given him to practice in this court and thereupon the said Ernest H. Wells appeared in court and took the oath prescribed by Law.

Ordered that John W. Thrift be and he is hereby appointed Overseer of the Poor for Lapsley Magisterial District to fill the vacancy in said office caused by the death of J.A.P. Wells and to serve as such during the unexpired term of said Wells. And thereupon the said John W. Thrift appeared in court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law, and together with E.A. Connor as his surety who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500.00 conditioned as the Law directs.

Commonwealth of Va } Pltff
vs } On indictment for
Lewis Hobbs } Deft a felony

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and with the consent of this court says he will not further prosecute in this case.

Commonwealth of Va Pltff. } On Indictment
vs } for robbery.
Wm Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin Deft }

This day came again the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was brought into court in custody of Sheriff of this County, and the court having reasonable ground to doubt the sanity of the prisoner the following jury was empanelled at its bar to wit- B.F. Ragsdale Jr., Geo A Bunting, W.M. Wilkinson, Jno W. Phillips, F.F. Davis, T.B. Scott, E.M. Wynn, Eugene Hawkins, J.W. Bain, L.E. Coleman, W.J. Burks, J.W. Spears, Jno W. Thrift who was sworn to well and truly inquire as to the sanity of the prisoner at the bar at this time and having fully heard the evidence of witnesses sent to this court, and after consultation came into court and reported as follows: We the jury find the prisoner at the present time insane. And it is ordered that the proper officer remove and carry the said Wm Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin from the jail of this County to the Central State Hospital for treatment, and that all further active proceedings in the prosecution of this case be suspended during the disability of said prisoner.
Owners of Barge Saunders. Pltff. } On notice of motion
vs } for judgment
Ella V. Fowlkes Deff.

Ordered that this cause be continued generally

W.B. Hawthorne Plaintiff }
vs } On notice of motion for
E.B. Elder Defendant } judgment

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and it appearing to the Court from the return of the Sheriff endorsed on the notice that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court within the time prescribed by Statute, And the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $75.00, with interest thereon from the 1st day of November 1905 until paid, and also this costs about his suit in this behalf expended. Upon an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead Exemptions

It appearing to the court from the oath of Eugene Hawkins that a certificate for the attendance of W.L. Miles at this Decem- 253

for term of this court for the sum of $200 was delivered to the said N.L. Miles, and has been lost, it is ordered that the Clerk of this court deliver to said N.L. Miles a dupticate certificate for his attendance & mileage as a petit juror at said term payable out of the County Levy.

Charles C. Alley Plaintiff
vs
A.G. Bassett Defendant
On a notice of motion for judgment.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and it appearing to the Court from the return of the Sheriff of this county endorsed on the notice in this cause that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and it further appearing that said notice was returned to the clerk's office of this court within the time prescribed by Statute. And the said defendant being solemnly called came not appearing. Judgment by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant is given for the sum of $130.54 with interest thereon from the 19th day of July 1906 until paid. Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $130.54 with interest as aforesaid, and also their costs about this suit in this behalf expended.

Mary E. Crow Plaintiff
vs
Sarah E. Lawrence Defendant
On notice of motion for judgment.

John T. Crow Plaintiff
vs
Lee Kind & Samuel Sheffield Defendants
On notice of motion for judgment.

On motion of the plaintiff by his attorney the above styled causes are continued generally.

E.F. Atwood & W.P. Filch, partners trading as Atwood & Filch & George C. Burgess Plaintiffs
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway, a corporation Defendant

It appearing to the Court that all matters in controversy in this cause have been adjusted between the parties it is ordered that this cause be removed from the docket of this court.

A. T. Goldsby Pltff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defdt

By consent of parties this cause is continued generally.

Mary V. Madison Plaintiff
vs
C. P. Madison Defendant

On notice of motion for judgment.

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the plaintiff say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and twenty-five dollars, with interest thereon from the 25th day of December, 1904 until paid, and also her costs about her suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on an instrument covering the benefit of the homestead exemption.

M. B. Branch Plaintiff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Company Defendant

Frances A. Abernathy Plaintiff
vs
Charles D. Abernathy Defdt

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued generally.

J. B. Jehnes Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendant

C. G. Jehnes Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defdt

R. Butterworth & H. K. Butterworth
partners trading as R. Butterworth Bro. Plaintiffs
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendants

It appearing to the Court that all matters in controversy in the above styled causes have been satisfactorily

adjusted between the parties, it is ordered that said causes be removed from the docket.

Ordered that the court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Tuesday Morning
December 18th 1906.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

E. P. Davis Plaintiff } Upon a writ of Habeas
v } Corpus for a child
Carrie Tea or Carrie Ted Defendant }

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the Executor and the Sheriff having returned the writ heretofore ^ and the court having fully heard the evidence of witnesses and the argument of counsel, is of the opinion and doth decide that the best interests of the infant Clover Tea or Ted will be promoted by the care and custody and protection of its Mother, the said Carrie Tea or Ted. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the writ heretofore awarded in this cause be and the same is hereby dismissed, and that the said Carrie Tea or Ted have the care, custody & control of her said Dau Clover Tea or Ted, and that she recover against the defendant, E. P. Davis her costs by her about her suit in this behalf expended.

Ordered that the following witnesses in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs James Ford, charged with a felony be paid out of the State Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court, to-wit: To W. H. Wells $1.40; to J. A. Kennedy, 1.24; J. H. Lee, 1.32; A. A. Williams 1.40; C. C. Connelly, 1.44; W. H. Elmore, 1.48; J. T. Thrift, 1.64; G. W. Traylor, 1.64; L. E. Colmore, 1.64; J. F. Fisher, 1.40; James H. Gibbs 1.48; Jno. W. Hawkins, 1.52; Jno. A. Gibbs, 1.48; Percy Gibbs, 1.64; W. B. Bridgman, 1.96; Geo. F. Rose, 1.80.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
December 19th 1906.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson Judge.

Ordered that the sum of $12.00 be entitled to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to John W. Galusha Sheriff for the attendance of himself and one deputy during three days of this term of the Court at $3.00 per day

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court- B.H. Rogers Jr. 1.00, J.A. Beatty 1.80, V.M. Wilkinson 1.50, J.W. Phillips 1.24, W.Baird 1.64, T.B. Lesueur 1.48, E.M. Flynn 1.24, Eugene Hawkins 1.00, W.J. Bivins 2.00, J.W. Spain 1.96, J.W. Thrift 1.56, Joshua A. Hunnicutt $1.56.

Ordered that the sum of $2.95 be entitled to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to J.W. Galusha Sheriff for clothing furnished prisoners in jail, and not exceeding the sum of $1.00 per year to any one prisoner

Jno. W. Galusha Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth of Virginia amounting to $38.10 for board of prisoners in jail to Dec. 19th 1906. which account was examined & allowed by the Court & ordered to be entered to the Auditor of Public Accts. for payment.

Ordered that the sum of $10.00 be entitled to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to R.J. Epes for his services in prosecuting Wm. Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin, indicted for a felony

Ordered that the following accounts which were examined & allowed by the Court be entitled to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment to J.W. Galusha Sheriff $2.00 C & S.T. Geo. J.P. 2.00

Ordered that the sum of $2.50 be entitled to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to Sam. Ogain Clerk for his services in one of the Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Ruffin alias Tinker Ruffin indicted & tried for a

Felony

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Walter A. Watson

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 21st day of January 1907 and of the Commonwealth the 131

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson Judge.

The Clerk of the Court made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office during and since the December term of this Court, which is examined and approved & ordered to be filed.

The Clerk of this Court made a report of all fines collected by him during and since the last term of this Court as follows.

Commonwealth of Va vs.	Henry	$10.00
" " "	Thweatt	5.00
" " "	Flowers	5.00
" " "	Bowden	5.00
" " "	Booker	10.00
" " "	Crowder	2.50
" " "	Callen	5.00
" " "	Alexander	20.00
" " "	Winfield & Hicks	2.00
" " "	Henderson	1.00
" " "	Crawford	20.00
" " "	Jones	2.50
" " "	Green	2.50
" " "	Champ	2.50
" " "	Edwards	2.50
" " "	Grandison	20.00
" " "	Winfield	10.00
" " "	Perkins	50.00

Owners of Barge Swansboro. Plaintiff } On notice of motion
vs
Ella V. Fowlkes Defendant } for judgment-

Mary E. Craw. Plaintiff }
vs } Action in ejectment
Sarah E. Laursen Defendant }

John T. Craw Plaintiff }
vs } Trespass qr cl fr
Wm O. Sheffield Defendant }

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued until the first day of the next term of this Court.

N. T. Goldsby Plaintiff }
vs } In assumpsit-
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defts }

M.B. Branch Plaintiff }
vs } In assumpsit-
Norfolk & Western Railway Company Defendant }

By consent of parties the above styled causes are continued until the first day of the next term of this court.

On motion of Simon J. Mayer, father of the infants named hereinafter, the Court doth appoint John Mayer, guardian of Hester Ann Mayer, John William Mayer, Sarah Lillian Mayer, Jehulon Morris Mayer, Catherine Mayer & Simon A. Mayer, infants of the said Simon J. Mayer, and all of whom are under the age of fourteen years, And thereupon the said John Mayer, together with The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, acting by Chas E Plummer its duly authorized attorney in fact and entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of One thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs.

On motion of the proper authorities of Ocean M. E. Church it is the Court doth appoint Dr. B. L. Jones trustee for said Church in place and stead of Chas E. Young, dec'd.

H. N. Stem, gentleman foreman, together with W. B. Webb, B. L. Keys, Eus Bissett, Eugene Hawkins, J. E. Watson, W. T. Miles, J. H. Gillis and Alex. Keys, were sworn & filed up inquest in and for the

body of the County of Dinwiddie and after having received their charge retired to their room and after some time came into court and reported the following indictment, to-wit:

Commonwealth of Va
vs
William Wright } Indictment for Maiming: A true bill.

And the jury having no further business before them were discharged. And it is ordered that they be paid out of the County levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court as follows: to-wit M. B. Webb 1.96, B. S. Keys 1.96, Geo Boisseau 1.60, Eugene Hawkins 1.08, W. W. Stone 1.00, J. E. Vaughan $1.80, N. L. Miles $2.00, J. H. Gibbs 1.48, Alex Keys 1.20,

On motion of Annie Broadway an orphan, and having no legally qualified guardian the Court doth consent to her marriage with Leon Cook, and the Clerk of this Court is ordered to issue license for the marriage of said parties.

William Wright, J. H. Hemmingway, W. W. Wright and T. J. Wright acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Va in the sum of $50.00 each to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements &c for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said William Wright who stands indicted for a felony, personally appear in this Court on the first day of the next term of the Court & render himself to answer the said charge and not depart thence without the leave of this Court.

M. C. Horton, Junius Ransone, Willie Burchett, Herbert Hays, and Herbert Halladay acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of $100.00 each to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels lands and tenements &c for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said M. C. Horton, Junius Ransone, Willie Burchett, Herbert Hays and Herbert Halladay, and each of them personally appear in this Court on the first day of the next term to testify in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs William Wright, charged with a felony, on behalf of the said Commonwealth and not depart without the leave of this Court.

The Commonwealth of Virginia, Pltff } On an indictment
v } for a felony.
James Ford Deft }

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the sheriff of this County, and the prisoner by Counsel demurred to the indictment, which the Court overruled, and thereupon he being arraigned pleaded "not guilty." And the sheriff of this County having returned the writ of venire facias, together with the names of Eighteen persons summoned by him by lot and taken from a list furnished him by the clerk of this Court, and a panel of Eighteen qualified jurors free from exceptions being completed, the prisoner by Counsel struck from the said panel the names of four of said jurors when the following twelve remained for the trial of the prisoner to wit: E. H. Hawkins, T. E. Hudgins, Andrew Clarke, L. L. Meredith, J. E. Rees, J. C. Hudson, Bascomb Ross, B. L. Brissian, Charles Markwood, G. R. Slate, J. A. Hawkins and Rev. Crowder, who were sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak and having fully heard the evidence and argument of Counsel, retired to their room and after some time came into Court and reported the following verdict to-wit: "We the Jury find the prisoner not guilty as charged in the within indictment. L. L. Meredith foreman." And thereupon proclamation being made as the manner is and nothing further being offered or alleged against the said defendant, it is ordered that he be acquitted and discharged of the felony aforesaid, and go thence without day.

Ordered that the following mileage in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs. James Ford be paid out of the public treasury for the mileage and attendance at the terms of the Court to-wit: James Hayes 2 days, C. H. Kennedy 2 days, E. H. Hawkins 180, T. E. Hudgins 140, Andrew Clarke 148, L. L. Meredith 156, J. E. Rees 148, J. A. Rose 164, J. C. Hudson 132, J. W. Bain Jr. 180, Bascomb Ross 2 days, B. L. Brissian 116, Charles Markwood 180, G. R. Slate 2 days, J. A. Hawkins 148, Rev. Crowder 2 days, W. E. Stockdale 148

Ordered that the following witnesses in case of

Commonwealth of Va vs James Ford for this mileage and attendance at this term of the court, in behalf of the Commonwealth as follows: J. B. Johnson $1.00, Sams for one days attendance before a magistrates court 50 cts, Wm Matthews. 50 cts. Evett Turner, 2.46,

This Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $10.00 for payment to R. J. Epes Attorney for the Commonwealth for his services prosecuting James Ford charged with a felony and indicted by grand jury

This court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $2.50 for payment to A. M. Organ, Clerk for his services in case of the Commonwealth vs James Ford charged with a felony & indicted by the grand jury

Ordered that the sum of $8.00, a certificate to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to John M Galusha Sheriff for the attendance of himself and one deputy during two days of this term of the court, being two dollars per day for each of them

H. S. Biggs. M.D. presented an account against the Commonwealth amounting to $20.00, for medical services to prisoners confined in the county jail, according which was examined and allowed by the court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

J. M. Galusha Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $26.10 (26.10) for board of prisoners confined in jail to Jany. 22, 1907 which was Examined and allowed by the court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

J. M. Galusha Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $3.30 for Executing a writ of facias in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs James Ford and for summoning witnesses in case of the Commonwealth vs Wm Wright.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock

Walter A Watson

Tuesday Morning,
Jany 22nd 1907

Present: Hon Walter A Watson: Judge.

Ordered that Court be adjourned until the 2nd day of the next Term.

Walter A Watson

Virginia: In the Hustings Court of the City of Petersburg on the 4th day of March 1907.

Julius Straus who was, on the 28th day of February, 1907, duly appointed and commissioned by the Governor, a member of the Special Board of Directors of the Central State Hospital to serve as such for a term of Six years from the 1st day of March 1907, personally appeared before me, in Vacation, in the City aforesaid, and took and subscribed the several oaths of office prescribed by Law.

A True Transcript from the Record
Test. R. Gilliam Clerk

V V Teste A M. Organ Clerk

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday the 18th day of March, 1907, and in the 131st year of the Commonwealth.

Present: Hon Walter A Watson, Judge.

The Clerk of this court made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office, during the vacation since the January term of this Court, which was examined and approved & ordered to be filed.

William Meadows acknowledges himself to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Va in the just and full sum of $100.00 one hundred dollars to be levied of his goods and chattels, lands and tenements &c, for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void if the said Wm Meadows personally appear in this Court on the first day of the next term and surrender himself into custody, to answer an indictment against him for a felony to be preferred against him &

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by the grand jury and not depart thence without the leave of this Court. And it is ordered that the said William Meadows be delivered to the Superintendent of the Poor, to be supported and cared for at the Poor house of this county.

A paper writing, having date on the 16th day of February, 1907, purporting to be the true last will and testament of George Hinton, dec'd. was this day produced in Court and offered for proof and affidavit for proof was made by the oath of W. B. Prosise, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, who testifies that Lunsford and B.S. Prosise the other subscribing witness to the said will were present together, and in the presence of the testator and at his request signed their names to the said will. Thereupon it is ordered that the said paper writing be recorded as and for the true last will and testament of the said George Hinton, dec'd. And on motion of Jeff. Hinton the Executor named in the said will, who made oath thereto, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $100.00, conditioned as the law directs, without security, the will dispensing that same be required, and the Court rejecting same, Certificate is granted him for obtaining a probate of the said will in due form.

Ordered that W. B. Prosise, R.F. Lewis, J.C. Chambers, Willis Hardy & Jno. Tally, or any three of them being first duly sworn for the purpose do justly and truly appraise such of the goods and chattels of the estate of George Hinton dec'd as may be produced before them, and return their appraisement under their hands to the Court.

Leroy Rose, gentleman, foreman, together with J.S. Major, B.J. Scott, Alexander Hyp, W.B. Shell, R.F. Hunt, Charles Markus, J.A. Bentley, & C.E. Pattillo, were sworn a special grand jury of inquest in and for the body of the county of Dinwiddie, and after having received their charge, returned to their room and after sometime came into Court having found the following Indictments to-wit-

Commonwealth of Va.
vs
Sandy Green } Indictment for Maiming. A true bill

Commonwealth of Va
vs
Charlie Rice
} On an indictment for Maiming. A true bill

The grand jurors having no further business before them they were discharged And it is ordered that they be paid out of the county levy for their mileage and attendance as follows, J.S. Major, 14c, B.F. Scott 14c, Alexander Rice 14c, R.B. Shell 14c, R.H. Hunt 18c. Chas. Morkert 18c, J.A. Beatty 12c, C.C. Patterson 14c, Perry Rice 14c

Commonwealth of Va
vs
William Wright
Plaintiff, Def't } On an indictment for shooting John Smith

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County and being arraigned pleaded "not guilty" to the indictment. And the Sheriff having returned the writ of venire facias together with the names of thirteen jurors summoned by him and taken from a list furnished him by the Clerk of this court, and a panel of thirteen qualified jurors, free from exceptions being completed, and the prisoner by Counsel, having stricken from the said panel four of the said jurors when the following twelve remained for the trial of the case to-wit: F.B. Chambers, J.W. Avery, J.G. Fisher, L.E. Coleman, Armistead Gibbs, O.E.H. Vaughan, J.M. Rice, W.J. Wells, E.L. Rice, H.C. Smith, T.P. Parker, E.B. Deibl, who were sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having heard the evidence and argument of Counsel, retired to their room and after sometime came into Court and rendered the following jury; to-wit: "We the Jury find the prisoner not guilty" And thereupon, proclamation being made as the manner is, and nothing further being offered or alleged against the prisoner, it is ordered that he be acquitted and discharged of the felony aforesaid, and go thereof without day.

A paper writing having date on the 30th day of September, 1901 purporting to be the true last will and testament of John Temple, dec'd was this day produced in Court and offered for prob, and was proven by the oath of John E. Bisenor and of the subscribing witnesses to the said will and ordered to be recorded as and for the true last will and testament of the said John Temple, dec'd, The said John E. Bisenor testifying that

that himself and John G. Harris the other subscribing witness thereto, were present together at the same time and at the request of the testator and in his presence signed their names as witnesses to the said will. And on motion of Richard D Temple, the Executor named in the said will, who made oath thereto, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $2000.00, without security conditioned as the law directs. The will requiring that no security be required, and the Court requiring none, Certificate is granted the said Richard D Temple for obtaining a probate of the said will in due form.

Ordered that the following witnesses in case of the Commonwealth vs Wm Nunnis, charged with a felony be paid out of the Public Treasury for their mileage and attendance during one day of this term of the Court, to-wit: To E. C Harris $1.20, to R.O. Malloy $1.20, in case of Com'th v. Wm Wright. Prov. September 1st, M.C. Horton 50

Ordered that the following jurors in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Wright be paid out of the public Treasury for their mileage and attendance in said case during one day of this term of the Court, to-wit: To R.A. Major, T.J. Chambers, J.W. Amy, J.F. Fisher, L.E. Coleman, J.C. Hatchcock, Aurelius Gibbs, O.E.H. Vaughan, J.M. Ross, W.E. Stockdell, H.T. Wells, E.L. Ross, W.C. Smith, T.P. Jeter, E.B. Diehl & E.L. Godsey, "

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock,

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning,
March 19th 1907.

Present: Hon. Walter A Watson, Judge.

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff,
vs
Charles Rice (Col'd) Deft. } On an indictment for Felonious Wounding

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner was led to the Bar in custody of the sheriff of this County, and upon being arraigned & pleaded "not guilty"

* Adjourning to the Circuit Court in April 1907 pursuant to Statute and Custom in such cases.

to the indictment and the venire facias issued by the Clerk having been returned executed by the sheriff of this Court, together with the names of sixteen qualified jurors, summoned by him and taken from a list furnished him by the Clerk of this Court, and drawn according to law and said panel of sixteen qualified jurors, free from exceptions and found complete. And the prisoner by counsel exercised the right given him under the statutes, and struck from the said panel the names of four of the said jurors, when the following twelve persons remained for the trial of the case, to wit: T. B. Chambers, J. G. Fisher, B. L. Brisson, W. J. Wells, T. P. Tucker, L. W. Perry, L. E. Coleman, J. C. Heathcock, W. C. Smith, E. B. Deibl, and E. G. Goodwyn, and W. E. Stockdell who were sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel, retire to their room, and after some time returned into Court and reported the following verdict "We the jury find the prisoner guilty of the offence charged in the within indictment and fix his time of imprisonment at which was received ordered to be recorded and the jury from the further consideration of this case discharged in the State penitentiary at three years." And thereupon the prisoner by counsel moved the Court to set aside the verdict of the Jury and grant him a new trial on the ground that it is contrary to the law and the evidence, which motion is overruled and continued until the next term of this Court. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

Commonwealth of Va. Plaintiff

v. } On an indictment for felony.

Sandy Green (col) Deft Inciting Mary Green

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the sheriff of this county and upon being arraigned "pleaded not guilty." And the sheriff of this county having returned the writ of venire facias together with the names of sixteen persons summoned by him and taken from a list furnished him by the Clerk of this Court, and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors free from exceptions being completed, and the prisoner not desiring to exercise his right under the statutes of striking from the said panel the names of four of said jurors. The following twelve were selected by lot to-wit, T. B. Chambers, J. G. Fisher, B. L. Brisson, Sumner Gibbs, W. J. Wells, E. L. Ross, T. P. Tucker, J. W. Perry, L. E. Coleman, P. E. H. Vaughan, W. E. Stockdell & E. B. Deibl, who were sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak and having fully heard the evidence retired to their room, and after some

Jury

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cuts court and reports the following verdict to-wit: "We the jury find the prisoner not guilty." And thereupon proclamation being made as the manner is and nothing further being offered or alleged against the said defendant, it is considered by the court that the said Sandy Green be acquitted and discharged of the felony aforesaid and go thence without day.

W.A. Harrison Company Inc, Plaintiff
vs
R E Wells Deft
} On a notice of motion for Judgment

This day came the plaintiff by attorney, and it appearing to the court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that the notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this court within five days after service of the same. And the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing. Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of Thirty Two Dollars and fifty cents with interest thereon from the 27th day of December 1905 until paid and also its costs about its suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead Exemption.

W.A. Harrison Company Inc. Pltff
vs
J.E. Jackson Deft
} On notice of motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney, and it appearing to the court from the return of the sheriff endorsed on the notice, that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and it further appearing that the said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this court within five days after service of the same, And the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $87.00, with interest on $12.00 a part thereof from the 30th day of January 1906 until paid and on $75.00, the residue thereof from the 8th day of May 1906 until paid and also its costs about its suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead Exemption.

Ordered that the sum of Twenty Dollars be entered as

Clerk's fee

the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to B.J. Epps, Atty for the Commonwealth, being $1.00 for his services in prosecuting Wm Wright at this term of the court and the sum of Ten Dollars for prosecuting Chas. Rice, at this term of the court, charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury

Clerk's fee

Ordered that the sum of Ten Dollars be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to B.J. Epps, Atty for the Commonwealth for his services in prosecuting Sandy Green charged with a felony, and indicted by the grand jury.

Clerk's fee

Ordered that the sum of Ten Dollars be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to B.J. Epps, Attorney for the Commonwealth for his services in prosecuting Wm Ruffin, alias Tinsley Ruffin, charged with felony & indicted by grand jury & tried at the May term 1906, the same having been certified for payment at the May term last returned unpaid by the Auditor.

Ordered that the sum of Eight Dollars be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to Wm Organ Clerk for his services in criminal cases as follows: Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Wright charged with a felony and indicted by grand jury $2.50. Court of Va vs. Sandy Green charged with felony & indicted by grand jury $2.50 and Court of Va vs Charlie Rice, charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury $2.50 and fifty cents for registering same,

Clerk's fee

Ordered that the sum of $2.50 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment to Wm. Organ Clerk for his services in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs. Wm. Ruffin alias Tinsley Ruffin, charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury, & tried at this term 1906.

Ordered that the following witnesses in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Wright be paid out of the Public Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the court as follows: To A.S. Major 1 day, T.B. Chambers 1 day, J.W. Terry 1 day, J.G. Fisher 1 day, L.E. Coleman 1 day, J.C. Fleetwood 1 day, Amended Gibbs 1 day, P.E. Vaughan 1 day, J.M. Rice 1 day, W.E. Strickler 1 day, W.T. Wells 1 day, E.L. Rice 1 day, W.C. Smith 1 day, J.P. Tucker 1 day, E.B. Dibbs 1 day, E.J. Troxell 1 day, J.W. Phillips 1 day, A.P. Thrift 1 day, J.M. Lee 1 day. That the following witnesses in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Chas Rice and case vs Sandy Green be paid as follows. T.B. Chambers

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Eno 132, J. G. Fisher 170, B. L. Berryman 108, Armistead Gibbs 148, W. J. Wells 180, E. L. Rose 196, J. P. Tucker 172, A. P. Thrift 148, J. W. Terry 196, L. E. Coleman 180, J. B. Hitchcock 124, P. E. Vaughan 152, W. E. Shotwell 148, H. B. Smith 180, E. B. Diehl 164, E. G. Goodwyn 180, & J. E. Rives 148,

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This day J. W. Galusha Sh'ff. produced an account for $21.00 for pay of as nurse and attendant for William Ruffin a prisoner confined in Jail which was examined, allowed & ordered to be certified to the Board of Supervisors of this County for payment.

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J. W. Galusha Sh'ff. is allowed the sum of $12.00 for the service of himself & one deputy, for 3 days each attendance upon the Court during the present term, which is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

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G. L. Harris, Constable presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va. amounting to $2.84 for services in case of the Commonwealth of Va. vs. Otis Goodwyn which was Examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

G. W. Harris, J. P. presented an acct. against the Comth. of Va. amounting to $1.00 for issuing warrant & trying Otis Goodwyn, charged with a felony & enrolled by the grand jury, which said account was Examined and allowed by the Court, and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

J. W. Galusha, Sheriff presented an acct. against the Comth. of Va. amounting to $5.72 for services in case of the Commonwealth vs. Willis Wrightsocknes, which account was Examined, & allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts. for payment.

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W. J. Hitchcock, Acting Jailer presented an account against the Court of Va. amounting to $73.65 for board of prisoners confined in the County Jail from January 22, 1907 to March 20th 1907, which was Examined and allowed by the Court and

Ordered to be entered to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

W. F. Hitchcock, Acting Jailer presented an acct against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $3.75 for board of Robt Hardy an insane person confined in the county jail from Nov 14th to March 20th 1907, which was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be entered to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment, it appearing to the Court that application has been made to the Supt of the Central State Hospital as the law requires

W. F. Hitchcock, Acting Jailer presented an acct against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $8.00 for clothing furnished prisoners in jail, which was examined and allowed and ordered to be entered to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment, it appearing to the Court that said amount does not exceed the sum of $100 per year for any one prisoner

Ordered that this Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
March 20th 1907

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Walter A. Watson

Virginia, Fourth Judicial Circuit
Dinwiddie County, Towit,

Intelligence having come to me of the death of J W Bain Esq. a member of the Road Board for sd County. I Hunsford Walker A Watson Judge of the Circuit Court of sd County in Vacation do hereby name and appoint J M Rose Esq. a member of said Board for Doppeway Magisterial District to fill the unexpired term of sd J W Bain dec'd. Given under my hand this 27th Apr 27th 1907

Walter A Watson Judge.

To A M. Organ Esq
Clerk of Cir Ct of Dinwiddie.

J M Rose who was on the 27th day of April 1907 appointed a member of the Road Board for Dinwiddie County to fill the unexpired term of J W Bain this day appeared before me in my Office and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law. Given under my hand this 9th day of May 1907.

A M Organ Clerk Dinwiddie Circuit Ct.

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof on Monday the 20th day of May 1907 and in the 131st year of the Commonwealth.

Present:-

The Clerk of this Court this day made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office during and since the March Term of the Court which is approved & ordered to be filed.

The following fines have been paid to the Clerk of this Court since his last report to Court: Commonwealth of Va. vs. Joe Thornhill, assault & battery $10.00

On motion of the proper authorities of Hawkins Memorial Chapel, it is ordered that J. T. Hawkins, C. N. Thomas and J. E. Talley, Jr. and they are hereby appointed Trustees of said Hawkins Memorial Chapel.

Owners of Barge Swansboro. Plaintiffs
vs.
Ella V. Fewkes Defendant } Notice of motion for Jgmt.

Ordered that this cause be continued until the first day of the next term of the court.

Mary E. Crow — Plaintiff
vs
Sarah E. Lawrence — Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and by consent this cause is continued until the first day of the next term of this court.

John T. Crow — Plaintiff
vs
Ted Peirce & Samuel Sheffield — Defendants

Action of Trespass on the case

On motion of the defendants by their attorneys this cause is continued until the next term of this court.

C. C. Alley — Plaintiff
vs
R. H. Williams — Defendant

On notice of motion for judgment

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and it appearing to the court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the clerk's office of this court within the time prescribed by statute, and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing. It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $58.00 with interest thereon from the 25th day of March 1905, until paid, and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended.

J. J. Percivall and Hugh L. Percivall, partners trading as J. J. Percivall Son — Plaintiff
vs
J. Frank Epes — Defendant

On notice of motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and it appearing to the court that a copy of the notice in this cause was served on the said J. Frank Epes fifteen days before the commencement of this term of the court, and that the said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this court within five days after the service of the same, and the said defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the sum of one hundred and thirteen dollars and seventy two cents, with

interest thereon from the 1st day of April 1907 until paid and also the costs about this suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is in part upon an instrument evidencing the benefit of the homestead exemptions

N. J. Goldsberg Plaintiff } Trespass on the
vs Case
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft

Continued until the first day of the next term of the Court.

M. B. Bauch Plaintiff } Trespass on the
vs Case
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. Deft

By agreement of parties this cause is continued generally

Charles Pucek, an alien a native of Austria Hungary, aged 46 years, this day declared on oath in open court, that it is bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to relinquish and renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, State or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to Francis Joseph, Emperor of Austria Hungary.

William Kral Naturalized

William Kral, an alien, a native of Austria Hungary, aged 24 years this day applied to the Court to be admitted a citizen of the United States. And thereupon he proved to the satisfaction of the Court, by his own oath, that he arrived in the United States before he had attained the age of eighteen years, that he has resided in the United States Ever since, that he is now 24 years of age, and that for more than three years last past it had been bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States. And it also appearing to the satisfaction of the Court from the affidavit of said William Kral, and of Alex Keys and S. W. Jacobs, witnesses sworn in open court, that the said Wm Kral has resided within the United States for five years last past, and in this State for one year last past at least, and during that time has demeaned himself as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the

good order and happiness thereof; that he is not a person who disbelieves in or who is opposed to all organized government; that he is not a member of or affiliated with any organization entertaining and teaching such disbelief in or opposition to all organized government, or which advocates or teaches the duty, necessity or propriety of the unlawful assaulting or killing of any officer or officers, either of specific individuals or of officers generally, of the Government of the United States or of any other organized government, because of his or their official character; that he has not violated any of the provisions of an Act of Congress approved March 3rd, 1903 entitled "An Act to regulate the immigration of aliens into the United States;" and the said William Kral declared on oath, in open Court, that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he does absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince potentate, State or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to Francis Joseph Emperor of Austria & Hungary. Whereupon the said William Kral was admitted a Citizen of the United States.

C. E. Dilmore

Dennis Parkinson & M. A. Jones Plaintiff } On application to
vs } be relieved from
Court of Va. & County of Dinwiddie Defts } Erroneous assessment

C. E. Dilmore

This day came Dennis Parkinson and M. A. Jones who alleged that they are aggrieved by an entry in the land book made by Jno Hargrove, Commissioner of the Revenue for District No. 2, in the County of Dinwiddie, for the year 1905, page 5 line 17 wherein they a charged with Eight Dollars and five cents, State taxes for the year 1905, on a tract of land containing 39½ acres of land described as lying in Ballensas

On motion the said Parkinson Jones moved the Court to Exonerate them from the payment of Three Dollars and Twenty Eight cents of the State Taxes so wrongly charged against them for said year, which motion was defended by R. G. Epes, the Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said John Hargrove, the Commissioner who made the assessment was examined as a witness touching the application,

And it appearing that said book in which said alleged erroneous entry has been made was delivered to the Treasurer of the said County on the 18 day of August 1905, and that application for notice against the erroneous entry was made on this day for the first time, and it appearing that, instead of 39½ acres being charged in the County of

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Decinsidie, there should have been charged 22⅔ acres, the remainder 16⅔ acres, having been already correctly charged in the City of Petersburg, and taxes paid thereon in said City for said year, all of which the Court certifies as facts proved upon the application aforesaid. On consideration whereof, and from such facts as proved the Court is satisfied that the said ~~Dennis Perkinson & M.A. Fenn~~ C.E. Jitnow is erroneously charged in said books with State Taxes amounting to Two Dollars and twenty Eight- cents. Whereupon it is ordered that the said ~~Mich Perkinson & M.A. Fenn~~ C.E. Jitnow be exonerated from the payment of Two Dollars and twenty Eight- cents State taxes so erroneously charged, if not already paid and if paid, that it be refunded to them.

Ordered that ~~Dennis Perkinson & M.A. Fenn~~ C.E. Jitnow be exonerated from the payment of the following county taxes erroneously assessed against them as at tract of land in Scuffletown District standing on the land books for the year 1905 as 79⅔ acres, but which should have been only 22⅔ acres, to-wit: County Levy 4. 68, Co. Road Tax .38 cts. Special Road Tax 47 cts. Dist Road tax ten cents, County School Tax 1.87 Dist Schools 94 cts, Total $11.73.

Dennis Perkinson & M.A. Fenn
vs
Courts of Va & County of Dinwiddie

On application for relief from erroneous assessment.

This day came Dennis Perkinson & M.A. Fenn, who alleges that they are aggrieved by an entry in the Land Book made by Jas. Hargrove, Commissioner of the Revenue for District No 2 of Dinwiddie County for the year 1906, page 36, line number 22, whereby they are charged with Two Dollars and fourteen cents, State Taxes for the year 1906, on a tract of land, described as lying on Cox Road, containing 39⅔ acres. And thereupon the said Dennis Perkinson and M.A. Fenn moved the Court to exonerate them from the payment of Two Dollars and twelve cents State taxes for the year 1906, so erroneously charged against them for said year; which motion was defended by R.J. Epes, the Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County, and the said John Hargrove, the Commissioner who made the assessment, was Examined as a witness touching the application.

And it appearing that said book in which said alleged erroneous

entry has been made was delivered to the Treasurer of said County on the 1st day of October 1906. and that application for notices against the erroneous entry was made on this day for the first time; and it appearing that instead of 34½ acres being charged in the County of Dinwiddie there should have been charged only 17⅓, the remainder (of 16⅔) having been already charged, and taxes paid thereon in the City of Petersburg. All of which the Court certifies as facts proved upon the application aforesaid. On consideration whereof and from such facts so proved the Court is satisfied that the said Perkinson & Fenn are erroneously charged in said books with State Taxes amounting to Eight-Dollars and five cents. Whereupon, it is ordered that the said Dennis Perkinson & M.A.Fenn be exonerated from the payment of Four Dollars and twelve cents, State Taxes so erroneously charged, if not already paid, and if paid that it be refunded to him.

Ordered that Dennis Perkinson & M.A.Fenn be exonerated from the payment of the following County taxes for the year 1906. improperly assessed against them for said year on a tract of in Namozine District containing 34 ⅔ acres, and if paid that it be refunded to them, to-wit: County Levy $5.87, District Road Tax $1.18, County School tax $2.36, District School tax 1.18, total $14.71

Frances A. Abernathy Plaintiff
vs
Charles D. Abernathy Defendant } Trespass on the case.

On motion of the plaintiff by attorney it is ordered that this cause be dismissed, and it is further ordered that the said plaintiff pay the costs of this suit.

C.H. Johnson Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendant }

J.R. Johnson Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendant }

All matters of controversy between the parties to the above styled causes having been satisfactorily adjusted between the said parties, On motion of the plaintiffs, it is ordered that the said causes be removed from the docket, and that the plaintiffs

pay the costs of said suits

John D. Westbrooks Pltff
vs
O.D. Kellebrew trading as Kellebrew Brothers & Co Deft } Attachment

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and by agreement of parties this cause is continued until the first day of the next term.

W.A. Sleuss Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft } Trespass on the case

This day came the plaintiff by attorney and by agreement of parties this cause is set for hearing on the 3rd day of the next term of this court

J.C. Falconer & Ella C. Falconer Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendant } Trespass on the case

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and by agreement of parties this cause is set for the 2nd day of the next term.

Lucy C. Spiers, J.W. Spiers & Robert E. Spiers, Plaintiffs
vs
Adelle C. Freeman Defendant }

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and thereupon the defendant filed a plea of "not guilty" to the plaintiffs declaration, to which the plaintiffs replied generally and thereupon this cause is continued generally.

Jas. Sleuss Plaintiff
vs
Frank Riles Defendant }

This day came the parties by their attorney and by consent of parties this cause is continued generally.

Virginia A Sleuss Plaintiff
vs } Action of trespass
Camp Manufacturing Company Defendant on the case

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and thereupon the defendant filed a demurrer to the plaintiffs declaration

in which summons the plaintiff joins. And the defendant filed a plea of "Not guilty" to the said declaration, ~~to which the plaintiff replied generally~~. And thereupon this cause is continued generally.

A. T. Patterson, President of the Ronsid Club this day Exhibited in open court a list of the active members of said Club on the 30th day of April 1907, and satisfied the court that the membership of the Club exceeds thirty (30) bona fide members and that said Club is a bona fide Social Club and not an organization created for the purpose of violating the laws of this State regulating the licensing and sale of liquors.

Commonwealth of Va. Plaintiff } On an indictment for
vs } feloniously cutting John
Charles Reid Defendant } Daniel

This day came again the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was again led to the bar in custody of the jailer of this Court, and the motion for a new trial made at the March term of this Court having been fully considered, and the Court being fully advised doth overrule the motion for a new trial in this cause, to which ruling of the Court the prisoner by counsel excepted. & the prisoner was remanded to jail.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day Tomorrow morning at 10 o'c.

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning.
May 28th 1907.

Present: Hon Walter A. Watson Judge,

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
May 22nd 1907

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the county levy for their mileage and attendance during one day of this term of the court to-wit: To Ernest Bowles 1#8 A.P. Clarke 1#8 O.C. Westmoreland 1#6 S.B. Bosseau 1#8 J.B. Jolly 1#6 Henry Moody 1#6 W.H. Wells 1#6 J.B. Chambers #132 D.J. Green 1#0

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $12.00 for payment to J.H. Gabriels Sheriff, being two dollars per day for the attendance of himself and one deputy during (3) three days of this term of the court.

W.S. Briggs, physician to the jail this day presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $27.25 for medical services to prisoners in the County jail to date, which was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

W.F. Hitchcock, Acting Jailor presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $603.60 for board of prisoners confined in the County jail from March 20 1907 to date, which was examined and allowed and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

W.F. Hitchcock Acting Jailor presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $2.00 for board of a lunatic in jail, which was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

W.F. Hitchcock acting Jailor presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $6.50 for services of a nurse to a lunatic in County jail, which was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

W. F. Hitchcock, Acting Jailor presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $5.75 for clothing furnished prisoners in jail, which was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

Commonwealth of Va Pltff
vs
Charles Rice Deft } On and indictment for feloniously cutting John Daniel

This day came again the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was again led to the bar in custody of the jailor of this court, and it being asked of him if anything for himself he had or knew to say, why this court should not now proceed to pronounce sentence against him according to law, and nothing being offered or alleged in delay of judgment it is considered by the Court that the said Chas Rice be imprisoned in the public jail and penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the term of of three years the period by the jurors in this indictment ascertained And it is ordered that the proper officer do as soon as practical after the adjournment of this Court convey and safely convey the said Charles Rice from the jail of this County to the public jail and penitentiary of this Commonwealth there to be kept imprisoned and treated in the manner prescribed by law for the term aforesaid. And the prisoner is remanded to jail

It appearing that B. W. Barker, Hamilton M. Elder, J. L. Lewis, F. F. Thurston and J. W. Wilson filed in the Clerk's Office of this County thirty days before the commencement of the regular term of this Court an application for relief under the Act of April 2nd 1904, and the Court having taken up, examined and considered such applications which have been certified by the Clerk of this Court is satisfied that the requirements of said Act have been substantially complied with, and that such applications are supported by the affidavits and certificates required by law, is satisfied of the justice of the claims of each of said applicants. And it further appearing that the persons bond were duly notified of said applications fifteen days before the commencement of the regular term of this Court & have filed no exceptions thereto, it is ordered that the said J. W. Wilson, J. L. Lewis, F. F. Thurston, B. W. Barker and Hamilton M. Elder, be placed on the pensions rolls of Va, and be allowed the amounts opposite their names, as follows:

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	J. W. Wilson	$15.00
	J. L. Lewis	$15.00
	F. F. Shumate	$15.00
	B. W. Barker	$30.00
Cert to Auditor June 19, 1907	Henrietta M Elder	25.00

The following applications are rejected by the Pension Board for the reason that they had property of the assessed value of more than $500.00; to-wit: J. L. Wright and Geo. B. Royall.

The following persons on the Pension Rolls of Va have died for the year 1906, have since died; to-wit: A.D. Wells & W. T. Barns.

Ordered that Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term

Walter A. Watson

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the Courthouse thereof on Monday, the 19th day of August 1907, and of the Commonwealth the 132nd

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge:

The clerk of the court this day made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office during and since the May term of this court, which was examined and approved & ordered to be filed as the Law directs

The Clerk of this court made a report of fines which is approved & filed.

Paul Pelit, gentleman, having obtained a license to practice the Law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is granted him to practice the law in this court. And thereupon the said Paul Pelit appeared in court and took the oaths prescribed by Law.

F. A. Wells, gentleman, foreman, together with B. L. Boisseau, J. W. Hawkins, J. H. Gibbs, Archie Charles, W. A.

Blanton, A A Hudson, J J Rainey & H C Smith
were sworn a special grand jury of inquest in and
for the body of the County of Dinwiddie, and after having
heard their charge retired to their room, and after
sometime remained came and reported the following in-
dictments, to wit:

Commonwealth of Virginia
vs
William Page } A B & L, A true bill

Commonwealth of Virginia
vs
W H Smith } A B & L: A true Bill

Commonwealth of Virginia Indictment for
vs
Wesley Green } Maiming A true bill

Commonwealth of Virginia
vs
Hubert Jones } Indictment for breaking and entering
Railroad Car, A True Bill

Commonwealth of Virginia
vs
Rudy Davis } Indictment for assault
A true Bill

Commonwealth of Va
vs
Hubert Jones } Breaking and entering a Rail Road Car:-
A true bill.

And the jury having no further matters before them, were
discharged. And it is ordered that they be paid out of the
county levy for their mileage and attendance at this term
of the Court as follows:- J A Wells, 11 vs B L Bassieur 11 vs J M
Hawkins, 11 vs J H Gibbs 11 vs Archer Clark 11 vs W A Blanton, 11 vs A A
Hudson, 11 vs J J Rainey 11 vs H O Smith 11 vs

John D Westbrook Plaintiff } Notice of motion
vs for judgment, or
O D Killebrew, trading as Killebrew an attachment-
Brothers and Company Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and the defendant
O D Killebrew in open Court confessed judgment upon the

the claim of the plaintiff. Whereupon it being proved that the said O.D. Killebrew is indebted to the plaintiff in the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars and sixty one cents ($250.61) mentioned in the attachment, and sued out in this cause, with interest thereon from the 29th day of January 1907, it is therefore considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said O.D. Killebrew the said sum of two hundred and fifty dollars and sixty-one cents ($250.61), with interest to be computed after the rate of six per cent. per annum from the said 29th day of January, 1907, till paid, and his costs by him in this behalf expended. And it is ordered that the sheriff make sale of the attached effects as the law directs, and out of the money arising from such sale pay and satisfy this judgment to the plaintiff, and restore the overplus if any, to the defendant, and return an account of such sale to the next term of this court.

John A. Gill doing business as
John A. Gill & Co. Plaintiff } On notice of
vs motion for a
John B. Fraser. Defendant. } Judgment.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and it appearing to the court that the said defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this court within the time prescribed by the statute. And the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of One hundred and fifty-three dollars and twenty four cents, with interest on one hundred and fifty-two dollars a part thereof from the 22nd day of September 1906. until paid, and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended.

John A. Gill, doing business
as John A Gill & Co. Plaintiff } On notice of
vs motion for Judg-
J.B. Fraser Defendant } ment.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and it appearing to the Court from the return of the Sheriff endorsed

on the notice that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and it further appearing from the endorsement on said notice made by the clerk of this court that said notice was filed in the clerk's office of this court within five days after the service of the same, And the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing. Thereupon it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant, the sum of twenty-eight dollars and twenty-two cents with interest thereon from the first day of October 1906 until paid, and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended.

Owners of Barge Swansboro Plaintiff
vs
Ella V. Fowlkes Defendant
} On notice of motion

By consent of the parties this cause is continued generally.

Mary E. Crow Plaintiff
vs
Sarah E. Lawrence Defendant
} Action of Ejectment

All matters of controversy in this cause having been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties, On motion of the plaintiff by her attorney it is ordered that the same be removed from the docket.

John J. Crow Plaintiff
vs
Lee Hiner & Samuel Sheffield Defendants
} Action of Trespass on the case

By consent of the parties this cause is continued generally.

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff
vs
Lee Davis Defendant
} On an indictment for criminal assault

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the jailer of this County, And for reasons appearing to the court this cause is continued until the next term of the court.

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs
William Page Defendant
} On an indictment for a felony

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This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the jailer of this Court and upon being arraigned pleaded "not guilty" to the indictment. And on motion of the defendant this cause is continued until the next term of this Court.

George W. Barnes and W.H. Reames acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of fifty dollars each, to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements &c, for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said George W. Barnes & W.H. Reames and each of them personally appear in this Court room on the first day of the next term of this Court, to testify and give evidence on behalf of the Commonwealth, in its prosecution against William Page for a felony and not depart without the leave of this Court.

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff } On an indictment
v. } for housebreaking.
W.H. Smith Defendant } Larceny.

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the jailer of this Court and being thereof arraigned a plea of "guilty" was tendered by the prisoner in person, and by consent of the attorney for the Commonwealth ~~and~~ waived a trial by jury. And thereupon, with the ~~consent of the Attorney for the Commonwealth~~ the Court proceeded to hear and determine the cause without the intervention of a jury. And the Court having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel doth adjudge that the said W.H. Smith is guilty of the felony charged in the indictment and that he be imprisoned in the State Penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the term of five (5) years. And it being demanded of the prisoner if any thing he had or knew to say why the Court should not now proceed to pronounce sentence against him according to law and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof. It is considered by the Court that the said W.H. Smith be imprisoned in the State Penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the term of five years aforesaid. And it is further ordered

that the proper offices do as soon as convenient remove and safely convey the said W.H. Smith from the jail of this County to the State Penitentiary of this Commonwealth, there to be kept imprisoned and treated as the Law directs, for the period aforesaid. And the prisoner was remanded to Jail.

Commonwealth of Va. Plaintiff
vs. } On an indictment for a felony.
Hubert Jones Defendant

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and being thereof arraigned, tendered in person his plea of "guilty", and with the consent of the attorney for the Commonwealth waived a trial by jury and submitted himself to the judgment of the Court, and the Court having heard the testimony of the witnesses and the argument of counsel is of the opinion that the prisoner is guilty of the felony charged in the indictment, and doth ascertain his punishment to be six months confinement in the County jail, and the payment of a fine of $5.00 to the Commonwealth. And it being suggested to the Court that the prisoner is of tender years, to-wit 16 years of age, and that the Negro Reformatory Association of Virginia will probably consent to assume custody and control over him if committed to its care, therefore the execution of this judgment is suspended for the period of 30 days, and if within that time the said association shall notify the clerk of this Court of its willingness to receive said prisoner, then in that event the judgment of this Court is that said prisoner be committed to the custody & control of the Negro Reformatory Association of Virginia for the period of three years from this date. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs } On an indictment for a
Hugh Brown Defendant felony.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the jailer of this Court, and being thereof arraigned tendered in person his plea of "guilty", and with the consent of the Attorney for the Commonwealth, waived a trial by jury, and submitted himself to the judgment of the Court, and the

Court having heard the testimony of the witnesses, and the argument of counsel is of opinion that the prisoner is guilty of the felony charged in the indictment, and doth ascertain his punishment to be six months confinement in the County jail, and the payment of a fine of $50.00 to the Commonwealth of Va.; And the Court being satisfied from the evidence that the prisoner is not over the age of 18 years, and that the Prison Association of Virginia, will probably consent to assume custody and control over him if committed to its care; therefore the operation of this judgment is suspended for the period of 30 days, and it further appearing that the said association shall notify the Clerk of this Court of its willingness to receive said prisoner, then in that event; the judgment of this Court is that the prisoner be committed to the custody and care of the Prison Association of Virginia, there to be kept in confinement and treated as the law directs.

Commonwealth of Va — Plaintiff
vs
Annie Cairns — Defendant
} On a charge of Larceny & on a recognizance

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the said defendant having heretofore entered into a recognizance before W.B. Brown, a Justice of the peace in the sum of $250.00 with J.J. Cairns & N.F. Milton as his securities, conditioned for the appearance of said Annie Cairns at this term of the Court to answer said charge, and the said defendant failing to appear, in discharge of said recognizance. It is ordered that the said J.J. Cairns & N.F. Milton be summoned to appear before this Court, at its next term to show cause, why the said recognizance should not be forfeited.

A.J. Goldsberry — Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway — Defendant
} Action of Trespass on the case

W.B. Branch — Plaintiff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co — Defendant
} Action of Trespass on the case

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued until the first day of the next term.

Lucy C. Spurs, J. N. Spurs & Robt E. Spurs Pltffs
vs
Adell C. Freeman Defdt } Action of Ejectment

This day came again the partys by their attorny, and by consent this cause is continued until the first term of this court.

Virginia A. Sterne Plaintiff
vs
Camp Manufacturing Co Defendant } Action of trespass on the case

This day came again the partys by their attorneys, and by consent of partys this cause is continued until the next term of this Court for argument on the defendants demurrer to the plaintiffs declaration filed in this cause at the May term of this court.

John G. Harris & John Hargrave Plaintiffs
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendants } Action of Trespass on the case

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorny, and by consent of partys this cause is continued until the next term of this court.

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff
vs
Waverly Green Defendant } On an indictment for felony. (Manning)

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and upon being thereof arraigned, tendered in person, his plea of "guilty", and with the consent of the attorney for the Commonwealth, waived a trial by jury, and submitted himself to the judgment of the Court. And the Court having heard the testimony of witnesses and argument of counsel is of opinion that the prisoner is guilty of the felony charged in the indictment and doth ascertain his punishment to be six months confinement in the County jail and the payment of a fine of five dollars to the Commonwealth. And thereupon it being demanded of the prisoner if any thing for himself he had or knew to say why the court should not now proceed to pronounce sentence against him according to law and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof, it is considered by the Court that the said Waverly Green be imprisoned in the County jail of this County for the

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term of six months and that he paid to the Commonwealth of Va. the fine of $500 aforesaid, And the prisoner is remanded to Jail.

John T. Kirtley Plaintiff
vs
S. T. Gesar Defendant } Quo Warranto.

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the defendant demurred to the petition of the complainant in the nature of an information, Whereupon the complainant moved the Court to require the defendant to state the grounds of his demurrer, which motion the Court sustained, and doth order that the defendant ten days prior to the next term of this Court furnish the complainant a statement of the grounds of his demurrer in writing. And thereupon, by consent, this cause is continued until the next term.

John T. Kirtley Complainant
vs
W. J. Bewley Defendant } Quo Warranto

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant demurred to the petition of the complainant in the nature of an information. Whereupon the complainant moved the Court to require the defendant to state the grounds of his demurrer, which motion the Court sustained, and doth order that the defendant ten days prior to the next term of this Court, furnish the complainant a statement of the grounds of his demurrer in writing. And thereupon by consent this cause is continued until the next term.

Stith Ridley Appellant
vs
Commonwealth of Va. Appellee }

Continued for the Commonwealth until the next term of this Court.

Com Browning Appellant
vs
Commonwealth of Va Appellee }

Continued for the Commonwealth until the next term

of this court.

Gordon Browning - E. L. Lee, acknowledges themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Va in the sum of $50.00 each to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands & tenements &c. for the use of the said Commonwealth but to be void should the said Gordon Browning personally appear in this court on the first day of the next term & surrender himself to answer a warrant for a Misdemeanor, appealed from a decision of a Justice of the Peace and not depart thence without the leave of this court.

E. L. Lee - Stith Ridley acknowledges themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Va. in the sum of $50.00 each to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands & tenements &c. for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said Stith Ridley personally appear in this court on the first day of the next term to answer a warrant for a misdemeanor, or an appeal from a decision of a Justice of the Peace, surrender himself, and not depart without the leave of this court.

Conrad Oliver, Frances Oliver, Dr. H. P. Carter & Mary Jones acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the just and full sum of $100.00 each to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands & tenements &c. for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said Conrad Oliver, Frances Oliver, Dr H. P. Carter & Mary Jones personally appear in this court room on the first day of the next term, to testify and give evidence in the case of the Commonwealth v Rudy Davis, on behalf of the said Commonwealth, and not depart thence without the leave of this court.

T. E. Chambers, who has heretofore been appointed a member of the Electoral Board for the County of Dinwiddie, this day appeared in court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law, for the term of office beginning the first day of March 1905 and ending the 28th day of Feby 1908.

Garland Mallory & Leonard Mallory, orphans of Agnes J. Mallory, dec'd, both of whom are over the age of fourteen years, came 242

this day appeared in Court and with the consent of the Court made choice of R.H. Lewis for his guardian and thereupon the said R.H. Lewis appeared in Court and together with J.A. Meredith as his surety who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Fifty Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs.

The Court doth entry to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $40.00 for payment to B.J. Epps, Atty for the Commonwealth for his services in prosecuting Wormly Grum, charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury; Hugh Brewer, charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury; Hubert Jones, charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury & W.H. Smith charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury, being $10.00 in each case.

Ordered that the sum of $12.00 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to A.M. Organ for his services in the following Commonwealth Cases tried at this term of the Court; to-wit: Counts of Va vs Wormly Grum, charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury; Commonwealth of Va vs Hubert Jones, charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury; Commonwealth of Va vs Hugh Brewer, charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury & same vs W.H. Smith, charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury; being $3.00 in each case, including a fee of fifty cents in each case for registering each prisoner after conviction.

Ordered that the following witness for the Commonwealth be paid out of the public treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court. In case of the Commonwealth vs Hubert Jones; To Jas Vaughan $1.70 J.C. Southerland $4.55 In case of Commonwealth vs W.H. Smith; to Pompey Tucker $0.74

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow at ten o'clock A.M.

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning
August 20 1907

Present- Hon Walter A Watson, Judge.

Ordered that- the following be and they are hereby appointed Members of the Road Board for the County of Dimmit to serve for the term of One year from the first day of July 1907 to-wit: Ramsey District- J L Smith; Rowany District E. L. Perkins; Lapoy District- J M. Rose; Darrills District E. S Hobbs and J. E. Perkinson for the county at Large.

Ordered that- C. L Brown be and he is hereby appointed a member of the Electoral Board for the term of three years commencing on the first day of July 1907. Whereupon the said C. L. Brown appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by law.

T. C. Falconer & Ella Falconer. Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendant } Action of Trespass on the case

Continued until the next term of this Court.

Ordered that- the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
August 21st 1907.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

James Keiser Plaintiff
vs
Frank Reiter Defendant }

All matters in controversy in this cause having been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties, on motion of the plaintiff this cause is dismissed. And it is ordered that each of the parties pay their costs.

Burnett & Somers Plaintiffs
v. } Action of assumpsit
E. H. Coleman Defendants

All matters of controversy in this cause having been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties, On motion of the plaintiff it is ordered that this cause be removed from the docket

Citizens Bank of Blackstone Plaintiff
v. } Action of assumpsit
A. G. Ferguson Defendant

On motion of the plaintiffs by attorney it is ordered that this cause be dismissed, It appearing to the court that all matters in controversy between them have been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties

Ordered that the sum of $12.50 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to J. H. Galusha Sheriff, being two dollars per day for the services of himself and one deputy during three days of this term of the court.

C. & D. Cert. - 2.50

W. F. Hitchcock, Jailor presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $115.60 for board of prisoners confined in the County jail from the 21st day of May 1907 to Aug. 21st 1907, which was examined and allowed by court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

Certified

W. F. Hitchcock Jailor presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $1.25 for board of a lunatic in County jail, which said was examined and allowed by the court and certified to the Auditor of Public accounts for payment

Cert.

W. F. Hitchcock, Jailor presented an account against the County of Va amounting to $12.50 for clothing furnished prisoners in jail from May 15 to Aug. 21. 1907. which was examined and allowed by the court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

Cert.

It appearing that said amounts do not exceed the sum of

two dollars per annum for any one of said persons.

S. J. Gerow J. P. presented an account against the County of Va amounting to $2.00 for services in case of Hugh Brown charged with a felony, which acct was examined and allowed by the court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment

J. K. Galusha, Sheriff, presented an account against the County of Va amounting to $7.00 for services in felony cases, which was examined and allowed by the court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

H. L. Biggs. M.D. presented and acct against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $20.60 for medical attention to prisons in jail from June 11 to Aug. 14. 1907. which was examined and allowed by the court and certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

Ordered that the Sheriff of this court summon from the by-standers nine persons qualified to act as grand jurors for this day of the present term. And thereupon came J. A. Hawkins, F. A. Jones, W. F. Baird, J. E. & Y. Wells, Leo Hewlett, W. E. Strickdell, J. W. Wells, G. E. Perkins, & Jno. O. Hitchcock in obedience to said summons, but the court deeming it unnecessary to impanel said Special Grand Jury, the said jurors are discharged and it is ordered that they be allowed out of the County Treasury the following amounts, to-wit: To J. A. Hawkins $1.00 F. A. Jones $1.00, W. F. Baird $1.00, J. E. & Y. Wells $1.00, Leo Hewlett $1.00 W. E. Strickdell $1.00, J. W. Wells, $1.00 G. E. Perkins $1.00 & John O. Hitchcock $1.00

Ordered that the following persons are allowed the sums opposite their respective names for mileage and attendance as petit jurors for one day during the present term. P. L. Perkins $1.10, J. W. Hawkins $1.40, J. H. Wells $1.45, Archie Hewlett $1.55 W. A. Perkins $1.70 A. A. Hudson $1.70, J. J. Rainey $1.00, F. A. Wells $2.00, W. C. Smith $1.80, & W. E. Strickdell $1.95 for attendance only.

S. G. Gilliam, County Treasurer returned to the Court a list

of Lands delinquent for the year 1904, which were not offered for sale, having been therefrom sold to the Commonwealth, which was confirmed & ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts;

S. G. Gilliam, County Treasurer this day presented to the Court a list of real estate in the County of Dinwiddie, delinquent for the non payment of taxes thereon for the year 1904, which were sold by him for said year to the Commonwealth, & a list of real estate in said County delinquent for said year, which were sold by him to others than the Commonwealth which said lists are confirmed and copies thereof ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts, & recorded by the Clerk in his office as the law directs.

S. G. Gilliam, County Treasurer reported to the Court a list of real estate in the County of Dinwiddie delinquent for the non-payment of taxes thereon for the year 1904, the taxes on which were paid him before sales which said list is confirmed & a copy thereof ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts

S. G. Gilliam Treasurer this day presented to the Court a list of real estate in the County of Dinwiddie delinquent for the non payment of taxes thereon for the year 1905, which were not offered for sale having been therefrom sold to the Commonwealth, and also a list of lands delinquent for said year 1905 the taxes on which were paid him before sale, which said lists are confirmed and copies thereof ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts.

S. G. Gilliam, County Treasurer, this day presented to the Court a list of lands in the County of Dinwiddie, delinquent for the non-payment of taxes thereon for the year 1905, which have been sold by him for taxes for the said year, and which were purchased by the Auditor of Public Accounts in Name of the Commonwealth of Va, and also a list of lands delinquent for said year 1905 which were sold by him for taxes for said year 1905, and which have been purchased by others than the Commonwealth, which said lists are confirmed & copies thereof ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts and

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SPECIAL ATTENTION TO EXAMINING LAND TITLES

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Virginia
Fourth Judicial Circuit, to wit:

By virtue of legal authority, I Walter A. Watson, Judge of the Circuit Court, in vacation, hereby name and appoint for Commissioner of the Revenue for District No. 2, John Morgan Esq, District No. 2, and Charles E. Abernathy Esq, Dist No. [redacted], for the term of office beginning January 1st 1908 and ending Dec 31st 1911; and the Clerk of Sd. Court is directed to enter this upon the Common Law Order Book of his Sd. Court.

To A. M. Ozlin Esq. Walter A. Watson
Clk Cir. Court. Feb. 30th 1907

recorded by the Clerk in his office as the Law directs.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Walter A. Watson.

Virginia In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court August 30th 1907.

The oath of the foregoing School Trustee for Dinwiddie County, duly signed and sworn to was this day presented to me in the office aforesaid to wit W. T. Reames. J. P. Geo. W. Harris, Wm. Hawkins, W. J. Berkley, W. D. Temples,

Virginia Town of Dinwiddie Circuit, to wit

By virtue of legal authority, I Walter A. Watson, Judge of the Circuit Court, in vacation, hereby name and appoint for Commissioners of the Revenue for Dinwiddie County, John Norgrave Esq. District No. 2, and Charles E. Abernathy, Esq. Dist No. 1. for the term of office beginning Jany. 1st 1908 and ending Dec. 31st 1911. and the Clerk of said Court is directed to enter this upon the Common Law Order Book of his said Court.

To A. M. Organ Esq.
Clerk Circuit Court.

Walter A. Watson
Aug. 30th 1907

Test A. M. Organ clk

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday the 21st day of October 1907, and of the Commonwealth the 122nd.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson Judge.

The Clerk of this Court this day made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office, during and since the August Term of the Court, which is approved & ordered to be filed.

The following fines have been paid to the Clerk of this Court since his last report, to wit:
Commonwealth of Va vs Ed Myricks, assault- paid Sept 25th 1907 by J.B. Briggs J.P.

A.M. Organ, Clerk of the Circuit Court of this County reports that he had examined the personal property books of this County for the year 1907 and that the certificates thereon are as follows:

I, A.M. Organ Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County do hereby certify that I have carefully examined the foregoing property book for District No 2. for the year 1907, and that the same appear to be correct- Given under my hand this 1st day of October 1907

A.M. Organ, Clerk

I, A.M. Organ Jr, Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County do hereby certify that I have carefully examined the foregoing property Book for District- No.1. for the year 1907, and that the same appears to be correct- Given under my hand this 9th day of September 1907

A.M. Organ, Jr. Deputy Clerk

The Court doth certify that to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of Twenty-Five Dollars for payment to A.M. Organ, Clerk for his services in examining the personal property books for Districts Nos 1 & 2 in Dinwiddie County for the year 1907. It appearing to the Court that the certificates required by law have been given and

recorded

A paper writing bearing date on the 7th day of April 1890, purporting to be the true last will and testament of John H. T. Darby, died was this day produced in court and offered for proof, and was proved by the oaths of Benj. H. Ragsdale, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, who testified that himself and Geo. A. Ragsdale, the other subscribing witnesses thereto, were present together at the same time, and in the presence of the testator, and at his request signed their names as witnesses to the said will, and that the said John H. T. Darby signed and acknowledged the said will in the presence of each of them. And thereupon the said will is admitted to record as and for the true last will and testament of the said John H. T. Darby dec'd.

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff } On an indictment for
William Page (Col) Dft } Housebreaking & Larceny

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County and being thereof arraigned pleaded "not guilty" to the indictment, and the venire-facias issued by the Clerk of this Court ~~xxx~~ ~~court~~ having been returned executed by the Sheriff of this County together with the names of sixteen qualified jurors summoned by him, and taken from a list furnished by the Clerk of this Court and drawing according to Law, And a panel of sixteen qualified jurors being examined as to their bias, found free from exceptions and qualified to serve as jurors, being completed the following twelve were chosen by lot for the trial of the case to-wit:- Ernest Chappell, A. W. Perkins, S. C. Camp, E. H. Hill, N. B. White, J. D. T. Wells, J. S. Major, A. B. Mason, G. L. Harris, J. L. Perkins, E. M. Winn, & D. E. Adams, who were sworn the truth to say and upon the premises to speak, and having heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to their room and after sometime came into Court and reported the following verdict, to-wit: "We, the jury find the prisoner guilty as charged in the indictment and fix his punishment at 5 years in the State Penitentiary E. H. Hill, Foreman." And it being asked of the prisoner if anything he had or knew to say for himself why the Court should not now proceed to pronounce sentence against him according to law and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof, it is considered by the Court that the said

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William Page be imprisoned in the State Penitentiary of this Commonwealth for the term of five years the period by the jurors in their verdict ascertained. And it is ordered that the proper officer do as soon as possible after the adjournment of this court remove and safely convey the said William Page from the jail of this County to the Penitentiary of this Commonwealth there to be kept imprisoned and treatment as the law directs for the term aforesaid. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

Commonwealth of Va. Plaintiff
vs.
Annie Cairns Defendant

Ordered that this cause be continued until the next term of the court.

Branning Appellee
vs. On an appeal from a decision of a Justice
Commonwealth of Va Appellant

On motion of the Appellee it is ordered that this cause be removed from the docket.

Ridley Stith Appellee
vs. On an appeal from a decision of a Justice
Commonwealth of Va Appellant of the Peace

On motion of the Appellee it is ordered this cause be removed from the docket.

Owners of the Barge Swansboro. Plaintiffs On notice of motion for Judgt.
vs.
Ella V. Fowlkes Defs

John T. Crow Plaintiff On notice of motion for Judgment.
vs.
Lee Heim & Sheffield Defendant

A. T. Goldsby Plaintiff
vs. Trespass on the case
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendant

Continued until the next term of this court

M B. Branch Pltff.
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. Deft } Action of Trespass on the case

T A. Stem Pltff } Action of Trespass on the case
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft

Ordered that the above styled causes be removed from this docket, all matters in controversy having been adjusted between the parties

J. C. Falcone & Ella C. Falcone Pltff.
vs } Action of trespass on the case.
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft

All matters of controversy in this cause having been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties it is ordered that this cause be removed from the docket.

T A. Stem Plaintiff
vs } Action of Trespass on the case
Camp Manufacturing Co. Deft

John G. Harris & John Hargrave, Pltff.
partners &c.
vs } Action of trespass on the case.
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co Deft.

By agreement of parties it is ordered that the above styled causes be continued until the first day of the next term of this court.

Willis Wyatt having produced evidence of his ordination as a minister of the gospel and of his living in regular communion with the Baptist church, took the oath of allegiance to this Commonwealth, and entered into and acknowledged an bond in the penalty of $500.00 conditioned as the Law directs. Whereupon, on his motion, a testimonial is granted him in due form to celebrate the rites of marriage.

John D. Westbrook Plaintiff
vs.
Killebrew Bros & Co. Defendant

On motion of the plaintiff it is ordered that the above styled cause be removed from the docket.

S. G. Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County, this day presented to the Court a list of real estate in the district of John Hargrave Commissioner of the Revenue of said County, which is delinquent for the non-payment of taxes therein for the year 1906 with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinions of the Commissioner aforesaid, and the Board of Supervisors touching the propriety of such lists and each case therein contained, verified by their oaths thereto annexed, which said list after being examined by the Court and the Court being satisfied of the same doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court.

S. G. Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County, this day presented to the Court a list of property on the Commissioners Land Book, improperly placed therein, or not ascertainable for the year 1906. in the District of John Hargrave Commissioner of the Revenue of said County, with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinions of the Commissioner aforesaid and the Board of Supervisors, touching the propriety of such lists, and each case therein contained, verified by their oaths thereto annexed, which said list after being examined and corrected by the Court, doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court.

S. G. Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day presented to the Court a list of insolvents in the assessment and property taxes for the year 1906, in the District of John Hargrave, Commissioner of the Revenue in said County, with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof, thereto subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinion of the Commissioner of the Revenue aforesaid, touching the property of such lists, and each case therein contained, verified by his oath thereto annexed, and the certificate of the Board of Supervisors, which said list after being examined and corrected by the Court, the Court doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court.

S. G. Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day presented to the Court a list of real estate in the district of C. E. Abernathy, Commissioner of the Revenue of said County which is delinquent for the non-payment of taxes thereon for the year 1906 with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof thereto subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinion of the Commissioner aforesaid and the Board of Supervisors touching the property of such lists, and each case therein contained, verified by this oath thereto annexed, which said list after being examined by the Court, and the Court being satisfied of the correctness of the same doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court.

S. G. Gilliam, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day presented to the Court a list of Property on the Commissioner's Land Book improperly placed thereon, or not ascertainable for the year 1906, in the District of C. E. Abernathy, Commissioner of the Revenue of the said County, with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereof, thereto subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinion of the Commissioner aforesaid, and the Board of Supervisors, touching the property of such lists, and each case therein contained, verified by this oath thereto annexed, which said list after being examined and corrected by the Court, doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court.

S. G. Gilliam Treasurer of Dinwiddie County this day presented to the Court a list of insolvents in the capitation and property taxes for the year 1906 in the district of C. E. Abernathy, Commissioner of the Revenue in said County, with the oath of the said Treasurer at the foot thereto subscribed, and accompanied by the written opinion of the Commissioner aforesaid touching the property of such lists, and each case therein contained, verified by his oath thereto annexed, and the certificate of the Board of Supervisors, which said list after being examined and corrected by the Court, the Court doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

W. Allen Harrison

Tuesday Morning
October 22nd 1907

Present Hon. Walter A. Watson Judge.

John T. Kirtes Plaintiff
vs.
S. T. Gerow Defendant

This day came again the parties by their Attorneys and the defendant moved the Court to quash the writ by which he was summoned in this case, and to dismiss the said petition or information by reason of errors apparent on the face of the record which motion the Court sustained. And it is ordered that the writ or summons issued in this case be quashed and that said petition or information be dismissed, and that the said defendant recover of the petitioner his costs by him in this behalf expended. To which ruling of the Court in sustaining the aforesaid motion the petitioner excepted.

John T. Kirtes Plaintiff
vs
N. J. Bixler Deft
On information in nature of Quo Warranto.

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the defendant moved this Court to quash the writ by which he was summoned in this case and to dismiss the said petition or information by reason of errors apparent on the face of the record, which motion the Court sustains, and it is ordered that the writ or summons issued in this cause be quashed and that said petition or information be dismissed and that the said defendant recover of the petitioner his costs by him in this behalf expended, to which ruling of the Court in sustaining the aforesaid motion the petition excepted.

On Motion of Helen Reed who made oath thereto, and together with Peter Lobod as her surety, who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $200.00, conditioned as the law directs, entitled as granted the said

Helen Rose for obtaining Letters of administration on the estate of T.A. Rose, Decd. in due form.

Ordered that John P. Tucker, Peter Sohon & Thos Malone being first duly sworn for the purpose do justly and truly appraise such of the personal estate of Thos A. Rose decd as may be produced before them, and return this appraisement under their hands as the Law directs.

Ordered that the following witnesses in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Page be paid out of the public Treasury for their Mileage and attendance at this term of the Court, to-wit: To. J.B. Chambers $1.32, Ernest Chappell 1.48, A.M. Perkins $1.96, E.C. Webb $2.00, S.V. Camp 1.24, B.H. Barrow $1.48, E.H. Hill $1.72, W.B. White $2.00, J.D.T. Wells 1.16, J.S. Major 1.40, A.B. Winston $1.56, G.L. Harris 1.96, J.L. Perkins $2.00, E.M. Winn 1.24, L.E. Adams $2.00, J.E. Williams 1.88, S.T. Clark 1.88, M.J. Royal 1.40, W.O. Wells 1.48, J.W. Phillips 1.24, J.W. Jolly 1.80, I.S. Keeler 2.00, E.G. Haddan 1.24, S.S. Young, J.W. Stith 1.96, J.K. Abernathy 1.64, Eugene Hawkins 1.08, M.W. Thompson 2.00, B.H. Rogers 1.64, W.A. Blanton 1.72, E.W. Coleman 1.96, S.S. Young $1.16, J.B. Kelly 2.00.

Lucy C. Spiers, J.W. Spiers, Robt E. Spiers — Complainants
vs.
Adell A. Freeman — Defendant

} In an Action of Ejectment.

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the defendant pleaded "not-guilty" to which the plaintiffs replied generally and thereupon issue was joined. And thereupon came the following jury: Jno P Atkinson, F.A. Jones, J.E. Daly, W.J. Perkins, W.F. Thweatt, J.W. Wells, J.T. Hawkins, S.J. Gerow & Thomas Atkinson, and the parties alternately challenged one of the said jurors, each, when the following remained for the trial of the issue to-wit: Jno. P. Atkinson, J.E. Daly, W.J. Perkins, W.F. Thweatt, J.W. Wells, J.T. Hawkins & S.J. Gerow who were sworn, to try and truly try the issue joined, and a true verdict give according to the Law and the evidence. And having fully heard the evidence the jury were adjourned over until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow.

morning at ten o'clock

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
October 23rd 1907.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of Ten Dollars for payment to R.J. Epes Attorney for the Commonwealth for his services in prosecuting Wm Page charged with a felony & indicted by Grand Jury & tried at this term of this Court.

Ordered that the sum of $30.00 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to A. M. Organ Clerk for services in case of the Commonwealth of Va. vs. Wm Page, charged with a felony & indicted by the grand Jury & for registering same.

Ordered that the sum of $12.00 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to J. N. Galusha, Sheriff for the attendance of himself and one deputy during three days of this term of the Court.

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff
vs.
Buddy Davis Defendant } On an indictment for a felony

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and on motion this cause is continued for the defendant until the first day of the next term of this Court.

Lucy C. Spurs, J. N. Spurs and Robt E. Spurs Pltffs, On an
vs } action of
Adell A. Freeman Defts Ejectment.

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the following jury sworn in this cause on yesterday appeared in Court pursuant to adjournment to-wit:- John P. Atkinson, J.E. Darby, W.J. Perkins, N.F. Thweatt, J.N. Wells, J.J.

Wesley Harris

Martha Webster

Hunter Barn

Everett Waddey Co.,
Stationers and Printers,
Richmond, Va.

Form No. 112.

$1.56 In the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, Virginia,
December Term, 1906

ORDERED, That it be certified that _____ served before said court _____ days as a juror for the trial of Civil Causes. Said juror also traveled _____ miles in coming to and returning from said court. For which attendance and mileage he is entitled to receive out of the County treasury the sum of _____ dollars and _____ cents. And I certify that said mileage does not exceed the sum of one dollar per diem. Teste:

_____, Clerk.

Hawkins & S. J. Grow and having heard the argument of Counsel retired to this room to consider of their verdict and after sometime came into Court and rendered their verdict as follows. "We the jury upon the issue joined find for the Plaintiff in fee the premises in controversy as described in this declaration, S. J. Grow foreman" Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the possession of the premises aforesaid mentioned and described in the plaintiffs declaration according to the aforesaid verdict of the jury. and their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended.

Akers Lumber Co. &c. Plaintiff
vs.
W. A. Reams. Defendant } On notion of motion for Judgment.

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and thereupon came also a jury to-wit: W. P. Wells. T. B. Chambers, Ernest Chapper, A. W. Perkins, J. D. J. Wells, J. M. Jolly & J. S. Major, who being sworn the truth to speak upon the issue joined. And the plaintiff failing to state further prosecute in this cause. Art Thompson, T. B. Chambers, one of the jurors aforesaid was withdrawn, & the rest of the jury discharged. Whereupon it is ordered that the plaintiff be non-suited, and pay to the defendant, his costs $5.00 damages.

Ordered that the following various sum in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Burk Davis be paid out of the Public Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court to-wit. To H. S. Royal 1.40, W. P. Wells 1.48, J. M. Phillips 1.24, T. B. Chambers 1.32, Ernest Chapper 1.48, A. W. Perkins 1.96, J. D. J. Wells 1.16, J. M. Jolly 1.80, J. S. Major 1.40, J. S. Akers 1.56, E. G. Hodson 1.24, & M. Winn 1.24, F. S. Young 1.16, S. M. Stone 1.96, J. C. Abernathy 1.56, & Eugene Hawkins 1.08.

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County Levy for their mileage and attendance during three days of this term of the Court to-wit: Jas P. Atkinson $1.00, R. P. Hairston $1.00, F. A. Sims $3.60, J. E. Doty $3.16, W. J. Perkins $3.88, W. F. Thurmond $4.68, J. M. Wells $3.88, J. T. Hawkins $3.40, S. J. Grow $3.88, Thos Atkinson 1.56.

Booker T. Ellis
Application for a Distillers License } 280

Ordered that this case be continued until the first day of the next term of this Court

Ordered that the following witnesses for the Commonwealth in its prosecution against Wm Page charged with a felony & indicted by the grand jury be paid out of the State Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court to-wit: W.H. Reams $1.00 Sam'l Stuart Sen $1.00 to Jas. Vaughan $1.00 Francis as a witness in case of Comth of Va vs Hugh Brunn at Aug. Term

W. F. Hitchcock Jailor presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $119.15 for board of prisoners in jail to-date, which was examined and allowed by the Court & ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

W.S. Biggs M.D. presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $20.75 for professional services to prisoners in jail to date, which was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

W. J. Bivins, Constable presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $3.25 which was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

W. F. Hitchcock, Jailor presented an account against the Commonwealth, amounting to $1.50 for clothing furnished prisoner in jail, and not exceeding ten dollars per year for any one prisoner, which was examined & allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

J. H. Galusha Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth, amounting to $1.90 for services in criminal cases which was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

A. M. Orgain Jr. a Commissioner in Chancery in this Court who hath heretofore been designated to cast the casting vote in case of a tie in the vote of the Board of Supervisors This day offered in

Court his resignation as Commissioner in Chancery and at his request the same is accepted. And the Court doth appoint W. C. Rives a Comr. in Chancery of the Court in place of said A. M. Organ Jr. resigned, whereupon said W. C. Rives appeared and qualified by taking the several oaths of office as required by law.

And the Court doth designate said W. C. Rives to cast the deciding vote in all cases of a tie in the vote of the Board of Supervisors of this county.

Ordered that Court adjourn until the first day of the next term

Walter A. Watson

Virginia Dinwiddie County, to-wit:

Before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, In Vacation. November 19 1907. This day came before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, in Vacation, Annie L Jones widow of B. B Jones who lived and died a resident of said County, and moved said Judge to appoint her as guardian of the infant children of herself and said B C Jones deceased Namely. Wm Mead Jones. Benjamin C Jones. Annie L Jones James Guy Jones. Mildred B Jones and Rebecca D Jones, and it appearing from a writing signed sealed and acknowledged as required by law by Wm Mead Jones. Benjamin C Jones and Annie L Jones and this day filed that they are over fourteen years old and thereby nominate and select their said mother as their guardian. The said Judge doth appoint said said named, Annie L Jones as the guardian of all her said children. namely. Wm Mead Jones. Benjamin C Jones Annie L Jones who are over fourteen years old. and James Guy Jones Mildred B Jones and Rebecca D Jones who are under fourteen years old. whereupon she, with the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company. acting by J. John Mayes. its agent and attorney in fact, entered into and acknowledged a bond before said Judge in the penalty of Fourteen Thousand Dollars. conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties of said Guardian. and she having qualified as said guardian according to law. And this order is hereby ordered to the Clerk of said Dinwiddie County. and said bond is hereafter transmitted to him to be filed and recorded. Witness Walter A Watson Judge of said Circuit Court, this 19th day of November 1907.

Walter A Watson Judge

vv Teste A M Organ clk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court.
Dec. 5th 1907

Robt Frasy, who was on the 5th day of November 1907 duly elected a Justice of the Peace for Sapony District for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January 1908 this day appeared bfore me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

Teste: A M. Organ, Clk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court,
December 5th 1907

L. R. Doyle, who was on the 5th day of November 1907, duly elected a Justice of the Peace for Darvills Magisterial District, by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of four years commencing on the first day of January 1908, this day appeared bfore me in my office aforesaid, and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

Teste: A M. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court,
December 14 1907.

W. J. Branch, who was on the 5th day of November 1907, duly elected a Justice of the Peace for Sapony Magisterial District of the County of Dinwiddie, Va. by the qualified voters thereof for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January 1908, this day appeared bfore me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

Teste: A M. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court.
December 14th 1907.

W. B. Ricketts, who was, on the 5th day of November 1907 duly elected Supervisor for Stanyan District, Dinwiddie County Va, by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January 1908. this day appeared bfore me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law and together with John P. Jackson, and J. C.

Decane as his sureties, who qualified as to their sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of One thousand Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs

John P. Tucker, who was on the 5th day of November, 1907 duly elected Supervisor for Rowanty Magisterial District, Dinwiddie County, Va for the term of said office, commencing on the first day of January, 1908, as shown by his certificate of election produced before me, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law, and together with W. B. Ricketts and J. C. Decane as his sureties, who certified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of One Thousand Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs,

J. C. Decane, who was on the 5th day of November, 1907, duly elected Supervisor for Sapony Magisterial District of the County of Dinwiddie Va for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January 1908, as shown by his certificate of election, produced before me, this day appeared before me, in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law, and together with John P. Tucker and W. B. Ricketts as his sureties, who certified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of One Thousand Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs.

Test: Sam. Ogan, Clerk

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court.
November 16th 1907.

D. E. Davis, who was on the 5th day of November, 1907, duly elected a Justice of the Peace for Namozine District, Dinwiddie County, Va for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January, 1908, this day appeared before me in my office and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law

A Watkins, who was on the 5th day of November 1907, duly elected a Justice of the Peace for Namozine Magisterial District, Dinwiddie County, Va, by the duly qualified votes thereof, for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January, 1908. This day appeared before me in my office aforesaid, and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court.
December 16th 1907

John W. Galusha, who was on the 5th day of November 1907 duly elected Sheriff of Dinwiddie County, Va. by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of said office commencing on the first day of January 1908, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law, and together with Nath Galusha and R.H. Hunt as his sureties, who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Ten Thousand Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs

Harry G. Wheeler, who was on the 5th day of November 1907, duly elected Constable for Stanyan District Dinwiddie County, Va, by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of said office commencing on the first day of January 1907. this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law, and together with A.C. Wheeler and Thomas C. Harmon, the said Thomas C. Harmon acting herein by A.C. Wheeler, his atty in fact, under power of atty, who justified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Two Thousand Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs

W. P. Wells, who was on the 5th day of November 1907 ~~duly elected~~ has been commissioned by the Governor of Virginia, a Notary Public for the County of Dinwiddie Va. for the term of four years commencing on the 31st day of October 1907, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths required by Law and together with F.A. Wells as his surety, who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Five Hundred $500.00 Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs

J.C. Hitchcock, who was on the 5th day of November 1907 duly elected Owner of the Pow for Ravenly District of the County of Dinwiddie, Va by the qualified voters thereof, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as

duely by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law and together with John Hargrove E. M. Wren & C. L. Brame as his sureties, who justified as to their sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Five Hundred Dollars, conditioned as the law directs.

Teste: A. M. Organ, Clerk.

Virginia: In the Clerk's office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court, November 17th 1907.

Wm. E. Sutherland, who was on the 5th day of November 1907 duely elected a justice of the Peace for Stanyan District Dinwiddie Co. Va. by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of four years commencing on the first day of January, 1908. This day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law.

Teste: A. M. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: In Dinwiddie Circuit Court,

December 17, 1907.

B. J. Epps, who was on the 5th day of November, 1907, duely elected Commonwealth for the County of Dinwiddie, by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of said office commencing on the first day of January, 1907, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law.

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday, the 16th day of Decem. ber, 1907, and of the Commonwealth the 132d.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge:-

A paper writing, bearing date on the 2nd day of May 1901, purporting to be the true last will and testament of James Colman, deceased was this day produced in Court and offered for prob, and was proven by the oath of J.B. Scott, one of the subscribing witnesses thereto, who testified that himself and John Hargrave, the other subscribing witness thereto were present together, at the same time, in presence of the testator, and at his request, signed their names as witnesses to said will, and the said testator in his presence of each of them signed his name to said will, and acknowledged the said paper writing to be his true last will and testament. Whereupon the said paper writing is admitted to record as and for the true last will and testament of said James Colman, dec'd

J. T. Brooks who was on the 5th day of November, 1907, duly elected Overseer of the Poor for Namozine District, Dinwiddie County, Va by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January, 1908 this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law, and together with D.B. Meade, as his surety, who testified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500.00 conditioned as the Law directs.

John J. Thrift who was on the 5th day of November, 1907 duly elected Supervisor for Daniels District, Dinwiddie County, Va, by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January, 1908 this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law, and together with John W. Thrift as his surety, entered qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of One Thousand Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs

John N. Thrift who was on the 5th day of November 1907, duly elected Overseer of the Poor for Sapony Magisterial District of the County of Dinwiddie Va for the term of four years commencing on the first day of January, 1908, this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law, and together with John T. Thrift as his surety, who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Five Hundred Dollars conditioned as the law directs.

W. T. Fisher, who was on the 5th day of November 1907, duly elected Constable for Daniels District of Dinwiddie County, Va by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January, 1908, this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law, and together with Robt. H. Reams, J. C. Chambers and W. B. Pierce, as his sureties who qualified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Two Thousand Dollars, conditioned as the law directs.

J. A. Wells who was on the 5th day of November, 1907, duly elected Overseer of the Poor for Daniels District, Dinwiddie County, Va by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January, 1908 this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law, and together with W. O. Wells as his surety, who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Five Hundred Dollars, conditioned as the law directs.

Wm B. Bridgeman, who was on the 5th day of November 1907, duly elected Constable for Sapony District Dinwiddie County, Va, by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January, 1908 this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law, And together with John Morgan, Thomas E. Cloyd, S. T. Clark and R. P. Heartwell, as his sureties, who qualified as to their sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $2000 & conditioned as the law directs.

R. B. Chappell, who was on the 5th day of November

1907 duly elected Constable for Ravenna District Dinwiddie County Va by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January 1908, this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law and together with John Hargrave and George E. Perkins as his sureties, who testified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $2000.00, conditioned as the Law directs.

Chas. E. Abernathy who was on the 30th day of September 1907 duly appointed Commissioner of the Revenue for District No One, for the County of Dinwiddie, Virginia by the Judge of this Court, in vacation for the term of four years, commencing on the 1st day of January 1908 & expiring on the 31st day of Decm 1911 this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law and together with S.J. Clark, E.C. Powell, J.K. Abernathy, J.H. Shiff and Ernest Bevill as his sureties, who testified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Three Thousand Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs.

John Hargrave, who was on the 5th day of November 1907 duly elected County Treasurer of Dinwiddie County Va, by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January 1908 and expiring on the 31st day of December 1911, this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law and together with The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co, acting by John Mayler its duly authorized Agent and Attorney in fact, under power of attorney as his surety entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Thirty Thousand Dollars, conditioned as the Law directs.

Robt H Reames, who was on the 5th day of November 1907 duly elected a Justice of the Peace for Dinwiddie District Dinwiddie County Va, by the qualified voters thereof, for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January 1908 this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

W.B. Person, who was on the 5th day of November 1907 duly

elected a Justice of the Peace for Daniels District, Dinwiddie County, Va., by the qualified voters thereof, this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

On motion of John H. Galusha, Sheriff, F.A. Wells is duly appointed his deputy; and thereupon, the said F.A. Wells appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

Owners of Barge Swansboro. Plaintiffs.
vs
Ella V. Fowlkes Defendants } On notice of motion for judgt.

John T. Crane. Plaintiff
vs. } On notice of motion
Wm. Sheffield Defendant for judgment.

Ordered that the above style cause be continued until the first day of the next term of this Court.

A.M. Osborne Jr. Plaintiff.
vs } On notice of motion
S.J. Hunt Defendant for judgment.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and it appearing to the Court that the plaintiff has had legal notice of this motion and that said notice was returned to the clerk's office of this Court within five days after the service of the same, as required by statute. And said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing. It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $46.99 with interest thereon from the 1st day of September 1909 until paid, and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is rendered in the behalf of the homestead exemption.

A License is this day granted to Booker T. Ellis to manufacture or distill alcoholic liquor, who shall make ten gallons per day at his home in Stonyman District, on the Halifax Road, about one and one half miles south of the City of Petersburg, in this County and the said manufacturer shall have the privilege of selling the liquor actually manufactured by him in quantities of not less than one gallon

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at the house where manufactured, provided that all liquors sold shall be taken away at time of sale for the period beginning on the 16th day of December 1907, and expiring on the 30th day of April 1908, And thereupon the said Booker T. Ellis together with S.G. Gilliam & S.R. Bassman as his sureties, who by justice as to this suffering entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500.00 conditions as the law directs.

M. B. Branch — Plaintiff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Co. — Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and with the consent of the defendant by attorney moved the court to dismiss the said action. Whereupon it is ordered that the plaintiff be non suited, and pay his costs. And the said defendant $5.00 damages.

V. A. Sluss — Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. — Defendant
} Action of trespass on the case

This day came again the parties by their attorneys. And it appearing to the court that all matters in controversy in this cause have been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties. It is ordered that the same be removed from the docket at the cost of the defendant.

V. A. Sluss — Plaintiff
vs
Camp Manufacturing Company — Defendant
} Action of trespass on the case

John G. Harris & John Hargrove — Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railroad — Defendant
} Action of trespass on the case

Ordered that the above styled causes be continued until the first day of the next term of the court.

A. L. Percivall, Surviving partner of
J. J. Percivall & Son — Plaintiff
vs
J. S. Williamson — Defendant
} On notice of motion for judgment.

This day came the plaintiff by attorney and it appearing to the Court that the notice in this case was sent to the defendant in this cause fifteen days before the commencement of this term of this court but was not returned to the Clerk's Office of this court sixteen days after service

of the same as provided by statute. Thereupon it is considered by the court that the said cause be dismissed and removed from the docket at the costs of the plaintiff.

Chas. Lunsford & James Haddock
partners trading as Chas. Lunsford & Co Plaintiffs
vs.
A G. Bateman Defendant } On a notice of motion for a judgment for $119.37.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and it appearing to the court from the return of the sheriff endorsed on the said notice that a copy of said notice was served on the said defendant fifteen days before the commencement of this court and returned to the clerk's office of this court within five days after service of the same, as provided by statute. And the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing. Thereupon it is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover against the defendant the sum of One hundred and Nineteen Dollars and thirty-seven cents ($119.37) with interest thereon from the 6th day of July 1907 until paid, and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is an instalment waiving the benefit of the homestead exemption.

W. L. Peebles, gentleman, foreman together with R. A. Wilkinson, S. T. Gerow, Thomas Atkinson, J. N. Beck, E. G. Gooding, Archer Clarke, C. M. Rives and William Hathcock were sworn a special grand jury of inquisition for the body of the County of Dinwiddie, and having received their charge, retired to their room and after some time came into court, and reported the following indictment to-wit:

Commonwealth of Va
vs } Indictment for breaking and entering house
Grigg Hill with intent to commit larceny. A true bill.

And the jury having no further business before them were discharged

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff
vs. } On an indictment for House-
Grigg Hill Defendant breaking

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the sheriff of this County, and upon being arraigned, pleaded "not guilty". And the said sheriff having returned the writ of venire facias together with the names of certain persons summoned by

him and Coten from a list furnished him by the Clerk of this Court and drawing according to Law. And a panel of Sixteen qualified jurors, free from exceptions being completed. And the prisoner by Counsel having stricken from the said panel the names of four of said jurors, the following twelve remained for the trial of the prisoner, to-wit. J. E. Young, J. B. Scott, B. J. Davis, E. H. Hawkins, J. N. Ray, E. L. Bishop, W. J. Binder, D. B. Meade, W. D. Elder, C. G. Lee, J. T. Mathews & John W. Phillips, who were sworn the Truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of Counsel retired to the room to consider of their verdict and after some time came into Court and upon their oath do say the following verdict, "We the jury find the prisoner guilty as charged in the within indictment and fix his punishment at confinement in the public jail and State Penitentiary at one year" And thereupon the prisoner by Counsel moved the Court to set aside the verdict and grant him a new trial on the ground that it is contrary to the law and the evidence, And the Court being fully advised doth overrule the said motion, and doth set aside the verdict of the jury and grant the prisoner a new trial, And thereupon the prisoner is remanded to jail.

Ordered that the following witnesses in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Grigg Hill, charged with a felony be paid out of the public Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court as follows, to-wit: To W. Harrison 2 ds, F. A. Jones 1 96. J. E. Young 2 ds, J. B. Scott 1 48, B. J. Davis 1 72, E. H. Hawkins 1 80, J. N. Ray 1 64, E. L. Bishop 1 64, W. J. Binder 2 ds, D. B. Meade 1 64, C. E. Tingley 2 ds, W. D. Elder 2 ds, W. D. Elder 1 64, C. G. Lee 1 32, J. T. Mathews 1 48, John W. Phillips 1 24

Ordered that the following witnesses in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Grigg Hill, charged with a felony be paid out of the State Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court to-wit: W. H. Wine 1 20, C. L. Wine 1 20, Jennie Sheffield 1 20, S. P. Sheffield 1 20. In case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Buck Davis charged with a felony as follows: To Conrad Oliver 2.96, Francis Oliver 2.96, Dr. H. P. Carter 2.96,

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff
vs
Buck Davis Defendant } On an indictment for a common assault

This day came the attorney for Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the sheriff of this County. And thereupon the Atty. for the Comth the consent of the Court says that he will not further prosecute in this cause, and moved the Court to require the said Benj Davis to be put under a bnd in the penalty of $250.00 requiring him to keep the peace and be of good behavior for the period of one year. And the Court not being fully advised this cause is continued. And thereupon the prisoner was remanded to jail.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning
December 17 1907.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Ordered that B. L. Clark be and he is hereby appointed Superintendent of the Poor for the County of Dinwiddie for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January 1907 and expiring on the 31st day of December 1911.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday
December 18th 1907

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff

vs

William Ruffin alias Jenkes Ruffin Defendant } On an indictment for a felony, and on motion for a new trial

This day came again the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner was again led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and the Court having heard argument of counsel on the prisoners motion to set aside the verdict of the jury rendered at the November term 1906, and grant him a new trial, and having fully considered the same, doth the said motion, and doth set aside the said verdict and grant the prisoner a new trial. And thereupon the Atty for the Commonwealth, with the consent of the Court says that he will not further prosecute in this cause, And proclamation being made as the manner is and nothing further being offered or alleged against the prisoner, it is ordered that he be discharged from custody and go thereof without day.

Ordered that this Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Thursday Morning
December 19th 1907.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

B. L. Clark, who was on the 17th day of December 1907 appointed by this Court, Superintendent of the Poor for the County of Dinwiddie for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of January 1908 and expiring on the 31st day of December 1911, this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law, and together with S. J. Clark and John Hargrave as his sureties who testified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Four Thousand Dollars conditioned as the law directs.

W. C. Rives who is hereby appointed County Surveyor for the County of Dinwiddie for the term of four years commencing on the first day of January 1908 and expiring on the 31st day of December 1907. this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law, And together with John Hargrove, S. J. Clark and R. L. Clarke, as his sureties, who testified as to their sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Two Thousand Dollars conditioned as the Law directs.

Ordered that C. M. Rives be and he is hereby appointed and additional Justice of the Peace for Daniels District Dinwiddie County Va. for the term of four years commencing on the first day of January 1908 and expiring on the 31st day of December 1911.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten oclock.

Walter A. Watson

Friday Morning
December 20th 1907

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge:

C. M. Rives who was on the 19th day of December 1907 duly appointed a Justice of the Peace for Daniels Magisterial District Dinwiddie County, Va for the term of four years commencing on the first day of January 1907 this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

Ordered that the following grand jurors be paid out of the County Levy for their mileage and attendance of this term of the Court to-wit: Jo B. A. Wilkinson 132 S. J. Gerow 196 Thomas Atkinson 148 J. H. Buck 164 H. L. Peebles 196 E. G. Gordon 180 Archer Clarke 196 C. M. Rives 196 & William Hutcheson 132

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff,
vs. } On an indictment for criminal
Buddy Davis Deft Assault.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the sheriff of this County And the Court being fully advised, doth annul

the motion of the Attorney for the Commonwealth to require the persons to give bond to keep the peace and be of good behaviour during the period of one year. And thereupon it is ordered that the said Benj. Davis be discharged from custody.

C D. Abernathy, Jennie Hays, B.H. Abernathy, Willie Anna Abernathy, now the wife of E.H. Poole, James Abernathy, John Abernathy and Grace Abernathy, the last three being infants under the age of 21 years, and suing by their brother and next friend, B.H. Abernathy — Plaintiffs

vs.

Mary Elizabeth Barnes, James Barnes, Benjamin H. Barnes, John A. Barnes, Charles G. Barnes, George L. Barnes, Olivia A. Barnes, Pattie L. Barnes, David M. Barnes, Marion T. Barnes and Henry R. Barnes, the last six parties being infants under the age of twenty-one years — Defendants

Jury impanneled at bar to ascertain the last will and testament of Frances A. Abernathy deceased.

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and issue having been ordered by a decree of the Circuit Court of this county entered on the 20th day of December, 1907, in the Chancery cause pending in said Court under the style of C.D. Abernathy et als. vs. Mary Elizabeth Barnes et als. to be tried by a jury at the bar of this Court to ascertain whether any, and if any, how much of the paper writing propounded on the 4th day of March 1907 in the Clerk's office of this county, dated on the 19th day of January, 1907, and purporting to be the will of Frances A. Abernathy deceased, is the will of the said Frances A. Abernathy deceased. And thereupon came the following jury, to-wit: Wm. B. Dueling, Alexander Kyle, John Haddon, R.H. Hunt, J.E. Hudgins, J.F. Butterworth and C.H. Kennedy, W.F. Thornhill and J.C. Johnson, who were summoned according to law. And the plaintiff and defendants having strickens from the said panel alternately one of said jurors, each, the following remain for the trial of the cause, to-wit: Wm. B. Dueling, Alexander Kyle, John Haddon, R.H. Hunt, J.E. Hudgins, J.F. Butterworth, and C.H. Kennedy, who were sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having fully heard the evidence and the Court being about to adjourn the jury were adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to morrow morning at ten oclock

Walter A. Watson

Saturday Morning
December 21st 1907

Present- Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Ordered that Smith J. Gerow be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of the Revenue for District No. 2 Dinwiddie County Va for the term of four years commencing on the first day of January 1907 and expiring on the 31st day of December 31st 1907. to fill the vacancy in said office caused by the failure of John Hargrove who hath been heretofore appointed, to qualify as such.

C. D. Abernathy, and others. Plaintiff

vs.

Mary Elizabeth Barnes & others Defendant

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and thereupon came the following jury sworn in this cause on yesterday, to-wit: Wm. B. Dunlop, Alexander Epps, John Haddon, B. H. Hunt, J. E. Hudgins, J. F. Butterworth and C. N. Kennedy, and having further heard the evidence, and the Court being about to adjourn, the jury were adjourned over until Wednesday morning at ten oclock.

Robert Dinkins Plaintiff

vs

Seaboard Air Line Railway Co Defendant

} On an action of assumpsit

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the defendant files a demurrer to the third count of the plaintiffs declaration in which the plaintiff joined, and thereupon the matters of law arising upon the defendants said demurrer to the third count of the plaintiffs declaration being maturely considered, it seems to the Court that the said demurrer and the matters therein contained are not sufficient to bar the plaintiff from having and maintaining his action against the defendant, in the third count of the plaintiffs said declaration, and doth overrule

the said demurrer to which ruling of the Court the defendant excepted And thereupon this cause is continued until the first day of the next term of this Court.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until Monday morning at ten o'clock

Walter A. Watson

Monday Morning
December 23rd 1907

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge

In re J. J. Burgess & J. C. Smith, Exrs of Clarke Burgess, dec'd } State Taxes

Motion to be relieved from erroneous assessment

This day came J. J. Burgess & J. C. Smith, Executors of Clarke Burgess, dec'd who alleges that they are aggrieved by an entry in the personal property books made by John Hargrove, Commissioner of the Revenue for District No 2 in Dinwiddie County for the year 1906, page 2, line number 18, whereby they are charged with Nineteen Dollars and forty-three cents State Taxes for the year 1906, as $5.5.50,

And thereupon the said J. J. Burgess & J. C. Smith Exrs, moved the Court to exonerate him from the payment of nineteen dollars and forty three cents State Taxes so erroneously charged against him for said year, which motion was defended by R.H. Mann, acting Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County and George Mason, Examiner of Records, who made the assessment was Examined as a witness touching the application.

And it appearing that the said books, in which said alleged erroneous entry has been made, was delivered to the Treasurer of the said County on the 28th day of September, 1906 and that application for redress was made on this day for the first time, and that the erroneous assessment was not caused by the failure or refusal of the applicants to furnish the Commissioner with the necessary information as required by law and it appearing that the said executors have has said sum of $5.5.5.0, in their hands, but at the time of making the assessment and before the 1st day of July 1906, they had properly paid out and accounted for the same. All which the Court certifies as facts

proved upon the application aforesaid. On consideration whereof, and from such facts so proved, the Court is satisfied that the said J. J. Burgess & J. C. Smith Exors &c. and erroneously charged in said book with State Taxes amounting to nineteen dollars and forty-three cents. Whereupon it is ordered that the said J. J. Burgess & J. C. Smith Exors &c be exonerated from the payment of nineteen dollars and forty-three cents, State Taxes so erroneously charged, if not already paid, and if paid, that it be refunded to them.

J. J. Burgess, & J. C. Smith Exors of C. Clarke
Burgess, dec'd,
&c. &c.
Motion to be relieved from erroneous assessment } County Levy

This day came J. J. Burgess & J. C. Smith, Executors of Clarke Burgess, dec'd who alleges that they are aggrieved by an entry in the Personal Property Book, made by John Thorpe, Commissioner of the Revenue for District-No. 2 in Dinwiddie County for the year 1906, page 2, line number 12, whereby they are charged with $27.75 County Levies for the year 1906, at $5550. And thereupon the said J. J. Burgess & J. C. Smith Exors moved the Court to exonerate them from the payment of $27.75, the Levies so erroneously charged against them for said year which motion was defended by R. H. Mann, acting Attorney for the Commonwealth for said County & George Mason, Examiner of Records, who made the assessment was examined as a witness touching the application. And the Court being satisfied that said J. J. Burgess & J. C. Smith, Executors are erroneously charged in said book with County Levies amounting to $27.75. It is ordered that the said J. J. Burgess & J. C. Smith, Exors aforesaid be exonerated from the payment of $27.75, County Levies so erroneously charged, if not paid, and if paid, that it be refunded to them as follows: to-wit: County Levy $27.75, County School Tax $11.10, District-School Tax $5.50, Road Tax $5.50

C. L. Abernathy and others Plaintiffs

vs

Mary Elizabeth Bland Defendants

This day came again the parties, and the following jury sworn in this cause again appeared in Court pursuant to the adjournment to-wit: Wm. B. Dulin, Alexander Key, John Haddon, R. H. Hunt, J. E. Hudgins, J. F. Butterworth and C. H. Kennedy, and having fully heard the evidence, the jury were adjourned and until to-morrow morning at ten

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o'clock

Ordered that the court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning
December 24th 1907

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson Judge.

Scott T. Gray who was on the 21st day of December 1907 appointed by the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County Commissioner of the Revenue for District No. 2 Dinwiddie County Va. for the term of four years commencing on the first day of January 1908 and expiring on the 31st day of December 1911 this day appeared in court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law And Together with Chas. T. Lassiter [redacted] surety who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $3000.00 conditioned as the Law directs

Ordered that the sum of $10.00 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to B.J. Epps Commonwealths Attorney for Dinwiddie County for his services in prosecuting Grigg Hill charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury.

Ordered that the sum of $2.50 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to A.M. Organ Clerk for his services in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Grigg Hill charged with a felony & indicted by grand jury

Ordered that the sum Thirty Two Dollars be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to John W. Gabriel Sheriff for the attendance of himself and one deputy during eight days of this term of the Court.

In the opinion of the Circuit Court of this County the public service requires an additional constable to those provided for in Section 96 of the Code of Virginia in Rawlings District, and it is ordered that the Sheriff of Dinwiddie County do advertise for [illegible] and it is ordered that this notice be published in each of said [illegible]

C. D. Abernathy & others Plaintiffs

vs.

Mary Elizabeth Barnes & others Defendants

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the jury again appeared in court pursuant to their adjournment to-wit- Wm. B. Duling, Alexander Keys, John Haddon, R.H. Hunt, T.E. Hedgens, J.F. Butterworth and C.H. Kennedy, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to their room to consider of their verdict and after sometime spent therein came into court and upon call as follows, "We the jury upon the issues joined find that the paper writing offered in evidence dated January 19th 1907 is as a whole and in every part thereof, the true last will and testament of Frances A. Abernathy deceased" And thereupon the plaintiffs by counsel moved the court to set aside the verdict of the jury and grant them a new trial on the ground that it is contrary to the law and the evidence, which motion is docketed and continued for argument, to the next term of this court.

Memo:

Be it remembered that at the trial of this case the plaintiffs by counsel excepted to the ruling of the court in overruling the testimony of sundry witnesses called by the defendants, and offered to testify on this objection, and also excepted to the ruling of the court in refusing to give sundry instructions offered by them asked, and giving in lieu thereof sundry instructions offered by the defendants and objected to by them, as well as certain instructions given by the Court of its own motion, against their objection, and asked leave to prepare and file their bills of exceptions herein, which leave is accordingly granted.

W.F. Hilchcock Acting Jailer presents an account against the Commonwealth for board of prisoners in jail from Oct 23 to Dec 24, 1907 - for clothing furnished same, entire said period, amounting to $132.05, which was examined and allowed & ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

J.H. Goodwin Sheriff presents an acct against the Commonwealth for summoning sundry witnesses, executing a writ of fieri facias, returnable to this Court &c. amounting to

$2.70, which was examined and allowed and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts. for payment.

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County Levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court. J. F. Butterworth $10.80 R.A. Hunt $10.80 H. F. Thweatt 1.80 W.B. Dulin 5.00 John Haddon $7.92 J. B. Jolly 5.88 J. E. Hodges 9.40 J. C. Zehmer 3.92 C.H. Kennedy $12.00 Alex King $8.82

Ordered that Court now adjourn until the next term

Walter A. Watson

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of Danville Circuit Court.
December January 16th 1908.

Stockdell Myers Harrison Co. a Corporation Pltff
vs
A.G. Bassman Defdt } In Debt.

This day came the defendant in his own proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and interest in the writ mentioned, and confessed judgment in favor of the plaintiff for the sum of $125.50, with interest on $99.50 a part thereof from July 20. 1907, and on $18.50 another part thereof from Sept. 3rd 1907 until paid, and on $7.50, the residue thereof from Sept. 25th 1907 until paid. Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $125.50, with interest as aforesaid and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended. $99.50 of this judgt. on note waiving homestead exemption

Judgment confessed in the Clerk's Office of Danville Circuit Court. December January 16. 1908.

J. F. Heath & J. Falcon Parsons, partners,
trading as J. F. Heath & Co. Plaintiffs } In Debt
vs.
A. G. Bassman Defendant }

This day came the defendant in his own proper person and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the debt and

and interest in the writ mentioned, and rendered judgment in favor of the plaintiff for the sum of $176.30, with interest thereon from the 5th day of July, 1907, until paid, whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the said sum of $176.30 with interest as aforesaid and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is as and instrument writing the homestead exemption

In the Clerk's office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court
January 6th 1908

State of Virginia, County of Dinwiddie, to-wit

I, J. A. Buck do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of the State of Virginia adopted by the convention which assembled in the City of Richmond on the twelfth day of June nineteen hundred and one, and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as District School Trustee to the best of my ability. So help me God. I swear that I have not, while a citizen of this State, since the twelfth day of July, nineteen hundred and two, fought a duel with a deadly weapon, or sent or accepted a challenge to fight a duel with a deadly weapon, either within or beyond the boundaries of this State, or knowingly carried such challenge, or aided or assisted in any manner in fighting such duel, and that I will not fight a duel with a deadly weapon, or send or accept a challenge to fight a duel with a deadly weapon, either within or beyond the boundaries of this State, or knowingly carry such challenge, or aid or assist in any manner in fighting such duel, during my continuance in office, So help me God.

J. A. Buck.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of Jan. 1908.
Eugene C. Powell, Dep. Supt.

Teste: Wm. Ogden, Clerk

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the Courthouse thereof, on Tuesday the 2d day of January 1908 and in the 132nd year of the Commonwealth.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge,

The Clerk of of this court made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him, in his office during and since the December term of this court which is approved and ordered to be filed.

The following fees have been paid to the Clerk of this Court since his last report, to-wit:-

Commonwealth vs. Ben Smith $25.00, Pd by Robt. Fraser. J.P. Dec 4. 1908
" " Jas Wesson $25.00 " " " "
C.A. Drinkwater 2.50 " C.M. Ayres " Jany 6. "
" " L.R. Gates 5.00 " " S.J. Geary " " " "
" " J.M. Phillips 5.00 " " A. Walker " " 16 "

C.E. Kennedy & T.A. Overby Plaintiffs
vs.
Sidney Chatman, A.M. Harwell,
B.R. Robertson and George Harwell Defendants

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and it appearing to the Court that the defendant, Sidney Chatman has not had notice of this action, this cause abates as to him, and it further appearing from the return of the sheriff endorsed on the notice that A.M. Harwell, B.R. Robertson and George Grove the other defendants in this cause have had legal notice of this motion, and it further appearing from the endorsement of the Clerk on the said notice, that the notice was returned to the Clerk's office within the time prescribed by Statutes, and the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing, thereupon it is considered by the Court that the said plaintiffs recover against the defendants, A.M. Harwell, B.R. Robertson, and George Harwell the sum of $422.90 and $2.24 protest charges, with interest thereon from the 1st day of December, 1906 until paid, thereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants the sum of $422.90, and protest charges, with interest thereon from the first day of December 1906 until paid, and also

this cats abnt this suit in this behalf expended subject to the following credits to-wit $62.55 paid Janry 21st 1907. $50.00 paid Oct 2nd 1907. $50.00 paid Janry 20 1908. This judgment is an and instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead Exemption

C. E. Kennedy & J. A. Overly, Plaintiffs } On notice of motion
vs. } for judgment
S. G. Gilliam, A. G. Bassman & Geo Bassman Defendants }

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorneys, and it appearing to the Court that the defendants have had legal notice of this motion and that said notice was issued to the Clerk's office of this Court within the time prescribed by law, And the said defendants being solemnly called & not appearing, judgment is given by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the said defendants for the sum of $517.50, and protest charges of $2.24 with interest thereon from the 21st day of December 1907, until paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants the said sums of $517.50 and protest charges of $2.24 with interest as aforesaid, and also their costs abnt their suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is an and instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead Exemption.

C. E. Kennedy, J. A. Overly & C. H. Robertson, Plaintiffs } On notice of motion
vs. } for judgment
N. J. Moss, B. R. Robertson & Spencer Colman Defendants }

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorneys, and it appearing to the Court that the defendant, Spencer Colman, has not been served with process in this cause, the said cause abates as to him. And it appearing that the defendants, N. J. Moss & B. R. Robertson, have had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court within the time prescribed by statute, And the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing, judgment is given by the Court in favor of the plaintiffs against the said defendants the sum of $190.87 and protest charges of $1.00 with interest thereon from April 1st 1907 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendants the sum of $190.87, and protest charges of $1.00, with interest as aforesaid, together with their costs about their suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is an and instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead Exemption.

Bazaar Grocery Company Inc. Pltff
vs } On notice of motion
J. B. Fraser Defts } for judgt.

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and it appearing to the Court that the defendant has had legal notice of the motion, and that the said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court within the time prescribed by Statute and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, judgment is given by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the said defendant for the sum of fifty dollars due on a promissory note, with interest thereon from Dec. 6th 1905 until paid and for the sum of $37.12 due by account with interest thereon from the first day of August 1907, until paid, and also their costs about this suit in this behalf expended.

Drury, Hughes & Co. Plaintiffs } On notice of
vs. } motion for judgment
John B. Fraser Defendants }

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and it appearing to this Court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court within the time provided by Statute, and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, judgment by the Court is given in favor of the plaintiff against the said defendant for the sum of, for the sum of $36.92 with interest on $31.82 at post thereof from the 19th day of July 1907, until paid, due on a draft and check. Thereon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the sum of $32.96 with interest as aforesaid and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended.

A. L. Percival Surviving partner of the
firm of J. J. Percival & Son Plaintiffs } On notice of
vs } motion for
J. S. Williamson Defendant } judgment

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and it appearing to the Court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this Court within the time provided by statute, judgment is given by the Court in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for the sum of $120.25 with interest thereon from the 31st day of May 1907 until paid. Thereon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the

Sum of $120.24 with interest as aforesaid, and also his costs about- his suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is as an instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead exemption.

Commwth of Va Plaintiff
vs
Geo. Rhodes Defendant } On a charge of felony.

It appearing to the Court that the said Geo. Rhodes has died, it is ordered that this case be dismissed from the docket.

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff
vs
Geo. Rhodes (col) Defendant } On an indictment for a felony.

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the jailer of this Court, Whereupon, with the consent of the Court the Attorney for the Commonwealth says that he will not further prosecute in this case, And thereupon the prisoner was discharged.

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiffs
vs.
Robt. Dunkins Defendant } On an appeal from a decision of a justice of the peace fining the Dft $2.00 & costs

Ordered that this case be continued until the next term of the Court.

Heirs of Borgs Swanson Plaintiffs
vs.
Ella V Faulkner Defendants } Notice of motion for Judgment.

Ordered that this cause be continued generally.

V. A. Slate Plaintiff
vs
Camp Manufacturing Company Defendant } Trespass on the case

Heirs of Hagwood Plaintiffs
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendant } Trespass on the case

Robt. Dunkins Plff.
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Dft. } Trespass on the case.

Ordered that the above styled cause be continued generally.

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Crawe administratrix of John T. Crawe, dead Pltff.
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Deft. } Trespass on the case

Rutledge Plaintiff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway Defendant } Trespass on the case
Ordered that the above styled cause be continued generally

C. D. Abernathy and others Plaintiffs
vs
Mary Elizabeth Barnes + others Defendants } Trespass on the case
Ordered that this cause be continued generally.

John T. Crawe Plaintiff
vs.
Wm. Sheffield Defendant } Notice of motion for judgment
Ordered that this cause be continued generally.

A. J. Goldsby Plaintiff
vs.
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendant } Trespass on the case
On motion of the Defendant it is ordered that this cause be removed from the docket and that the plaintiff pay the the Costs of these proceedings.

Ordered that L. L. Rives, be and he is hereby appointed a Justice of the Peace for Beverly District to fill the Vacancy in said office caused by the failure of Gov. H. Harris to qualify, and thereupon the said H. L. Rives appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the the oaths prescribed by Law,

Ordered that all Justices of the Peace of this County whose term of office have expired, and who have not been re-elected or appointed, return to the Clerk's office of this Court all Books, Guides and Acts of Assembly, and other books in their possession as such, belonging to the Commonwealth of Va., And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be served upon all Justices whose term of office have expired as above, and whose books have not been delivered to their successors or returned to the Clerks of this Court.

On motion of Sessie Virginia Bruitty the Court doth appoint R. D. Wells guardian of Essie Bruitty & Mollie Bruitty, orphans of John Bruitty dec'd, and both of whom are under the age of fourteen years. Thereupon the said R. D. Wells appeared in Court and together with B. B. Shaw as his surety, who testified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $250.00 conditioned as the Law directs.

Ordered that N. H. Folsom be and he is hereby appointed a Justice of the Peace for Sopny District to fill the vacancy in said office caused by his failure to qualify.

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County Levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court to-wit: R. F. Hendricks $4.00, Thomas Wells 3.90, F. C. Smith $3.60, A. F. Thompson $3.00, J. E. Chambers $2.00, J. J. Hurts $3.60, J. E. Washington $3.90, J. B. Crowder 4.00, W. H. Whitehead 3.90, J. H. Bader $3.40.

Risinus in jail ordered to work County Roads.

The Court being advised that County prisoners are confined in the County jail under sentence of the Justices Courts subject to labor on the County Roads, it is ordered that Jeffie Baker Jas. E. Cook, Robert Allen, Herbert Jones, Woody Gunn & John Early be delivered into the custody of David A. Bean, Superintendent of Roads for the County, to be by him safely kept and put to work upon the public roads respectively and in the order named, for 90 days from Jany 10th 30 days from Jany 20th, 10 days from Jany 20th 28 days, 23 days and six months, & until the further order of this Court, provided that they be guarded at the expense of the County of Dimmidin, and be worked in the vicinity of the County Seat so that they may be returned to the County jail for safe keeping at night.

Ordered that the sum of eight dollars be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to J. W. Galusha, Sheriff for attendance of himself and one Deputy during two days of this term of the Court.

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W. J. Buster, a constable of this County produced an

account against the Commonwealth for the arrest of Hugh Brewer, transporting him from Petersburg, to the jail of this County, and for summoning sundry witnesses, amounting to Four dollars and seventy cents, which examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

Dr. W.S. Briggs presented an account against the Commonwealth, for attending prisoners confined in the jail of this County amounting to Thirty dollars and seventy five cents, Which account was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment

Orders that Court adjourn until the first Day of the next term

Walter A. Watson

Virginia, Dinwiddie County, towit. In the Circuit Court of said County: On Motion, Upon the application John Hargrave County Treasurer of said County G.L. Rainey & J.B. Sheffield are appointed his Deputies, and I hereby certify that the said Geo. L. Rainey personally appeared before me Walter A. Watson Judge of said Court in Vacation & qualified to said Office by taking and subscribing the Several oaths according to law which oaths are hereunto to be filed in the Clerks Office. Given under my hand this Febry 11th 1908.

To A.M. Organ Clerk of Court. Walter A. Watson Judge

Va.

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court,

January 20th 1908.

John P. Soaker, who was on the 9th day of January 1908, duly appointed and commissioned by his Excellency the Governor of Virginia, a Notary Public for the County of Dinwiddie for the term of four years from said date, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and Subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law and together with John Soaker as his Security who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $5.00 conditioned as the Law directs.

Teste: A.M. Organ, Clerk

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday the 16th day of March 1908, and of the Commonwealth the 132nd

Present: Hon. J. M. Mullen, Judge of the Hustings Court of the City of Petersburg, Va. and presiding by virtue of a Commission from the Governor of Virginia to hold the March Term of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, in the place and stead of Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge of said Court. Said Commission bearing date on the ___ day of March, 1908.

The Clerk of this Court made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office during and since the January term of this Court, which was examined & approved & ordered to be filed.

The following fines have been paid to the Clerk of this Court since his last report, to-wit:

A. P. Johnson, who was on the 21 day of January 1908 appointed by this Court a Justice of the Peace for Sappony District, to fill a vacancy in said office caused by the failure of himself to qualify, this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

On motion of J. H. Galusha Sheriff, J. C. Galusha, is permitted to qualify as his deputy, and thereupon the said J. C. Galusha appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

The Court having by its order entered of record on the 24th day of December 1907 expressed the opinion that an additional Constable to those provided for in Section 96 of the Code of Virginia, is necessary for the public service; and it appearing to the Court that the notice required by Law has been duly given. The Court doth appoint Wm. J. Bivins, and additional Constable for Stoneyer District of Dinwiddie County, Va. for the term of said office expiring on the 31st December 1911. And thereupon the said Wm. J. Bivins appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law. And together with J. E. Clark, Ernest Bivins and

and S. T. Geraw as his sureties, who qualified as to their sufficiency and entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $2000.00 conditioned as the law directs

On motion of Chas E. Abernathy, Commissioner of the Revenue for District No. 1, Dinwiddie County, M. Ross Davis is appointed his deputy. And thereupon the said M. Ross Davis appeared in court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

On motion of John Hargrave, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County M. Ross Davis is duly appointed his deputy, and thereupon the said M. Ross Davis appeared in court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

On motion of Chas. E. Abernathy Commissioner of the Revenue for District No. 1, Dinwiddie County Va. W. F. Abernathy is duly appointed his deputy, and thereupon the said W. F. Abernathy appeared in court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

On motion of S. T. Geraw, Commissioner of the Revenue for District No. 2 Dinwiddie Co, C. W. Coker is duly appointed his deputy. Whereupon the said C. W. Coker appeared in court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

A paper writing bearing date on the 3rd day of February 1904 purporting to be the last will and testament of James Diggs decd was this day produced in court and offered for prob and was fully proven by the oaths of R. Berry Craddock and Lawrence Dodson, the subscribing witnesses thereto, and ordered to be recorded as and for the last will and testament of said James Diggs decd.

Mary Tempie Coleman, wife of J. A. Coleman, and orphan of S. E. Vaiden, decd, who is over the age of fourteen years of age by a paper writing addressed to this court and properly acknowledged this day made choice of the said J. A. Coleman for her guardian, And thereupon the said J. A. Coleman, together with B. H. Barrow, A. G. Butterworth Jr, J. C. Crawford, John G. Harris and Willard Bissman as his sureties who qualified as

to this sufficiency and entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Four Thousand ($4000.00) Dollars conditioned as the Law directs.

Robt Gilliam Jr, gentleman, having obtained a license to practice the Law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is granted him to practice in this Court.

Chas. C. Alley. Plaintiff } Action of Assumpsit.
vs.
R. P. Heartwell Defendant }

It appearing to the Court that since the institution of this cause the plaintiff, Chas. C. Alley has departed this life and that Walter S. Alley and W. W. Warren have duly qualified as Executors of his last will and testament before the Hustings Court of the City of Petersburg, Virginia; on motion of the said Executors of the said Chas. C. Alley, made this day in open Court by this counsel, it is ordered that this cause proceed in the name of Walter S. Alley and W. W. Warren, Executors of the last will and testament of Chas. C. Alley deceased, plaintiffs; no sufficient cause having been shown against such order.

Ordered that Reuben Meredith be and he is hereby appointed a member of a member of the School Trustees Electoral Board for the County of Dinwiddie for the term of four years commencing on the first day of February 1908. The said Reuben Meredith being a resident qualified voter and not a county or State officer.

A. P. Talemon, B. B. Schenck Jr, Dr E. W. Perkins and John McGee acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Va in the just and full sum of $100.00 each to be levied of each of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements on, for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void should the said A. P. Talemon Schenck, Dr E. W. Perkins and John McGee and each of them personally appear in this Court on the first day of the next term of the Court to give evidence on behalf of the Commonwealth of Va vs Williams Mack, who stands indicted in this Court for a felony and not depart thence without the leave of this Court.

On motion of Thomas Ragsdale, who made oath thereto and together with B.H. Bacon, as his surety, who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Two Hundred Dollars conditioned as the law directs, certificate is granted the said Thomas Ragsdale for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of Betsie Bates decd in due form of Law.

Ordered that the following persons be summoned to serve as Special Grand Jurors at this term of the court: towit: A.A. Hudson, W.E. Stockdell, A.T. Coleman, C.A. Thomas, J.H. Hawkins, Archie Clarke, R. Buttermilk, Sr. Robt. Riley & W.P. Branch.

The Jury W.E. Stockdell, gentleman, foreman together with A.A. Hudson, C.A. Thomas, J.H. Hawkins, Archie Clarke and W.P. Branch, were sworn a Special Grand Jurors of Inquest in and for the body of the County of Dinwiddie, and after having received their charge relative to their room and after same time came into Court and inquired as follows.

Commonwealth of Va
vs
William Mack } On an Merchants for Attorney
A true bill

And the Jury having no further business before them were discharged, and it is ordered that they be paid out of the county levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the court as follows: to W.E. Stockdell 1.96, A.A. Hudson 1.96, C.A. Thomas 1.96, J.H. Hawkins 1.56, Archie Clarke 1.96, R. Buttermilk Sr. 1.48, W.P. Branch 1.80

Robert Dinkins Plaintiff
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendant } Action of Trespass on the Case

This day came the parties, by their attorneys, and issue joined in this cause by a jury, and the defendant by its attorney agrees that a verdict shall be entered by the court in favor of the plaintiff against the said defendant for $175.00. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff do recover against the said defendant the sum of One Hundred and Sixty Five Dollars, with interest thereon from the 16th day of January 1908 until paid, and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended.

Commonwealth of Va — Plaintiff
vs.
Robt Dawkins — Defendant
} On an appeal from a decision of a justice of the Peace

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth, and on motion of the defendant this cause is continued until the first day of the next term of this Court.

Owners of Barge Swanstone — Plaintiffs.
vs
Ella V. Fowlkes — Defendant
} On notice of motion for judgment.

V.A. Slim — Plaintiff.
vs
Camp Manufacturing Co. — Defendt
} Action of trespass on the case

Harris & Hargrove — Plaintiffs.
vs
Seaboard Air Line Railway Co — Defendant
} Action of trespass on the case

Ordered that the above styled cause be entered generally.

John T. Travis Admr. — Plaintiff
vs.
Norfolk & Western Railway — Defendant
} Action of trespass on the case

By consent of parties this cause is continued until the next term of this Court.

W. S. Nettleton — Plaintiff
vs
Norfolk & Western Railway — Defendant
} Action of trespass on the case

By consent of parties this cause is continued until the next term of this Court.

C. D. Abernathy & others — Plaintiffs
vs
Mary Elizabeth Barnes & others — Defendants
} On motion of the parties this cause is continued until the next term of this Court.

C. B. Hartley, Trustee — Plaintiffs
vs
C. H. Cooks — Defts
} Action in Detinue

On motion of the plaintiffs this cause is continued until the next term

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Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs
William Mack Defendant } On an indictment for a felony

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth, and on motion of the prisoner by his attorney, this case is continued until the next term of this Court. And it being suggested to the Court that there is danger of violence being done the prisoner, it is ordered that he be taken by the Sheriff of this county from the county jail of this County to the jail of the City of Petersburg Va for protection & safe keeping.

This day came J. L. Wright & filed the statement required by the pension act of 1902. & the Court having examined the statement, proofs & certificates filed therewith, and having personally examined the original application of the said applicant, is of the opinion and doth decide that the said applicant has substantially complied with the requirements of the Act of August 2nd 1902. and is entitled to the aid provided for in the act of March 7th 1900, and doth order that the Clerk of this Court certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts that the said applicant is entitled to the aid under the Act of March 7th 1900. in the sum of $300.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until Thursday morning at eleven o'clock

J. M. Mullen

Wednesday Morning
March 18th 1908

Present: Hon. J. M. Mullen, Judge.

On the motion of Daniel Coleman, who has this day been appointed guardian of Alpheus Coleman, Joseph Coleman, Easter Coleman, Willie Lee Coleman, Ella Coleman and Lizzie Coleman, orphans of William Coleman deceased, this day appeared in Court and qualified as such, & who together with Hamilton Stewart his surety, who justified

on oath as to his sufficiency, enter into and acknowledge a bond in the penalty of two hundred dollars condit ioned according to law.

A duly authenticated Copy of the last will and testament of Benj W. Ary, deceased, which was duly probated in the Orphan's Court of Baltimore County in the State of Maryland, on the 11th day of January 1897 as a will of real and personal estate, was this day produced in Court, and ordered to be recorded.

The court certifies that the Hon. J. M. Mullen Judge of the Hustings Court of the City of Petersburg Va. is entitled to the sum of Twenty-Six Dollars and Eighty cents for his services and mileage for ~~his services~~ presiding over the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County two days during the present term of the Court under a Commission issued by the Governor of Virginia, on the 16th day of March 1908. And it is ordered that the same be certified to the Treasurer of Dinwiddie County, who is directed to pay the same.

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the county levy as follows: B. O. Mallory $2.00, B. L. Adams $1.48, J. F. Fisher 1.40, E. H. Hawkins 1.80, & W. Kennedy $1.96, W. W. Thompson 1.96, C. C. Clark 1.16, & F. F. Bain 1.96.

Ordered that the following summons be paid out of the Public Treasury for their mileage & attendance at this term of the Court in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Willie Mack, charged with a felony, to-wit: W. R. White $2.00, E. L. Hobbs $2.00, C. E. Tingley $2.00, J. M. Reese $1.48, D. H. Wilkinson $1.56, J. L. Bristow $1.40, John A. Bentley $1.80, J. H. Atkinson 1.48, J. T. Hannan 1.48, E. B. Diehl $1.64, J. A. Beale $1.64, R. D. Temple 1.40, C. G. Lee 1.32, H. C. Adams $2.00, M. B. Branch Jr. $1.88, & Eugene Hawkins $1.88.

Ordered that the sum of $1.30 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment to James Boatman for his attendance and mileage at this term of the Court in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Robt Dunkins, charged with a misdemean

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The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of Eight Dollars for payment to John H. Galusha Sheriff for the attendance of himself and one deputy during ~~a~~ two days of this term of the Court.

R. A. Chappell, Constable presented and account against the Commonwealth of Va, amounting to $2.65 for his services in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Jeffie Baker, which account was Examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

H. S. Briggs, physician to the County jail presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va, amounting to $16.25, for attendance to prisons in jail, to March 14 1908, which was Examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

John H. Galusha, Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $1.90. which was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

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The Court certifies to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $40.00 payment to John H. Galusha Sheriff for the services ~~payment~~ of himself and one guard in the case of Wm Mock charged with homicide, which amount includes $24.15 actually expended in travelling to and from Emporia Va in arresting and transporting the prisoner from the jail in the city of Petersburg Va for safe keeping and in transporting said prisoner from the jail of said City to the jail of Dinwiddie Co at the March term 1908.

W. J. Hilderbrook, Acting Jailer presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $13.25, for clothing furnished prisoners in jail, and not exceeding ten dollars per year for any one prisoner, which was Examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

W. J. Hilderbrook, Acting Jailer presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $19.55 for board of prisoners in jail from December 24th 1907 to March 17th

1908, which was examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be entered to the Auditor of Public Accts. for payment.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

J. M. McCue

Office Judgments Confirmed,
March 18th 1908

Walter S. Ally and N. H. Hanna,
Executors of Charles C. Ally, dec'd. Plaintiffs
vs.
R. P. Hazlett Defendant

On an action in assumpsit-suit-Accts-Affidavit-Attach'd

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney, and the defendant saith nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the sum of Seventy Nine Dollars and Sixty six cents with interest thereon from the first day of March 1907 until paid & also their costs and this suit in this behalf expended.

Judgment Confessed in The Clerks Office March 26 1908.

E. L Lee ... Pltff
" ... } In Debt.
T. L Chamblis & A. J Chamblis ... Defts

This day the plaintiff in his own person came and the Defendants by their Attorney and acknowledged the plaintiffs action for the sum of Thirty five dollars with legal interest thereon from the 1st day of September 1907 to be just Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendants the sum of Thirty five dollars with legal interest thereon as aforesaid and also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Virginia: In the Clerks Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court.
March 31st 1908.

Reuben Meredith, who was on the 16th day of March 1908 duly appointed by the Circuit Court of said County of Dinwiddie a member of the School Trustee Electoral Board of the said County for the term of four years, commencing on the first day of February 1908; this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

Test: A. M. Organ, Clerk.

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday, the 15th day of June, 1908, and of the Commonwealth the 132nd

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge:-

The Clerk of the Court this day made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office, which is approved and ordered to be filed pursuant to the law directs.

D. H. Willcox, gentleman, having Heretofore a license to practice Law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, on his motion leave is granted him to practice in this Court, and thereupon the said D. H. Willcox appeared in Court and took the oaths prescribed by Law.

E. W. Hodgkins, gentleman foreman, together with R. P. Heartwell, W. G. Baskerville, B. L. Adams, W. J. Branch, Hamis Ragsdale, C. W. Reames, J. M. Reese, & B. H. Ragsdale Jr. were sworn & ~~to~~ of and upon the presents a Special Grand Jury of Inquest in and for the body of the County of Dinwiddie and after having received their charge relative to their room and after sundry Came into Court and reported the following indictment and presentment, to-wit:-

Commonwealth of Va
v.
George Green } Indictment for Manning. A true bill:-

Commonwealth of Va
v.
W. H. Reames } Presentment for

The jurors of the Commonwealth of Virginia on this 15th day of June, 1908, in the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie on their oath present that W. H. Reames did on the 28th day of March, 1908 collect Twenty five $25.00 Dollars, the property of O. J. Brisson, and did convert the same to his own use, and has ever since that time neglected and refused to repay the same altho requested so to do. So the jurors aforesaid present that the said W. H. Reames did at the time aforesaid in said County Embezzle Twenty five $25.00 Dollars of the money & property of said O. J. Brisson which had been entrusted to him for collection. Upon the

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evidence of O. J. Bassman and E. I. Chappell, sworn in open court and sent to the grand Jury to testify.

E. V. Hodges, Foreman

And the Grand Jury having no further business before them they were discharged.

Commonwealth of Va
vs
H. A. Reams } On a presentment for entering Land—

Ordered that a copy of this presentment be certified and served to F. C. Briggs, Justice of the Peace for trial.

Whereas by the true last will and testament of Samuel G. Gilliam, deceased, probated in this Clerk's Office of this Court on the 20th day of May, 1908, Martha Cox Gilliam is named as testamentary guardian of Joseph Peterson Gilliam, on motion of Martha Cox Gilliam, the Court doth appoint her guardian of the said Joseph Peterson Gilliam, orphan of the said Samuel G. Gilliam, deceased who is under the age of fourteen years. And thereupon the said Martha Cox Gilliam appears in Court and enters into and acknowledges a bond in the penalty of $10,000 conditioned as the Law directs, with good security, the will requiring that none be required of her, and the Court not requiring any and qualifies by taking an oath to faithfully administer said guardianship according to law.

Commonwealth of Va Pltff
vs
Robt Dinkins Defdt } On an appeal from a decision of a Justice of the Peace.

Ordered that this cause be continued until the next term of the Court.

Commonwealth of Va Pltff
vs
George Green Defdt } On an indictment for maiming.

Ordered that this cause be continued until the next term of the court.

Commonwealth of Va Pltff
vs
Chas Williams Defdt } On a warrant charging him with a misdemeanor

Ordered that the warrant in this cause be sent back to H. L. Reams Justice of the Peace for trial

The Court doth appoint E. W. Hudgins a Special Constable for the County of Dinwiddie and thereupon the said E. W. Hudgins came into Court took the oaths prescribed by Law.

J. J. Straus & Leon Wallerstein
partners trading as Straus Brothers & Co., Plaintiffs
vs.
R. P. Heartless Defendant
} On notice of motion for judgment

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney. And it appearing from the return of the Sheriff endorsed on the notice that a copy of said notice was served on the said R. P. Heartless on the 30th day of May 1908. and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's Office of this Court within five days after the service of the same. And the said defendant say nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the sum of $69.49 with interest on $34.75 a part thereof from July 10th, 1907, until paid, and on $34.74 the residue thereof from August 10th 1907 until paid, and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on instalments waiving the homestead exemption.

W. H. Harrison Company a Corporation Plaintiff
vs.
William Bird, C. J. Madison and S. Lucy Madison Defendants
} On notice of motion for Judgment

This day came the parties by their attorney, and it appearing that S. Lucy Madison has not been since suit process in this case the same is quashed as to her. And it appearing from the return of the Sheriff endorsed on the notice in this cause that the defendants William Bird and C. J. Madison, has had legal notice of this motion, and from the indorsement of the Clerk of Court that the same was returned to the Clerk's office within five days after the service of the same, and the said defendants Wm Madison & C. J. Madison being solemnly called and not appearing it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants William Bird & C. J. Madison the sum of $68.35, with interest from July 22nd 1907 until paid, and also its costs about its suit in this behalf expended.
This judgment is on an instalment waiving the homestead Exemption and is subject to a credit of $10.00 paid Dec. 19. 1907. and $5.00 paid Feby 17. 1908.

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Chas. Leonard Plaintiff
vs. } On notice of motion for
W.H. Lewis Defendant } Judgment.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and it appearing that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court within the time prescribed by Statute. And the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing, it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said said defendant the sum of $70.34, with interest thereon from the 18th day of February 1908 until paid and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on a note waiving the homestead exemption.

H.L. Percivall surviving partner of
the firm of J.J. Percivall & Son, Plaintiff } On notice of
vs. motion for judgment.
M. L. Deshazo Defendant }

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and it appearing that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court within the time prescribed by Statute. And the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of $117.47, with interest thereon from the 8th day September 1907 until paid, and also their costs about his suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on an instrument waiving the homestead exemption.

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs } On an indictment for
George Green. Defendant } maiming

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the jailer of this County, and on motion of the defendant this cause is continued until the next term of this Court.

John G. Harris & John Haycraft, Plaintiffs
vs } On an action of
Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendant } Trespass on the case

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and on motion this case is continued until the next term.

Philip Godsey Plaintiff
vs.
William Northrop, H. J. Wickham, Defendants } On an action of Trespass on the case,
Receivers of the Virginia Passenger and
Power Company, and the Petersburg Granite
Company

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and the defendants by their attorney demurred to the plaintiffs declaration and each count thereof, and the plaintiff joined in the said demurrer, And the defendants pleaded "not-guilty" And thereupon this cause is continued generally.

Daniel Coleman, Administrator of Eddie
Coleman, deceased Plaintiff
vs.
William Northrop, and H. J. Wickham, } On an action of Trespass on the case
Receivers of the Virginia Passenger & Power
Co. and the Petersburg Granite Company Defendants

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and the defendants by their attorney filed a demurrer to the plaintiffs declaration and each count thereof, and the plaintiff joined in the said demurrer. And the defendants pleaded "not-guilty". And thereupon this cause is continued generally.

John Ford, Administrator of Sterling Ford dec'd Plaintiff
vs.
William Northrop and H. J. Wickham, } On an action of Trespass on the case
Receivers of the Virginia Passenger and
Power Company, and the Petersburg Granite Company Defendants

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and the defendants by their attorney filed a demurrer to the plaintiffs declaration and each count thereof, and the plaintiff joined in the said demurrer, And the defendant pleaded "not-guilty." And thereupon this cause is continued generally.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday June 16th 1908

Present- Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge, &c.

Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff } On an indictment- for
v. } the murder of Barney A McGee.
Wm Mack Defendant

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the sheriff of this County. And thereupon the prisoner by counsel demurred to the indictment- which the court overruled to which ruling of the court the prisoner excepted, and upon being arraigned pleaded "not guilty" And the sheriff of this county having returned the writ of venire facias issued in this cause properly executed, together with the names of fifty jurors summoned by him taken from a list furnished by the Clerk of this court, and drawn according to law and a panel of fifty qualified jurors from Examination being completed. The prisoner by counsel struck from the said panel four of said jurors, when the following twelve remained for the trial of the prisoner, to-wit: W. R. White, Eugene Hawkins, J. D. Bassham, C. G. Lee, W. P. Wells, J. B. Kelley, S. T. Clark, J. F. Burton, B. O. Mallory, L. L. Meredith, C. T. Hawkins, & T. F. Lee, who were sworn to well and truly try the issue joined and a true verdict- give according to the law and evidence, and having fully heard the evidence and argument and instructions of counsel retired to their room and after some time came into court and reported that- they were unable to agree on a verdict- And thereupon B. O. Mallory, one of the jurors aforesaid was withdrawn and the rest of the jury from rendering a verdict- were discharged, and the prisoner is remanded to jail. And this case is continued until the next Term.

Ordered that- the following Grand Jurors be paid out of the County Levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the court- to-wit:- R. P. Hearlette $1.96 W. G. Baskerville $2.00 E. W. Hudgins $2.00 T. L. Adams $1.48 W. J. Branch 1.96 Harris Ragsdale 1.64 C. W. Reams 1.96 - B. H. Ragsdale $1.80 J. M. Reese $1.48

Ordered that- the following witnesses for the Commonwealth in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Mack charged with a felony be paid out of the State Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court, viz:-

J. N. Saunders, 6.20 Jos Baily, 6.20 R. S. Chandler, $3.40 A. P. Falconer, $8.60, G. I. Harrison, $3.00, B. F. W. School, 1.80, Geo. B. McClelland 3.80, S. A Gentry 3.72, C. Bristow 3.72

Ordered that the court be adjourned until Thursday morning at ten o'clock Am.

Walter A. Watson

Thursday Morning
June 18th 1908.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson Judge:-

Isaac Diggs, gentleman having obtained a license to practice Law in the Courts of this Commonwealth, and his motion herein is granted him to practice Law in this court and thereupon the said Isaac Diggs appeared in court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law.

Board of Lawrenceville, Plaintiff

v.

McKenney Manufacturing Company &c., and B. E. Coghill and L. G. Woolridge, Defendants

On notice of motion for judgment.

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney and moved the Court for judgment and award of Execution against the said defendants and each of them. And it appearing to the Court that the defendants were served with a copy of the notice in this cause fifteen days before the return day thereof, and that said notice was returned to the Clerk's office of this Court within five days after service of the same, And the said defendants day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, And on Motion judgment is given in favor of the plaintiff against the said defendant for the sum of Five Hundred and one dollars and sixty cents ($501.60) with interest thereon from the first day of March 1908 until paid. Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of $501.60 with interest thereon from the first day of March 1908 until paid and also their costs about this suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is not a note waiving the benefit of the homestead Exemption.

Foley & Company Plaintiff
vs
H. R. Butterworth & J. K. Butterworth, partners doing business under the name & style of H. R. Butterworth Bro Defendants } On an action of Assumpsit

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the defendants said that they owed nothing of the debt in the declaration mentioned in manner and form as the plaintiff against them hath complained, and of this they put themselves upon the Country and the plaintiff likewise, and issue is joined thereupon, And thereupon came the following jurors to-wit: J. G. Breslau, Ernest Bivins, C. E. Tingley, R. B. Shell, A. G. Bassett, R. S. Majors, A. P. Thrift, W. A. Irving & J. B. Chambliss, and the said plaintiff and defendants by their attorneys elected from the said panel attorney each, and of said jurors, whom the following jurors remains for the trial of the issue, to-wit: Ernest Bivins, C. E. Tingley, R. B. Shell, A. G. Bassett, A. P. Thrift, W. A. Irving & J. B. Chambliss, who were sworn to well and truly try the issue joined, now before the Court, and a true verdict give according to the law and the evidence. And having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel related to their room and after some time came into Court and reported that they were unable to agree on a verdict, And thereupon R. B. Shell one of the jurors aforesaid was withdrawn, and the rest of the jury from rendering their verdict were discharged, And this Cause is continued to the next term of this Court for a new trial to be had herein.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Friday Morning
June 19th 1908

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

E. S. Crowder Plaintiff
vs } Action of Trespass
Camp Manufacturing Company Defendant on the case.

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the defend-

by its attorney say that it- is not guilty of the promises in this action in manner and form as the plaintiff hath complained, and of this puts itself upon the country and the plaintiff, &c the like; And thereupon issue is joined. And thereupon came a jury, to-wit: R. S. Major, John G. Bristow, A. P. Thrift, Ernest-Bentley, E. G. Haddon, J. B. Chambers, R. B. Shell, A. E. Richardson and W. A. Berry, whom the plaintiff and defendant by their attorney, alternately struck from the said panel and of said jurors, each, when the following remained for the trial of the issue, to-wit: R. S. Major, John G. Bristow, A. P. Thrift, Ernest-Bentley, E. G. Haddon, J. B. Chambers and R. B. Shell, who were sworn to well and truly try the issue joined, and a true verdict give according to the law and the evidence, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel relative to this cause, and after some time spent therein came into court and rendered the following verdict, to-wit:- We the jury find for the plaintiff and assess his damages at ($350.00) Three hundred dollars, with interest from January 1st 1906. And thereupon the defendant moved the court to set aside the verdict of the jury and grant it a new trial, on the ground that it is contrary to the law and the evidence, for the reason that the damages awarded by the jury are excessive under the law and the evidence of the case and on the further ground that the court erred in permitting counsel for the plaintiff in his closing argument to the jury against the objection of the defendant to make certain statements to the jury by way of illustration as to the value of bales on Cat Road, and for drains on the farm of Crumbley for the plaintiff, and in not instructing the jury, on motion made by the defendant to disregard such statements, and on the additional ground that the court erred in orally instructing the jury during the closing argument of the plaintiff's counsel of the jury against the defendant's objection, that the jury might consider purposes in this case known by us as wormholes when, for which the term referred to in the evidence could be used. Which said motion for a new trial is docketed and entered on the minutes of this Court.

C. D. Abernathy - others — Plaintiffs

vs

Mary Elizabeth Barnes - et al — Defendants.

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the court being fully advised doth overrule the plaintiff's motion for a new trial docketed in this cause on the 24th day of December and subsequently continued from time to time hereto 1907, and doth refuse to set aside the verdict of the jury rendered in this cause on said 24th day of December, 1907 and doth refuse to grant a new trial herein to which ruling of the Court the plaintiff excepted and asked leave to prepare and file within 30 days from the date of the Court his bill of exceptions and prayed the Court to which leave is granted to which leave the Defendants excepted objected sign and seal the same and make the same a part of the record and excepted to the ruling of the Court in granting the same, and to this Court, which was accordingly done.

Thereupon it is ordered by the Court that the papers in this cause be filed as an entry of this date January 1st 1907 as a whole

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legal right at or within 30 days from the end of this term to file their bill of exception, then they may do the same within 90 days from the rising of the Court: whereupon leave is granted to Plaintiffs to prepare & present their bill of exception within 90 days ~~and in every part thereof the said Court will and testaments~~ of the said Frances A. Abernathy, dec'd from the rising of the Court.

And the Clerk of this Court is directed to certify to the Circuit Court of this County on the chancery side a copy of this order and all other proceedings herein on the law side of this Court.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning.

Walter A. Watkins

Saturday Morning,
June 20th 1908

Present- Hon. Walter A. Watkins, Judge;

In Re Pension Claims:-

It appearing to the Court that Geo. A. Bridgeman, S. P. Gibbs, B. P. Hudgins, Alice M. McKenney, E. J. Parell, George B. Royal, Elizabeth F. Rawlings, James I. West, C. H. Drenkwalter, Wm. F. Doyle, Sam N. Brooks, & J. W. Elmore, filed in the clerk's office of this Court- on ~~the~~ ~~ten~~ ninety days before the regular term of this Court- an application for relief under Act- of [illegible]

And the Court having taken up, Examined & Considered such applications which have been certified by the clerk of this Court- is satisfied that- the requirements of this act- have been substantially complied with- And that said applications are supported by the affidavits and Certificates required by law, & certified by Justices of the Peace- said applicants- it appearing that- the Pension Board, were duly notified of said applications 15- days before the regular term of this Court & have filed no objections thereto, it- is ordered that- the said George A. Bridgeman, S. P. Gibbs, B. P. Hudgins, Alice M. McKenney, E. J. Parell, George B. Royal, Elizabeth F. Rawlings, James I. West- C. H. Drenkwalter, Wm. F. Doyle, Sam N. Brooks & J. W. Elmore, be placed upon the pension rolls and shall be entitled to receive the amounts opposite their names, to-wit-

George A. Bridgeman	$24.00
S. P. Gibbs	36.00
Mrs. Alice M. McKenney	25.00
Branch P. Hudgins	36.00
E. J. Parell	36.00
George B. Royal	24.00
Elizabeth F. Rawlings	25.00
J. I. West-	36.00
C. H. Drenkwalter	36.00

C. D. Hendrix & others vs Elizabeth Barnes & others

Whereupon the motion of the plaintiffs by their counsel to set aside the verdict of the jury rendered herein and to grant them a new trial herein and the motion of the defendants to set aside the judgment herein and to grant them a new trial herein coming on to be heard, and the same having been argued by counsel, and the Court having maturely considered the same, it is ordered that the motion of the plaintiffs be and the same is hereby overruled and the plaintiffs excepted and asked leave to prepare and present their bill of exceptions within 90 days from the rising of the Court. And the defendants not conceding that the plaintiffs still have the legal right at or within 30 days from the end of this term to file their bill of exceptions, then they may do the same within 90 days from the rising of the Court: whereupon leave is granted to the plaintiffs to prepare & present their bill of exceptions within 90 days from the rising of the Court.

Wm. F. Doyle	$36.00
Jas. N. Brooks	36.00
J. N. Elmore	36.00

Ordered that the court be adjourned until Monday Morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Monday Morning,
June 22nd 1908.

Present- Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge,

A. D. Graves, Administratrix, of John T. Graves, deceased, Plaintiff
v.
Norfolk & Western Railway Company, Defendant } Action of Trespass on the Case for $10000. Damages

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the defendant by its attorneys did say that it was not guilty of the premises in this action laid to its charge in manner and form as the plaintiff hath complained, and of this put itself upon the County, and the plaintiff by her attorney did the like, and thereupon issue was joined.
And then came the following jury, to-wit- R. B. Shell, C. E. Tingley, Ernest Bevins, N. A. Long, R. S. Major, John G. Bristow, and A. P. Swift,- who was sworn to well and truly try the issue joined, and a true verdict give according to the law and the evidence. And having partly heard the evidence, and the court being about to adjourn the jury was adjourned over until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Ordered that the following be and are hereby appointed members of the Road Board for the County of Dinwiddie, to serve for the term of one year commencing on the first day of July 1908. to-wit:- Namozine District, J. C. Smith; Rawlings District- E. L. Perkins; Darvills District- E. S. Hobbs; Sapony District, J. W. Ash, and J. E. Parkinson, from the County at large.

J. C. Smith, who has this day been appointed a member of the Road Board, from Namozine District of Dinwiddie County, for the term of one year commencing on the first day of July 1908. This day

appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law and together with E. L. Perkins as his security, who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Two Thousand Dollars conditioned as the Law directs

E. L. Perkins, who has been appointed by this Court a Member of the Road Board for Dinwiddie County from Rowanty District for the term of one year commencing on the first day of July 1908 this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law. And together with J. E. Perkinson as his security, who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $2000.00 conditioned as the Law directs,

E. S. Hobbs, who has been appointed by this Court a member of the Road Board of Dinwiddie County from Daniels District for the term of one year commencing on the first day of July 1908. this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law. And together with J. C. Smith as his surety, who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $2000.00 conditioned as the Law directs

J. M. Rose, who was on the 22nd day of June, 1908 appointed by the Circuit Court of this County as Acting Member of the Road Board of Dinwiddie County for Sapony District this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law. And together with J. C. Smith as his security who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $2000.00 conditioned as the Law directs

J. E. Perkinson, who has been appointed by this Court a Member at-Large of the Road Board of Dinwiddie County for the term of one year commencing on first day of June 1908 this day appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law. And together with E. L. Perkins as his surety, who justified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $2000.00 conditioned as the Law directs

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock A.M.

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning.
June 23rd 1908.

Present- Hon. Walter A Watson, Judge.

On motion of Adolphus Corling his guardian of Lonnie Bailey, orphan of Chas Bailey & Sally Bailey dec'd, who is under the age of fourteen years and William Bailey, orphan of the said Chas Bailey & Sally Bailey dec'd, and who is over the age of fourteen years, appeared in Court and with the approval of the Court made choice of the said Adolphus Corling for his guardian. And thereupon the said Adolphus Corling appeared in Court and together with Booker T. Ellis, as his surety, who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $350.00 conditioned as the law directs.

On motion the Court doth appoint Thomas Ragsdale guardian Henry Ragsdale, orphan of Betty Baits dec'd, who is under the age of fourteen years, And thereupon the said Thomas Ragsdale appeared in Court and together with L. L. Merritt as his surety, who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $125.00 conditioned as the law directs.

A. D. Crowe, Administratrix of John T. Crowe, dec'd. — Plaintiff
v.
Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Defendant
} On an action of Trespass on the Cases for $10000.00 Dam-ages

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the jury sworn in this cause on yesterday, appeared in Court pursuant to adjournment, to-wit: A. B. Shell, C. E. Tingley, Ernest Beville, H. A. Irving, A. S. Major, John G. Bristow & A. P. Thrift, and having fully heard the evidence and the Court being about to adjourn, the jury was adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Ordered that the following jurors be paid out of the Public Treasury for their mileage and attendance at the bar of this Court in the case of the Commonwealth of Va. vs Wm Mack C. 307

to-wit: To J. N. Buck $1.64, J. D. Barnhart $3.92, Eugene Hawkins $2.16, A. B. Marcum 1.96, H. E. Ogle 1.96, L. R. Doyle 4.00, C. G. Lee 2.64, W. T. White 4.00, W. O. Wells 2.96, J. B. Kelly 4.00, J. C. Hawkins 2.00, J. G. Fisher 2.00, S. E. Coleman $1.80, M. B. Branch Jr. $2.94, J. F. Buttermore $2.94, S. T. Clark 2.94, W. E. Stretcher 1.96, R. D. Mallory $4.00, G. W. Hams 1.96, L. L. Meredith 2.96, C. T. Hawkins 1.28, C. W. Kennedy $2.00, E. G. Gorsuch 1.96, T. T. Lee 2.64, J. J. Cairns 1.96, Archie Clarke 1.88, J. W. Atkinson 1.96, J. O. Hildebrand 2.80, R. K. Lewis 2.00, B. J. Davis 3.44, Bartley Clarke 1.00, C. B. Barrow $1.48, C. M. Rice $1.80, J. B. Shreve 1.88, & R. J. Hill $1.80,

Virginia A. Sloan, Plaintiff
vs
Camp Manufacturing Company, Defendant } Action of Trespass

This day came the parties by their attorneys and came a jury to try the issue joined between the plaintiff and the defendant by its attorney upon the oath of the plaintiff, and the jury upon their oath do say that the plaintiff recover against the defendant the sum of Three Hundred & Fifty Dollars, and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended.

Ordered that the suit be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning,
Jan 24 1906.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

The Strickland Machine Company, Plaintiff
vs
McKenney Manufacturing Company &
L. B. Woolridge, Defendants } On notice of motion for judgment.

This day came the parties by their attorneys, & the defendants by attorney pleaded nil debet, & issue was joined, and neither party requiring a jury, the matter in controversy is submitted to the Court. It is therefore considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the defendants the sum of

Three Hundred & Thirteen Dollars and sixty five cents with interest thereon from the 29th day of January 1908, until paid, and also its costs about its suit in this behalf expended

Bank of Decatur Pltff
vs
McKenney Manufacturing Co & others
B. E. Coghill & L. G. Woolridge Defts } On a notice of motion for judgment

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendants pleaded nil debet & issue was joined thereon, & neither party requiring a jury the matters in controversy is submitted to the court. And the court being fully advised doth give judgment in favor of the plaintiff against the defendants for the amount claimed in the notice. It is therefore considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants the sum of One Hundred and twenty four dollars and sixty cents with interest thereon from the 29th day of January 1908, until paid, and also his costs about its suit in this behalf expended.

Bank of Crewe, Plaintiff
vs
McKenney Manufacturing Company,
Incorporated, L. G. Woolridge & B. E. Coghill Defendants } On a notice of motion for judgment.

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendants pleaded nil debet & issue was joined thereon, & neither party requiring a jury the matters in controversy is submitted to the court, and the court being fully advised doth give judgment in favor of the plaintiff against the defendants for the amounts claimed in the notice. It is therefore considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants the sum of One thousand dollars, with interest ~~thereon~~ on $500.00 a portion thereof from the 29th day of August 1907, until paid and on $500.00 the balance thereof, from the 30th day of August 1907 until paid, and also its costs about its suit in this behalf expended.

Entered 3 days

The court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $10.00 for payment to B. J. Epps Commonwealth Attorney for his services in prosecuting Wm Wade, at this term of this court charged with a felony & indicted by the grand jury

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Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the county levy for their attendance & mileage and attendance of this Court to wit: To J. G. Bristow $8.40, Ernest Bruce $9.36, C. E. Tingley $12.09, R. B. Shell $8.84, A. G. Bassam, R. S. Major $9.04, A. P. Shipp $8.88, H. A. Sims $11.76, J. B. Chambers $4.20. A. E. Richardson $11.05, & E. G. Hadden $11.24

H. F. Hitchcock Acting Jailer presents an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $175.00 for board of prisoners in jail from March 17 to June 24, 1907 which was examined & allowed by the Court & ordered to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

H. F. Hitchcock Acting Jailer presents an acct against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $9.75 for board of insane persons confined in jail, which was examined & allowed & ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment. Application having been made to the Supt of the Central State Hospital for admission of said persons to the Com against

H. F. Hitchcock, Acting Jailer presents an acct against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $9.50 for clothing furnishing prisoners in jail, which was examined and allowed and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment. It appearing to the Court that the amt allowed for clothing for each of said prisoners does not exceed the sum of $10.00 per year.

H. S. Briggs, Physician to the jail presents an account against the County amounting to $2.50 for medical attention rendered prisoners in jail to Jan 19, 1908, which was examined & allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

A. D. Crowe, Administratrix of John T. Crowe, deceased — Plaintiffs — Action of Trespass in the sum of $10000.00 Damages

vs

Norfolk & Western Railway Company — Defendant

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the following jury came in this cause again appeared in Court, pursuant to this adjournment, to-wit: R. B. Shell, C. E. Ernest Bruce, H. A. Sims, R. S. Major, John G. Bristow and

A. P. Shiff - and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel, retired to their room and after sometime spent therein came into Court and reported the following verdict - "We the Jury find for the plaintiff and assess his damages at $1000 00 One Thousand Dollars." Whereupon the defendant by Counsel moved the Court to set aside the verdict aforesaid and grant him a new trial, on the following grounds: 1. Because the verdict of the Jury is contrary to the law & the evidence, 2d Because the Court erred to the prejudice of the Defendant in refusing to give certain instructions offered by the Defendant and in lieu thereof giving a certain instruction objected to by the Defendant, 3d Because the damages awarded the Plaintiff are excessive.

By agreement of counsel in open Court leave is granted the Defendant to file his bills of exception to the ruling of the Court upon the instructions aforesaid at any time within Ninety Days from the rising of the Court.

Therupon

Cofsel & dft. The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of
Sheriff $-14.04 Thirty Two Dollars for payment to John W. Sakusha Shiff., being two dollars per day for the attendance of himself during Eight days of this term of the Court; for one deputy during seven days, and for one deputy during one days of this term of the Court

Cofsd & dirct Ordered that the sum of $60 00 be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts. for payment to John W. Sakusha Sheriff for board of Jury in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Wm. Mocks, on trial for murder, & kept together by order of the Court

Cofsd & dirct Ordered that the sum of Two Dollars for payment to John W. Sakusha Shiff. for the services of himself and one deputy during one day of this term of the Court, guarding jury in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs Wm Mocks, kept together by order of the Court.

ordered that Court adjourn until the next term

Walter S. Watson

Office Judgments Confirmed, June 24th 1908.

Benz Manufacturing Co. a Corporation Plaintiff
vs.
George T. Meade Defendant } Action of assumpsit

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney and the defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action. Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $54.96 with interest thereon from October 16th 1907 until paid and also its costs about its suit in this behalf expended.

Manson Shull Co, a corporation
vs.
Charles Smith, Henry Chapman & George Chapman } Action of debt

This day came the plaintiff by attorney, and the said defendants doth nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of One Hundred and fifty Dollars

$150.00 with interest thereon from the 13th day of April 1906 till paid, and also this cost about this suit in this behalf expended. Subject to a credit of $40.00 paid Jany 21st 1907 and $9.00 paid Dec. 16, 1907.

Babson Bros, a corporation Plaintiffs
vs
John B. Fraser Defendant } Action in debt.

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney and the said defendant day nothing in bar or preclusion of the plaintiffs action, Therefor it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of Thirty Dollars and the costs, with interest thereon from the 13th day of December, 1907, costs paid and also its costs about its suit in this behalf expended.

The following persons appointed District School Trustees qualified as such (Taking &c) Deliberating &c and Report & Case to wit I.B. Scott, W.D. Harrison Wm A. Goodwyn, Ernest Bowlin

In the Circuit Court of Amherst, Va.
In Vacation, July 24, 1908.

E.S. Crawley, Plaintiff
vs
Camp Manufacturing Company Defendant

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the defendant tendered its Bill of Exceptions No. 1 which Bill of Exceptions was received, signed and sealed by the Judge of this Court, and ordered to be made a part of the record in this cause.

Walter A. Watson,
To A.M. Organ, Clerk of Sd. Court.

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday the 21st day of September 1908, and of the Commonwealth the 132nd.

Present: Hon. Walter A Watson Judge.

The Clerk of this Court made a report of fines and other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office, during and since the June term of this Court which is ordered to be filed.

The Clerk of this Court reports that the following fines have been paid to him since his last report to wit

Commonwealth of Va vs John Robt Berry, assault, Paid by H L Rives J.P. June 15- 1908 $2.50

Commonwealth of Va vs. Richard [illegible] for using abusive language, $5.00, Paid by H L Rives J.P. June 15- 1908.

Commonwealth of Va vs. Henry [illegible] Hayes, for assault & battery $2.00 paid by H.L. Rives, J.P. June 15- 1908.

Commonwealth of Va vs. [illegible] Ward for disturbing religious worship $20.00, Paid by W.B. Bowers J.P. July 15- 1908.

Commonwealth of Va vs Hezzie Davis, for disturbing religious worship $2.50 Paid by W.B. Bowers J.P. July 15- 1908

Commonwealth of Va vs Adams $20.00 Paid July 27th 1908

Commonwealth of Va vs Harvey Green, $5.00 Paid July 27. 1908.

" " " Hugh Hart- Creating a disturbance $2.00. Paid July 27. 1908. by [illegible] Vaiden J.P.

Smith-Courtney Company, a (Corporation) Plaintiff } On notice of motion for judgment

vs.

McKenney Manufacturing Company a Corporation: Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney and it appearing to the Court from the return of the Sheriff endorsed on the notice in this cause that the defendant was served with a copy of the said notice fifteen days before the return day and that said notice was left in the Clerk's office of this Court within five days after the service of the same, and the said defendant being solemnly called and not appearing. It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum

Seventy-Seven Dollars and forty Seven cents, with interest on $74.06, a part thereof from August-1st 1908, until paid, also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended.

Ordered that W.H. Smith Jr and he is hereby appointed a Special Police for this County without pay from the county and thereupon the said W.H. Smith appeared in court and took the oath prescribed by Law.

John P Tucker, gentleman, foreman, together with Edward Hammond, H. P. Wells, E.S. Crowder, J.H. Bird, W.A. Lewis, George A Hitchcock, J.M. Rawls & Jennings Harp, who were summoned a Special Grand Jury of Inquest in and for the body of the County of Dinwiddie, and after receiving their charge retired to their room and after some time came into court and reported the following indictments and presents, to-wit

Commonwealth of Va
vs.
Mills Cross
} Indictment for house breaking & Larceny. A true bill

Commonwealth of Va
vs.
George Slate
} Indictment for aiding prisoner charged with a felony to escape from jail. A True Bill.

Commonwealth of Va
vs.
Everett Hill
} Indictment for assault & rape. A True Bill.

Commonwealth of Virginia
vs.
Wm Crawford
} Indictment for house breaking & Larceny: A True Bill.

The Commonwealth of Va
vs.
Laurence Gilliard
} Indictment for House breaking & Larceny. A True Bill.

The Commonwealth of Va
vs.
E.A. Stewart
} A presentment:

The Jurors of the Commonwealth of Virginia, in and for the Body of Dinwiddie County and now attending the Circuit Court of said County upon their oaths present that E.S. A. 311

Stewart acting Jailor of said County did on — day of of September 1908, in said County negligently and unlawfully suffer William Mack, a prisoner in the jail of said county charged with a felony to escape from his custody. On the testimony of John Belcher, Wm Crawford and Custis Galusha,

In making this presentment the jury do not believe that he is guilty of any criminal intent.

John P. Tucker, Foreman,

And the Grand Jury having no further business before them were discharged from further attendance. And it is ordered that they be paid out of the County Levy for their mileage and attendance as follows, John P. Tucker 2.30, W. P. Nell 2.50, E. S. Crowder 2.20, J. F. Byck 2.30, R.H. Lewis, 2.50 George A. Hatcher 2.50 J. M. Ross 2.30, Jennie Hays, $2.50, Edward Hausman $2.—

Ordered that W.H. Smith be and he is hereby appointed a County Policeman for the County of Louisa without pay from the county, who thereupon appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law.

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff }
vs } On an indictment
Ernest Hill. Defendant for assault & rape.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the sheriff of the County and upon arraignment a plea of "guilty" to the charge of unlawful assault was tendered by the prisoner in person, and waived trial by jury. And thereupon, with the consent of the Attorney for the Commonwealth, the court proceeded to hear and determine the case, and having fully heard the evidence doth adjudge that the said Ernest Hill be imprisoned in the County jail of this County for the period of sixty days. And it being demanded of the prisoner if any thing he had or knew to say why the court should not now proceed to pronounce sentence against him according to law, and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof. It is considered by the court that the said Ernest Hill be imprisoned in the jail of this County for the period of sixty days. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

Ordered that the presentment against E.H. Stewart be quashed &

The Commonwealth of Va. Plaintiff } On an indictment
vs. } for breaking and entering
Laurence Glover Defendant } Store-house &c.

This day came the attorny for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this Court, and upon arraignment a plea of "guilty" was tendered by the prisoner in person, and a trial by jury waived, and thereupon, with the consent of the attorny for the Commonwealth, the Court proceeded to hear and determine the cause and having fully heard the evidence, doth adjudge that the said Laurence Glover be imprisoned in the County jail of this County for the period of three months, And it being demanded of the prisoner if any thing he had or knew to say why the Court should not proceed to pronounce sentence against him according to law, and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof, it is considered by the Court that the said Laurence Glover be imprisoned in the said County jail of this County, for the period of three months, and the prisoner is remanded to jail.

W.H. Harrison Co. Plaintiff } On a notice of
vs. } motion for judgment.
Thomas Colman, Susan Colman & }
J.J. Carey Defendants }

All matters in controversy in this cause having been satisfactorily adjusted between the parties, On motion of the plaintiff by attorny it is ordered that this cause be removed from the docket.

W.H. Harrison Co. Inc. Plaintiff } On a notice of motion for
v } Judgment.
Edmund Ross Defendant }

All matters in controversy in this cause having been adjusted between the parties, on motion of the plaintiff by attorny it is ordered that this cause be removed from the docket.

W.H. Harrison Co. Inc. Plaintiff } On a notice of motion for
vs. } Judgment.
Joseph Williams Defendant }

All matters in controversy in this cause having been adjusted between the parties on motion of the plaintiff by attorny it is ordered that this cause be removed from the docket.

John T. Crowe's Admx.

vs.

Norfolk & Western Railway Company.

This day came the parties by their attorneys, whereupon the defendant presented its bill of Exceptions to the ruling of the court at its June term, 1908, upon certain instructions offered by the defendant at said term, which bill of exceptions is signed, sealed and made a part of the record in this case, and thereupon the court having heard the argument of counsel upon and having maturely considered the motion of the said defendant made at the said term that the verdict of the jury rendered at said term be set aside and a new trial granted the defendant, and being of opinion that said verdict was not contrary to the law and the evidence, overruling said motion, doth refuse to set aside the verdict of the jury and grant the defendant a new trial; whereupon it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the sum of Nine thousand dollars, with interest thereon from the 24th day of June, 1908, until paid and the plaintiff's costs in this behalf expended; to which opinion of the court the defendant excepted and asked and was given leave to prepare and tender its bill of Exceptions within the time prescribed by law, but it being suggested by the defendant that it desires to present a petition for a writ of error and supersedeas to the judgment of the Court in overruling its said motion and refusing to set aside said verdict and grant it a new trial and suspending judgment for the plaintiff as aforesaid, at the instance of the defendant the execution of this judgment is suspended for a period of sixty days from the date of this order to enable the defendant to present said petition,

John Morgan, Treasurer, who sues for the benefit of the Board of Supervisors of Dinwiddie County, the County School Board of the said County, The Road Board of Dinwiddie County, the School Board of Stanyan District of said County, School Board of Rowanty District of said County, School Board of Darvills District of said County, School Board of Sapony District of said County

vs

Martha C. Gillium and J. P. Gillium
Executors of the last will and testament
of S. G. Gillium, deceased

This day came the plaintiff by attorney, and by consent of parties hereto this case is docketed, the defendants waiving the right to make any and all defense that could be properly made if the notice had been duly made by an affidavit and no agreement had been made in relation to docketing the same. And thereupon this cause is continued

Commonwealth of Va

vs

Geo Suiter

On a warrant for larceny.

On motion of the Attorney for the Commonwealth and with the assent of the court it is ordered that this case be removed from the docket.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning,
September 22, 1908

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff

vs

George Green Defendant

On an indictment for Maiming &c

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and upon being arraigned plead "guilty" to unlawful shooting, and upon a trial by jury; And thereupon, with the consent of the attorney for the Commonwealth the Court proceeded to hear and determine the case, and having fully heard the evidence doth adjudge that the said George Green be imprisoned in the jail of this County for the term 3/13 of twelve months & that he pay to the Commonwealth of Va

a fine of $500, but it being demanded of him if
any thing for himself he had or knew to say why
the Court should not now proceed to pass sentence
against him according to law, and nothing being
offered or alleged in delay thereof, it is considered by the
Court that the said George Smith be imprisoned in the
County jail of this County for the space of three months
and that he pay to the Commonwealth a fine of $500
aforesaid, and also his costs in this behalf expended and
the prisoner is remanded to jail.

The Commonwealth of Virginia Plaff
vs
Wm Crawford Defd } On an indictment for
Housebreaking & Larceny

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth
and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the
Jailor of this County, and upon arraignment pleaded "not
guilty" to the indictment. And the Sheriff of this County
having returned the writ of venire facias in this case, together
with the names of fifteen persons summoned by him and
taken from a list furnished him by the Clerk of this
Court, drawing according to law. And a panel of six-
teen qualified jurors being completed qualified to
serve as such, against whom there were no objections,
whom four of the said jurors were drawn from the said
panel by lot, whom the following twelve remained for
the trial of the prisoner, to-wit: M. F. Miller, E. S. Eckles,
R. L. Reams, E. M. Wynn, J. B. Zehmer, H. M. Wells, J. S. Major,
B. J. Scott, John B. Buck, H. L. Fraser, J. E. Washington, & Geo. J.
Rose, who were sworn the truth of and upon the premises
to speak and having fully heard the evidence and argument of
counsel went to their room and after some time came
into Court and reported as follows: "We, the Jury find
the prisoner not guilty. J. B. Buck. Foreman." And thereupon
proclamation being made as the manner is: and nothing
further being offered or alleged against the prisoner
it is ordered that he be acquitted and discharged of
the felony aforesaid, and go thereof without day.

Commonwealth of Va. Plaintiff } On an indictment for arming
vs } prisoner charged with a
George Smith Defd } felony to wit: Jail

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and being thereto arraigned, pleaded "Not guilty" to the indictment. And the said Sheriff having returned the writ of venire facias in this case Executed, to-gether with the name of sixteen jurors summoned by him and taken from a list furnished by the clerk of this court and drawn according to law, and a panel of sixteen qual-ified jurors free from exception being complete, four of said jurors are drawn from the said panel by lot, whom the following named remain for the trial of the case, to-wit: R. L. Reams, A. M. Wells, J. S. Major, B. J. Scott, John R. Beck, A. L. Fraser, J. E. Washer, C. A. Thomas, J. C. Duncan, Geo. T. Ross, J. H. Kennedy & John D. Reams, who are sworn the triers of and upon the premises to speak, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel, retire to their room and after a time come into court and report the following verdict to-wit: We, the Jury find the prisoner guilty and fix his punishment at one year in the Penitentiary. J. C. Duncan foreman. And it being demanded of him if any thing he had or knew to say why the Court should now proceed to pronounce sentence against him according to law, and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof, it is considered by the Court that in lieu of the punishment aforesaid, that the prisoner be confined to one year's hard labor on the and that he be delivered into the custody of the superintendent of the Penitentiary to be public roads of this County. And the prisoner is remanded to jail kept by him as a member of the State convict road force in accordance with law. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

Martha C. Gillean & Joseph P. Gillean,
who sues by Martha C. Gillean, his next friend. Plaintiffs.

vs

Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company, Defendant.

} Action of Assumpsit

This day came the Northwestern Life Insurance Company, a Corporation duly organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Wisconsin, by its attorney, Wyndham R. Meredith, said corporation being the sole defendant in an action at law, pending in this Court under the style and title of Martha C. Gillean & Joseph P. Gillean, an infant, who sues by Martha C. Gillean, his next friend vs Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company.

and appearing especially for the purpose of filing its petition of removal of said action at Law to the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia, together with a proper bond with good and sufficient surety in the penalty of Two hundred and fifty ($250.00) dollars and conditioned according to Law, this day asked leave of Court to file said petition and said bond.

And the same having been filed within the time provided by Law, upon motion of said defendant by Counsel it is ordered that said Petition for removal and bond so filed be accepted and approved. And it is further ordered that this action at Law be removed for trial to the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia pursuant to the statute of the United States and that the parties to said action proceed no further with the same in this Court. And this day came also the plaintiffs, Martha C. Sullivan and Gaspha P. Sullivan, an infant who sues by Martha C. Sullivan, his next friend by their attorney and objected to the filing of the petition and bond aforesaid and the acceptance and approval thereof, and to the removal of this action at Law for trial to the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia, each of which said several objections the Court overruled, to the overruling of each of which said several objections, the plaintiffs by Counsel excepted;

Dominion Homes, Inc. Plaintiff

vs

James Madison Defendant } Unlawful Detainer

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney and it appearing to the Court that the notice in this cause was served on the said defendant four days before the commencement of this term of the Court or return day thereof, And it appearing to this Court that the plaintiff was forcibly & unlawfully kept out of possession, and is unlawfully detained from it, and that the said defendant has not held & detained the possession of the tract of land mentioned in the summons for the space before the date of the summons, And the Court having fully heard the evidence is of the opinion that the defendant unlawfully detains from the plaintiff the tract of land herein after described as follows: Beginning at a stone near a road marking the south-east corner of the said tract or parcel of land onto the land of Harris, thence N. 2° 15' E. 46. poles to a corner onto the

land of S E Ivins thence S. 84½° E 31⅕ poles to another corner with said S E Ivins thence S. 3° 35' W. 46 poles to a corner oak, thence N 84½° E 29⅖ poles to the place of beginning containing eight and three quarter acres of land It being situated in Daniels District in said County, and the same which was conveyed to the said Dismukes Ranch, Inc. by H C. Lusk by deed dated the 19th day of March 1906 of record in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Dismukes County, in Deed Book 27 page 699 and dating for judgment for the plaintiff. Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff have and recover against the said defendant the tract of land hereinbefore described, and also recover against the said defendant all its costs about its suit in this behalf expended, and that process issue &c

This day Wills Cross who stands indicted for a felony was arraigned in open Court and plead guilty of the felony and also came the Commonwealth by her Attorney and

Commonwealth of Va. Plaintiff
vs. On indictment for Larceny.
Wills Cross Defendant Receiving & Concealing.

On motion of the Attorney for the Commonwealth and for good cause shown this cause is continued until the first day of the next term. And the Prisoner was remanded to Jail

Ordered that the following summons be issued in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs. William Crawford & Virgil Smith be paid out of the Public Treasury for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court, to wit: Geo H Tracy 2.50, W. J. Gladson $1.70, A B. Duncan 2.50, G W Harris 2.50, E B Jones 2.50, W. F. Harrison 2.50, J H. Gibbs 2.10, H. J. Wells 2.50, J W Hawkins 2.10, Geo. Perkins 2.50, W E Webb 2.50, R H Barrow 2.10, M. F Nelson $2.00, C S Eckles $5.00, R L. Reams 5.00, John D. Rives 5.00, E M Wynn 3.60, J B. Zehmer 5.00, H M. Wells $4.00, J. S. Major 4.00, B J. Scott 4.00, John R. Peck 5.00, H L. Fain 5.00, J E. Worker $5.00, C A. Thomas $5.00, J C. Dickens $5.00, Geo. J. Rose 4.60, C C. Clark 3.40, J W Kennedy 5.00

Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County Levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court, to wit: G C. Brisman $1.90, John T. Thiff 2.50, F E. Harrison 2.50, J W Haddon 1.90, L G Potts 2.50, H H Lattimore 2.50, S A. Brisman 1.70, E W Hudgins 2.50, Eugene Hawkins 1.60,

The following claims against the Commonwealth of Va. were examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts. for payment to: W. J. Burilson, Constable services 3.15

in the case of the Commonwealth vs. Herbert Jones $3.80, To J.J. Bristow J.P. services in case of the Commonwealth vs. George Green $1.00, To H.J. Bevill, Constable, services in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs. Hugh Brewer, $3.80, To H.G. Wheeler Constable services in case of the Comth of Va vs. Miles Chrs. $4.20, To J.H. Galusha Sheriff, services in case of the Comth of Va vs George Green, $4.20, To J.H. Galusha Sheff, Executing mun-facias in case of Comth of Va vs. Geo Sitton & in case of Comth of Va vs. Wm Crawford & Summoning witnesses in ~~case~~ $10.40, To J.H. Bevill, Constable, for services in case of the Comth vs. John Belcher, $2.65, To H.J. Bevill Constable services in case of the Comth of Va vs. Brt Dennis $1.70, To H.J. Bevill, Constable, services in case of the Commonwealth of Va vs. Laurence Glover, $3.80

J.H. Galusha Sheff. presented to the Court an acct against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $18.45 for clothing furnished persons in jail from June 27th to Sept 21st 1908, which was Examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment. It appearing to the Court that the said amounts do not exceed the sum of $100.00 for each year for any one prisoner.

J.H. Galusha Sheff. presented to the Court an account against the Commonwealth of Va amounting to $239.00, for board of prisons in jail since June 24, 1908 which was examined & approved & ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

The Court doth assign J.C. Dunn, guardian to Elsie Yong & Thelma Yong, orphans of H.S. Yong, who are under the age of fourteen years, the said J.C. Dunn and H.F. Hilchenreich as his surety who qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of One Hundred Dollars with condition according to law.

On motion of Jurland Martin & Celia M. Martin, who made oath thereto and together with The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Company, acting by Chas. E. Plummer its atty in fact entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Fifteen Thousand Dollars conditioned as the law directs, Certificate is granted the said Jurland Martin & Celia M. Martin for obtaining letters of administration on

the estate of Thomas Martin dec'd in due form.

Ordered that J. E. Gracey, A. G. Smith, M. M. Miller, Chas A. Hargrove & J. E. Hargrove, or any three of them being first duly sworn for the purpose do justly & truly appraise such of the goods & chattels of Thomas Martin dec'd as may be produced before them and return their appraisement under their hands as the law directs.

The Court doth appoint Celia M. Martin, guardian to Sarah Victoria Martin, orphan of Thomas Martin dec'd, who is under the age of fourteen years, and thereupon the said Celia M. Martin & The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Company, acting by Chas E. Plemmons its atty in fact entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Sixty Five Hundred Dollars conditioned as the law directs for the faithful discharge of her duties as such.

On motion of the Society of Young Loving Brothers of Sisters of Worship of Limestone County, it is ordered that William Walker be and he is hereby appointed a Trustee for said Society in place of William Scott deceased.

Ordered that the Court do adjourn until to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Thursday Morning,
Sept 24th 1908

Present Hon Walter A. Watson - Judge

W. P. Arrington & S. M. Green
Partners trading under the firm name of Arrington & Green
vs
Geo.
Geo H. Barnes

This day came the Plaintiffs by their attorney & it appearing to the Court that a copy of this notice was served on the said defendant on the 4th day of Sept 1908 & that the said notice was returned to the Clerks office of this Court within 5 days after the service of the same & the said defendant being solemnly called 316

not appearing. It is considered by the Court that the Plaintiffs recover of the said defendant the sum of $155.00 with interest thereon from 1st day of Sept 1908 until paid on a note waiving the benefit of homestead exemption, also their cost about their suit in this behalf expended.

J. H. Galleshaw Sheriff presented an account against Commonwealth of Va for services in case of Commonwealth vs William Mack charged with a felony & inducted by Grand Jury amounting to $6.00 which was examined & allowed by the Court & ordered to be certified to Auditor of Public accounts for payment.

J. H. Mallory - Special Constable presented an account against Com. of Va amounting to $2.00 for services in Case of Henry Gallegan charged with attempted robbery which was examined & allowed by the Court & ordered to be certified to Auditor of Public accounts for payment.

D. C. Coleman County Policeman presented an account against Com. of Va amounting to $1.60 for services in Case of Henry Gallegan charged with attempted robbery which was examined & allowed by the Court & ordered to be certified to Auditor of Public accounts for payment.

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Ordered that the sum of $10.00 be certified to the Auditor of Public accounts for payment to J. H. Galesha Sheriff, for the attendance of himself & one deputy during three days of this Term of Court & one deputy during two days of this Term of Court.

Ordered that the following witnesses for Com. of Va be paid out of the Public Treas. for their mileage & attendance during this Term of Court in the following cases; Com. of Va vs. Robt Dunkins,
Geo Moore .87¢ Andrew Thomas $1.00 Robt Thomas $1.00
James Coleman $3.40 Com. of Va vs Lawrence Flores
J. P. Thomas .66¢ Com of Va vs Wm Crawford
Lewis Mock $1.32 James Hooper $3.40 Chas Diggs $3.40

Com of Ja. vs. Mills Cora
Willie Garner

On motion of Edward Hammond the Court doth appoint him Guardian of Dolly May Lawson & Rosa Nell Lawson infants under the age of 14 years & thereupon the said Edward Hammond appeared in Court & qualified as such by taking the oath prescribed by law & together with Dr. Hudgins as his surety who qualified as to his efficiency entered into & acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $1000.00 conditioned as the law directs.

Ordered that the sum of $50.00 be certified to Auditor of Public Accts for payment to D.J. Epes Com. Atty. for his services in prosecuting at this term the following Criminal Charges sent a felony & indicted by Grand Jury to wit Com. vs Everett Hill, Com vs Laurence Glover, Com vs Geo Green, Com vs Wm Crawford & Com vs Geo Stith.

The Court doth Certify to Auditor of Public Accts the sum of $15.45 for payment to A.M. Organ Clerk for his services in the following felony cases tried at this term of Court to-wit Com. vs Everett Hill, Com vs Laurence Glover, Com vs Geo Green, Com vs Wm Crawford & Com vs Geo Stith. Being a fee of $2.50 in each case & 50¢ for registering each of said Criminal cases were convicted.

E.A. Crawder
vs
Camp Manufacturing Co. } Motion for a new trial.

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the Court, having considered the motion for a new trial submitted by the plaintiff at a former term and heard the argument of Counsel, is of opinion to sustain the said motion and doth set aside the verdict of the jury rendered herein, and grant the defendant a new trial. And on motion of the plaintiff leave is given him within thirty days from the rising of this Court, to amend

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hes declaration in this case, provided he file within that time his amended declaration in the Clerk's Office of this Court and furnish defendant's counsel with a copy of the same and provided also that the defendant have the right at the next term of the Court to make any legal objection to the legality of such amended declaration as he would have as if amended in term. And this case is continued until the next term.

In Re
The Purchase of Delinquent Lands.
R.C. Hargrave's Heirs.

This day came Richard T. Williams, Special Commissioner of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, Virginia, duly authorized by a certain decree duly entered in a certain cause pending in the Chancery side thereof, styled "Emma J. Perkins etals. vs. Charles Hargrave etals." on December 15th, 1906, and acting for and on behalf of all the heirs of the late R.C. Hargrave who were duly made parties to the said suit, and moved the Court to order the Clerk to execute deeds to him as such Special Commissioner, for such uses and purposes as may have been, or may hereafter be, decreed in the said Cause, for three certain tracts of land in the County of Dinwiddie, heretofore in the names of Anna Hoore, Phil. Thompson, and Chas. Trohy, respectively heretofore purchased by the said R.C. Hargrave, for delinquent State taxes and county levies thereon for the year 1894.

And it appearing to the Court that the said R.C. Hargrave owns the purchase of the said land as aforesaid, has died, and that his heirs have been properly made parties to the suit aforesaid, the Court doth order that the Clerk of this Court, when all the requirements of law relating to such sales shall have been complied with, do execute deeds for the said land to the said Richard T. Williams, Special Commissioner as aforesaid, for such uses and purposes as may heretofore been, or may hereafter be, decreed in the suit aforesaid.

For satisfactory reason the Clerk is directed to issue the venire facias for veniremen returnable to the second day of the next regular term of Court for the trial of both civil and criminal cases.

In Re
A Special Term:

The present term having ended without the dispatch of the civil business upon the docket it is ordered that a special term of this Court be appointed for: Monday the 26th Day of October 1908 for the trial of civil cases and such other matters as may then be ready for hearing: and the Clerk is directed to post notice thereof as required by Law on the front door of the Court House, issue all proper process and summon a petit jury to the first day of the term.

In Re
Petition of Freeholders:

This day Wm. H. Yates, Robert Cabiness and other citizen freeholders filed their petition praying for an election to be held for the purpose of determining whether the Board of Supervisors shall issue county bonds to the extent of $100000.00 for the purpose of negotiating a loan of money to apply to the permanent improvement of certain public roads in the County; and the Court doth continue the consideration of this matter until the next term.

Ordered that Court adjourn until the next term.

Walter A. Watson

Virginia. In the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County. In Vacation.

John T Gross admr &c. Plff } Order Refusing Bill of Exceptions.

Norfolk & Western Ry Co. Dft }

This day came the defendant by its Attorney and filed before the Judge of Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, in Vacation its second bill of exceptions which is proposed to be signed & sealed & made a part of the record in this case which is accordingly done & the said bill of exceptions # is accordingly refused. And the Clerk of said Court is directed to enter in the Common Law Order Book of his Court this order. Done under my hand. Oct 10 1908

Teste A M Organ Clerk Walter A Watkins Judge of

Cir Court Dinwiddie The Circuit of Dinwiddie

Virginia: In the Circuit Court Dinwiddie County:

In Vacation.

A list of insolvent, capitation & personal property taxes for the year 1907, was this day returned to the Judge of said Court by John Morgan, Treasurer of said County with the notes of said Treasurer & his deputies at the foot thereof thereto subscribed & accompanied by the written opinion of C E Abernathy & S. T. Gross, Commissioners of the Revenue for said County touching the property of such list and each case therein contained, made by his order thereto annexed and the entries of the Board of Supervisors, which said list after being Examined and approved by the Judge of the said Court, the said Judge of said Court doth order that a copy thereof be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts by the Clerk of this Court.

Walter A. Watkins,

Judge of said Ct.

Teste A M Organ,

Clerk of said Court.

Virginia: In the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County.

In Vacation.

John Morgan, Treasurer of Dinwiddie County, this day presented to the Judge of the Court a list of real estate in said County which is delinquent for the non-payment of taxes thereon, for the year 1907. with the note of the Treasurer & his deputies at the foot thereof thereto subscribed & accompanied by the written opinion of C. E. Abernathy & S. T. Gross, Commissioners of the Revenue for said County and of the Board of Supervisors touching the property of

Each list - & each Case therein contained, verified by their
oaths thereto attached, of which said lists, after being Examined by
the said Judge & he being satisfied of the correctness of the same
a copy is ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts,
Given under my hand Oct 7. 1908.

Walter A Watson,
Judge of Sd Court

To Jno. Organ
Clerk of Sd Court.

Virginia: In the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County.
In Vacation.

To J. H. Gathwright, Sheff & Jailer of Sd County.

Whereas request having been made by the Superintendent of the
Penitentiary that you and each & every convict to deliver to or upon
the order of said Superintendent the following male prisoner convicted
of crime & sentenced to confinement in the jail of your County;
John Early Johnson, Tony Green, Ernest Hicks, Sd latter on proper
receipt for delivery of same.

Done in Vacation October 10th 1908.

Walter A. Watson, Judge

To Jno. Organ,
Clerk of Sd Court.

Virginia: At a Special Term of the Circuit Court of the County of Dinwiddie, held for the said County at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday, the 26th day of October, 1908, and of the Commonwealth the 133rd. Notice hereof having been given according to law.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson Judge

Ordered that B. E. Bishop be and he is hereby appointed Overseer of the Poor for Namozine Magisterial District of Dinwiddie County, to fill the unexpired term of said office, caused by the death of J. A. Brooks, and thereupon the said B. E. Bishop appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law, and together with R. H. Ragsdale, as his surety, who qualified as to his sufficiency and entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500.00 conditioned as the Law directs.

It appearing to the Court from petition of citizens that the public service requires an additional Constable in Rawlings District, No. 5. It is ordered that B. L. Adams be and he is hereby appointed an additional Constable for said District for the term of said office, Expiring on the 31st day of December, 1911. And thereupon the said B. L. Adams appeared in Court and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law, And together with D. A. Bamm, J. F. Fisher & L. L. Mansfield as his sureties, who qualified as to their sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500.00 conditioned as the Law directs.

David Coleman, Administrator of
Eddie Coleman, deceased. Plaintiffs

vs.

Wm. Northrop and H. J. Wickham, Receivers
of the Virginia Passenger and Power Company
and Petersburg Granite Company, Incorporated Defendants

Action of Trespass on the case for $10.000.00 damages

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and by leave of court the plaintiffs filed an amended declaration in this cause, to which amended declaration the defendants and each of them filed a demurrer, and to each court thereon and the plaintiff joined in the said demurrer, and the Court not being fully advised of its judgment as the said premises

takes time to consider the same, until to-morrow morning at ten oclock

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten oclock.

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning
October 27, 1908

Present: Hon. Walter A Watson, Judge.

Eddie Columans' Adm'r, Plaintiff
vs.
Trustees of the Virginia Passenger and Power Company and Petersburg Granite Company, Incorporated Defendants
} Action of Injury in the case.

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the Court having maturely considered the defendants demurrer to the plaintiffs amended declaration filed in this case on yesterday, is of the opinion that the said declaration is sufficient in law for the plaintiff to have and maintain his action against the said defendants, and doth overrule the said demurrer, to which ruling of the court the defendants excepted. And thereupon the said defendants and each of them pleaded the general issue to the said declaration, to which the plaintiff replied generally, and issue is joined thereupon. Whereupon the following jury summoned by the Sheriff of this county and drawn according to law came into Court, to-wit: A.A. Hudson, D.H. Fisher, John D. Rives, E. M. Shackleford, J.N. Buck, J.N. Lee, E.H. Booth, E.B. Dicks, S.B. Bissman, whom the plaintiff & defendants by counsel each peremptorily challenged and of said jurors, whom the following jury remained for the trial of the issue: A.A. Hudson, D.H. John D. Rives, E.M. Shackleford, J.N. Buck, J.N. Lee, E.H. Booth, & S.B. Bissman, who were sworn to well and truly try the issue joined between the parties, and a true verdict give according to law and the evidence and having partly heard the evidence, and the Court being about to adjourn the jury were adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten oclock.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson.

Wednesday Morning
October 28th 1908.

Present: Hon Walter A Watson Judge.

Eddie Coleman's Administrator Plaintiff
vs
Receivers of the Virginia Passenger & Power Company and the Petersburg Granite Company Defendants

Action of Trespass on the Case for $10,000.00 damages

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury sworn in this cause on yesterday appeared in court pursuant to this adjournment to-wit: A.A. Hudson, John D. Rives, E. M. Shackelford, J. A. Brooks, J. H. Lee, E. H. Booth, and S. R. Borsseau, and having further heard the evidence the jury were adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Thursday Morning
October 29th 1908.

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge,

Eddie Coleman's Administrator Plaintiff
vs.
Receivers of the Virginia Passenger & Power Company and the Petersburg Granite Company Defendants

Action of Trespass on the Case for $10.000.00 damages

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the jury sworn in this case again appeared in court pursuant to this adjournment to-wit: A.A. Hudson, John D. Rives, E. M. Shackelford, J. A. Brooks, J. H. Lee, E. H. Booth, and S. R. Borsseau, and having fully heard the evidence

the jury were adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock

Walter A. Watson

Friday Morning,
October 30th 1908.

Present: Hon. Walter A Watson, Judge

Eddie Colemans Administrator Plaintiff
vs.
Receivers of the Virginia Passenger & Power Company & the Petersburg Granite Company Defendants

Action of Trespass on the case for $10.000 DD

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the jury in this cause again appeared in Court pursuant to their adjournment, to-wit: A. A. Hudson, John D. Rives, E. M. Shackelford, J. A. Rieb, J. A. Lee, E. A. Booth and S. R. Bissette and the Court having under consideration the instructions as to the law to be given in this case the Jury was adjourned over until Tomorrow morning.

Ordered that the Court adjourn until Tomorrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Saturday Morning
Oct 31st 1908

Eddie Colemans Admr. Plaintiff
vs.
The Receivers of the Virginia Passenger & Power Company & the Petersburg Granite Company Defendants

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and came also the Jury pursuant to their adjournment to wit:

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A. A. Jordan, John D. Rives, E. M. Shackleford, J. N. Beck, J. H. Lee, E. H. Booth, & S. R. Brossieau, who after having fully heard the evidence & argument of counsel retires to their room to consider of their verdict and after some time returned into Court with the following verdict, to wit: "We the jury upon the issue joined between the Plaintiff and the Petersburg Granite Company, Incorporated Defendant Company; and upon the issue joined between the Plaintiff and the Receiver of the Virginia Passenger & Power Company we find for the Plaintiff and assess his damages at Two Hundred Dollars, J. H. Beck Foreman." Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the said Plaintiff recover against the said Defendant the Receiver of the Virginia Passenger & Power Company the sum of Two Hundred Dollars the damages by the jury by their verdict ascertained and also his costs about his suit in this behalf expended.

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $26.00 for payment to J. H. Galusha, Sheriff for the attendance of himself & one deputy during six days of this term of the Court, and for the attendance of one deputy during one day of this term of the Court.

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Ordered that the following petit jurors be paid out of the County Levy for their mileage and attendance at this term of the Court, to-wit: To Chas Markwood 2 Es, J. H. Baskerville, 2 Es, to D. H. Fisher $5.00, E. B. Dickerson $4.00, A. A. Hudson $15.00, John D. Rives $15.00, E. M. Shackleford $13.20, J. N. Beck $13.80, J. H. Lee $12.00, E. H. Booth $15.00, S. R. Brossieau $9.60

In re Petition of Citizens Northwood
for Election on local issue for permanent improvement of roads.

This day C. A. Johnson, H. H. Johnson, D. E. Council & others citizens freeholders filed their petition praying for an election to be held for the purpose of determining whether the Board of Supervisors should issue County bonds for the purpose of negotiating a loan of money to be applied to the permanent improvements of certain roads in the same Magisterial Districts of Dinwiddie County. And the Court doth consideration of this matter until the next term of the Court.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until the first day of the next term.

Walter A. Watson

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday the 21st day of December 1908, and of the Commonwealth the 133rd.

Present: Hon. Watts A. Watson, Judge.

The following fines have been paid to the Clerk of this Court since his last report, to-wit:

Sept. 21-1908	Comm. of Va.	vs. Peter Bass	$1.00	Paid by C. M. Rives J. P.
" "	"	John Moore	2.50	J. J. Preston
" "	"	Charles Hobbs	2.50	"
" "	"	Jos Dellbridge	2.50	"
Nov. 18.	"	Sam Townsend	2.50	L. R. Doyle
"	"	Ashton Day	5.00	"
"	"	Jas Gwaltney	5.00	"
Dec. 2-	"	Wm Peyton	5.00	H. L. Rives

I, A. M. Organ, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing property books and that the same appears to be carefully made.

Given under my hand this 7th day of September, 1908.

A. M. Organ, Clerk Circuit Court.

The following certificate is endorsed on the property books for District No. 1.

I, A. M. Organ, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Dinwiddie County, hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing property books and that the same appears to be carefully made.

Given under my hand this 24th day of August, 1908.

A. M. Organ, Clerk of Circuit Court.

Certified Apl. 12-09

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accts. the sum of $25.00 for payment to A. M. Organ, Clerk for Examining the Personal Property Books for Districts Nos 1, & 2 of Dinwiddie County, the certificates required by Law to be affixed to said books having been made & recorded as the Law directs.

The Clerk of this Court made a report of deeds and other writings which have been admitted to record by him in his office during and since the September term of this Court, which is approved & ordered to be filed.

In the Matter of the estate of }
Freeman Browning, deceased }

A report of the accounts of Elizabeth R. Browning, administratrix of Freeman Browning, deceased, and of the debts and demands against the said deceased estate, having been filed in the Clerk's office of this Court, and one year having elapsed since the qualification of said personal representatives, on her motion, she being a distributee of said deceased, it is ordered that the creditors of said deceased show cause on the 15th day of March, 1909, before this Court against the payment and delivery of the estate of the said decedent to his distributees. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Petersburg Index-Appeal, a newspaper published in the City of Petersburg.

John Ford, Admr. of Sterling Ford, Plaintiff
vs.
Wm. Northrop, and H. T. Hickham, Receivers of the Virginia Passenger & Power Company, and the Petersburg Granite Company, Incorporated, Defendants

Action of trespass on the case

This day came again the parties by their attorneys and the matters of issue in this action having been satisfactorily adjusted and settled between the parties, it is ordered that this action be dismissed, the plaintiff to pay the costs thereof.

Philip Godsey, Plaintiff
vs.
Wm. Northrop, and H. T. Hickham, Receivers of the Virginia Passenger & Power Company and the Petersburg Granite Company, Incorporated, Defts

Action of Trespass on the Case

This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and the matters of issue in this action having been satisfactorily adjusted and settled between the parties, it is ordered that this action be dismissed, the plaintiff to pay the costs thereof.

William L. Peebles, gentleman, foreman, by virtue into H. A. Blanton, A. B. Potts, H. A. Shelton, A. P. Jones, L. T. Lewis, J. H. Phillips, Walter Hitchcock and A. G. Brinson, was sum a special grand jury of inquest in and for the body of the county of Dinwiddie, and after having received their charge retired to their room and after some time came into court and reported the following indictments:

The Commonwealth of Va
vs
Felix Johnson } Indictment for Maiming. A true bill

The Commonwealth of Va
vs
Le Roy Taylor, Aaron Stewart & Billy Stewart. } Indictment for a felony. A true Bill.

And the grand Jury having no further business before them are discharged.

Pyle & Co. Inc, Plaintiff.
vs.
Wm Robbins, Defendant, and Norfolk & Western Ry. Co. Garnishee. Defendant. } In Attachment.

The plaintiff having released the attachment issued and levied in this cause, on its motion, this action is dismissed.

In the matter of the adoption of
Nathan Hardy - An Infant.

It appearing to the Court that J. E. Talley and Etta B. Talley, his wife, have jointly filed their petition for leave to adopt Nathan Hardy, a minor child, not theirs by birth, and for a change of name of said child; and it further appearing that the Childrens Home Society of Virginia, a corporation chartered by the General Assembly of Virginia (Acts of Assembly 1901-1902 page 125), is the legal guardian of said child and has filed with said petition its consent in writing to said adoption, and it further appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the petitioners are able to bring up and educate the said child properly;

It is therefore ordered in accordance with the Statute in such case made and provided, Code of Virginia, 1904, Section 2614-a, that from and after this date, the said child, to all legal intents and purposes, is the child of the said petitioners and that its name is hereby changed to Nellie Franklin Talley.

The Commonwealth of Virginia Plaintiff.
vs
Felix Johnson, Defendant. } On an indictment for Maiming

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the jailer of this Court, and upon being arraigned pleaded "not guilty" to the indict-

ment, And the Sheriff having returned the writ of venire facias ad
testificandum into the record of sixteen persons summoned by him
to form a list furnished by the Clerk of this Court and drawn
according to Law and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors from
from Exceptions being completed, the prisoner struck from the said
panel four of said jurors, as granted by the Statute, when the
following twelve remained for the trial of the case, to wit
Robt. T. Rives, B.H. Barnes, H.R. Young, J.B. Chambers, G.A.
Bassman, John Bass, W.A. Taylor, E.C. Bishop, Jerrard Hays,
L.J. Williams, G.A. Davis & H.G. Wheeler, who were duly sworn
to well and truly try the issue joined and a true verdict give
according to the Law and the evidence, and having fully
heard the evidence and argument of Counsel retired to the
room to consider of their verdict, and after some time spent-
therein came into Court and rendered the following verdict:-
We the jury find the prisoner guilty of unlawful cutting as
charged in the within indictment- and ascertain his punish-
ment at 2 years in the penitentiary, Robt. T. Rives foreman
And it being demanded of the prisoner if any thing he had or
knew to say why the Court should not proceed to pro-
nounce sentence against him according to Law, and nothing
being offered or alleged in delay thereof, it is considered by the
Court that in lieu of the punishment aforesaid, that the said
Felix Johnson be and he is hereby sentenced to two years
hard labor on the public roads, and that he be delivered into
the custody of the Superintendent of the Penitentiary, to be kept
by him as a Member of the State Convict Road force in
accordance with Law, And the prisoner is remanded to jail

The Cable Company Plaintiff } Action in Detinue
vs
J. E. Reese Defendant }

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney, and on motion of
the said Plaintiff this case is removed from the docket, the
Matters in controversy having been adjusted between the parties.

It appearing to the Court that Eliza Walker is an orphan,
under the age of twenty one years, and has no legally quali-
fied guardian, on her motion, the Clerk of this Court is
ordered to issue a marriage license to Eddie Goodwyn
to marry her on the 22nd day of Dec. 1908

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff
vs.
Robt Dinkins Deft } On an appeal from a Finding of a Justice of the Peace

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff
vs
Robt Dinkins Defendant }

On motion of the defendant and with the consent of the Attorny for the Commonwealth it is ordered that the above cases be continued until the next term of this Court

Comth of Virginia Plaintiff
vs. } On an Indictment for house
Mills Cross Defendant breaking & Larceny.

This day came the Attorny for the Commonwealth and with the consent of the Court says that he will not further prosecute in this case. Whereupon the prisoner is discharged

Morgantte Gerecke. Plaintiff
vs.
S. Davis Warfield, A. Lancaster Williams
& E. C. Duncan, Receivers L. & A. R. Railway Defendants } Action of Trespass on the case.

J. C. Falconer & Ella C. Falconer. Plaintiffs
vs.
S. Davis Warfield, A Lancaster Williams
& E. C. Duncan, Receivers L. & A. R. Railway Defendants } Action of Trespass on the case.

By consent of parties this cause is continued until the next term of this Court.

John. T. Crowe. Plaintiff
vs.
Lee Yeiser & Sheffield Defendants }

On motion of the plaintiffs attorny it is ordered that this case be removed from the docket.

T. A. Sleeth Plaintiff
vs } Trespass on the case
Camp Manufacturing Company Defendant.

By consent of parties, it is ordered that this cause be continued until the next term of this Court.

John G. Harris & John Hargrave, Plaintiffs
vs.
Seaboard Air Line Railway, Defendant } Action of Trespass on the case.

By consent of parties by their attorneys this case is continued under the next term of the court.

R. B. Hartley, Trustee, Plaintiff
vs.
C. N. Coker, Defendant } Action of debt

W. S. Rutledge, Plaintiff
vs.
Norfolk & Western Railway Co, Defendant } Action of Trespass on the case.

Foley Bros. Plaintiffs
vs.
A. R. Butts Co. & Bro. Defendant } Action of Trespass on the case

On motion of the plaintiffs in the above styled cause it is ordered that they be continued under the next term of this court.

E. S. Crowder, Plaintiff
vs.
Camp Manufacturing Company, Defendant }

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the defendant filed a demurrer to the plaintiffs amended declaration filed in this case, in which the plaintiff joins; the defendant pleaded not guilty to the said amended declaration, to which the plaintiff replied generally. The defendant asked the court to require the plaintiff to file a bill of particulars in this case, and the plaintiff asked that the defendant be required to file a statement of its grounds of defense. And it is ordered that the plaintiffs bill of particulars or the statement of the defense hereof be filed at any time prior to ten days before the commencement of the next regular term of this court. And thereupon, by consent of parties this case is continued until the next term of this court.

John Hargrave, Executor who sues, Plaintiff
vs.
Martha C. Gillam, Executrix, and J. P. Gillam, Executor of the last will and testament of S. G. Gillam, deceased, Defendant } On motion of parties for judgment for $3022.81

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This day came again the parties by their attorneys, and by consent, this case is continued until the next term of this Court.

J. H. Ferguson Plaintiff
vs
B. A. Lewis Defendant } On an attachment issued by a Justice of the Peace

Ordered that this case be continued until the next term of this Court

In the change of voting place from Clark's Store to McKenny

Upon the petition in writing of J. F. Edmunds et al. qualified voters of Brookland precinct in Sapony Magisterial District, this day presented, the Court being satisfied that at least twenty qualified voters of said precinct and district have signed said petition and that notice of this application has been posted at the front door of the Courthouse at Clark's Store for thirty days prior to this time, it is ordered that the voting place for Brookland precinct be changed from Clark's Store to McKenny, and that the Clerk furnish the Judges of Election for said precinct with a copy of this order also post the same at the Courthouse, Clark's Store & McKenny.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at eleven o'clock A.M.

Walter A. Watson

Tuesday Morning
December 22nd 1908

Present: Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

In the matter of the petition of freeholders for an Election upon a bond issue for permanent improvement of certain public roads

Upon the petition in writing this day presented in Court of Wm. B. McElwain, Charles T. Lassiter, B. H. Rogsdale, J. E. Thigpen & others, freeholders of the County aforesaid, praying that an election be held in order that the people may determine

whether or not bonds shall issue for the permanent improvement of certain public roads named in said petition, the Court being satisfied that fifty freeholders in number and more have signed the said petition as to each road named therein, it is ordered that the regular election officers of the County on the 2nd day of February 1909. shall at their several voting places in the County open a poll and take the sense of the qualified voters of said County on question whether or not the Board of Supervisors shall issue bonds for macadamizing or the permanent improvement of the following public roads:

In Stanzyne District-

1. Plank Road from Corporate Line of Petersburg to Long Ordinary Road 3 miles
2. Cox " " Ritchies Store to the line of Daniels District- 15- "
3. Halifax Road and old A & L Right of Way from Petersburg to Ravenly Line 6 "
4. White Oak Road, ½ of road from Burgess's to line of Daniels District, ½ of 12 miles 6 "

30 miles

Maximum issue of bonds for Stanzyne District- $30.000.

Chargeable upon the taxable values of said Stanzyne District and the proceeds of said bonds to be expended only in said District

In Ravenly District-

1. Plank Road from Hatchers Run to the line of Sopony District 12 miles
2. Halifax and Old Atlantic Coast-Line Right- of Way from Stanzyne District- line to Stage Road } 1/2 "
3. Stage road from intersection with Halifax and Old Atlantic Coast-Line Right of Way to Marks Neck Bridge } 4 "
4. White Oak Road ½ of road from Burgess's to the line of Daniels District- } 1/2 of 12 = 6 "

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Maximum issue of bonds for Ravenly District- $22.500.

Chargeable upon the taxable values of said Ravenly District and the proceeds of said bonds to be expended only in said District.

In Sopony District-

1. Plank road from line of Ravenly District to Nottoway River 8 miles
2. Stage road from Marks Neck Bridge to Cut-Bank Bridge 15- "

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Maximum issue of bonds for Sopony District- $23.000.

chargeable upon the taxable values of said Sopony District and the proceeds of said bonds to be expended only in said district

In Daniels District-

1. Cox road from the line of Stanzyne District to the County Line 11 miles
2. White Oak Road from Line of Ravenly District to the County Line 8

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J. Grubby road from White Oak road to Daniels Post-Office 8 miles
27 miles

Maximum issue of bonds for Sapony District - $27,000.
Chargeable upon the taxable values of said Sapony Daniels District
and the proceeds of said bonds to be expended only in said
District -

The approximate width of all of said roads to be permanently
improved as aforesaid to be thirty feet from the outer Edges of
the ditches on either side thereof.

Jacob Epstein, trading under the name
of Baltimore Bargain Bargain House, Plaintiff
vs.
J. D. Hamner, Defendant } On notice of
Motion for Judgment.

This day came the plaintiff by attorney and it appearing to the
Court that the defendant has had legal notice of this motion
and that the said notice was given to the Clerk's Office of this
Court within the time prescribed by law, And the said defendant
being solemnly called & not appearing It is ordered by the
Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the
sum of $427.80, with the interest thereon from the 11th day of
July 1908, and also the costs that the suit in this behalf
expended.

Ordered that the following jurors in case of the Commonwealth of Va. vs. Felix Johnson be paid out of the
State Treasury for their mileage and attendance at the
last of the Ct. To B.F. Epes 2.50, W.A. Gary 2.50, Hance
Ragsdale 2.40, J.B. Chambers 2.00, C.C. Caudle 2.40, F.A.
Bassett 2.00, John Bass 2.10, W.A. Taylor 2.50, J.L. Clay 1.90,
D.A. Bass 1.90, E.C. Bishop 2.30, James Hays 2.50, S.T. Williams
2.50, R.L. Rives 2.50, G.C. Davis 2.50, H.G. Hunter 2.50

Ordered that the following grand jurors be paid out of the Co.
Ly for the mileage & attendance at this last of the Ct.
W.A. Blanton 2.40, A.B. Potts 2.50, W.A. Shelton 2.50, W.L.
Peebles 2.50, A.P. Jones 2.50, L.T. Lewis 2.50, J.W. Phillips 1.80,
Walter Hutchcraft 1.80, A.G. Bassett 1.90,

Copies ordered The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accts the
sum of $10.00 for payment to B.F. Epes Comm. Atty. for his
services in prosecuting Felix Johnson, charged with a

felony & indicted by grand Jury

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $100 for payment to A. No Orgain Clerk for his services in the case of the Comm'th of Va. vs. Felix Johnson, charged with a felony & indicted by grand Jury, & for attending Court.

The Court doth certify to the Auditor of Public Accounts the sum of $12.00 for payment to J. W. Galusha, Sheriff, for the attendance of himself 3 days and one deputy during the 2 days of this term of the Court and one deputy during one day of this term of the Court.

W. F. Hitchcock, Acting Jailer presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va. amounting to $140.00 for board of prisoners in Jail from Sept 23d to Dec. 23rd 1908, which was Examined and allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning.

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning
Dec. 23rd 1908

Present: Hon Walter A. Watson, Judge.

Jno. W. Galusha Sheriff presented an account against the Commonwealth of Virginia amounting to $68.00, which was Examined & allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accounts for payment.

J. W. Galusha, Sheriff, presented an account against the Commonwealth of Va. amounting to $7.70, for clothing furnished prisoners in the Early part of Dinwiddie County, not Exceeding ten dollars per year for any one prisoner, which was Examined & allowed by the Court and ordered to be certified to the Auditor of Public Accts for payment.

Ordered that Court adjourn until the first day of the next term.

Walter A. Watson

Office Judgment Docket, Dec. 28th 1908

Manson & Shell Co, a corporation Plaintiff
vs.
Anderson Bird, William Tinsley, C. J. Madison and Jeff Robinson Defendants
} Action of debt

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney and it appearing that the process in this cause has been served on all of the defendants, except Anderson Bird, who has departed this life, the same abates as to him, and the said defendants, William Tinsley, C. J. Madison, & Jeff Robinson, on whom process was served, being solemnly called, and not appearing, It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants on whom process has been served, the sum of $150.00 with interest thereon from the 22nd day of January, 1906 until paid, and also their costs about their suit in this behalf expended

Manson & Shell Co, a corporation Plaintiff
vs.
Thomas Coleman, Susannah Sevier,
J. J. Cary & A. N. Hamill Defendants
} Action of debt

This day came the plaintiffs by its attorney and it appearing to the Court that Thomas Coleman, one of the defendants in this cause, has not been served with process herein, it is ordered that alias summons be issued and this cause continued as to him, And the said defendants Susannah Sevier, J. J. Cary, & A. N. Hamill, on whom process was duly served, being solemnly called and not appearing, It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants, upon whom process has been served, the sum of $165.00 with interest thereon from the 19th day of March 1906 until paid & also its costs about its suit in this behalf expended

This judgment is an abstract bearing this homestead Exemption and is subject to the following credits, Dec 10. 1906. $100.00, March 18. 1907. $5.00, & March 16 - 1908 - $4.00

Manson & Shell Co, a corporation Plaintiff
vs.
J. J. Jans, J. A. Hammett &
A. L. Parham Defendants
} Action of debt

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney and the said defendants J. J. Jans, having departed this life since this cause abated as to him, and the defendant A. L. Parham, not having been served with process in the cause, and alias is awarded as to him, and the said

defendant - J. H. Hemmicutt, on whom process has been issued being solemnly called and not appearing; it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant J. H. Hemmicutt, the sum of $150.00 with interest thereon from the 3rd day of March, 1903, until paid and also its costs about its suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is an an instrument evincing the homestead Exemption, & is subject to a credit of $40.00 paid Dec. 8th 1904.

Manson & Shull Co a corporation Plaintiff
vs.
Charles Johnson, Peter Bridgforth, Sanders called Otis Bridgforth and E. W. Johnson Defendants
} Action of Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney and the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing, It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of One Hundred and fifty Dollars, with interest thereon from the 22nd day of January, 1906 until paid & also the costs about their suit in this behalf Expended, This judgment is an an instrument evincing the Homestead Exemption and is subject to a credit of $22.00, paid Dec 21st 1908.

Manson & Shull Co, a corporation Plaintiff
vs.
Eddie Wyatt, B. L. Brisson, A. G. Brisson and G. Brisson Defendants
} Action of Debt.

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney and the said defendants, having been duly and often served with process, and being solemnly called and not appearing, It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants the sum of One Hundred & Seventy Dollars, with interest thereon from the 7th day of June, 1906, until paid and also its costs about its suit in this behalf Expended.
This judgment is an an instrument evincing the homestead Exemption and is subject to a credit of $100.00 paid Feb. 18, 1907.

Manson & Shull Co, a corporation Plaintiff
vs.
G. E. Branch, J. A. Gibbs, Geo Brisson and Henry Bridgforth Defendants
} Action of debt.

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney & and the said defendants having been duly summoned in this cause, and being solemnly

called but not appearing. It is ordered by the Court that the said plaintiff, recover against the said defendants the sum of One Hundred and fifteen Dollars with interest thereon from the 19th day of March 1906 until paid & also the Costs that & the said in this behalf Expended, This judgment is a lien and instrument waiving the Homestead Exemption

Manson Shell Co, a corporation Plaintiff

vs.

Heaton Tuckey, William Lumbry, Jerimus Tuckey, Sam Tuckey, Lee Knox and Isaac Heaton Defendants

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney, and the said defendants being duly called and not appearing. It is ordered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants and each of them the sum of One Hundred and Sixty five Dollars, with interest thereon from the 19th day of December, 1905 until paid and also its costs that & the said in this behalf Expended, This Judgment is a lien and instrument waiving the Homestead Exemption and is subject to the following credits Dec. 17-1906 $10.00, March 16-1907 $20.00, Nov. 14-1908, $40.00, & Dec. 21st 1908 $30.00

Manson Shell Co, a corporation Plaintiff

vs.

Joseph Cooper, Lucy Cooper and James Goldsby Jr. Defendants } Action of debt.

This day came the plaintiffs by its attorney and the said defendants having been duly summoned in this case, and being solemnly called and not appearing. It is ordered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants, the sum of One Hundred and Sixty Dollars, with interest thereon from the 27th day of March, 1906 until paid and also its costs that & the said in this behalf Expended. This Judgment is a lien and instrument waiving the Homestead Exemption and is subject to the following credits, to-wit:- Dec. 15-1906 $10.00, March 19-1906 $40.00, Dec 17-1906 $8.00, March 18-1907 $10.00, Jan 6 1907 $4.00, Dec 24, 1907 $1.00, March 31st 1908 $4.00, Nov. 2 1908 $8.00, Dec. 2 1908, $10.00

Manson Shell Co. a corporation Plaintiff

vs.

James Parham, Richard Parham, C. I. Hawkins, J. H. Gibbs & Egypt Baum Defendants } Action of debt.

This day came the plaintiffs by its attorney and the said defendants having been duly summoned in this cause, and being solemnly called

and not appearing. It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff re-
cover of the defendant the sum of $220.00, Two Hundred and
Twenty Dollars, with interest thereon from the 8th day of April 1907
until paid & also its cost about its suit in this behalf Ex-
pended. This Judgment is an an instrument evidencing the homestead Equities
ties and is subject to a credit of $44 paid Dec. 21st 1908.

Mansur & Shull Co., a corporation Plaintiff
vs.
W.H. Crowder, C.E. Abernathy, J.H.
Goodwyn and J.H. Any Defendants } On an action of debt.

This day came the plaintiff by its attorney and
the defendant, J.H. Goodwyn, having disputed this his, this cause stands as
to him, and the defendant, W.H. Crowder not having been found with-
in process in this case, it is ordered that an alias summons be issued as
to him and therefore this case is continued as to him. And the
defendants, C.E. Abernathy & J.H. Any, having been duly summoned &
both in this case, and being solemnly called and not appearing.
It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said
defendants, C.E. Abernathy & J.H. Any, the sum of $120.00 with
legal interest thereon from the 20th day of January 1908, until paid
also its costs about its suit in this behalf Expended.

Judgment Confessed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit
Court of Davidson County January 20th 1909

Ellington & Guy, Inc. a corporation Plaintiff } Action of Trespass
vs. on the case in
C.E. Wells Defendant } assumpsit

This day came the defendant in his own proper
person, and acknowledged legal service of the summons
issued herein, and confessed judgment in favor of the plain-
tiff in the sum of Four Thousand Three Hundred and Seven-
ty Seven Dollars and eighty seven cents $4377.87, with in-
terest thereon from the 1st day of January 1909, until paid.
Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff
recover against the said defendant the sum of $4377.87, with
legal interest thereon from the 1st day of January 1909
until paid and also his costs about his suit in this
behalf Expended.

In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court,
January 20, 1909.

John G. Harris & Jno. Hargrave trading as
Harris & Hargrave — Plaintiffs
vs. } Action of debt.
A. G. Brisson — Defendant

This day came the defendant in his own proper person and acknowledged legal service of the summons issued in this case, and confessed a judgment in favor of the plaintiffs for the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars, with legal interest thereon from the 13th day of September 1908 until paid. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the sum of One Hundred & Fifty dollars, with legal interest thereon from the 13th day of September 1908 till paid and also their costs about this suit in this behalf expended. This judgment is on an instrument bearing the January

In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court
January 20th 1909

Peter Brisson — Plaintiff
vs. } Action of debt.
A. G. Brisson — Defendant

This day came the defendant in his own proper person, and acknowledged legal service of the summons issued herein, and confessed judgment in favor of the plaintiff in the sum of $450.00, Four Hundred and fifty dollars, with interest thereon from Dec. 1st 1905 till paid & costs. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $450.00, with legal interest thereon from Dec. 1st 1905 till paid and also his costs about his suit in this behalf Expended. This judgment is on an instrument bearing the January Expended

In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court
January 20th 1909

W. M. Sloan — Plaintiff
vs. } Action of debt.
A. G. Brisson — Defendant

This day came the plaintiff, as well as the defendant and the defendant in his own proper person acknowledged legal

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Service of the Summons issued in this case and Caiseud Judgment in favor of the said plaintiff in the sum of Ninety Dollars and fifty cents ($90.50), cents interest on $43.61, a part thereof from the 22nd day of February 1907, tile paid, and on $46.83, the residue thereof from Dec 21st 1908, tile paid, and also his costs about his suit in this behalf Expended. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $90.50 cents interest on $43.61, a part thereof from the 22nd day of Febry 1907 tile paid, and on $46.83, the residue thereof from the 21st day of December 1908 tile paid, and also his costs about his suit in this behalf Expended. This Judgment is on instrument waiving the benefit of the homestead Exemptions.

In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court, January 26, 1909

W. M. Sluss, John Hargrove & B. L. Bassian,

Assignees &c, Plaintiffs } Action of Debt

vs.

A. G. Bassian Defendant }

This day came the plaintiffs as did also the defendant in his own proper person, and the said defendant acknowledged legal service of the Summons issued in this case and confessed judgment in favor of the plaintiffs in the sum of $390.19 Three Hundred and Ninety Dollars and nineteen cents, therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the said defendant the sum of $390.19 cents legal interest thereon from the 16th Day of March 1908 tile paid and also their costs about their suit in this behalf Expended. This judgment is in a note waiving the homestead Exemption

In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie Circuit Court, Febry 3rd 1909

J. D. Ruis, who was on the 14th day of January 1909, by his Excellency, the Governor of Virginia, appointed and Commissioned a Notary Public for the County of Dinwiddie for a term of four years from said date, this day offered before me in my office aforesaid and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by law, and together with W. C. Ruis as his surety, entered into qualified as to his sufficiency entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $5000.00 conditioned as the law directs.

Teste: A. M. Boyd Clerk

Virginia: At a Circuit Court held for the County of Dinwiddie, at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday the 15th day of March 1909, and of the Commonwealth

Present Hon. Walter A. Watson, Judge.

The Clerk of the Court made a report of bonds and other writing which have been admitted to record by him in his office during and since the December term of this court, which was approved & ordered to be filed

A paper writing bearing date on the 25th day of April, 1905, purporting to be the true first will and testament of Amelia Mason dec'd was this day produced before in Court by Carrie J. Jones and offered for proof, and was proven by the oaths of W. B. Perrin, one of the subscribing witnesses to the said will who testified himself and Pat Cousins, the other subscribing witness to the said will, were present together at the same time, in the presence of the testatrix, and at his request signed their names to the said will as witnesses, and the said testatrix in the presence of the two witnesses and each of them signed the said will and acknowledged the same to be the true last will and testament of the said Amelia Mason, dec'd. Whereupon the said will is admitted to record as and for the true last will and testament of the said Amelia Mason dec'd

Sammy Hunt, and Chas Taylor, who were accepted to appear here on this day as witness on behalf of the Commonwealth at the suit of the Commonwealth vs. Harry Walker, was solemnly called but came not. Thereupon on the motion of the Attorney for the Commonwealth it is ordered that the said Sammy Hunt and Chas Taylor, be summoned to appear here on the first day of the next term, to show cause, if any they can, why they should not be fined for their said contempt.

Harry Moon who was recognized by a Justice of the Peace to appear here on this day as a witness on behalf of the Commonwealth at the suit of the Commonwealth vs [illegible] was solemnly called but not appearing. Thereupon on the motion of the Attorney for the Commonwealth it is ordered that the said Harry Moon be summoned to appear here on the first day of the next term, to show cause, if any he can,

why he should not be fined for his said contempt.

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff
vs.
B.J. Madison Defendant } On an indictment for a felony.

The prisoner B.J. Madison, together with A.W. Bias, J.A. Madison, Amelia J. Madison, and B.O. Madison, acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia, the said B.J. Madison in the sum of $500.00, and each of his sureties in the sum of $500.00, to be levied of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements, for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void if the said B.J. Madison shall personally appear in this Court on Wednesday of this term, surrender himself into custody, and not depart thence without leave of this Court.

Commonwealth of Virginia Plff } On an indictment for a felony.
vs.
Le Roy Taylor, Aaron Stewart and Billy Stewart Defts

The prisoner, Le Roy Taylor, together with Melville Dorsey, Peyton Taylor, & Henry Banks, acknowledge themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia, the said Le Roy Taylor in the sum of $250.00 and each of his sureties in the sum of $125.00 to be levied of their respective goods and chattels, lands and tenements for the use of the said Commonwealth, but to be void if the said Le Roy Taylor shall personally appear in this Court room on the 3rd day of the present term, surrender himself into custody, and not depart thence without leave of this Court.

Grand Jury:

George E. Perkins, Gentleman, Foreman, together with B.J. Wainwright, D.H. Williams, W.S. Harman, H.L. Harris, John Kirtley, J.E. Rucker, L.B. Doyle and W.D. Stith was sworn a Grand Jury of Inquest, in and for the body of the County of Dinwiddie, and after having received their charge retired to their room and after some time came into Court, and reported the following indictments, to wit:

The Commonwealth of Va
vs
B.J. Madison } Indictment for Forgery.
True Bill.

The Commonwealth of Va
vs.
Stepton Henderson } Indictment for Housebreaking and Larceny. True Bill.

The Commonwealth of Va
vs.
Henry Hacker } Indictment for Housebreaking and Larceny. True Bill.

The Commonwealth of Va
vs.
Jos Short } Indictment for Murder. True Bill

The Commonwealth of Va
vs.
Peter Whitehurst-
&
Commonwealth of Va
vs.
Robt Dinkins } Plaintiff / Defendant } On an appeal from a decision of a Justice of the Peace fining him $25.00 & cost & sentencing him to confinement of term month in gaol.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner appeared in Court in discharge of his recognizance and the prisoner pleaded "guilty" to charge in the warrant and by agreement of the Commonwealth Attorney and prisoner's counsel and with the assent of the Court, the prisoner is fined $10.00 and cost of this case, Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Va recover against the said Robt Dinkins the fine of $10.00 and costs.

The Commonwealth of Va, Plaintiff
vs.
Robt Dinkins Defendant } On an appeal from a decision of a Justice of the Peace.

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the the prisoner appeared in Court in discharge of his recognizance, and the prisoner pleaded "guilty" to the charge in the warrant and by agreement of the Attorney for the Commonwealth and with the assent of the Court, the prisoner is fined $10.00 and the costs of this case, Thereupon it is considered by the Court that the Commonwealth of Va recover against the said Robt Dinkins a fine of $10.00 and costs aforesaid

John C. Ella C. Falconer Plaintiffs
vs.
Receivers of Seaboard Air Line Railway Defendants } Action of Trespass on the case

Ordered that this case be continued until the first day of the next term.

Margaret Gordon Plaintiff
vs.
Receivers of Seaboard Air Line Railway Co. Defendant } Action of Trespass on the case.

Ordered that this case be continued until the first day of the next term of this court.

E. S. Crowder. Plaintiff
vs.
Camp Manufacturing Co Defendant } Action of Trespass on the case

On motion of the defendant by attorney this case is continued until the next term of this court.

Hanis C. Hargrave. Plaintiff
vs.
Seaboard Air Line Railway Deft. } Action of Trespass on the case

R. B. Huntley, trustee Plaintiffs
vs.
C. H. Carter Deft } Action of Trespass on the case

On motion of the plaintiff by his attorney this case is continued until the next term of the court.

W. S. Rutledge Plaintiff
vs.
Augusta & Aiken Railway Co. Deft } Action of Trespass on the case

Ordered that this case be continued until the next term of the court.

Foley & Co. Plaintiff
vs.
H. R. Butterworth & Co. Defendant } Action of Trespass on the case.

Ordered that this case be continued until the next term of this court.

This day came the Plaintiffs by their Atty. & moved the Court to transmit the Suggestion of the City of Richmond Va. to amend his motion on file, 16th 1908, & thereupon the said motion & suggestion to amend said motion as amended & so much of the motion as seeks to substitute "The Fidelity & Casualty Company of New York" for "The Standard Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut" in the motion & suggestion aforesaid, is by consent of counsel for the respective parties hereto sustained & granted, & it is ordered that the said motion as amended & so much of the suggestion as seeks to substitute "The Fidelity & Casualty Company of New York" for "The Standard Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut" in the motion & suggestion aforesaid be & the same are hereby sustained & granted.

Martha Cox Gilliam, Executrix and
J. P. Gilliam, Executor of the last will
and testament of Samuel G. Gilliam, deceased, — Defendant—

v.

The Standard Insurance Company
of Hartford, Connecticut, a corporation,* — Defendant—

And the defendant having, The Standard Insurance Company of Hartford Connecticut, within the time provided by law, filed its petition for the removal of this cause to the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia, and having at the same time offered its bond in the sum of three hundred dollars ($300.00) with the National Surety Company of New York City, good and sufficient surety, pursuant to Statutes and conditioned according to law; now therefore, this Court doth hereby accept and approve said bond, and doth accept said petition, and doth order that this cause be removed for trial to the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia, pursuant to the Statutes of the United States, and that all other proceedings in this Court be stayed.

Martha Cox Gilliam, Plaintiff

v.

The Fidelity & Casualty Company
of New York. Defendant

This cause coming on for hearing upon application of the defendant herein, for an order transferring this cause to the United States Circuit Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, and it appearing to the Court that the defendant has filed his petition for such removal in due form of law, and that the defendant has filed his bond duly conditioned, with good and sufficient sureties, as provided by Law, and it appearing to the Court that this is a proper cause for removal to said Circuit Court, Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered and adjudged that this cause be and it is hereby removed to the United States Circuit Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, and the Clerk is hereby directed to make up the record in said cause for transmission to said Court forthwith.

*This day came the Plaintiff by her Atty. & moved the Court for leave to amend his motion on file, 16th 1908, & thereupon the said motion as amended & so much of the motion as seeks to substitute "The Fidelity & Casualty Company of New York" for "The Standard Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut" in the motion & suggestion aforesaid be & the same are hereby sustained & granted, & it is ordered that the said motion as amended & so much of the motion as seeks to substitute "The Fidelity & Casualty Company of New York" for "The Standard Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut" in the motion & suggestion aforesaid be & the same are hereby sustained & granted.

Application of Booker T. Ellis for Distillers License.

A license is this day granted to Booker T. Ellis, to manufacturing or distil Alcoholic Liquors, who shall manufacture not less than two bushels per day at his house in Stanardsville District, about one half mile South of Pleasant, Va., in this County, and the said Manufacturer shall have the privilege of selling the liquors actually manufactured by him in quantities of not less than one gallon at the house where manufactured, provided that the liquors sold shall be taken away at time of sale, for the period beginning on the 1st day of May 1909 and Expiring on the 30 day of April 1910.

Ordered that the court be adjourned until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson.

Tuesday Morning
March 16th 1909

Present— Hon. Walter A Watson Judge.

The Commonwealth of Va. Plaintiff
vs
Peter Whitehurst— Defendant } On an indictment for Burglary.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the sheriff of this County, and upon being arraigned plead not guilty to the indictment, and the Sheriff of this County having returned the writ of venire facias heretofore issued into the hands of sixteen jurors summoned by him and taken from a list furnished him by the Clerk of this court, and drawn according to law, and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors from whom Exceptions being completed; four of said jurors were drawn from the panel by lot, when the following twelve remained for the trial of the cause, who were sworn to well and truly try the issue joined and a true verdict give, to wit, C. M. Sims, J. S. Fisk, J. K. Bowles, W. D. Sheets, J. F. Hower, J. D. Hutchinson, B. L. Irvin, James Dye, E. C. Harding, H. H. Lamb, and having heard the evidence and argument of Counsel retired to their room to consider of their verdict and after some time spent there came into court and reported as follows. Not guilty C. M. Sims Foreman. And nothing further being offered or alleged against the prison

it- is ordd that- he be acquitted and discharged of the felony aforesaid, and go thereof without a day.

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff }
v. } On an indictment- for
Stephen Henderson Defendant- Housebreaking & Larceny

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and the prisoner by counsel demurred to the indictment, which the Court overruled, to which the prisoner by counsel excepted. And the prisoner by counsel arraigned plead "Not guilty" to the indictment, and the said Sheriff having returned the writ of Venire facias in this case executed, together with the names of fifteen persons summoned by him according to law, drawn by him from the Clerk of this Court, and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors free from exceptions being completed, the prisoner by counsel struck from the said panel four of the said jurors when the following twelve remained for the trial of the issues to-wit: C. M. Ross, J. G. Fisher, W. D. Allen, J. A. Harris, S. W. Lathrop, C. T. Hawkins, John N. Haddon, G. A. Kitchenside, J. N. Lewis, B. O. Malloy, A. E. Richardson, & S. T. Clarke, who were sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, and having fully heard the evidence and argument of counsel retired to their room to consider of their verdict, and after some time came into Court and reported that- they were unable to agree. And the jury was adjourned over until to-morrow morning at ten o'clock. And the prisoner was remanded to jail.

On motion of W. H. Reamy from his office as Special Constable.

The Court being advised that- W. H. Reamy who has been from time appointed a Special Police for the County of Dinwiddie is an improper person to hold the said office, it- is ordered that- the said W. H. Reamy be and he is hereby removed from said office, and that his appointment as such be and the same is hereby revoked.

Ordered that- the Court be adjourned until tomorrow morning

Walter A. Watson

Wednesday Morning.
March 17th 1909

Present- Hon. Yates A Watson, Judge.

The Commonwealth of Va. Plaintiff
vs. } On an indictment for
Stephen Henderson. Defendant- } Housebreaking & Larceny

This day came again the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was again led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this Court, And thereupon came again the following jury sworn in this cause on yesterday, to-wit: C M. Rins, J. F. Fisher, H. D. Allen J A Hairr, A. W. Lockridge, C. J. Hawkins, John M. Hadden, G. A. Hitchcock, J. A. Lewis, B. O. Bailey, A. E. Richardson and S. J. Clarke, and again retired to their room to consider of their verdict and after some time spent therein, again came into Court and reported that they were unable to agree in a verdict- Thompson C M. Rins, one of the jurors aforesaid was withdrawn, and the rest of the jury from rendering their verdict are discharged. And the prisoner is remanded to jail.

The Commonwealth of Va. Plaintiff
vs. } On an indictment for
Henry Walton Defendant- } Housebreaking & Larceny.

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth, and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the jailor of this, and upon being arraigned, plead "Not guilty" Court- And the Sheriff of this County, having returned the writ of venire-facias in this case, Executed, together with the names of sixteen persons summoned by him, and taken from a list furnished him by the Clerk of this Court, and a panel of sixteen qualified jurors free from Exceptions being completed from of said jurors was drawn from the said panel by lot, when, the following twelve remained for the trial of the case who were sworn the truth of, and upon the premises to speak, to-wit: C M. Rins, J. F. Fisher, H. D. Allen A E Richardson, J C Bailey, Willard Brisson, J. F. Fisher Armistead Gibbs, B. L. Adams, G. A Hitchcock, C J. Hawkins, John O Hitchcock and John M Hadden, and having heard the evidence and argument of Counsel retired to their room to consider of their Verdict, and after some time came into Court and reported as follows: "We the Jury find the prisoner guilty of petit Larceny as charged in the

victim indicted, and for his punishment at sixty days in the county jail, And it being demanded of the prisoner if any any thing he had or found to say why the Court should not proceed to pass sentence upon him according to Law and nothing being offered or alleged in delay thereof it is considered by the court that the said Henry Walker be confined in the jail of this county for the term of sixty days the period by the jury by their verdict ascertained, And it is ordered that the jailor of this county, upon the written request of the Supt of the Penitentiary deliver the said Henry Walker to the nearest State Convict Road force to work upon the public roads for the period aforesaid, And the prisoner is remanded to jail,

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff }
vs. } On an indictment
C J Madison Defendant } for forgery

This day came the Attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner was led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of this County, and the said Sheriff having return the writ of venire facias in this case, together with the names of eighteen persons summoned by him and drawn according to Law, And a panel of fifteen qualified jurors free from Exceptions being completed, the prisoner by consent struck from the said panel four of said jurors, when the following remained for the trial of the prisoner, who were sworn to well and truly try the issue joined and a true verdict give according to Law, to wit: C M. Rice, J. J. Fitch, W. D. Allen, H. H. Lathrop, B. O. Walling, Arrowsmith Gibbs, Willard Brisendine, B. L. Adams, J. A. Bentley, S. T. Clark, J. O. Hitchcock and A. E. Redmond, And being partly heard the evidence, upon instruction of the Court, returned a verdict in the following words and figures, to-wit:- "We the Jury find the prisoner not guilty, but on the merits of the issue joined, but because of the various errors the Court alleged to have been found and offered in evidence and the proper description in the indictment as having been forged, C M. Rice foreman. And thereupon the prisoner was discharged;

Commonwealth of Va Plaintiff }
vs } On an indictment for Housebreaking
Stephen Andrews Deft } and Larceny

the prisoner Septus Hendrson, together with A E Richardson W B Bridgeman, S I Clarke, Thos Hendrson, Richard H Mann, Wm Hendrson and Granville Branch acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia; the said Septus Hendrson in the sum of $100.00 and each of his sureties in the sum of $100.00 to be levied of their respective goods and chattels, land and tenements &c, for the use of the said Commonwealth but to be void should the said Septus Hendrson personally appear in this court now on the first day of the regular June term of this Court, surrender himself into custody to answer the said indictment and not depart thence without the leave of this Court.

J C Crawford. Plaintiff. } On notice of motion for judgment.
vs.
J E Jackson, E M Scott and A M Hamlin Defendants }

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney, and it appearing to the court from the return of the Sheriff of this County and of the Sergeant of the City of Petersburg endorsed on the notice that the said defendants have had legal notice of this motion, and also that the said notice was filed in the Clerks office with the time prescribed by Statute, and the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing. It is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants the sum of $125.00 with interest thereon from the 18th day of March 1907 till paid and $1.24 ~~costs~~ protest fee and also his costs about his suit in this behalf Expended.

J C Crawford Plaintiff } On notice of motion for judgment.
vs.
J E Jackson & Sidney Chatman Defendant }

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and it appearing to the court that the defendants have had legal notice of this motion, and that the said notice was filed in the clerks office of this court within the time prescribed by Statute and the said defendants being solemnly called and not appearing. It is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of $200.00 with interest thereon from the 18th day of March 1907 till paid, & $1.24 Cts of protest fee, and also the costs of this suit in this behalf Expended.

Commonwealth of Va

On motion of the proper authorities it is ordered that B.H. Barron, C.C. Landy, & G.G. Lee be and they are hereby appointed Trustees for Rocky Run Methodist-Episcopal Church South.

In Re appointment of Trustees.

On motion of the proper authorities of Hankins Methodist-Episcopal Church South, J.A. Hankins, Armistead Gibbs, A.P. Shipp and J.E. Gibbs, Sr and they are hereby appointed Trustees for said Hankins Methodist-Episcopal Church South,

Commonwealth of Va — Plaintiff — On a warrant charging him with a Misdemeanor

vs.

Jesse Crowder — Defendant — and appeal from a decision of a Justice of the Peace

This day came the attorney for the Commonwealth and the prisoner appeared in discharge of his recognizance, And on motion of the attorney for the Commonwealth and with the assent of the Court this case is dismissed at the defendants costs.

Ordered that the following witness in the case of the Commonwealth of Va vs. Billy Stewart be paid out of the State Treasury for the mileage and attendance at this term of the Court.

Com. vs. John Hackett	2 days	4	miles	$1.32
" Jarrato 2.		8	"	$1.64
" Lula Beasley 2 "		2	"	$1.32
Com. vs. W.J. Burks	1	6	"	$.74
Com. vs. Jesse Crowder — C.A. Redford	1 day	8	miles	$.82
" D.E. Davis	1 "	10	"	$.90
Com. vs. Peter Whitehurst — W.B. Peterson	2 days	12	miles	$1.48
" " Lewis Mardo	2 "	12	"	$1.48
" " Frank Mardo	2 "	12	"	$1.48
" " Smithy Robinson	2 "	8	"	$1.32
" " Harry Moore	1 "	6	"	$.74

Commonwealth of Va vs. Lawrence Glover, Sept Term 1908

Jo. A.J. Southward	2 days	12		$1.48
J.B. Shands	2 "	12		$1.48
William Jarrato	2	12		$1.48

Ordered that the Court be adjourned until to morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Walter A. Watson

Virginia: In the Clerk's Office of Dinwiddie County Court. March 16, 1909.

Wilbur H. Thweatt, who was on the 3rd day of February 1909, duly appointed and commissioned by the Governor of Va. a Notary Public for the County of Dinwiddie, for the term of four years commencing on the 3rd day of February, 1909, this day appeared before me in my office aforesaid, and qualified as such by taking and subscribing the oaths prescribed by Law, and together with Clerk Thweatt as his surety, who qualified as to his sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of $500.00 conditioned as the Law directs.

Test: H.W. Ogburn, Clerk