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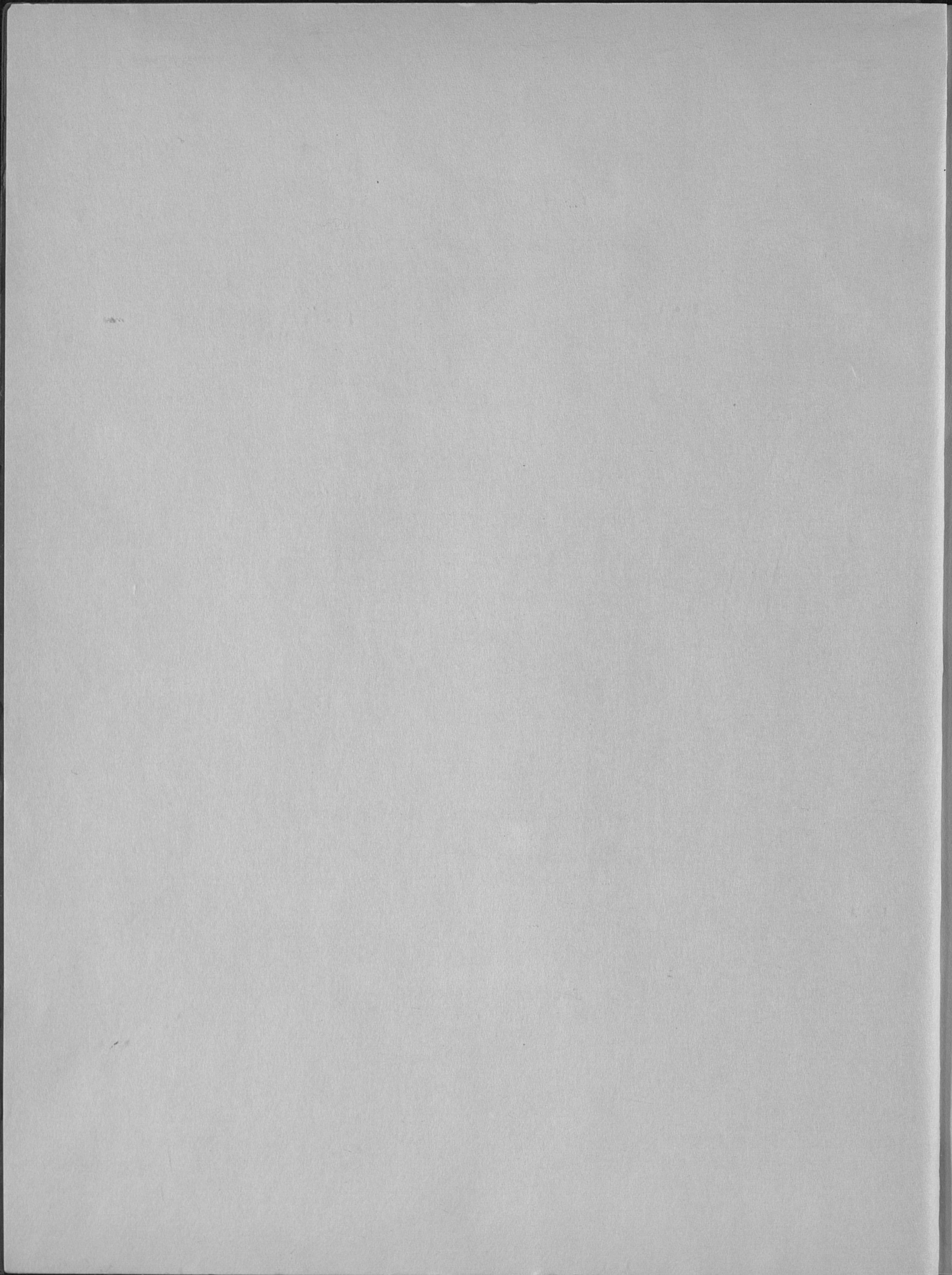


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## PREFACE

The Historical Records Survey program was organized as a Nation-wide project of the WPA to inventory State, county, and municipal archives, early American imprints, church records, and manuscripts in collections. In Mississippi the Historical Records Survey has operated as a unit of the State-wide Records Project in the Service Division, and has been sponsored by the Mississippi Department of Archives and History and some seventy county boards of supervisors. The Survey is being discontinued in order that its personnel may be diverted to activities which have a direct and unqualified relation to the war effort. However, this volume is being published since all data had been compiled for publication previous to the redirection of the activities of the project.

The preparation of inventories of county archives included the writing of administrative histories or essays which traced the development, analyzed the structure, and described the functions in each county of each of the agencies whose records were inventoried. It soon became obvious that if each inventory of county records was to depict the particular history, governmental organization, and records system of each county, it would be necessary to resort to the minutes of the county governing bodies for the source materials to do so. Experiments in transcribing pertinent passages from the minutes indicated that full coverage or uniform results could not be obtained by leaving the selection of the material to the judgment of field workers. For that reason, in 1939 and 1940, workers were assigned to transcribing in full, the minutes of the various governing bodies in some forty counties.

This volume, Transcription of the County Archives of Mississippi, No. 2, Adams County, Volume II, Minutes of the County Court, 1802-1804, is a transcription of the first volume of minutes of the county court kept in the basement storeroom of the Adams County courthouse. The volume, 16 inches high, nine inches wide, and one inch thick, is in poor condition. The cover and many of the pages are loose and torn and several of the pages are missing.

The minutes cover the period October 4, 1802 to September 9, 1804, and make accessible unpublished materials which furnish valuable and important information concerning the formative period in Mississippi history. Students, historians, genealogists, and others interested in basic documentary sources, will find a wealth of data embodied in this collection.

The county court was established February 26, 1802 by act of the first General Assembly of the Mississippi Territory. This act dissolved the court of general quarter sessions of the peace, the court of common pleas, and the court of probate established February 28, 1799 by Governor Winthrop Sargent and the Territorial Judges. (See Mississippi Historical Records Survey, Sargent's Code, A Collection of the



Original Laws of the Mississippi Territory Enacted 1799-1800 by Governor Winthrop Sargent and the Territorial Judges, Jackson, 1939, v, 168 pp. mimeo; and Mississippi Historical Records Survey, Transcription of the County Archives of Mississippi, No. 2, Adams County, Volume I, Minutes of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Jackson, 1942, xxii, 107 pp. mimeo.)

The court was given the judicial powers and duties in civil matters which had been vested in the court of common pleas and the administrative and police powers and duties which had been vested in both the court of common pleas and in the court of general quarter sessions of the peace.

In making the transcription of the original, the minutes were transcribed by project workers in longhand with pencil. The transcriptions were made word for word, line for line, and page for page in conformance with a manual of instructions. At the close of each day the material copied that day was proofread against the original and was transmitted to the State office where it was read and filed. If any portion of the transcription, such as handwriting or spelling, was thought to be deficient, the transcription was returned to the workers in the county for correction, verification, or clarification. The transcribers entered the word "/sic/" after each word misspelled in the original to indicate that the error was not made in the process of copying. After the transcribed copy was accepted as complete and correct, all editorial "/sic/"s were deleted and the pencil transcription was then typed. The typed copy was proofread against the handwritten transcription, stencils were cut from the typed copy, and the stencils were then proofread against the typed copy.

Although the workers' copy was made line for line, the mimeographed version does not follow this rule. The transcription presented here is a word for word, paragraph for paragraph, page by page transcription. The page numbers of the original volume precede each page of transcription and the inclusive page numbers are carried in parentheses at the top of each mimeographed page. The pagination of the original was used to avoid the necessity of double page citations in the index to the original and published texts. The editorial device utilized to indicate the original page endings is a fine dotted line drawn entirely across the mimeographed page.

In the index an effort was made to include every place name and proper name and to group under subject heads, the significant items of information concerning the administrative and police powers and duties of the court.

General regulations and procedures applicable to all Historical Records Survey units in the 48 States have been followed in Mississippi. The officials of the WPA always gave the project their cordial support and assistance. The Survey gratefully acknowledges the interest and cooperation in this undertaking of the Adams County board of supervisors and of Dr. William D. McCain, Director of the Mississippi Department of Archives and History.

The original minutes were transcribed by Fannie Fleming and Lessie King, Historical Records Survey employees in Adams County. The transcriptions were edited by Andrew Brown, Assistant State Supervisor. The copy was typed and the stencils were cut by Lillie Ates, Mary Joe Tracy, and Marjorie Whitley. The index was prepared by Josephine Jones, Hazle Marshall, and Connie Pearson.

This, and the preceding volume, Transcription of the County Archives of Mississippi, No. 2, Adams County, Volume I, Minutes of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, 1799-1801, have been published under the sponsorship of the Adams County board of supervisors.

The publications of the Survey are distributed without cost to State and local public officials and libraries in Mississippi, and to a limited number of libraries and governmental agencies outside the State. A list of these publications appears on page xx of this volume. Approximately 1,900 publications have been released by all units of the Survey throughout the Nation.

ROBERT E. STRONG  
State Supervisor  
Statewide Records Project

9 Bridges Building  
Jackson, Mississippi  
July 1942



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At a County Court held for the County of Adams at the Courthouse thereof in the Town of Natchez, on Monday the fourth day of October in the year of our Lord, One thousand eight hundred & two.

Present

Samuel Brooks  
James Ferrall Esquires  
Joseph Irwin  
John Henderson

William Dunbar Jr. Executor of the last will & Testa- ment of James Orr, Dec <sup>d</sup> against Jeremiah Bass	Plaintiff    Defendant
Samuel Lusk as special Bail Surrendered the body of said Defendant into court in discharge of his recognizance and undertaking. The Defendant prayed into Custody Lewis Kerr Esquire is admitted to practice as an attorney at Law in this Court having taken	In Case

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the usual Oaths, and having also produced a Licence from the Governor for the time being.

A mortgage from Thomas Tyler to Cavalier and Petit was proved to be the act and deed of the said Thomas Tyler by the Oath of Lyman Harding a subscribing witness thereto and Ordered to be Recorded.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Arthur Conner dec<sup>d</sup> is granted to William Scott, upon his entering into Bond with James Andrews his Security conditioned according to Law.

James McMullen	Plaintiff
Vs	In <u>Blank</u>
Benjamin Carrol	Defendant
Same	Plaintiff
Vs	In <u>Blank</u>
Samuel Phipps	Defendant

Ordered that the foregoing suit be dismissed the Plaintiff failing to appear to prosecute.

Admors of Arabel Lewis	Plaintiff
Against	In <u>Blank</u>
Andrew White	Defend <sup>t</sup> .

On the motion of the Plaintiff Ordered that the suit be dismissed at their costs.

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An Indenture of Bargain and sale from Milling Wooley to George Cochran was proved to be the act and Deed of the said Milling Wooley by the Oath of Lyman Harding a subscribing witness thereto and Ordered to be Recorded.

Abner S. Duncan                               Plaintiff  
   Versus                               In Case  
 Abram Martin    Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and thereupon came also a Jury to wit, Robert Throgmorton Montford Calvit, Ezekiel Dewitt, Israel Luse, John King, Andrew Walker, George Killian, Abram Taylor, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Hamel McCollum, and Elisha Estridge who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to enquire-ef-de try the issue Joined returned the following Verdict to wit, "We of the Jury find for the plaintiff" "Seventy five dollars in damage with cost of suit" Therefore, it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said defend<sup>t</sup> his damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their Verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf Expended and the defendant in Mercy &c.

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An Indenture of Bargain & Sale from Andrew Marshalk to George Cochran was proved to be the act and deed of the said Andrew by the Oath of Samuel S. Mahan a subscribing witness thereto and Ordered to be Recorded.

Phocbe Martin    Plaintiff  
   Versus                               In /Blank/

John Wells    Defendant

Ordered that this suit be continued until the next Term.

William Gilberts, Exors.                               Plaintiff  
   Versus                               In /Blank/

Job & Richard Cory   Defend<sup>t</sup>

By consent Ordered that this suit be continued until the next Term.

Mathew White, Exors.                                       Plaintiff  
   Versus                               In /Blank/

George Rapalje    Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his attorney and the plaintiff being solomly called came not it is therefore Ordered that the Plaintiffs be non suited, and the Defend<sup>ts</sup> go hence without day and receive of the plaintiffs his costs by him about his defence in this behalf Suspended

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Henry Turner   Plaintiff  
   Versus                               In /Blank/

Elizabeth Shunk   Defendant

Ordered that this Suit be dismissed It being so agreed by Plaintiff's attorney.

John Wilson   Plaintiff  
   Against                               In /Blank/

Benjamin Mensantes, Exors.                               Defendant

Orderca that the pleadings in this cause be made up immediately which being done the same suit is Continued until next Term.



William Dunbar Jr. Exor. of                      Plaintiff  
 the last Will & Testament  
 of James Orr dec<sup>d</sup>                                      In Case  
 Against  
 Jeremiah Bass    Defendant

Joseph Harris Comes into Court and undertakes for the Defendant that in, case he shall be cast in the suit he shall satisfy and pay the costs & condemnation of the court or render his body to prison in execution for the same or in case of failure there of that he the said Joseph will do it for him.

Richard Kirkland                                      Plaintiff  
 Against    In  Blank   
 Patrick Connely                                      Defendant  
 On the motion of the Plaintiff by his attorney It is Ordered that this suit be dismissed.

John Holland    Plaintiff  
 Against    In  Blank   
 Samuel Reynolds                                      Defendant  
 The Same    Plaintiff  
 against    In  Blank   
 Elias Fisher    Defendant  
 By consent Ordered that the above suits be continued until the next Term.  
 William Mitchell                                      Plaintiff  
 against    In  Blank   
 Benjamine M. Stokes                                Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his attorney an the plaintiff having been solemnly called came not Therefore It is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff be non suited, and that the Defendant go hence without day and recover against the Plaintiff his costs by him about his defence in the behalf Expended.

Court adj<sup>d</sup> until to morrow morning 9  
 of the clock.

Tuesday October the 5th 1802 Court met according to adjournment.

Present  
 Samuel Brooks  
 Caleb King                      Esquires  
 Joseph Irwin  
 Jacob Guice

Ordered that John Bradley, James Cole, Gederon Hopkins, John Armstreet, John Verdiman, Israel Luse & Nathan Sayze Gent do vicy & mark out the nearest and best way for a road from Mr. Richard Swayze's Mill to Mr. James Ferrill's store near Capt Luse's from thence Continue the same road to Benjamine Farrow's Mill.

Also view and mark out the nearest & best way for a Road from Mr. John Lusk's ferry on the Homochitto to James Ferrill's Store near Capt. Luse's; from thence to the meeting-house near the North corner of Nathan Swayze's, improvement; and from thence to the Northwest corner of Jesse Hopper's improvement, and from thence to the main road leading from Willis's Creek to Natchez and make report thereof to the next Court according to Law.

Ordered that Jesse Harper, Batley E. Chaney, David Greenleaf, John Martin, Jonathan Rucker, Nathaniel Kinnison and Alexander Farrow Gent do view and mark out the nearest and best way for a road from Ellicotville to Jacob Guice,

Esq

Esquire and continue the same Road to Thomas Ward's; Also view and mark out such other roads necessary in Capt. Guice's district, and make report therefore to the next Court according to Law.

A report of a road from Natchez crossing St Catherines Creek at Glascock's bridge to E. Bonnell's ford of the Homochitto was returned in these words to wit "In compliance with an order of the Honourable Court for May Term 1802 we the undersigned have proceeded lay off and mark a road from Natchez crossing St Catherines' Creek at Glascock's to E. Bonnell's ford of the Homochitto In Testimony Whereof we have hereunto subscribed our names this tenth day of September A.D. One thousand Eight hundred and two Whereupon it is ordered that the said report be confirmed and that the said road be established.

Ordered that Jeremiah Coleman be appointed overseer of the road in the place of Prosper King.

Letters of administration on the estate of Williams decd is granted to Jesse Carter he having taken the Oath prescribed by Law and entered into and acknowledged Bond with Jeremiah Routh his security conditioned for his due and faithful administration of the said estate according to law.

Hoggett & McClure

Plaintiff

Versus

Attachment

William Nolin

Defendant

This day came the plaintiff and the defendant Sheriff having made return of the said attachment in the words to wit, "August 23<sup>d</sup> 1802 By virtue of the within writ I proceeded to the former residence of the within named and under the direction of the Plaintiffs and at their risque attached one Yoke of Oxen" and the Defendant failing to appear and replevy the same Therefore It is considered by the court that the plaintiffs recover against the Said defendant sixty nine dollars ninety eight and half cents and also their costs by them about their suit in this behalf expended, and the defendant in Mercy & and it is ordered that the sheriff do make sale of the attached effects aforesaid and out of the money ensuing



from such sale apply to the discharge of this Judgt and the overplus (if any) to the defendant.

An instrument of writing purporting to be a mortgage from Frederick Zerban to Samuel Watson was proved to be the act and deed of the said Frederick by the Oath of Abner L. Duncan a subscribeing witness thereto and Ordered to be Recorded

An Indenture of Bargain & Sale from David Ferguson & wife to William Wells was proved to be the act and deed of the Said David & wife by the oath of

Morris Custard a subscribing witness thereto & ordered to be Recorded.

Barthm James, Admor. of Plaintiff

the Estate of John Mc-

Gurley In Case

against

John Wells Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came also a Jury to wit Robert Thrognorton, Montford Calvit, Ezekiel Dewit, Israel Luce, John King, Andrew Walker, George Killian, Abram Taylor, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Hansel McCollum, Elisha Estridge, who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to ty the issue joined upon their oath do say that the defendant did assume in manner & form as the plaintiff against him has declared and they do assess the plaintiff damages by reason thereof to fifty dollars and eighty one cents & costs of suit; Therefore It is consiidered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the said defendant his damages aforesaid in the manner & form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, and the defendant in Mercy &

John Crow Plaintiff

against In debt

John E. Long Defend<sup>t</sup>

The defendant by James Wallace Esquire his attorney comes and prays oyer of the writing obligatory in the declaration mentioned which is read to him in these words to wit "Know all men by these presents that I John E. Long of Louisville and state of Kentucky am held and firmly bound unto John Crow or his heirs or assigne of s<sup>d</sup> state and county of Green in the penal sum of two hundred dollars to be paid on or before the 14<sup>th</sup> day of January 1800. Given under my hand & seal this twenty third of February One thousand seven hundred & ninety nine. The above condition of said obligation is such that if the above menshed, E. Long or his heirs or assigns pays or cause to be paid unto John Crow or his Heirs or assigns the just sum of Eighty three Dollars and twenty three cents and one third then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue Given under my hand seal the date above mentioned".

his John E. Long (seal)

Teste Bennan B Wilkins Isaac Hogland  
mark

Thoman Martin	Plaintiff
against	In <u>Blank</u>
Tomasinan Sigvalt	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit, Robert Thrognorton, Montford Calvit, Reubin Gibson, Israel Luse, John King, Andrew Walker, George Killian, Abram Taylor, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Hornself, McCollum & Elisha Estridge

who

who being elected tried and, sworn the truth to speak upon the issue joined returned the following verdict to wit, "We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff One hundred dollars in damages and costs of suit." Therefore, It is considered by that Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant his damage aforesaid in manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended & the said Defendant in Mercy &c

Samuel Owens (a Mullatto Freemans) deceased dying leaving a small estate, The Court doth order that Philander Smith take the said estate into his lands and the same Safely keep until the further order of the Court.

James Stewart is by the Court appointed Guardian to Alexander Calvet, Infant Orphan of Frederick Calvet decd whereupon he together with Robert Thrognorton and William A. Vandorn his securities entered into and acknowledged Bond Condition according to Law

Ordered, that Hampton White, Jesse Carter, Israel Smith, David Mitchell, Abner Green, William Conner, & Peter Presley sen. do view and mark out the most convenient way for roads in what is called Carter's District and make report thereof to Court

Bennet Truly	Plaintiff
Versus	In Debt
Luke Whiting	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and the defendant acknowledged the plaintiff's action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the sum of Eighty one dollars and also his costs by him about his suit in the behalf expended and the Defend in Mercy &c The plaintiff agrees to stay over 4 months.

Ferguson & Woolley	Plaintiff
against	In <u>Blank</u>
James Findlay	Defendant

Robert Thrognorton of this County comes into Court and undertakes for the Defendant that in case he shall be cast in this suit he shall satisfy and pay the costs and condemnation of the Court or render his body to prison in



execution for the same or on failure thereof that he the said Robert will do it for him.

James Burney, Stephen Douglass, Patrick Connely, having been summoned as Jurors for this Term and failing to attend at the Solemly called It is ordered that the

be fined in the sum of ten dollars each and that Capear's pro fines do issue thereof.

Ordered that the Court do adjourn until tomorrow morning nine of the clock.

Wednesday the 6th October 1802  
The Court met pursuant to adjt.

Present  
Samuel Brooks  
Caleb King  
John Henderson Gent  
Jacob Guice

An Indenture of Bargain & Sale from John Bullen, to Joseph Perkins was proved to be the act and deed of the said John by the Oath John Henderson one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and Ordered to be Recorded.

A Bond from the same to the same was proved by the same witness and ordered to be Recorded.

Sutton Banks  
against  
Samuel Morris

Plaintiff  
In Blank  
Defend<sup>t</sup>.

Ordered that the suit be dismissed at the Defendant's costs.

An Indenture of bargain & sale from Francis Jones to William Dunbar was proved to be the act and deed of the [1 word illegible, crossed out] said Francis by the oath of Lyman Harding and ordered to be Recorded.

Ebenezer Rees  
against  
Thomas Wilkins

Plaintiff  
In Case  
Defendant

This day came the parties aforesaid by their attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit Robert Throgmorton, Montford Calvit, Ezekiel Dewitt, Israel Luse, John King, Andrew Walker, George Killian, Abram Taylor, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Hansel McCollum, and Elisha Estridge

who being elected tried and sworn the truth to speak upon the issue joined upon their oath do say that the defendant did assume upon himself in manner and form as the plaintiff against him hath declared and they do assess the plaintiff's damages by reason of the assumption to forty dollars and ninety four cents besides costs. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the said defendant his dam<sup>s</sup> aforesaid in manner and form by the Jurors in the verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the defendant in Morcy &<sup>c</sup>

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Ezekiel DeWitt, having been summoned as a juror to the court, and failing to attend It is ordered that he be fined in the Sum of ten dollars unless he appear here during this term and make his excuses.

On the Motion of David Ker esquire clerk of the Court Ordered that William B. Elam be qualified as his Deputy.

Ann Martin	Plaintiff
against	In Case
James Lomak	Defendant

On the Motion of the Plaintiff by her counsel It is ordered that the suit be dismissed.

James Moore	Plaintiff
against	In Case
The Same	Defendant

On the motion of the Plaintiff by his Counsel It is ordered that this suit be Dismissed.

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The complaint of James Blumor an apprentice against Winthrop Sargent Esq. his master for ill treatment laid over & continued until Friday next.

Robert Abrams, Admor. & <sup>c</sup>	Plaintiff.
against	In case
John Ferguson	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit. Robert Throgmorton, Montford Calvit, Ezekiel DeWitt, Israel Luce, John King, Andrew Walker, George Killian, Abram Taylor, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Hansel McCollum, and Elisha Estridge who being elected tried and sworn, well and truly to try the issue joined upon their oath do say that the defendant did assume upon himself in manner and form as the plaintiff against him hath declared and they do assess the plaintiffs damages by reason of that assumption to twenty dollars and seventy five cents



besides costs, Therefore It is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the Said defendant his damages aforesaid in manner and form by the Jurors their verdict aforesaid assessed and also

his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the defendant in mercy &c

Ezekiel Dewitt	Plaintiff
against	In Debt
Thomas Nichols	Defendant
The Same	Plaintiff
against	In Debt
Martin Owens	Defendant
Samuel Headey	Plaintiff
against	In Debt
James McMullen	Defendant

Judgment by Default.

An Indenture of Bargain and sale from Ebenezer Rees to John Henderson was acknowledged by the said Ebenezer to be his act and deed and ordered to be Recorded

Nathaniel Ivy	Plaintiff
against	In Debt
Ebenezer Reese	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and the defendant acknowledged the plaintiff's action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover

against

against the Said defendant One hundred & seven dollars & 98 $\frac{1}{2}$  cts. and also his costs by him about his suit in the behalf expended and in mercy &c

William Barland	Plaintiff
against Ebenezer Rees	continued until Saturday next.
John P. Perkins	Plaintiff
against	In <u>Blank</u>
Ebenezer Rees	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and the defendant acknowledged the plaintiff's action. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant sixty three dollars and seventy nine cents and also his cost by him about his suit in the behalf expended and the defendant in Mercy &c.

William Bell	Plaintiff
against	In Debt
Lewis Evans	Defend <sup>t</sup>

This day came the parties by their attornies and the defendant acknowledged the plaintiff's action. Therefore it is considered by the

court that the Plaintiff recover against the said defendant the sum of Ninety six dollars and four and four and one half cents and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>.  
 Note: This Judgment is for the benefit of James Melson.

James McCibbin	Plaintiff
against	In <u>Blank</u>
Ebenezer Rees	Defendant

On the motion of the Plaintiff by his counsel ordered that this suit be dismissed.

Ann Martin against James Lennox. It appearing to the Court that the defendant was subponed as a witness in the suit of said Martin against Ezekiel Dewitt. And it also appearing that he was served with a process at the suit of the said Ann. It is Ordered that he be discharged therefrom. The same being executed while on his attendance.

Ordered that the Court be adj<sup>d</sup> until tomorrow morning 9 of the clock.

Thursday Oct<sup>o</sup> 7th 1802  
 The Court met according to adjourment  
 Present  
 Samuel Brooks  
 Ferd<sup>d</sup> L. Claiborne Esquires  
 William Darby  
 Jacob Guice

James Carrick	Plaintiff
against	In Debt
Patrick Foley	Defend <sup>t</sup>

This day came the parties aforesaid by their attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit Robert Throgmorton, Ezekiel Dewitt, Israel Luce, John King, Andrew Walker, George Killian, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker Jeremiah Routh, Hansel McCollum, Elisha Estridge, and Reuben, Gibson, who being elected tried and sworn well & truly to try the issue joined returned the following verdict to wit "We of the jury find that the said Patrick hath not paid to the said James Carrick the said sum of three hundred and forty dollars with all legal interest thereon due in such manner and form as the sd Patrick in pleading hath alledged and therefore find for the Plt. the said debt of three hundred and forty dollars

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in the declaration mentioned and one hundred and forty seven dollars and twenty nine cents damages for the detention of the same with costs of suit" Therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the defendant his debt and damages afores<sup>d</sup> in manner and form by the jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>.



Ordered that Thomas Wilkins, William Foster, John Grafton, Robert Dunbar, Emanuel Madden, William Lemon and John Wilie, Gent. do view and mark out the necessary roads in the district of Capt. William Darby Company and make report thereof to the next court according to Law.

In pursuance of the act of Assembly for that purpose, the Court proceeded to nominate the number of Jurors for the county as directed by the said act, to attend at the next superior court for the district of Adams, whereupon the following housekeepers free holders were nominated to wit Col<sup>o</sup> John Steele, Sutton Banks, William G. Forman, Peter Walker, James McIntosh,

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Thomas Reid, David Holt, Joseph Newman, Samuel Neil, John Garrach, Lewis West, Robert Dunbar, James Bass, Ebenezer Rees, David Gibson, Capt. John Wade, Andrew Marschalk, John Bowles, Joseph Calvit, Christopher Miller, Nathaniel Tomlinson, Andrew Bell, Simpson Holmes, James Foster, William Foster, Anthony Hoggart, Wilford Hoggart and Job Routh and it is ordered that a writ of venire facias do issue to the Sheriff accordingly.

Ordered that Archibald Lewis, Reubin Gibson, Joseph Calvit, Ezekiel Dewitt, Thomas Reid and Daniel Whitaker, Gent do view and mark out the different roads necessary in the district of Capt Duncan's Company and make report thereof to the next court according to Law.

Elijah Craig	Plaintiff
against	In Case
Miguel Sollivellas	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit, Robert Thrognorton, Ezekiel Dewitt, Israel

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Luse, John King, Andrew Walker, George Killian, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Jeremiah Routh, Hansel McCollum, Elisha Estridge, Reubin Gibson who being elected tried and sworn the truth to speak upon the issue joined returned the following verdict to wit "We the Jury find that the defend<sup>t</sup> did assume in the manner and form as the Plt. in his declaration hath alledged and find for the plaintiff two hundred in damages and costs of suit." Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant his damages aforesaid in manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the said defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>.

Nathaniel Tomlinson	Plaintiff
against	Upon as att <sup>a</sup>
Robert Knox	Defendant

On the motion of the defendant by his counsel to quash the attachment awarded Therein The parties being fully heard, It is the opinion of the Court that the Said attachment and the proceedings thereon are defective and illegal upon the face of it, and that the Same be quashed From which opinion and Judgment of the Court the Plaintiff prayed an appeal to the next Superior court of Law to be holden for the District

of Adams, which is granted upon his giving Bonds with security in the penalty of one hundred dollars conditioned according to Law.

Ordered that the Court do adjourn until tomorrow morning 9 of the clock.

Friday the 8<sup>th</sup> day of Oct. 1802  
The Court met pursuant to adjournm<sup>t</sup>  
Present  
Samuel Brooks  
Jacob Guice Esquires  
James Neilson  
John Henderson

An Inventory and appraisement of the estate of William N. Galbraith deceased was returned and ordered to be Recorded.

William B. Smith Plaintiff  
against In Blank  
John & William Wells Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came also a Jury to wit, Robert Throgmorton, Ezekel Dewitt, Israel Luce, John King, Andrew Walker, Steven Stevenson, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Jeremiah Routh, Hansel McCollum, Elisha Estridge, Roubon, Gibson & Abram Taylor, who being clocted tried and sworn the truth to speak upon the issue joined returned the following verdict to wit "We the Jury find for the plaintiff thirty six dollars and fifty cents with costs of Suit." Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the Said

defendants his damages aforesaid in manner and form by the jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed, and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the said defendants in Mercy &c.

Rebecca McCabe Plaintiff  
Versus In Blank  
Thomas Hutchins Defendant

Agruments of demurror to plaintiffs replication to the defendants plea in abatement ordered to be brought on at three o'clock this evening.

Ordered that John Ford, Nathaniel Kinnison, Barley Chanoy, William Kimson, Christopher Guice, Abram Guice, and Jesse Harper Gent do view and mark out the necessary roads in the district of Capt Guice's Company and make report thereof to the next court court agreeably to Law.

Robert Moore & Co. Pltf  
Versus In Blank  
William B. Smith Deft.

Dismissed each party paying half the costs by consent.



Alexander Moore, Exors.                      Plaintiffs  
 against  
 Hardress Ellis                                  Defendant  
 Referred to Sutton Banks and James Barr, Gent and agree that their award  
 be made the Judgment of the Court, and that the same be returned to the  
 clerks office within one month and execution to issue thereon which is  
 ordered accordingly.  
 Hardress Ellis                                  Plaintiff  
 against  
 Benjamine Carrol                              Defendant  
 Continued by consent - and it is agreed that the Plaintiff shall not bring  
 this suit to trial in the absence of two witnesses of the defendants.  
 James Williamson                              Plaintiff  
 against  
 Maurice Stackpool, Exors.                  Defendant  
 Dismissed each party to pay their own costs.  
 Benjamine Kitchen                            Plaintiff  
 Versus  
 Bryan Bruin                                      Defendant  
 Referred to William T. McCormick and Samuel Postlethwait Gent and agree  
 that their award be made the Judgment of

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the Court, and to be returned in the Clerk's office, and execution to issue thereon, which is ordered accordingly.

Phobe Calvit                                  Plaintiff  
 Vs  
 John Brow                                      Defend<sup>t</sup>  
 By consent ordered that this suit be continued until next Term.  
 Timberlake & Hancock                      Plt.  
 against    Att<sup>a</sup>  
 James Green                                    Defend<sup>t</sup>  
 On the motion of the plaintiff ordered that this suit be dismissed.  
 Christ<sup>o</sup> Lee                                      Plt.  
 against    In Blank  
 John Cammack                                  Deft.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came also a Jury to wit, Robert Throgmorton, Ezekiel Dewitt, Israel Luce, John King, Andrew Walker, Steven Stevenson, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Jeremiah Routh, John Eldergill, Elisha Estridge, Ruobin Gibson, Abram Taylor, who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to enquire of

damages

damages in this suit returned "We of the Jury find for the Plt. fifty nine dollars and four cents in damages, and costs of suit." Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said defendant his damages aforesaid in manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed, and also the costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>.

I do hereby transfer the within Judgment to Samuel S. Mahon, he having satisfied me for the same, witness my hand and seal this 1<sup>st</sup> Nov. 1802

Signed  
Christopher Lee, L.S.  
Plaintiff

Ebenezer Rees  
against  
Anthony Benedict

Defendant

This day comes the plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came also a Jury to wit Robert Throgmorton, Ezekiel Dewitt, Israel Luce, John King, Andrew Walker, Steven Stevenson, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Jeremiah Ruth, John Eldergill, Elisha Estridge, Reubin Gibson and Abram Taylor who being duly elected tried and sworn well

and

and truly to enquire to enquire of damages in this suit upon their oath do say that the plaintiff hath sustained damages by reason of the defendants' non performance of his promise and undertaking in the declaration mentioned to the amount of twenty five dollars eighty seven and one half cents, and one half cents besides costs. Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the Said defendant his damages aforesaid by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid, assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>.

John Potter  
against

Plaintiff

Peter Bryan Bruin

Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came also a Jury to wit: Robert Throgmorton, Ezekiel Dewitt, Israel Luce, John King, Andrew Walker, Steven Stevenson, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Jeremiah Ruth Hansol McCollum, Elisha Estridge, Reubin Gibson, Abram Taylor, who being elected tried and sworn well and to enquire of damages in this suit upon their oath do say that the plaintiff hath sustained damages by reason of the defendants



nonperformance of his assumption in the declaration mentioned to the amount of fifty three dollars & five cents besides costs, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant his damages aforesaid in manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his writ in this behalf expended and the defendant Mercy &c.

John Ferguson	Plaintiff
against	
John Stillee	Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came also a Jury to wit, Robert Throgmorton, Ezekiel Stevenson, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Jeremiah Routh, Hansel McCollum, Elisha Estridge, Reubin Gibson, Abram Taylor, who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to enquire of damages in this suit upon their oath do say that the plt. hath sustained damage by reason of the Defts non performance of the promise and undertaking in the declaration to the amount of forty four dollars six & one half cents besides his cost of suit Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the Said defendant

his damage aforesaid by the jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the said defendant in Mercy &c.

Ordered that the caveat against an instrument of writing purporting to be the will of Elias Bonnell deceased together with the motion for letters of administration to Lewis Shelton &c be entered on the minutes; which are in the words to wit- "The worshipful the Justices of the County Court of Adams now sitting will not let the instrument of writing lately produced to your workshops purporting to be the last will and testament of Elias Bonnell dec<sup>d</sup> receive probate in your court nor grant letters testamentary to any person or persons, who may be named Executors in Said instrument of writing, 1<sup>st</sup> Because the dec<sup>d</sup> was not of sound mind at the time of executing said instrument; 2<sup>nd</sup> Because of the evedent injustice said instrument is calculated to work; 3<sup>rd</sup> Because said instrument is defective in point of form; 4<sup>th</sup> Because it docs not pursuo the ordinance of this Territory in as much as there are not

three subscribing witnesses who attest Said Instrument.

Samuel S. Mahon attorney for Lewis Shelton Motion also for administration to be granted to Lewis Shelton (who is intermarried with Mary Bonel-daughter of Elias Bonel dec<sup>d</sup> for the Safe keeping of the effects of the dec<sup>d</sup> Samuel S. Mahon Attorney for Lewis Shelton, Whereupon It is ordered that the Same be argued on Monday morning next.

Thomas Martin Plaintiff

against

Thomasina Sigvalt Defendant

The defendant by her attorney prayed an appeal to the next Superior Court of Law to be holden for Adams District which is granted upon her giving Bond and Security in the penalty of two hundred dolls, conditioned according to Law.

Ordered that Col<sup>o</sup> John Steele, George Fitzgerald, Major Richard King, Peter Walker, esquire, Lewis Evans esquire, Mr. Job Routh, & Mr. George Overaker do view and mark out necessary roads to be opened, repaired or altered in Capt Ferdinand L. Claiborn's District and make report thereof to the next Court according to Law.

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An Indenture of Bargain and sale from Robert Carter to Joseph Perkins was proved to be the act and deed of the Said Robert by the oath of Patrick Foley a witness thereto subscribed, & Ordered to be Recorded.

Stephen Stephenson Plaintiff

against

Juan Rodrigres Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney & theroupon came also a Jury to wit Robert Throgmorton, Ezekiel Dewitt, Israel Lusc, John King, Andrew Walker, Moses Moore, one word illegible, crossed out Daniel Whitaker Jeremiah Routh, Hansel McCollum, Elisha Estridge, Rubin Gibson & Abram Taylor who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to enquire of damages in this suit upon their oath, do say that the plaintiff hath sustained damages by reason of the defendant's nonperformance of his promise and undertaking in the declaration mentioned to the amount of one Hundred and fourteen dollars sixty cents besides his costs of suit.

Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant his damages aforesaid in manner and form by the

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Jurors in their verdict aforesaid and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>.

John Wells Plaintiff

Versue Att<sup>ny</sup>

John Holland Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and theroupon came also a Jury to wit Robert Throgmorton, Ezek<sup>l</sup> Dewitt, Israel Lusc, John King, Andrew Walker, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Jeremiah Routh, Hansel McCollum, Elisha Estridge, Reubin Gibson, one word illegible, crossed out and Abram Taylor, who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to enquire of damages in this suit upon their oath do any that the plaintiff hath sustained damages by reason of the defendants' nonperformance of his promise and under-





Saturday October the 9th 1802  
The Court met according to ad-  
journalment

## Present

Samuel Brooks  
Ferdinand L. Claiborn Esq<sup>rs</sup>  
Abner Green

An Indenture of Bargain and sale from Robert Moore to Philip Gearaighy and Richard Orrilly was proved to be the act and deed of the said Robert by the oath of Abner L. Duncan Esquire and ordered to be Recorded.

An Instrument of writing purporting to be a Mortgage from George Lawing to Ferdinand L. Claiborne was proved to be the act and deed of the said George by the oath John Nichols and ordered to be Recorded.

An Indenture of Bargain and Sale from John Foster, to George Lawing was proved to be the act and deed of the Said John ~~Nichels~~ Foster by the oath of John Nichols and Ordered to be Recorded.

An Indenture of Bargain and Sale from George King to Anthony Hutchins was proved

to be the act and deed of the Said George by the oath of Samuel McDowell a witness thereto and ordered to be Recorded.

A Power of Attorney from Francis Jones to William T. McCormick was proved to be the act and deed of the Said Francis by the oath of James Dunlap and ordered to be Recorded.

The last Will and Testament of William Vousdan dec<sup>d</sup> was proved to be the act and deed of the said William by the oath of Ferdinand L. Claiborne one of the Subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be Recorded Whereupon David Ker and William T. McCormick two of the Exors therein named made oath for the due performance of the duty as Executors aforesaid according to Law.

Henry Pearson	Plaintiff
against	In Case
Ebenezer Roes	Defendant

This day came parties by their attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit Robert Throgmorton, Ezekiel Dewitt, John King, Andrew Walker, George Killian, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Jeromiah Routh, John Eldergill, Elisha Estridge, Reubin

Gibson and Abram Taylor who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to try the issue joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant did not assume upon himself in manner and form as the plaintiff hath declared, Therefore it is considered by the Court the one word illegible, crossed out/ Defendant go hence without day and recover against the Said Plt. his costs by him about his defence in this behalf expended and that the Plt. together with his false clamour be in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>



William Barland  
 against  
 Ebenezer Reese

Plaintiff  
 In Case  
 Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys, and the Defendant acknowledged the Plaintiffs' action, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of three hundred and twenty eight dollars and twenty nine cents, the dam<sup>g</sup>s in the declaration mentioned and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

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Leonard Claiborne et al against John Overaker Continued by consent  
 Samuel Flower vs Polser Shilling Continued for Plt. to bring his Bill of discovery in Equity prior to the next term of this Court, if not to be non Suited &<sup>c</sup>

Rebecca McCabe  
 Versus  
 Nathaniel Tomlinson

Plaintiff  
 In Trover & Conversion  
 Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and there upon came also a Jury to wit Robert Thrognorton, Ezekiel Dewitt, John King, Andrew Walker, George Killian, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Jeromiah Routh, John Eldergill, Elisha Elderidge, Rubin Gibson, and Abram Taylor, who being Elected tried and sworn the truth to speak upon the issue joined returned the following verdict to wit, "We of the Jury find that the defendant is guilty in manner and form as the plaintiff has alledged against him and assoss the plaintiff damages to one hundred and forty five dollars & fifty cents and cost of suit-." Therefore it is, considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said Defendant her damages aforesaid

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in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and the said Deft. in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> -

An Indenture of Bargain and Sale from John Foster to Ebenezer Rees was proved to be the act and deed of the Said John Foster by the oath of John Brabston one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be Recorded.

An Indenture of Bargain and Sale from same to same proved by the same witness and Ordered to be Recorded.

Ordered that Stephen Douglass, Bennett Truly, Thomas Tyler, James Dinwiddy, Anthony Daugherty, Samuel Morris, Jeromiah Routh, do view and mark out the Different Roads necessary in Capt. Wade's District and make report thereof to the next Court according to law.

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Samuel Flowers against Nathaniel Tomlinson Continued  
 Rebecca McCabe Plaintiff  
 against  
 Darius Moffett Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Defendant acknowledged the plaintiff's action for one cent and the costs Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the Said one cent and also ~~one word illegible, crossed out~~ Costs by her about her Suit in this behalf expended and the Defendant in Mercy & C.

Ordered that Abner Green, Ferdinand L. Claiborne, and Walter Burling & James Neilson, Esquires be requested to lay off the prison bounds in this County on Saturday next.

An Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Joseph Ford Senior to John King was

proved to be the act and deed of the said Joseph by the oath of James Jones one of the Subscribing witnesses thereto and Ordered to be Recorded.

John Dewitt Plaintiff  
 against

Martin Owens Defendant

Judgment confessed subject to any defalcation which may be made by the Clerk of this Court

Samuel Flower Plaintiff  
 against

Jesse Greenfield Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the defendant acknowledged the plaintiff's action for Forty four dollars and the Costs, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant the Said sum of forty four dollars and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said defendant in Mercy & C.

Bill of sale from John Nicklass attorney in fact for Alexander Porter to William Kenner was proved to be the act & deed of the Said John by the Oath of James Hogg and ordered to be Recorded.

William Barrow Plaintiff  
 against

Whiting & Stokes Defend<sup>t</sup>

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came also a Jury to wit John Ferguson, John Shackler, Ezekiel Dowitt, Israel Luse, John King, Moses Moore, Daniel Whitaker, Reubin Gibson, Abram Taylor, George Killian, Robert Thrognorton, Montford Calvit who being clocted, tried and sworn well and truly to Enquire of Damages in this suit returned "We the Jury find for the plaintiff ninety three dollars and twenty four Cents in damages & Cost of suit" Therefore it is considered by the

Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendants his damages aforesaid in manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suits in this behalf expended and the said Defendants in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> .

John Rasselly Plaintiff

Vs

Patrick Connely Et al Defendants

This day came the plaintiff by his attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit (same Jury as last) who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages in this suit returned "We of the Jury find for the plaintiff one hundred and twenty two Dollars and thirty five Cents in damages & Costs of suit" - Therefore It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said defendants his Damages afore<sup>d</sup> in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Defts in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> .

Huhoy Smith Plaintiff

against

Thomas Massey Defondant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came also a Jury to wit (same Jury as last) who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages in this suit returned the following verdict to wit "We of the Jury find for the plaintiff One hundred and Eight dollars - 92 cents in Damages and costs of suit" Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant his damages aforesaid in Manner and form by The Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said defend- ant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> .

Martain Huffman Plaintiff

against

James Elliott Defendants

This day came the plaintiff by

his Attorney and thereupon came also a Jury to wit (Same Jury as last) Who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to enquire of damages En this suit returned "We of the Jury find for the plaintiff one cent in damages & Costs of suit." Therefore is is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant his damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their vordiet aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> .

Windsor Pipes Plaintiff

against

John Bullon Defondant

This day came the plaintiff by his Attorney and thereupon came also a Jury to wit (Same Jury as last) who being elected tried & sworn well, and truly





recover against the said defendant their damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also their costs by them about their suit in the behalf expended and the said defendant in Mercy &c.

John Dewitt  
against

Plt.

Thomas Nicholls

Deft.

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney & Thereupon came also a Jury to wit (same Jury as last) who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to enquire of damages in this suit returned "We of the Jury find for the plaintiff fifty two dollars and twenty one cents in Damages and costs of Suit". Therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant his damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in

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their verdict aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the said defendant in Mercy &c.

Abija Hunt  
against

Plaintiff

McWilliams & Kitchens

Defendants

This day came the plaintiff by his Attorney and thereupon came also a Jury to wit (Same Jury) who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages in this Suit returned "We of the Jury find for the plaintiff Seventy two dollars and thirteen cents in Damages and cost of Suit." Therefore it is considered by the Court that that the plaintiff recover the Said defendant Benjamin Kitchen his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the said Defend<sup>t</sup> Benjamine in Mercy &c. - Satisfied by Benjamine Kitchens - L. Harding Att<sup>o</sup> for Pltff.

Ordered that the overseers of the poor bind Jane Buskirk, daughter of Blank Buskirk to John Callendar agreeable to Law.

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The complaint of James Blumon against Winthrop Sargent Esquire his Guardian for ill usage &c ordered to be dismissed. It appearing to the Court the same does not come properly before them.

Ordered that the Court be adj<sup>d</sup> until tomorrow morning 9 of the clock.

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Tuesday Oct<sup>o</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> 1802

The Court met according to adjournment

Present

Samuel Brooks

John Henderson Esqrs

Ferd<sup>I</sup> L. Clairborn



Alexander Farrow  
 against  
 Ebenenezer Reese

Referred to James Neilson and James Dick and agree that their award be made the Judgment of the Court and the same is ordered accordingly.

The following persons were recommended to his Excellency the Governor for the purpose of obtaining Licence as Ordinary keepers in this County to wit James Dinwiddy, Capt Richard Grayton, and Leonard Pamett.

Chas. Wilkins  
 against  
 Darius Moffett

Plaintiff  
 In Case  
 Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came also a jury to wit Ezekiel Dewitt, Israel Luse, John King, Moses Moore,

Daniel Whitaker, Reubin Gibson, Abram Taylor, George Killian, Robert Throgmorton Montford Calvit, David Gibson, and Thomas Freeman who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the issue joined returned, "We of the Jury find that the Defendant did assume upon himself in Manner and form as the plaintiff against him hath declared and assess his damages by occasion thereof to twenty three dollars twenty one & one half cents and costs of suit." Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defend<sup>t</sup> his damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in the behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

John Wilson against Exors. of Benjamine Monsanto Continued.

Abner L Duncan  
 against  
 Abram Martin

Plaintiff  
 In Case  
 Defendant

The Defendant prayed an appeal Granted Bond & Secy given

An Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Daniel Ranor and wife to Archibald, and William Lewis was proved to be the act and deed of the Said Daniel and wife by the oath of John Adams witness thereto and ordered to be Recorded.

James Carpenter  
 against  
 John R. Wylie

Plaintiff  
 Defend<sup>t</sup>

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came also a Jury to wit (Same Jury) who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to try

the issue Joined Returned "We of the Jury find the Defend<sup>t</sup> guilty in the manner and form as the plaintiff in his declaration hath alledged and find for the plaintiff One Hundred dollars in Damages in damages and costs of Suit" Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendat his damages aforesaid in manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict afore's assessed and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Christ<sup>o</sup> Lee

against

Miguel Sollivellas

Referred to St. James Beauverais

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and Samuel Timberlake Gent and degree their award be the Judgment of the Court which award is to be returned into the Clerk's Office within six weeks and Execution to issue thereon, and the same is Ordered accordingly.

Samuel Flower against Bennett Truly Continued

John Cochran

Plt.

against

In Debt

Abram Taylor

Deft

This day came as well the plaintiff by his Attorney as the Defendant in proper person and the said defendant acknowledged the plaintiff's action, Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said defendant the sum of Eighty two dollars & Sixty six & two third cents. The Debt in the declaration mentioned and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended, and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>.

Endorsed in margin

Rec<sup>d</sup> Satisfaction for the within Judgment

James Wallace Att<sup>o</sup> for the Plaintiff

Feby 16<sup>th</sup> 1803. End of endorsement

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Timothy Ohara against John R. Wylie Dismissed by Pltf's Attorney.

James Barr

Plt<sup>f</sup>

against

Timberlake & Hancock

Defts

This day came the parties by their attornios and the defendant Samuel Timberlake acknowledged the plaintiff's action for two hundred & Eighty one dollars fifty five & one half cents and Costs of suit.

Christopher Lee

against

William McWilliams

Referred to Samuel Timberlake and Patrick Connoly with liberty to choose a third

person and agree that their award be made the Judg<sup>t</sup> of the Court to return



the same into the Clerk's office within six weeks and Execution to issue there on which is ordered accordingly.

Patrick Connelly                                 Plaintiff  
                          against

Morris Custard                                 Defendent

This day came the Plaintiff by his

attorney

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attorney and thereupon came also a Jury to wit (Same Jury) who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of damages in this suit Returned "We of the Jury find for the plaintiff One cent in damages and Costs of Suit" Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said defendant his damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Moses Carrol                                 Plt  
                          against

David Sherley                                 Deft

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came also a jury to wit (Same Jury) and being duly sworn to enquire of damages in this suit Returned "We of the Jury find for the plaintiff one Cent in damages and Costs of suit Therefore It is considered by the Court the plaintiff recover against the Said

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defendant his damages aforesaid in Manner & form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in the behalf expended and the said defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>.

Daniel Douglass                                 Plt.  
                          against

James Green                                     Deft

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney & thereupon came also a Jury to wit (Same Jury) who being duly sworn well and truly to enquire of damages in this suit Returned "We of the Jury find for the plaintiff one cent in damages & Costs of Suit." Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said defendant his damages aforesaid in Manner & form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Rebecca McCabe  
                          against

Thomas Hutchens                                 Judgment Confessed subject to the  
award of James Ware and Robert Moore Exor. to be stayed on Said award until the next Term.

David Michie produced an account amounting to thirty one dollars and Eleven cents which being examined is allowed and ordered to be certified.

Charles McBride produced an account amounting to One hundred and twenty dolls. and seventy five cents which being Exam<sup>d</sup> is allowed and ordered to be Certified.

Ordered that the Court do adjourn until tomorrow Morning 9 of the clock.

Wednesday Oct<sup>o</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> 1802  
The Court Met according to  
adjournment

Present

John Henderson

Ferd<sup>d</sup> L. Clairborne Esqrs

James Neilson

An Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Alexander Henderson to John Henderson was producd into Court with the Certificate there endorsed and ordered to be Recorded.

Barent Stricker produced an account amounting to nineteen dollars which being examined is allowed and Ordered to be Certified.

Mary Oliver produced an account amounting to fifty two dollars and fifty Cents which being examined is allowed and ordered to be Certified.

John Holley produced an account amounting to six hundred and ninety nine dollars and fifty two & half cents which being examined is allowed and Ordered to be Certified.

Rebecca McCabe  
against

Nathaniel Tomlinson

Plt

Deft

The defendant by his attorneys prayed an appeal to the next Superior Court of Law to be holden for the Adams District which is granted upon his giving bond with Henry Turner and Patrick Connoly his Securities in the penalty of one hundred dollars Conditioned according to Law.

Ordered that Adam Bingamin, Sutton Banks and William T. McCormick Gent inspect the State of the Jail and order such repairs as they may think necessary and report the expence of the same to the next Court.

Winsor Pipes

Vs

John Bullen

The plaintiff prayed an appeal to  
the next Superior Court of Law to

be holden for Adams District which is granted upon entering into Bonds with Lewis Evans and Nathaniel Tomlinson his Securities Conditioned According to law.



Anthony Daugherty produced an account amounting to forty four dollars sixty two and one half cents which being Examined is allowed and ordered to be Certified.

Sheriff of this County produced an account for Constables attendance during this Term amounting to twenty seven dollars, which being examined is allowed and ordered to be Certified.

"Ordered that the following be entered as a Rule of Court" That the Minutes be read by the Clerk on the Evening of each day and signed by the presiding Justice."

Seth Carton  
Vs  
Lewis Evans  
Former pleadings herein withdrawn;  
the Defendants plead not  
Guilty. Joined, by Consent.

Ordered that the Clerk of this Court purchase Stationary for the use of the County and at the expnce of the same and present an acct. thereof to the next Court.

An Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Ebenezer Rees to Asoneth Willis was proved by the oath of John Honderson witness thereto

and ordered to be Recorded.

Evans & Overaker  
vs.  
Ebenezer Rees  
Judgment on Award and stay of Execution for thirty days And all matters in difference between, the Defendant and Lewis Evans respecting their accounts be submitted to James Andrews and Love Baker, with power to chuse an Umpire, and if their award be returned into Office in that time the balance found in favor of Said Rees shall be deducted from Said Judgment and Execution for balance, and if no award be returned in that time Execution for the whole, and said Evans shall accept of one day notice of the Meeting of Said Arbitrators and if said Evans does not attend accordingly the Arbitrators have full power to proceed exparte.

Ebenezer Rees  
Vs  
Nathl. Tomlinson  
On motion of the Deft Dedimus awarded to examine and take the Dispeition of James Coleman in the Spanish Government.

Daniel Douglass  
Vs  
James Green  
On motion of the Plt It is ordered that the verdict of the Jury be set aside and a new trial Granted, by Consent.

Benjamin Kitchens  
Vs  
James McGrath  
James McGrath  
Vs  
Benjamin Kitchens  
Referred to Love Baker and James Andrews and agree that the award be made the judgment of the Court to return the Same into the Clerk's Office within Eight Weeks and Execution to issuc thereon, which is ordered accordingly

James Nielson  
 Vs  
 Benjamin Kitchens

Referred to Love Baker and  
 James Andrews and agree that  
 their award be made the Judgt. of the Court to be returned into the Clerk's  
 Office within Eight weeks and Execution to issue thereon which is ordered  
 accordingly.

William Roe

Vs

William Brown

Appeal ordered to be dismissed.

On the motion of Joseph Newman letters of Administration on the  
 Estate of Joshua Hames dec<sup>d</sup> Granted him upon his entering into Bond with  
 William Brooks and James Andrews his Securities in the penalty of five  
 hundred Dollars Conditioned according to Law.

Ordered that Philander Smith takes the property of Elias Bronell  
 deceased ad Colligendum Bona defuncti.

On Motion of Moses Moore Letters of Administration on the Estate of  
 Anthony Brooks dec<sup>d</sup> Granted upon his entering into Bond with James Dun-  
 woody and David Johnston his securities in the penalty of One Hundred  
 dollars Conditioned according to Law.

Elijah Craig

Vs

Miguel Sollivillas

Defendant

prayed an appeal to the Next Superior Court of Law for the District of  
 Adams which is Granted he having

given Bond & Security agreeable to Law.

Ordered that the Court be Adj<sup>d</sup> until the Court in Course

Signed

John Henderson.

At a County Court held for the County  
 of Adams at the Courthouse thereof in  
 the Town of Natchez On Monday the  
 Sixth Day of June One thousand eight  
 hundred and three

Present

Samuel Brooks

James Nielson

John Henderson Esqrs

Joseph Irvin

John Callender



Ordered that the Platt of the prison bounds for Adams County produced by Samuel Brooks & John Henderson a committee appointed for to lay off said prison bounds be accepted and that an addition of one fourth of an acre and five perches be added to include the House of Lewis Winery and Complot the Quantity of ten acres of Land.

John Callendor absent Esqr.

On Motion of Martin McWilliams it is ordered that a Licence be granted him to keep a Tavern at his House in the County of Adams for and during the term of one year Whereupon the said Martin McWilliams, Brooks and Patrick Connally his securities entered into into an an acknowledged Bond Conditioned as the Law Directs

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Richard Wheatly this day produced in Open Court a Licence from his Excellency William C. C. Claiborne Authourising him to practice as an att<sup>o</sup> and Counsellor at Law who took the usual oath of Office and is admitted" accordingly.

John Holland

Plt

versus

In case

Samuel Reynolds

Deft.

This day came the plaintiff by Lyman Harding His Attorney & ordered that his suit be dismissed.

Richard Downs

Plt.

Recorded vs

In Blank

Joseph Lee

Deft.

Hugh Davis and James Farrell came into Court and undertake for the defendant that in case that he be cast in the suit they will satisfy and pay the Costs and Condemnation of the Court or Surrender their Body in Execution to prison to the same or in case of failure thereof that they the said Hugh Davis and James Farrell will do it for him.

Seth Lewis. Esquire this day Produced in Open Court a Licence from his Excellency William C. C. Claiborne Authorizing him to practice as an Attorney and consular at Law Who took the usual oath of office and is admitted accordingly.

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Jacob Ficoudus

Plt.

vs

In Blank

James Findley

Deft.

On Motion of the Plaintiff by his Counsel it is ordered that the Suit be dismissed.

On the Motion of Jesse Greenfield and others for the View of a Road from the plantation of Charles Surget to the Town of Washington ordered that

the said Jesse Greenfield, Nathaniel Tomlinson, Philander Smith, Benijah Osburn or Osman, Will Brooks, David Barney & Andrew Walker do View the most convenient way for Opaing said Road and make report thereof to the Court.

Leo Claiborne et alias                      Pltf<sup>s</sup>  
Recorded                      Vs                      In Case  
John Overaker                      Deft.

This day came the plaintiff by Israel Trask his attorney and the defendant acknowledged the plaintiff's Action therefore it is considered by the Court that plaintiff recover against the Deft<sup>s</sup> Sixty four dollars and fifty four Cents the Damages adjudged & the Cost of Suit by them in this behalf expended and the Said defendant in Mercy &<sup>o</sup>

Hardross Ellis                      Plt.  
Recorded                      Vs                      In Debt  
Benjamin Carroll                      Deft

This day came the parties by their attornies and theroupon came also a Jury to wit:

who being Elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined, William Lintott, William Clarke, John Foster, John Callihan, David Howard, Abraham Gartney, Thomas Ford, William Hutsell, John Martin, Ezekiel Dewitt, Joseph Strong, & John Irwin who returned the following verdict to wit "We of the Jury do find for the plaintiff one hundred and Sixteen Dollars the Debt in the Declaration mentioned with Lawful Interest from the first Day of February 1801 at the rate of five per Centum per annum with costs of suit as Damages, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant his debt aforesaid together with his Damages in Manner and form by the Jurors aforesaid assossed & his Costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the Def<sup>t</sup> in Mercy &<sup>o</sup>

William Barrow                      Plt.  
Recorded                      Vs                      In Debt                      Hancock's Death  
John Hinds & Sam<sup>l</sup> Hancock                      Deft<sup>s</sup>                      Suggested

This day came the parties by their attornies and the Said Hinds surviving Def<sup>t</sup> acknowledged the plaintiffs action for one hundred and forty seven dollars amount of the note given with Interest thereon to be complected at the rate of Six per Cent<sup>um</sup> per annum the Interest ammounting to Eighteen Dollars eighteen cents and three fourths of a Cent in all to one hundred and sixty five Dollars and three fourth cents & Costs therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the Sum aforesaid with cost of suit &<sup>o</sup>.



Daniel Ryan Plt<sup>f</sup>  
Vs In Case  
Archibald McDuffy D

On Motion of the plaintiff by his counsel it is ordered that the suit be Dismissed.

David Kennedy Plt<sup>f</sup>  
Vs In Case  
John Bullin Def<sup>t</sup>

it appearing to the Satisfaction of the Court the the plaintiff is Dead therefore his suit abate.

William Barrow Plt.  
Recorded Versus In Debt  
William Price Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came as well the plaintiff by H. L. Duncan his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledged the Plaintiff's action for fifty six Dollars the amount in the note called for and Interest thereon at Six per Centum per Annum from the twenty fifth Day of December 1800 till paid which is five Doll<sup>o</sup> Intrest therefore it considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the Debt Interest & Costs of suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>.

William Barrow Plt.  
Recorded vs In Debt  
John King Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came the plaintiff by his Att<sup>o</sup>

and the Defendant in Proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledged the plaintiff's action for the Debt in the Declaration Mentioned with Interest therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the sum of thirty five dollars the Debt in the declaration Mentioned with Interest also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Def<sup>t</sup> in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> Whereupon the plaintiff acknowledged Satisfaction of thirty dollars part of the Within therefore of so much the Def<sup>t</sup> is aquited & Discharged.

Sam<sup>l</sup> P. & James Moore Plt<sup>f</sup>s  
Recorded Versus  
Patrick Foley Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came the parties by their attorneys & the Def<sup>t</sup> acknowledged the plaintiff's action for Sixty four Dollars and Costs of suit therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Def<sup>t</sup> the Debt aforesaid & Costs by him about his suit in this behalf Expended.

A Report of a Road thro Captain Carter's District being Returned by the Commissioners which is in the these words to wit "Commencing at the Homochitto at Maj<sup>o</sup> Abram Ellises Ferry leaving the present roads a little to the right then Crossing the same about a mile from the ferry and descend- ing into a hollow or Valley keeping up the same a small distance then to the Right assending a level Ridge which is kept or nearly so to a hollow about a mile below Mr. Tomlinson's and into the old Road keeping the same to Colonel Hutchins from thence by Mr. Farrar's

Daniel Ryan                      Plt<sup>f</sup>  
 Vs                                      In Case  
 Archibald McDuffy                  D  
 On Motion of the plaintiff by his counsel it is ordered that the suit  
 be Dismissed.

David Kennedy                      Plt<sup>f</sup>  
 Vs                                      In Case  
 John Bullin                          Deft<sup>t</sup>  
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 Recorded      Versus                      In Debt  
 William Price                          Deft

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 1800 till paid which is five Doll<sup>o</sup> Introst therefore it considered by the  
 Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the Debt Interest &  
 Costs of suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c.

William Barrow                      Plt.  
 Recorded      vs                                      In Debt  
 John King                                  Deft<sup>t</sup>  
 This day came the plaintiff by his Att<sup>o</sup>

and the Defendant in Proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledged the  
 plaintiff's action for the Debt in the Declaration Mentioned with Interest  
 therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against  
 the Defendant the sum of thirty five dollars the Debt in the declaration  
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 Def<sup>t</sup> is acquitted & Discharged.

Sam<sup>l</sup> P. & James Moore                  Pltfs  
 Recorded      Versus                                      Deft<sup>t</sup>  
 Patrick Foley

This day came the parties by their attornies & the Def<sup>t</sup> acknowledged the  
 plaintiff's action for Sixty four Dollars and Costs of suit therefore it  
 is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Def<sup>t</sup> the  
 Debt aforesaid & Costs by him about his suit in this behalf Expended.

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 the Right ascending a level Ridge which is kept or nearly so to a hollow  
 about a mile below Mr. Tomlinson's and into the old Road keeping the same  
 to Colonel Hutchins from thence by Mr. Farrar's



Plantation along the Said Road to Saint Catharine's landing from St. Catharine's landing along the Road between, the plantation of Mr. Hampton White and Mr. Bonnell's keeping the said Road to the District boundary line Beginning on the above boundary line where it Crosses the Present Road which leads by Mr. William Dunbars to Maj<sup>r</sup> Ellises Ferry keeping the same to the Road leading From Colonel Hutchins to Saint Catherine's Landing.

"also another commencing at the corner of Mr. Jesse Carter's pasture fence on the Road leading from St. Catharine's landing toward Mr. William Dunbar keeping along on old Road crossing Second Creek passing Mr. Carter's Gin and by where Mr. David Mitchell now lives to a plantation Commonly called Egypt belonging to Mr. Isaac Gilliard from thence to the Homochitto to a Ferry kept by Mr. Nomiah Carter or so far till it intersects the district Boundary line, Whereupon it is ordered, that the said Report be Recorded.

James Howard	ad <sup>or</sup>	Plt.
vs		Attacht
John Sible		Doft

Asseneth Willis being Summonsed as Garnishee and Examined and it appearing to the Satisfaction of the Court that the Said Garnishee had no Effects or Credits at the time of of Suing One word illegible, crossed out Such Attachment in her hands it was ordered that the Same be Discharged.

Recorded	vs	Samuel Timberlake	Plt
		Joseph Lee	In dobt
			Doft <sup>t</sup>

This day came the plaintiff by Lyman Harding his attorney and the Defendant acknowledged the plaintiff's

Action, therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said defendant the Sum of fifty Six Dollars and Seventy five Cents the Debt in the Declaration mentioned and also his costs by him above his suit in this behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

The Court proceeded to appoint the following persons as overseers of the Highway for their Respective Districts To wit Captain Duncans District  
David Burney Overseer

District	Capt <sup>n</sup> Hoggatt	Robert Childers	Overseer
do	Capt <sup>n</sup> Darby	William Foster	ditto
ditto	Capt <sup>n</sup> Holmes	Benjamine Holmes	ditto
"	Capt <sup>n</sup> Luce	Nathan Swayze	ditto
"	Capt <sup>n</sup> Sossions	Isaac Alexander	ditto
"	Capt <sup>n</sup> Carter	J. Carter	ditto
"	Capt <sup>n</sup> Greenleaf	John Martin	ditto
"	Capt <sup>n</sup> Guice	Capt <sup>n</sup> Guice	ditto
"	Philander Smith	Jesse Greenfield	ditto

Ordered that the afore mentioned overseers do Summons the hands in each of the Districts to work theroon when necessarily Required and keep the same in Repair. The Court ordered that the following persons be appointed as Overseers of the poor to wit

Capt <sup>n</sup> Duncan	District	David Gibson	Overseer
" Hoggatts	ditto	Anthony Hoggatt	ditto
" Darby	ditto	Robert Dunbar	ditto

Capt <sup>n</sup> Holmes	ditto	John Irwin	ditto
" Luce	ditto	Caleb King	ditto
" Sessions	ditto	Joseph Howard	ditto
" Carter	ditto	Jn <sup>o</sup> H. White	ditto
" Greenlief	ditto	Jn <sup>o</sup> Bowls	ditto
" S <sup>d</sup> Smith	ditto	Jesse Greenfield	ditto
" Guice	ditto	Joseph Ford	ditto

The above app is ordered to be Certified.

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Ordered that the Several Tavern Keepers within this County take and Receive for the following Articles To Wit

For Breakfast	.37 $\frac{1}{2}$
" Dinner	.50
" Supper	.37 $\frac{1}{2}$
" Lodging	.25
" Feeding horse	.25
" 24 Hours at Hay & Fodder	.75
" 1 night ditto	.50
" 1 Bottle Maderia	2.00
" Best Boardeaux do	1.50
" Com <sup>n</sup> Claret pt Bottle	1.00
" pint Coneack Brandy	.50
" pint Holland Gin	.50
" 1 Bottle Porter	1.00
" pt Country Gin	.25
" do Jamaica Spirits	.50
" pt Whiskey	.12 $\frac{1}{2}$
" pt Peach Brandy	.18- $\frac{3}{4}$
" 1 Quart Cider	.18- $\frac{3}{4}$

The prices on the above Rates the Tavern Keepers within this County may receive & not more.

Ebenezer Rees

Plt

vs

In Blank

Authur Cobb

Deft

On the Motion of the Defendant by his Attorney who prays that the Judgment obtained against him may be Set aside arrested and the trial thereof is deferred for the last day of the Court.

Court adjourned until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock

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The Court agreeable to adjournment met Present

Samuel Brooks

John Henderson Esquires

James Neilson



Thomas Moore Esqr having produced a Licence from his Excellency William C. C. Claiborne to practice as an attorney and Counsellor at Law in the Several Counties within this territory whereupon he took the oath by Law Required and is admitted accordingly.

Ann Martin	Plt
Recorded vs	In Case
Ezekiel Dewitt	Deft

This day came the parties by their attorneys and agree that the pleadings of this cause be made up in form and plead a General Replication and Joinder and thereupon came also a Jury To wit William Lintot, William Clark, John Martin, David Greenleaf, John Irwin, William Hutsell, John Calhoun, Thomas Ford, Abram Galtney, Joseph Strong, David Howard and John Mitchell who being elected tried and Sworn to try the issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant is not Guilty in Manner and form as the Plaintiff hath Declared, therefore it is Considered by the Court that the defendant go hence without Day and Recover against the Plaintiff his Costs by her about his suit in this behalf expended and that the plaintiff with her false Clemour be in Mercy &c

William Cochran being Summoned to serve on a Petit Jury & failing to attend, tho Solemnly Called, it is ordered by the Court for his Contempt therein that he be fined two dollars & Costs & that he may be taken &c

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Moore's Extors	Plt
Vs	In <u>Blank</u>
Donalson & Wife	Defts

Charles King who was Special Bail in this Action Surrendered the Bodies of the Defendant in Open Court in Discharge of his Recognizance and undertaking & thereupon George Williams comes into Court & undertakes for the Defendants that in Case they be cast in the suit, that he will Satisfy and pay the condemnation of the Court or render his body in Execution to prison for the same or in case of failure he the said George will do it for them

King and Sacket	Pltfs
Vs	In D
Samuel Ashlook	Deft

Charles King who was special Bail in this action Surrendered the Bodies of the Defendant in Court in Discharge of his recognizance and undertaking Joseph Newman and Thomas Regan came into Court and undertakes for the Defendant that in Case he shall be cast in this suit they Shall Satisfy and pay the costs of Condemnation of the Court or render ~~their~~ his bodies to prison in Execution for the same or in Case of failure thereof that they the said Joseph & Thomas will do it for him.

Adam Tooley this day presented in Court an acct. of The Marks and Brands used in Designating his live Stock according to Law, which is ordered to be Recorded.

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Manuel Tarsadu    Plt  
 Vs    In Blank  
 Daniel Douglass    Deft

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said defendant acknowledges the Plaintiff's action Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff Recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of three hundred and twenty Seven Dollars & Damages to be assessed by Abija Hunt & Henry James and the award to be Returned in the office and Execution Stayed Six Weeks From this time Award Rec<sup>d</sup> by Consent for 77 Dollars 97 cents Damg<sup>s</sup> making in the whole four hundred & five Dollars Twenty two cents & cost of Suit.

Ann Martin    Plt  
 Vs    In Blank  
 Ezekiel Dewitt    Deft

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and prayed an appeal to the next Superior Court which is Granted Upon her entering into an acknowledged Bond with William B. Smith and John Eldergile his securities Conditioned according to Law.

Jesse Hamilton    Plt  
 Vs    Attachment  
 Cyrus Hamilton    Deft

Frederick Ward as Garnishee in The above Suit appeared in Court declared on oath that he had cotton Receipts in his hand which he purchased from the Defendant amounting to two hundred Dollars therefore Judgment is entered against the Garnishee for the Said two hundred dollars provided that the Cotton is good, if not Good the Said Cotton to be liable to discharge the Said Judgment.

On Motion of Francis Keller it is Ordered that a Licence be granted him to keep a Tavern on this County at his House during the Term of one year upon his entering into and acknowledged bond with Ja<sup>s</sup> Hoggatt his security Conditioned according to law.

Garrett Pendergrass    Plt  
 Vs    In Case  
 Martin Hinderlider Ad<sup>m</sup>    Deft

This day came the parties by their attorney and agree to Submit all matters in Difference between them to the final determination of John Henderson Esquire and his award to be made the Judgment of the Court to return the same in the Clerk's office and Execution to Issue thereon.

The Commissioners appointed to View and mark the most convenient way for publick Road thro Capt Carter's District motioned for the establishment thereof the Consideration which is Suspended until Wednesday next.

Jonathan Davis    Plt  
 Recorded Vs    In debt  
 Benj<sup>m</sup> Kitchens & Smith    Deft

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in Proper Person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiffs action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against



the Said the Sum of thirty two dollars the Debt in the Declaration mentioned and his Costs by him about his Suit in in this behalf expended and the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

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begin David Ferguson & Woolley Pltff<sup>s</sup>  
& In Case  
Recorded Hardress Ellis Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the Def<sup>t</sup> in proper person and acknowledges the Plaintiff's action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the said defendant the Sum of thirty Six Dollars and twenty five Cents & also his costs by him in this behalf expended and the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the plaintiff agrees to Stay Execution three months.

Reed Lewis Burnet Plt  
Vs In Case  
Joseph Strikland Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came the Plaintiff by his Attorney and the Def<sup>t</sup> in proper Person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the sum of Sixty five Dollars and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the plaintiff agrees to stay execution three months.

Edward Maloney Plt  
Vs In Case  
Michael Moore Deft

Appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the Defendant is dead therefore this Suit abates.

Robert Moore & Co. Plt  
versus In  
Richard Horton Deft

Israel Smith comes into Court and undertakes for the Defendant that in Case he should be cast in this suit he shall Satisfy & pay the Costs and condemnation of the Court or Render his Body to prison in Execution for the Same or in case of failure thereof that he the Said Israel will do it for him

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Moses Saxon Plt  
Versus In Trespass Vi et Armis  
John F. Carmichael Deft  
On the Motion of the plaintiff by his Counsel it is ordered that this suit be dismissed.  
Recorded Arthur Strother Plt  
Vers In Case  
Patrick Foley Deft

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action for fifty three dollars and ninety Two cents therefore it is considered by the Court the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the said Sum mentioned and also his Costs by him about his Suit in the behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> & the plaintiff agrees to to Stay execution Six weeks.

Lewis Sojourner	Plt
Vs	In Case
John Mitchell	Def <sup>t</sup>

On Motion of the plaintiff by his Counsel Ordered that the suit be dismissed.

Court adjourned.

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Court met according to adjournment  
Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> of June one thousand  
eight hundred & three

Present

Saml Brooks	
Joseph Sessions	Esquires
John Callendar	
Saml Boyd	

Richard May	Plt
Versus	In Case
Martin Hinderlider Ad <sup>tor</sup>	Def

This Day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came also a Jury to wit William Lintott, William Clarke, John Martin, David Greenlief. John Irwin, William Hutsoll, John Calliham, Thomas Ford, Abram Gaultney, Joseph Strong, John Foster & Ezekiel Dewitt who being elected tried & Sworn the truth to Speak upon the Issue Joined upon their oath do Say "that the Deceased John David Upon in his life time did assume in Manner and form or in the Declaration mentioned therefore find for the Plaintiff Sixty Dollars damages & Cost of Suit". Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff Recover the Said defendant his damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their Verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

William Murray	Plt
Vs	Atta
Thomas Hutchins	Def <sup>t</sup>

On motion leave to amend the Return of the attachment by adding the date of the Levying

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Ezekiel Dewitt	Plt
Recorded vs	In Debt
Simon Spring	Doft



This day came the parties by their Attornies, and Thereupon came a Jury to wit, William Lintott, William Clark, John Martin, David Greenlief, John Irwin, William Hutsell, John Calliham, Thomas Ford, Abram Gaultney, Joseph Strong, John Foster ~~Ezekiel Dewitt~~ Charles King who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant ~~is guilty in~~ manner and form as the plaintiff in his declaration hath declared and we do assess the plaintiff damages by occasion thereof the debt in the Declaration mentioned with interest thereon at the rate of five per centum per annum till paid 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 Said Defendant his debt and interest aforesaid in manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Recorded vs Ebenczor Snow Plt  
 vs Elisha Fisher In Case  
 Deft

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in Proper person and the Said defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said Defendant twenty one Dollars and his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended.

Churchwell Plaintiff  
 Vs In Blank  
 Moore Defendant

On Motion Plea of non Asumpsit to the Court withdrawn & cause continuod.

Reed vs Edwin L. Harris Plt  
 vs Thomas & Wittiam Cochran, In Blank Recd the amount of  
 Deft Judgt  
 Benj<sup>m</sup> Seaman  
 clk

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 35  
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This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defend<sup>t</sup> in Proper Person and the said defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant The Sum of eighty five dollars and Seven Dollars Damages and his Costs by them about his suit in this behalf expended and the said defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> & Costs \$8.90 Debt, damages & costs paid clerk Sept 27th 1803.

Debt 85  
 Dam 7  
 Cost 8.90  
 100.10  
 44.60  
 56.30  
 8.90  
 47.40

Phebe Cochran  
Vs  
Rebekah McCabe

Pltf  
In Blank  
Def<sup>t</sup>

Recd the amt of  
Judg<sup>t</sup> B. Seamans  
Referred to  
William T McCammack

Award 35  
Cost 9.60

44.60 and Henry Turner whose award to be returned in Six weeks  
and amt<sup>t</sup> to be deducted from the above Judgment Harris vs Cochran award re-  
turned for thirty five dollars to be deducted above Judg<sup>t</sup> & Costs \$9.60 Debt  
& cost deducted from forging Judg<sup>t</sup> & Costs paid Sept 27<sup>th</sup> 1803.

Recorded vs  
James Findley vs  
Davis Ferguson & Wooley Plaintiffs  
In Case  
Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in Proper per-  
son and the Said Defendant acknowledged the plaintiff's action therefore it  
is considered by the Court that the plaintiffs recover against the Said de-  
fendant the Sum of one hundred and forty one Dollars and forty four cents and  
his costs by him above his suit in this behalf expended and the Deft in Mercy  
&<sup>c</sup>

David Ferguson & Woolley  
Vs  
Patrick Connelly

Plaintiffs  
In Blank  
Defendant

Referred to John Farrell and John

Henderson Esquires whose award to be Returned in the Clerk's office in Six  
weeks and made the Judgment of the Court and Execution to Issue thereon.

Recorded vs  
James Findley & P. Connelly vs  
David Ferguson & Woolley Plaintiffs  
In Case  
Defendants

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in pro person  
and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is  
considered by the Court that the plaintiffs Recover against the Said Defend-  
ant fifty nine Dollars and Seventy Six cents and also his costs by him about  
his Suit in this behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

~~Same-vs-Findley~~  
Leonard Claiborne

~~Dft As-above-fer-the-Dell-&-cents~~  
Plaintiff

Recorded vs  
Benjamine Kitchens vs  
Leonard Claiborne Plaintiff  
In Case  
Defendant

Referred to Peter A.

Vandorn & and Love Baker award to be Returned into the Clerk's office to be  
made the final Determination of the Court and Execution thereon after the  
expiration of Six Weeks.

John Scott vs  
John Wilson vs  
John Scott Plaintiff  
In Case  
Defendant

This suit abates on the Death of the plaintiff



Patrick Connally Plaintiff  
 Vs In Blank  
 Daniel Douglass Defendant  
 The parties agree to Refer the Matters in Difference to James Farrell and John Henderson.

William Muncey Plt  
 Vs In Blank  
 Benjamine Kitchens Deft  
 The parties agree to stay all further proceedings on the above Suit Twelve Months.

William Brocher Ad<sup>tor</sup> Plaintiff  
 Versus In Case  
 Archabald Palmer Defend<sup>t</sup>  
 On Motion of the plaintiff by his Counsel, it is ordered that this Suit be Dismissed.

Recorded St James Beauvier Plaintiff  
 V In Debt  
 James Bosley Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by their Attorney and the Deft. in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of thirty eight Dollars and twenty nine cents also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>  
 Ordered that Court adjourn till tomorrow morning nine O'Clock.

Thursday the Ninth the Court  
 Met according to adjournment  
 Sam<sup>l</sup> Brooks  
 John Callendor Esquires  
 Sam<sup>l</sup> Boyd

Recorded Phoba Martin Plaintiff  
 Vs In Case  
 John Wells Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys & leave granted to withdraw plea of General Issue and leave to file Justification claiming the Pltf as the Property of the Defendants Slave for life and Replications with Issue thereon Jury to try the Same to wit: William Lintot, William Clark, and John Martin, David Greenlief John Irwin, William Hutsell and John Calliham, Thomas Ford, Abraham Gaultney, John Foster. Ezekiel Dewitt & Anthony Calvit, Returned We of the Jury find for the Plt and that the Defondant is Guilty of the Trespass and false Imprisonment as charged in the Declaration and assess her Damages to one cent with cost of Suit.

Motion for new trial.  
 Sam<sup>l</sup> Flower Plaintiff  
 Vs In Case  
 Nathaniel Tomlinson Defendant Rule of Reference  
 The parties agree to Refer all matters in difference between them to the

final Determination of Robert Cochran and James Farrell: Their award to be returned in this office in Six weeks ~~one word illegible, crossed out~~ made the Judgment of the Court and entered thereon as of this term and Execution to Issue accordingly.

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Abjah Hunt & Co.	Plaintiff
Vs	In Case
Patrick Connolly	Defendant

This day came the Plaintiffs by their Attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the Plaintiffs' action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the sum of one hundred and fifty eight Dollars and forty Two cents and also their Costs by him about their Suit in this behalf Expended and the Said Deft in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>. The Plaintiffs agree to Stay execution of this Judgment till first of September next.

Charles Wilkins	Plaintiff
Vs	In Case
John Saxon	Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his Attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant agrees to Satisfy and pay the Costs in the above suit therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff Recover against the Said Defendant his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended & the Said Deft<sup>t</sup> in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

On Motion of James Dunlap, Attorney for the United States to appoint some Day for the hearing The Causes of the Said States Ordered that the Said motion be laid over till Thursday next.

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Daniel McMullen	Plaintiff
versus	In Case
George Carmick	Defendant

This day came the parties by their Attornies and Thereupon came also a Jury to wit William Lintot, William Clarke, John Martin, David Greenleaf, John Irwin, William Hutsell, John Calliham, Thomas Ford, Abraham Gaultney John Foster, Ezekiel Dewitt & Stephen Stephenson who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined Returned, "We of the Jury found that the Defendant did assume in Manner and form as the plaintiff in his Declaration hath complained against and assess his damages to thirty six Dollars and costs of suit, Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover ag<sup>s</sup> the Said Defendant his damages aforesaid in manner and form by the Juriors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

James Beauvics	Plaintiff
Vs	In Debt
Rebecca McCabe	Defendant



This day came the parties by their Attornies and there upon came also a Jury to wit William Lintot, William Clark, John Martin, David Greenleaf John Irwin, Wm Hutsell, John Calliham, Thomas Ford, Abraham Gaultney John Foster, Ezekiel and Stephen Stephenson by Consent of the parties the Jurors from returning their verdict and withdrawn and the Said Defendant relinquishing her former plea acknowledges the plaintiffs action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff

recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of One hundred and sixty two Dollars and twenty five cents also their Costs by her about their Suit in this behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &c

Henry Turner Plt  
Vs In Case  
William Silkreg Deft

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is considered by the Court that ~~that~~ the plaintiff recover against the said Defendant the sum of one hundred and twenty seven Dollars and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c

Thompson Pltr  
Vs Attachd  
Richey Deft

Peter [Blank] and William [Blank] come into Court and undertake for the Defendant that in case he shall be Cast in this Suit they will Satisfy and pay the Costs and condemnation of the Court or Surrender their Bodies in Execution to prison for the Same or in Case of failure thereof that they the Said Peter and William will do it for him.

John Scott Plt  
vs In [Blank]  
John Willson Deft  
The above suit abates on the Death of the Pltff.  
Jacob Yirzer Plaintiff  
vs In Case  
Jacob Ficundas Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his attorney and the plaintiff being Solemnly called came not, therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff be nonsuited and that the Defendant go hence without Day and Recover against the plaintiff his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended.

Daniel Clarke Plaintiff  
Recorded Vs In Case Hancock's Death  
Regan Timberlake & Hancock Defendants Suggested

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit William Lintot, William Clarke, John Martin, David Greenleaf, John Irwin, William Hutsell, John Calliham, Thomas Ford, Abraham Gaultney, John Foster, Ezekiel Dewitt & Anthony Calvet, who being elected tried and Sworn the Truth to Speak upon the Issue Joined Upon their oaths do Say that the Defendant is Guilty in manner and form as the plaintiff against them hath Declared in his Declaration & we do assess the plaintiff Damages by occasion thereof to one hundred and fifty six Dollars and fifty Cents and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> & the plaintiff agrees to Stay execution till fourth Sept<sup>t</sup> next.

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Mr. John Burnett having produced a Licence from his Excellency William C. C. Claiborne to practice as an attorney & Counsellor at Law whereupon he took the oath by law Required and was admitted accordingly.

Court adjourned till tomorrow morning 9 O'clock.

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> the Court according to Ad<sup>t</sup> met

Present  
 Sam<sup>l</sup> Brooks  
 Abner Green Esquires  
 Caleb King

Reese		
Vs		Referred to James Wallace &
Tomlinson		E. M. Bradish Esquires whose
Same Ex <sup>tors</sup>		award to be returned into the
&		Clerk's Office in Six Weeks or
Same		Judgment to be entered against
Same Surviving Partners		the Defendant on failure on
Vs		his part to attend and on failure
Same		of the Plaintiffs likewise, the
Suit to be Dismissed with costs, the		parties to meet on Saturday the
eighteenth instant.		
Thomas Tyler		Plaintiff
Vs		In Case
Anthony Calvet		Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiffs action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of one hundred and forty three Dollars and fifty five cents and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> & the plaintiff agrees to Stay execution till first Sept.

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that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of forty three dollars and Eighty cents and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf Expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and agree to Stay execution till the first of Sept next.

Recorded Daniel Clark Plaintiff  
Vs Samuel Timberlake In Case  
Defndt

This day came the plaintiff by his Attorney and the Defendant in his proper person and the Said defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of Eighty two Dollars and fifty and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf Expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and agree to stay execution of the Judgment till first of September next.

David Ferguson & Woolley Ptffs  
vs William Mulhallon In Case  
Deft

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Deft in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action, therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of thirty Seven Dollars and twenty nine cents and also their Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and agree Stay of execution until the first of September next.

Recorded Abijah Hunt Ad<sup>tor</sup> Plaintiff  
Vs Sam<sup>l</sup> Timberlake in Case  
Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of Eighty Dollars and ten cents and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf Expended and the Said Defendants in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and agree to Stay Execution of this judgment until September next.

Abijah Hunt Ad<sup>tor</sup> Plaintiff  
Vs Samuel Timberlake & Hancock Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his Attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiffs action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Deft the Sum of Eighty five Dollars and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Deft in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and agree to stay the execution of this Judg<sup>t</sup> until next court.

William Kenner Plaintiff  
vs Elias Fisher In Case  
Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said defendant acknowledges the plaintiffs action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant the Sum of Eighty Eight Dollars and thirty Six Cents also his Costs by him about

his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c and agree to stay execution of this Judgt until Sept next.

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The Same  
vs  
John Bosley

Plaintiff  
In Case  
Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his Attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of thirty one Dollars Sixty three cents and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &c and agree to Stay execution of this Judgment until first of September next.

Recorded          Vs  
Robert Glass  
Michael Lougham

Plaintiff  
in Debt  
Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his Attorneys and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of one hundred and forty five Dollars & Seventy five cents as the Debt in the Declaration mentioned and ten Dollars & Sixty eight cents Damages and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c and agree to stay execution of this Judgment until first of Sept next. - Costs \$10.

## 106

James Beauvies & Co.  
vs  
David Barbour

Plaintiff  
On Attachment  
Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Sheriff having made return of the Said attachment in these words, "18<sup>th</sup> of JanRY 1803 agreeable to the within attachment I proceeded to the Dwelling house of St James Beauvies and Levied the within on one new Broad Cloth Coat and a pair Blue Cashmere Pantaloons and one black Sattin Vest, all new, which Clothing I now have in My possession, and the Defendant failing to appear and replevy the Same therefore it is ordered that Sheriff do make Sale of the attached effects and the money arising therefrom to be Deposited in the hands of the Clerk until the final determination of this Suit."

Benjamin Stokes  
vs  
Winthrop Sargent

Plaintiff  
in Case  
Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came also a Jury to wit, Thomas Regan, William Clarke, John Martin, John Irwin, William Hutsoll, John Calliham, Thomas Ford, John Foster, Ezekiel Dewitt,



Stephen Stephenson, William Cochram, & Bennet Truly who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant is Guilty in manner and form as the plaintiff in his Declaration hath complained and do assess the plaintiffs Damages by occasion thereof to thirty five Dollars and twenty five cents also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Court adjourned eight o'clock the following Day June the eleventh One thousand eight hundred and three

Present  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Brooks  
Abner Green Esquires  
John Callender

Stacpooole  
vs

Phipps

George Cochran and Melling Woolley Ex<sup>tors</sup> of Morris Stacpooole Deceased by Ebenezer Bradish their attorney came into Court and made themselves plaintiff in the Suit of Said Stacpooole against Phipps.

Recorded vs  
John O'Conner Plaintiff  
Alexander Farrar Defendant  
In Case

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action, therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said defendant the sum of one hundred and fourteen Dollars and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and agree to Stay execution of this Judgment until the first of September next.

Young  
vs  
Atchison  
Barland  
vs  
Same

Peter Walker comes into Court and undertakes for the Defendants that in case they be cast in this Suit that he that he will Satisfy and pay the Costs and Condemnation of the Court or Surrender his body to prison in Execution for the same or

in Case of failure thereof That he the Said Peter will do it for him.

William Loan Plaintiff  
vs  
Patrick Connelly Defendant  
Trovor & Conversion

This day came the parties by their attornies and theroupon came also a Jury to wit, William Clarke, John Martin, John Irwin, William Hutsell, John Callihan, Thomas Ford, John Foster, Ezekel Dewitt, Stephen Stephenson, William Cochran & Nathaniel Cochran who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do Say that the Defendant is not guilty in Manner & form as the plaintiff in his Declaration hath complained therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff take nothing for his bill but for his false Clamour be in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and that the Defendant go thereof without Day and recover against the plaintiff his Costs by him about his Defence in this behalf expended.

John O'Connor Plaintiff  
vs In Case  
John Calvet Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the said Defendant in proper person and the Said Deft acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of ninety Seven Dollars and fifty one Cents and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and agree to Stay execution of this Judgment until the first of September next.

Recorded The Same Plaintiff  
vs In Case  
William Fletcher Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the sum of one hundred and forty Six Dollars and ninety three cents and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the Plt agree to Stay the Execution of this Judgment until the first of September next.

Phebe Martin Plaintiff  
vs In Trespass  
John Wells Defendant

On motion of the Defendant by his Counsel ~~te-grant~~ praying an an appeal from the Judgment and Opinion of the Court to the next Superior Court of Law to be holden for the district of Adams which is granted upon his having entered into and acknowledged Bonds with Securities according to Law.

Accounts Audited

Henry Turner's a/c	6	93-3/4
Isaac Lauck	9	"
Anthony Dougherty of	21	6 1/4
Martin McWilliams	20	"
Decl <sup>r</sup> David Latimore	65	"
	122	00 1/4



Thomas Grinnell Esquire having produced a Licence from his Excellency William C. C. Claiborne to practice as an attorney and counselor at law he having taken the usual oath is admitted accordingly.

Isaac Laucks having produced an account to the Court for Repairs done to the Jail which being examined is admitted and ordered to be Certified . . . 34 - 26'.

Ordered that Joseph Sessions be commissioned and William Loaman Surveyor on the part of this County to make Dividing line between same and Jefferson County and Wilkinson County to meet the persons appointed by Jefferson County at the House of Mr. George Sulcer in Ellicottville on the fourth Monday in July next in order to proceed on Said Business and to meet the Commissioners appointed by Wilkinson County at the House of Mr. Nathan Swayze in the Jury Settlement on the Second Monday in September next for the Same purpose and that the Clerk make out Copies of this Order and enclose to each of the Clerks of Said Court and also the Commissioners & Surveyors on the part of this County.

Justices appointed by the Court to take & Receive lists of the taxable property in the County:

Justices		District
James Neillson	given	Abner L. Duncan
William Darby	do	William Darby
John Irwin	given	Benj. Holmes
John Callender	do	Wades
Joseph Sessions	given	Sessions
Abner Green	given	Jesse Carter
A. Montgomery	do	David Greenlief
Jacob Guice	given	Guice
F. L. Claiborne	do	William Nichols
Caleb King		James Hoggatt
		Israel Luse
		Philander Smith

Court Adjourned until Monday Morning nine o'clock.

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> June The Court according to Adjournment met

Present  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Brooks  
James Ferrell  
James Matson Esquires  
&  
Abner Green

The commissioners appointed to view the most Convenient way for Roads in Captain Duncan's District this day returned their Report, to wit, "From the St Catharine's Bridge to the Town of Washington following the Road laid out and marked by the Commissioners heretofore in pursuance of an act of assembly entitled an act

Authorizing the making a way for a public Road from the Boundary line near Pineridgeville to the Grind Stone ford on the Bayou pierre from thence along to old Road as it now runs to the muddy fork of St Catharine being the Boundary of the aforesaid militia District also one other road from the Bridge called King's Bridge on the St Catharine Creek along the old way as now and to Abram Taylor's plantation, the fence of Christian Harmon to be removed inwards so to give Sufficient Space to the road, also one other Road leading from the plantaion of Adam Tooley to the town of Washington along the way now used except only along the fence of David Gibson's Field the Road to run as the Said fence leads, the Same Said Gibson having already Suited the course of his fence to that of the road as laid out by us, also one other Road leading from Christian Harmon's plantation to the town of Washington opened agreeable to the Course marked and laid out by David Burnoy Whereupon it is ordered that the same be recorded.

Ezekiel Hoadies Ac<sup>t</sup>

Being produced in Court for his Services in Assisting to lay off prison Bounds was Examined and allowed - 2

Thomas Hanos Ac<sup>t</sup> 28.42

The following Gentlomen appointed to receive Taxable property in the District which they belong

District

Capt<sup>n</sup> Smith

Charles Surget

Capt Hoggatt Given Howard

Adam Tooley

Leonard Pomet

Plaintiff

vs

In Case

James McNoely

Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and Thereupon came also a Jury to wit Sam<sup>l</sup> Moore, Washington Stubblefield, Andrew Abrams, John Cammack, William Clarke, John Martin, John Irwin, John Callihan and Thomas Ford, John Foster, Ezekiel Dewitt & William Cochran who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the issue Joined upon their oath do Say that the Defendant ~~is~~ did ~~guilty~~ assume in manner and form as the plaintiff in his Declaration against him hath declared and do assess the plaintiff Damages by occasion thereof to two hundred and fifty five Dollars also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>. Sam<sup>l</sup> P. Moore, foreman.

John Bustrick

Plaintiff

Vs

in Case

Ebenezer Rees

Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action, therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the sum one hundred and Eighty nine Dollars and ninety nine Cents also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the plaintiff agrees to Stay the Ex<sup>or</sup> of this Judgment till the first of September next.



John Rapllee	Plaintiff
Vs	In Case
Patrick Connelly et al	Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action there-  
fore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the  
Said Deft the sum of one hundred and twenty eight Dollars and eleven and  
one half cent also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended  
and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> agree to Stay Ex<sup>or</sup> of this Judgment till  
first of September next.

Weisger	Plaintiff
vs	
Strickland	Defendant

Plea of non trial Record replication and Joinder	
William Loan	Plaintiff
vs	In Trover
Patrick Connally	Defendant

Mr. Abijah Hunt comes into Court and as ad<sup>tor</sup> of Philip Noname Declared and  
agrees to Deliver up the notes given by Loan for the Horses in the Declara-  
tion mentioned and to pay the Costs of this Suit.

Ordered that Co<sup>l</sup> John Girault, Benjamine Kitchens & Jeremiah Ruth, Gen.,  
view and mark out such roads as may be necessary to be opened in the District  
formally Captain Wados' and make report thereof to the next Court

Stewart	Plaintiff
Vs	in <u>Blank</u>
Truly	Defendant

Rule of Reference

The parties agree to Refer all matters in Difference to the Declaration of  
Ebenezer Rees and James Neilson Esquires whose award to be returned into  
the Clerk's office in two months and Execution to Issue thereon.

David Ferguson & Woolley	Plaintiff
Versus	in Case
John King	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereof came also a Jury  
to wit Peter A. Vandorn, Washington Stubberfield, Andrew Abrams, John Cam-  
mick, William Clarke John Martin, John Irwin, John Callahan, Thomas Ford,  
John Foster, Moses Moore & William Cochran who being elected Tried and  
Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages upon their oath do Say that the  
Defendant ~~is~~ <sup>guilty</sup> did assume in manner and form as the plaintiff in his  
Declaration ag<sup>st</sup> him hath Declared and do assess the plaintiff Damages by  
occasion thereof to three hundred and fifty Seven Dollars and seventy eight  
Cents and Costs of Suit therefore it is Considered by the Court that the  
plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Man-  
ner and form by the Jurors in their virdict aforesaid assessed and also his  
Costs by him about his Suit this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in  
Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Recorded Mathew McCulloch Plaintiff  
 Vs In Case  
 by P. Walker John O'Conner Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit: Peter Vandorn, Washington Stubbeffield, Andrew Adams, John Cammick, William Clarke, John Martin, John Irwin, John Calliham, Thomas Ford, John Foster, Moses Moore & William Cochran who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages upon their oath do say that the Defendant is Guilty in Manner and form as the as the plaintiff ag<sup>st</sup> him hath declared and  
 65.99 do assess the plaintiff Damages by occasion to Sixty five Dollars  
 cor 5.38 ninety four cents and cost of Suit therefore it is Considered by the  
 \$71.32 Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>.

Recorded John Prior Perkins Plaintiff  
 vs in Debt  
 George Cochran Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and their upon came also a Jury, to wit Peter Vandorn, Washington Stubblefield, Andrew Abrams, John Calliham, Thomas Ford, John Foster, Moses Moore & William Cochran who being elected tried and Sworn well & truly to enquire of damages upon their oaths, do say that the Defendant is Guilty in Manner and form as the plaintiff in his declaration ag<sup>st</sup> him hath complained and do assess the plaintiff Damages by occasion thereof to

two hundred and Sixteen Dollars and Seventeen cents and Costs, therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Recorded David Ferguson & Woolley Plaintiff  
 Vs in Case  
 William Atchinson Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit Peter Vandorn, Washington Stubblefield, Andrew Abrams, John Cammick William Clarke, John Martin, John Irwin, John Callihan, Thomas Ford, John Foster, Moses Moore & William Cochran who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages upon their oath do say that the Defendant is Guilty in manner and form as the plaintiff in their Declaration against him hath declared and do assess the plaintiff Damages by occasion thereof to fifty one Dollars Seventy two and one half cents and Costs of Suit therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner & form by the Jurors in their Verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>



Recorded Extor of Alex<sup>r</sup> Moore vs Henry Holston  
 Plaintiff in Case Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorne and thereupon came also a Jury to wit Peter Vandorn, Washington Stubblefield, Andrew Abrams, John Cammick, William Clarke, John Martin, John Irwin, John Calligan, Thomas Ford, John Foster, Moses Moore, & William Cochran, who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages upon their oath do say that the Defendant is guilty did assume in manner and form as the plaintiff in his Declaration against him hath Declared and do assess the plaintiff's Damages by occasion thereof to three hundred and twenty three Dollars eighteen & one half cents and Costs of Suit therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assess<sup>d</sup> and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c

Extors M. Stackpoole vs Thomas Dorrock  
 Plaintiff In Case Deft

This day came the parties by their Attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit, Peter Vandorn, Washington Stubblefield, Andrew Abrams, John Cammick, William Clarke, John Irwin, John Callihan, Thomas Ford, John Foster, Moses Moore & William Cochran, who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages upon their oath do say that the Defendant is Guilty in Manner & form as the plaintiff in his Declaration against him hath alleged and and do assess the plaintiff damages

by occasion of his not performing the Several promises and undertakes aforesaid and Costs of suit therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also their costs by him about their Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c

Recorded Morris Stackpoole vs Henry Phipps  
 Plaintiff In Case Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and Thereupon came also a Jury to wit Peter Vandorn, Washington Stubblefield, Andrew Abrams, John Cammick, William Clarke, John Martin, John Irwin, John Callihan, Thomas Ford, John Foster, Moses Moore & William Cochran who being elected tried and Sworn well & truly to enquire of Damages in this suit upon their oaths do say that the plaintiff hath Sustained Damages by reason of the Defendant not performing this promise and undertaking in the Declaration ment<sup>d</sup> to Sixty four Dollars and fifty seven cents besides his Costs of Suit therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff, recover against the Said Def<sup>t</sup> his Dang<sup>s</sup> aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Deft in Mercy &c

John P. Perkins    Plaintiff  
 Recorded    vs    In Case  
                                         Gab Swayze & Is<sup>l</sup> Luce    Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit Benjamin Kitchens, Washington Stubblefield, Andrew Abrams, John Cam-mick, William Clarke, John Martin, John Irwin, John Callihan, Thomas Ford, John Foster, William Cochran, & Moses Moore, who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages in this Suit upon their oath do say that the plaintiff hath Sustained Damages by reason of the Defendants nonperformance of this promise and undertaking in the Declaration mentioned to twenty Six Dollars and eighty Cents besides his costs of Suit therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Abijah Hunt    Plaintiff  
 Recorded    Vs    In Case  
                                         John Baptist Labrathra    Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit, Benjamin Kitchez, Washington Stubblefield, Andrew Abrams John Cam-mick, William Clarke, John Martin, John Irwin, John Callihan, Thomas Ford, John Foster, William Cochran & Moses Moore who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages in this Suit upon the oath do Say that the plaintiff hath Sustained Damages by reason of the Defendant's nonperformance of his promise & undertaking in the Declaration Mentioned to one cent besides his Costs of Suit.

Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Dam. aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assess and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf Expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Arthur Carney    Plaintiff  
 Recorded    vs    in Case  
                                         Ford Bryan and John Ferguson    Defen<sup>d</sup>

This day came the parties by their attornies and thoroupon came also a Jury to Wit Benjamine Kitchens, Washington Stubblefield, Andrew Abrams, John Cam-mick, William Clarke, John Martin, John Irwin, John Callihan, Thomas Ford, John Foster, William Cochran & Moses Moore who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages upon their oath do Say that the plain-tiff hath Sustained Damages by reason of the Defendants nonperformance of his promise and undertaking in the Declaration mentioned to Sixty Dollars and Costs of Suit Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plain-tiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>



	Thomas Regan	Plaintiff
Recorded	vs	In Case
	Andrew Robinson	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to Wit Benjamine Kitchens, Washington Stubblefield, Andrew Abrams, John Cammick, William Clarke, John Martin, John Irwin, John Calliham, Thomas Ford John Foster, William Cockran & Moses Moore who being elected tried and Sworn well & trully to enquire of Damages upon their oath do say that the plaintiff hath Sustained Damages by reason of the Def<sup>ts</sup> non performance of his promises and undertaking in the Declaration mentioned to fifty four dollars and Twenty five Cents and Costs of Suit Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

	The Same	Plaintiff
Recorded		In Case
	The Same	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit, Benjamine Kitchens, Washington Stubblefield, Andrew Abrams, John Cammick, William Clarke, John Martin, John Irwin, John Calliham, Thomas Ford, John Foster, William Cochran & Moses Moore, who being elected triod and Sworn well and Trully to enquire of Damages in this Suit upon their oath do Say that the plaintiff hath Sustained Damages by reason of the Defendants non performance of his promise

and undertaking in the Declaration Mentioned to one hundred and four Dollars and fifty Cents and Costs of Suit therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their Vordict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

	Henry Barr	Plaintiff
Recorded	Vs	In Case
	Jno Knilton	Defendant

This day came the Parties by their Attornies and thereupon came also a Jury to wit, Benjamine Kitchens, Washington Stubblefield, Andrew Abrams, John Cammick, William Clarke, John Martin, John Irwin, John Calliham, Thomas Ford, John Foster, William Cochran & Moses Moore who being elected tried and Sworn well and trully to enquire of Damages upon their oath do Say that the plaintiff hath Sustained Damages by reason of the Defendants nonperformance of his promise and undertaking in the Declaration mentioned to forty two Dollars and forty eight Cents and costs of Suit, therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Recorded William Barrow Plaintiff  
vs Lake Whiting in Debt  
Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his Attorney and The Defendant in proper person & the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plt Recover against the said Defendant the Sum of one hundred and Sixty one Dollars and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Recorded Samuel Timberlake & Hancock Plaintiffs  
vs Barton Hannon in Debt  
Deft Hancock's Death Suggested

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person & the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of Sixty nine Dollars and twenty five cents the Debt in the Declaration Mentioned also Six Dollars and Ninety nine Cents Damages and his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and agree to stay exetn till first Sept.

Recorded Thomas Wilkins Plaintiff  
vs Hardress Ellis in Case  
Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff Recover against the said Defendant the Sum of Six Dollars & Eighty five cents and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Deft in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> & agree to the Ex<sup>on</sup> of this Judg<sup>t</sup> till first of Sept.

William Dunbar Plaintiff  
vs William B. Smith In Case  
Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of one hundred and twelve Dollars eighty seven and one half cents and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and agree to Stay the execution of this Judgment till the first of September next.

Recorded James Beauvias Plaintiff  
Vs Reubin Gillick in Debt  
Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Def in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of Sixty one Dollars eighty and one & half cents and also his Costs about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> with Stay of execution of this Judgment until first of September next.



Evans Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs  
 Reese Defendant

This day came the parties by their Attornies and agree the pleadings in this Cause be made up before the next Court and the ~~Cause~~ Same is, is continued.

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Samuel Neilson Plaintiff  
 Vs In Debt  
 Lake Whiting Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his Attorney and the Def<sup>t</sup> in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Def<sup>t</sup> the Sum of one hundred and two Dollars and eighteen Cents and three fourths Cents and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> with Stay of execution of this Judgment three months.

Wells Plt  
 Vs  
 Holland Def<sup>t</sup>

On Motion it is ordered that Mr. William Brookes appear on Wednesday next and Show Cause if any he can why an attachment Should not issue against him late Sheriff of the County for not bringing into Court two hundred and Twenty Seven Dollars and thirty five Cents Costs, Money Made on a venditions expense in the Case.

Deed from Juan Vidal & ux to Charles Forgett was acknowledged & together with Certificate of relinquishment of Dower thereon endorsed and ordered to be recorded.

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Isaac Guion Plaintiff  
 vs in Case  
 Benjamine Kitchens Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action. Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant fifty Dollars and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Def<sup>t</sup> in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> with stay of ex<sup>on</sup> of the Judg<sup>dt</sup> two Months.

McWilliams Plaintiff  
 vs In Blank  
 Kitchens Defendant

The parties in this Suit agree to submit all Matters in Difference between them to the final Determination of Arthur Andrews & William T. McCormick whose award to be returned into the Clerk's office in two Months and Execution to Issue against the party against Whom the Balance Shall be found.

Court adjourned until tomorrow Morning 9 o'clock.

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Court Met according to adjournment

Present

Samuel Brooke  
Abner Green Esquires  
&  
James Neilson

Recorded Seth Caston Plaintiff  
vs Lewis Evans In Case  
Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and the the Said Defendant re-  
linquishing his former plea acknowledges the plaintiff's action. Therefore  
it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover ag<sup>st</sup> the said De-  
fendant the sum of one hundred and twenty eight Dollars and twenty one Cents  
and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the  
Said Defendant in Morcy &<sup>c</sup> with Stay of Ex<sup>on</sup> of this Judgment until Next  
Term.

Absent Sam<sup>l</sup> Brookes  
Present Wm Darby

Thomas Regan Plaintiff  
vs Benjamin Kitchens Defendant Rule Reference

The parties in this Suit agree to submit all Matters in Difference between  
them to the final determination of Ferdinand L. Clairborn and John Henderson  
Esquire whose award to be returned into the Clerk's office in two Months and  
execution to issue thereon.

George Poindexter having produced a Licence from his Excellency William  
C. Claiborne to practice as an attorney and Counsellor at Law whereupon he  
took the usual oaths & is admitted accordingly.

James Moore Plaintiff  
vs Richard Millor In Case  
Defendant

The parties in the Suit Waved the trial of the Issue by a Jury and agree to  
put themselves on the Judg<sup>mt</sup> of the Court and being heard it is the opinion  
of the Court that the Damages be released and that the Plt. recover against  
the Defendant his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and  
the Said Defendant in Morcy &<sup>c</sup>.

Same Plaintiff  
Vs John King in Case  
Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came the parties by their attornies and waved the trial of the  
Issue by a Jury and agree to put themselves on the Judgment of the Court  
& being fully heard it is the opinion of the Said Defendant be released of  
the Damages and that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant his Costs  
by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in  
Morcy &<sup>c</sup>



Douglass Plaintiff  
vs In Blank  
Green Deft

This day came the parties by their attornies and Therefore came also a Jury to wit, Nathaniel Tomlinson, Samuel Moore, Charles McBride, Niel McCann, John Foster, Abram Gaultney, William Cochran, John Irwin, John Martin, Thomas Ford, Ezekiel Dewitt, & William Clarke, Sam<sup>l</sup> Moore one of the Jurors withdrawn by Consent & pleadings to be made up and continued.

Fitzgerald Plaintiff  
vs in Blank  
Kitchens Deft

Rule Reference

The parties came into Court and agree to Submit all Matters if Difference to Love Baker the plaintiff to Give the Defendant five day notice of the time and place on or before the first day of September next or Suit to be Dismissed 10<sup>th</sup> September Dismissed.

William Books account of one hundred and twenty Six Dollars and Eighty Seven and one half Cents was is allowed and ordered to be Certified.

Absent Williams Darby Esqr.

Present John Callender Esqr.

A. Hutchins produced in Court an account of his mark and Brand used in Designating his live Stock which is ordered to be recorded.

John Hutchins produced in open Court an acc<sup>t</sup> of his mark and Brand used in Designating his live Stock which is ordered to be recorded.

Ordered that the report of the Pine Ridge Road be laid over until next.

Ordered that all the Causes of the United States to which any appearances have been entered, be continued until the next Court.

Court adjourned until tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.

Court Met according to adjournment 15<sup>th</sup>  
Present

Sam<sup>l</sup> Brookcs Esquires  
John Henderson

&

William Darby

Sam<sup>l</sup> Brookcs Esquire produced an Act in Court which being examined is allowed and ordered to be Certified.

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Abner Duncan	Plaintiff
vs	Attach <sup>t</sup>
Craig	Defendant

Henry Turner as Garnishee being Sworn declares that he has in his hands One hundred dollars belonging to the Defendant & Stay of proceedings Six months and the Clerk is Ordered to forward a notification for the Defendant to appear and plead.

Farrar	Plaintiff
vs	in <u>Blank</u>
Rees	Defendant

On Motion it is ordered that the order of Reference in this Suit be set aside.

Seth Lewis Esquire Records his Stock mark and Brand as follows to wit: A crop and a slit in the right Ear an under bit in the left ear and his brand S. L.

On the motion of Samuel Hutchins by his Counsel to quash the Report appointed to view and mark out the most convenient way for Roads in what is called Captain Carter's Districts Relative to that Road within Said Districts which runs thr<sup>o</sup> the Said Samuel Hutchins Lands which motion was objected to by the Counsel in the oposite Side alledging that the Court have no Jurisdiction, thereupon it is the opinion of the Court that they have jurisdiction & Controul over the proceedings of the Said Jury it is ordered that the said report be quashed for irregularity appearing on the face of the proceedings and that they will take no Further Notice of Said Report.

Court adjourned till 9 O'clock the following Day Thursday 16<sup>th</sup>.

Court met according to adjournment

Present

John Henderson	
Abner Green	Esquires
William Darby	

An Indenture of Bargain and Sale from David Gibson & Uxor to James A. Mathews was acknowledged by the Said David & together with the Certificate of the relinquishment of Dower and ordered to be recorded.

James Wallace produced his account in Court for laying off prison bounds and Surveying, was examined and ordered to be certified. \$29

Robert Stanfield	Plaintiff
Vs	Atta
George Lewin	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon the Defendants plea in Abatement in this Cause being Argued it is the opinion of



the Court that the law is for the Defendant, Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiffs Suit be Dismissed and the Defendant go hence without Day and recover against the plaintiff his Costs by him about him in this behalf expended.

Pomet Plaintiff  
Vs in Blank  
McNeelly Defendant

The Defendant in this cause by his attorney comes and prays an appeal to the next Superior Court of law; he having entered into & acknowledged bond in the Sum of Six hundred Dollars with James Wallace & David Johnston his Securities conditioned as the Law requires and is granted.

Charles McBride presented an account of fifty nine Dollars and eight cents which being ex<sup>ed</sup> is allowed and ordered to be certified.

The Account of the Clerk for Stationary is Ordered to be continued for Consideration

Absent  
John Henderson Esquires  
Abner Green  
Present  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Brooks Esquires  
John Callender

Ezekiel Heady Acc<sup>t</sup> Audited and ordered to be certified  
for: \$8.

Certified John Smith 3.  
Certified Robert Baskford 52.40  
Certified John Holley 433.40  
526.80

Moore Plaintiff  
vs In Blank  
Strikland Defendant

John Holley comes into Court and undertakes for the Deft That in case he be cast in this Suit that he will Satisfy and pay the Costs and condemnation of the Court Surrender his body in execution to prison for the Same or in Case of failure thereof the the Said Holly will do it for him.

Perkins Plaintiff  
Vs  
Cochran Defendant

The parties in the above Suit by Consent pray an Appeal to the Superior Court without lay on either part.

Benjamin Stokes Plaintiff  
V

Winthrop Sargent Defendant

The Defendant in this Cause by his counsel pray an appeal from the Judgment of this Court to the next

Superior Court of Law he having entered into and acknowledged Bond with Lyman Harding and his Securities in the Sum of two hundred Dollars Conditioned according to Law.

Court adjourned till Court in Course.

Daniel Grafton presented an account of his live Stock used in Designating them to wit: a crop on the left ear and on the right ear half crop. Brand D.G. on the left Buttock

Signed  
D. Grafton

At a Court held for the County of Adams at the court house thereof in the City of Natchez on Monday the third day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and three & in the 28th year of American Independence.

Present

Samuel Brooks  
Joseph Sessions Esquires  
James Merrill  
William Foster

Andrew Marschalk Esq Produced an account in Court for Building Stocks and Pillory & Whipping posts amounting to ninety two Dollars and forty one and one fourth cent which being examined by the Court was allowed that is to Say one half of said sum be paid out of the County treasury the City of Natchez having agreed to pay the other half thereof which is ordered to be certified accordingly.

Wal att <sup>o</sup> John Reed	Plaintiff
Wd For vs	In Case
Costs John Perkins	Defendant

5.50 This day came the Plaintiff by his Attornies and the Defendant in Person & Relinquishing his former plea Acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the said Defendant the sum of thirty Dollars with lawful Interest from the tenth day of February 1803 till paid besides his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the plaintiff agrees to Stay execution of this Judg<sup>t</sup> Six weeks.

On the petition Charles King ordered that a Licence be Granted him to keep a tavern at his house in this County for and during the term of one year from the date hereof and until the next Succeeding County Court thereafter whereupon the Said Charles with John Cammick and John Boles his Securities entered into and acknowledged Bond in the Sum of three hundred dollars Conditioned according to Law.



Absalom Griffin who was fined at the last term for having made default as a Juror this day filed an Affidavit of his inability to attend at Said Term in these words to wit; "Personally appeared before me John Henderson one of the Justices of the Peace for Said County and made oath the reason he did not attend as a Juryman at the June Court held for the Said County of Adams was his having cut his leg with an ax in Such a manner that he was Disabled to attend the Said Court. Given under my hand this 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct. 1803 sworn before me John Henderson, J. P." whereupon his fine is remitted. Ordered the Court to adj<sup>d</sup> till tomorrow 10 O'clock.

Court according to adjournment met  
Tuesday Oct 4<sup>th</sup> 1803

Present  
Samuel Brooks  
Joseph Sessions Esquires  
and F. L. Claiborne

Samuel May who made oath in open court that Peter Walker Jun<sup>r</sup> of the City of Natchez was the Author of a Contempt offered to the dignity of this Court it is ordered that an attachment do Issue against the Said Peter returnable immediately commanding the Sheriff to bring the body of the Said Peter before the Court to do and receive what in this behalf shall be adjudged and the Sheriff of the County Ret<sup>d</sup> that he taken the body of the Offender

Whereupon the Said Peter Walker, Jun<sup>r</sup>, Lewis Evans and John Garrett, Personally appeared in Court and acknowledged themselves to be severally indebted to his Excellency William C. C. Claiborne Governor of the Mississippi Territory the Said Peter in the Sum of three hundred Dollars and the Said Lewis Evans and John Garrett in the sum of one hundred dollars, each to be levied of their respective Goods & chattles, Lands and Tenonments with this condition that the Said Peter Walker shall make his personal appearance before this Court on Thursday the fourth Day of the present term and Shall not depart thence without leave of the Said Court than this Recognizance to be void otherwise to be in full force & virtue and now at this day to wit on Thursday the fourth day of this Said term.

Present  
Samuel Brooks  
Ferdinand L. Claiborne  
James Neilson  
Jonathan Guice Esqrs  
Joseph Irwin  
John Henderson  
Wm Darby  
&  
James Farrall

Peter Walker Jun<sup>r</sup> who Stands bound by his Recognizance appeared in discharge thereof and the Said Peter having acknowledged to the Satisfaction of the Court that he the Said Peter had no intention to Injure Ordered by the Court that County Certificates be taken for Taverns License in Said County which to be used in the County Treasurer.

the Judiciary nor was the Contempt offered to the dignity of this Court with any intention to hurt or injure the feelings of any one of its Members and that he Drew a figure on the Wall without thought or intention as expressed which acknowledgement being thought sufficient and received by the Court the Said Peter is discharged.

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David Ker former Clerk of this Court Exhibited an account against the County for Stationary provided by an order of this Court which after Examination was allowed for thirty three Dollars and fifty Cents and ordered to be Certified.

James Farrell                      Plaintiff  
vs                                      In Debt  
John Swayze                          Defendant

Charles King the Defendant's appearance Bail this Day Delivered up the body of the Defendant in Discharge of this Recognizance Whereupon Gideon Hopkins comes into Court and undertakes for the Defendant that in case he shall be cast in this Suit he Shall Satisfy and pay the Costs and condemnation of the Court or render his body to prison in Execution for the same or in case of failure thereof that he Gideon Hopkins will do it for him.

Ebenezer Rees                      Plaintiff  
Duncan                                VS                                      In Case  
Knox                                    Arthur Cobb                          Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his counsel and prayed that the Judgment Obtained herein against him at the last Court may be Set aside whereupon for Reasons offered to the the court a new Trial is Granted him.

Extor William Gilbert              Plfft  
vs                                      In Case  
Job & R. Koris                        Deft

By Consent of the parties is ordered that this Suit be continued until Next Court.

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John Willson                          Plaintiff  
vs                                      in Blank  
Extors Monsantoos                  Deft

by Consent of the parties it is ordered that the Suit be continued till the next Court.

St James Beauveis & Co.            Plaintiff  
VS                                      In Debt  
Extors Morris Stackpoole            Defendant

by Consent of the parties it is ordered that this Suit be continued till the next Court.

John Crowe                            Plt  
vs                                      In Debt  
John E. Long                          Defendant

This day came the Defendant by James Wallace his attorney and the Plaintiff



the Solemnly called came not but made default nor is his Suit further Prosecuted, Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff be non Suited and that the Defendant go hence without Day and recover against the Plaintiff his Costs by him about his ~~suit~~ Defence in this behalf expended.

David Ferguson Plt

Drum. vs

Mak. David Harvard Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attorney and agree to Submit all matters in Difference between them to David Gibson and Joseph Harrison to meet on the third Monday in this month at Mrs. Reeds in Washington at ten O'clock unto Meridian ~~and~~ to Report into the Clerk's office and execution to Issue thereon as Judgment of this term and all other notice waved.

Turner Edward Plain Plt  
vs In Case  
Garrott E. Pendergrast Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in Proper Person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the Plaintiff's action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of Seventy two dollars and seventy five Cents and Also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the plaintiff agrees to stay execution first Febr'y

James Craig Plaintiff  
vs in Case  
The Same Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the Plt's action Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff Recover against the Said Defendant the sum of two hundred and Sixty Dollars and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> with Stay till first Febr'y.

George Rapalic Plt  
vs In Blank  
John E. Long Defend

By Consent of the Parties it is Ordered that the Suit be Continued until the next term.

Thomas Green Plt  
vs Atta  
Reed & Ford Defendants

Order for taking the disposition of Parker Carradine Sen<sup>r</sup> before David Phillips Esquire upon twenty four hours notice during the Setting of the County Court of Jofferson.

Nataniel Tomlinson Plaintiff  
vs Rule Reference  
Seth Caston Defendant

The parties by their attornies Come into Court and Mutually Submit all matters in Difference between them in this cause to the final determination of Abner Green, Philander Smith, & Israel Smith or any two of the above named their their award to be returned into office in two Months from this date and execution to Issue thereon the Said Seth Caston to pay the cost of this Suit.

Daniel Douglass Plaintiff  
Vs In Case  
Henry Green Defendant

By consent of the parties it is ordered that this Suit be continued till the next Court.

John Wilson Plaintiff  
vs In Case  
Lewis Evans Defendant

Ordered that a Scire facias Issue to revive the Suit.

Wal John King & R. Sackett Plaintiff  
Recorded Vs In Covt  
Mah Saml Ashland & Joseph Strong Defts

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the sum of five Dollars and forty one Cents and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c.

Benjamine Goodwin Plt  
VS Trover & Con  
Robert Bashford Defendant

Har This day came the Defendant by his Attorney and the Plaintiff the Solemnly Called came not but made default nor is his Suit further Prosecuted therefore on the Prayer of the Def<sup>t</sup> it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff be non Suted and the Defendant go hence without day and recover e<sup>f</sup> of the Plaintiff his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended.

Garrett E. Pendergraft Plaintiff  
vs In Case  
Martin Henderlidor Ad<sup>tor</sup> Defendant

By Consent of the parties it is ordered that this suit by Dismissed at the Defendant's Costs.

The Same Plt<sup>f</sup>  
vs in Case  
The Same Def<sup>t</sup>

Dismissed at Defendants Costs.



Bra      Ebonozor Roos                      Plaintiff  
              vs  
              Lewis Duvill                      Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his Attorney and the Said Defendant being Solemnly Called came not nor doth he say anything in bar or Proclusion of the Plaintiff's action wheroby the Said Plaintiff thereof Remaineth against him altogether therein undefended therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff Recover against the Said Defendant his damages Sustained by occasion of the Defendants non performance of the Promise and undertak- ing in the Declaration mentioned and because it is not known what Damages the plaintiff hath Sustained, it is ordered that the Same assessed and en- quired of by a Jury at the next Term.

Duncan   Simon and Benjamin Hook              Plaintiff  
              vs  
              Joseph Strong                      Defendant

Order by the Court that a Didimus Issue for taking the Disposition of Benjamin Ashlock before James Neilson Esquire at Washington on ten days notice to be given to the Adverse Party of the time of taking thereof. Ordered that Court be adjourned till tomorrow Morning 9 O'clock.

Court according to adjournment met  
 Present  
 Sam<sup>l</sup> Brooks Esq.

Ordered Court be adjourned till 3 O'clock.  
 three O'clock Court Agreeable to adjournment Met

Present  
 Samuel Brooks  
 John Henderson      Esqs.  
 &  
 Jonathan Guico

Har      Daniel Weisiger                      Plaintiff  
              vs  
              Joseph Strickland                      Defendant

This day came the parties by their Attornies and the Defts relinquishing his former plea acknowledges the Plaintiff's Action therefore it is Con- sidered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Debt in the Declaration mentioned of one hundred and Sixteen Dollars and forty nine cents the debt in the Dec<sup>l</sup> mentioned also for his damages he hath sustained by reason of the detondion of S<sup>d</sup> Debt as for his thirty three Dollars and twenty five Cents his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the plaintiff agrees to Stay the execution of this Judgment till the first of Feb<sup>ry</sup>.

	Daniel Douglass	Plaintiff
Recorded	Vs	In Case
	William McWilliams	Defendant

This day came the parties by their Attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit: Nathan Swayze, Gideon Hopkins, James West, John Boles John Armstreet, Archabald Evans, Chs King, Christopher Harmon, Jesse Bell, John Calvit, Anthony Calvit, & Alexander Farrar who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do Say that the Plaintiff Deft did assume upon himself in Manner and form as the plaintiff against him hath declared and do assess the Plaintiff damages by reason of that assumption to one hundred and thirty Dollars and thirty Seven and one half cents and his costs of suit.

Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their Verdict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy & C.

	Samuel Null	Plaintiff
	vs	in Case
	David Johnston Adtors	Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his attorney prays & hath leave to impart till the first of Decr next then to plead.

	Thomas Regan	Plaintiff
	vs	in <u>Blank</u>
	Benjamin Kitchens	Defendant

By consent of the parties it is ordered by the Court that the former Rule of Reference made hercin at the last term be continued.

	Edmund L. Harris	Plaintiff
	vs	in <u>Blank</u>
	Benjamin Kitchens	Defendant

On the Motion of the plaintiff by his counsel it is ordered that this suit be Dismissed.

Har	William Kenner	Plaintiff
Recorded	vs	in Case
Dun	Frederick Croner	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and the Deft relinquishing his former plea acknowledges the plaintiff's Action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the sum of fifty seven Dollars Subject however to any Declaration that the Defendant do make appear by the Report of Love Baker & James Wilkins provided that their award be returned into office in three months until which time the Execution is Stayed.



Thomas Irwin Plaintiff  
 v  
 Charles Caston Defendant

By consent of the parties it is ordered that this suit be continued till the next court.

Braz Thomas Sullivan Plaintiff  
 vs in Case  
 V Cal William Thompson Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his attorney and the Plaintiff, the solemnly called, came not but made default nor is his suit further Prosecuted, therefore it is ordered by the Court that Plaintiff be non Suited and that the Defendant go hence without day and recover of the plaintiff his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended.

Bra The Same Plaintiff  
 vs in Case  
 Wal Joseph Griffin Deft

Same order as next above

Dun Ebenezer Rees Plaintiff  
 vs in Case  
 Moses Carroll Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came the Parties by their attorneys and the Defendant Relinquishing his former plea acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover the Said Defendant in the Sum of one hundred and eleven Dollars fifty Six and one fourth Cents which the parties here agree to be liquidated by the Clerk and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the plaintiff agrees to stay the execution of this letter till the first of Feb<sup>ry</sup>.

John Fitzgerald Plaintiff  
 vs

Benjamin Kitchens Defendant

The plaintiff failing to appear and Prosecute his suit it is ordered that the Same be dismissed.

Dunlop Joseph B. Ormsby Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs in Case  
 Duncan Ebenezer Rees Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attorneys and thereupon came also a Jury to wit, Nathan Swayze, Gideon Hopkins, James West, John Boles, John Armstreet, Archibald Evans, Christian Harmon, Jessio Bell, Bonnet Truly, Phillip Hoggatt, Stephen Douglass and Moses Moore who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined whereupon by consent of the Parties and with the Assent of the Court Moses Moore one of the Jurors aforesaid was withdrawn and the rest of the Jurors from rendering their Verdict are Discharged and the Said Defendant relinquishing his former Plea acknowledges the Plaintiff's action for one hundred and fifty one Dollars and twenty five cents Damages and Costs of Suit, therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Def<sup>t</sup> his Damages aforesaid and his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the Plaintiff agrees to Stay the Execution of Judg<sup>t</sup> till the first Day of April next.

Har	Joseph Singleton	Plaintiff
Recorded	Vs	in Case
Turner	George Hamilton	Defendant

This day came the parties by their Attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit, Nathan Swayze, Gideon Hopkins, James West, John Boles, John Armstreet, Archibald Evans, Christopher Harmon, Jesse Bell, Bennett Truly Philip Hoggatt, Stephen Douglass and Moses Moore who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do Say that the Defendant did assume upon himself in Manner and form as the Plaintiff against him hath declared and do assess the Plaintiff Damages by reason of that assumption to forty Dollars besides Costs, Therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages Aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their Verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

David Ferguson & Melling Woolley	Pltff
vs	In Case
Andrew Beal	Def <sup>t</sup>

The Defendant's Death being Suggested it is ordered by the Court that a Citation Issue against the Executors of the Said Deceased to come forward and Defend this Suit.

Wal	John Wells	Plts
	vs	Notice
	William Brooks late Sheriff	Def <sup>t</sup>

The present Sheriff having returned that he had Served this notice on the former Sheriff for this County whereupon the plaintiff by his Counsel moved the Court for the Amt. of the Judgment the Said William returned to have made on a venditione Exponas at the Suit of the Said John Wells against John Holland and by consent of the Partics it is ordered that this Motion be continued till tomorrow.

Ordered that Court be adjourned till tomorrow morning 9o'clock.

Thursday October 6<sup>th</sup> 1803 met  
agreeable to adjournment

Present  
 Samuel Brooks  
 Jonathan Guice  
 ;  
 Ferdinand L. Claiborne

Recorded	St James Beauvies Co.	Pltffs
	Vs	in Case
	Patrick Connally	Def <sup>t</sup>

This day came the Parties by their Attornies and Defendant relinquishing his former Plea acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of Seventy Dollars and ninety four cents and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>



Dun Patrick Kirkpatrick Plaintiff  
vs in Blank  
Hard Ezra Johns Defendant

On the Motion of the Plaintiff by his counsel it is ordered that this suit be dismissed

Thomas Johnston Pltff  
vs

Peter Anthony Deft

This day came the Defendants by his attorney and the Pltff The Solemnly Called came not but made default nor in his Suit further prosecuted therefore it is ordered by the Court that the Plaintiff be non Suited and that the Defendant go hence without day and recover of the Plaintiff his Costs by him about his suit Defence in this behalf expended.

James Wiley Plaintiff

vs

Lewis Evans Defendant

By Consent of the Parties it is ordered that this Suit be continued till the next Court.

Jonathan Davis Plaintiff  
vs In Blank  
Ezekiel Vansant Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and there upon came a Jury to wit, Nathan Sawyze, Gideon Hopkins, James West, John Boles, George Killian, John Armstreet, Archabald Evans, Christopher Harmon, Jesse Bell, Bennett Truly, Moses Moore ~~George Killian~~ Joseph Killian who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say the the Defendant is Guilty in Manner and form as the Plaintiff against him hath declared in his Declaration and they do assess the plaintiff Damages by occasion thereof to one Cent besides his costs Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Deft<sup>s</sup> his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their Verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Morcy &<sup>c</sup> which Said Damages and costs in the whole make.

Moses Moore, foreman

Abijah Hunt Plaintiff  
vs in Blank  
Benjamin Kitchens Defendant

By consent of the parties by their attornies it is Ordered this Suit be dismissed at Defendants Costs.

In pursuance of an Act of Asembly for that purpose the Court proceeded to nominate the number of Jurors for this County as directed by the Said act to attend at the next Superior Court for the District of Adams, Whoreupon the following house keepers and freeholders were nominated to wit, Joseph Pannell, Israel Smith, Isaac Gilliard,

William Williams, Anthony Hoggatt, Jacob Earhart, Gabriel Swayze, David Allison, Daniel Whitaker, Elijah Eastis, Anthony Dougherty, Samuel Lusk, Abner Buckham, John Irwin, Absalom Griffin, Benjamine Darcy David Ferguson, Jonathan Dayton, William Brooks, John McCoy, John Bradley, Joseph Declarmount, Robert Childress, Nathaniel Tomlinson, Ezekiel Dewitt, Bennett Truly, Samuel Timberlake, James McIntosh, Robert Moore, Thomas Grafton, William Barland & William McIntosh it is ordered that a writ of Venire facias Issue to the Sheriff accordingly.

Court adjourned for one hour.

Court according to adjournment met

Present

Samuel Brooks  
Ferdinand L. Claiborne  
James Neilson Esquires  
Jonathan Guice  
Joseph Erwin

David Gibson Exhibited an account in Court against the County of Adams amounting to twenty Dollars and fifty Cents which being examined was allowed was ordered to be certified.

On the motion of Benjamine Seamans Clerk of the Court, Samuel May is admited as his deputy who thereupon took the usual oath of office and the oath to support the Constitution of the United States.

Duncan Francisway Augustin Plaintiff  
vs in Blank  
Wilford Hoggatt Defendant

On Motion of the Plaintiff, by his Attorney, it is ordered that the suit be dismissed at the Costs of the Plaintiff's attorney, to wit, Abner L. Duncan.

Benjamine Holmes and John Irwin Esquires Returned an appraisalment of a Stray Sorrel Horse taken up by Abner Buckham of this County and the same is ordered to be Recorded in the Record Book for Recording Strays and that a true Copy be posted at the door of the Courthouse two terms Successively and published three times in the Public Newspapers

Absent  
Joseph Irwin Esq.

Bra William Brooks Plaintiff  
vs  
Wallace Barton Harmon Defendant

On the Motion of the plaintiff by his attorney it is ordered that the Suit be Dismissed.

Har John Conner Plaintiff  
Reed Vs In Blank  
Wal Patrick Connally Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came a Jury to witt Nathan Swayze, Gidcon Hopkins, James West, John Bolls, George



Killian, John Armstreet, Archibald Evans, Christopher Harmon, Jesse Bell Bennet Truly, Moses Moore, & Joseph Killian who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their Oath do Say that the Defendant did assume upon himself in Manner and form as the Plaintiff against him hath declared and they do assess the plaintiff Damages by reason thereof to one hundred and thirty six Dollars and ninety Cents besides Costs therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assossed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Morcy &<sup>c</sup>

John Wells

Plaintiff

Vs

Notice in Sale Sheriff

William Brooks

Defendant

the Plaintiff by his attorney, [Blank] the Court that this notice be continued till Saturday next

The Court adjourned till tomorrow Morning 9 o'clock

Court agreeable to Adjournment met Oct. 7th

Present

Saml Brooks

William Darby Esquires

Joseph Irwin

Jonathan Guice

Dun David Ferguson

Plt

vs

Case

Rule Reference

Mahn David Harvard

Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came the parties by their attorneys and agree to refer this suit to the determination To Joseph Harmon and David Gibson to Report as of this Term with Stay of execution three months the Disposition of Benjamine Pain to taken before James Neilson Esquire on four Days notice and Read in Evendence.

Mah Jonathan Davis

Plaintiff

Poindexter vs

Case

& Ezekiel Vamet

Defendant

Wallace

This day came the Plaintiff by his Said attorney and moved the Court that the Judgment obtained yesterday may be set and the Plaintiff set in eent ef Judgt on the Jurers verdict on this cause being argued the Court was of opinion that there is ne sufficient ground for a new trial may be stayd be made &<sup>c</sup> & prays that the Judgt on the Vordict aforesaid be Stayed.

Ordered by the Court that No Judgment by default Judgment on non Pros or non Suit shall be entered unless the party against whom such

Judgment non Pros on non Suit is to be entered by first openly and Solemnly called to appear and answer or prosecute as the case may be.

Har Lewis Evans Plaintiff  
vs in Debt  
Dun Ebenezer Rees Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and the Defondant by his attorney Waving his former Plea Says he cannot gain say the Plaintiff's Action against him therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Def<sup>t</sup> the Sum of his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and also the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> the Plaintiff agree to Stay the execution of this Judgment till next term.

Wheatly Reubon Kemper Plaintiff  
Recorder vs In Case  
Har James Wilkins Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and the Def<sup>t</sup> by his attorney Waving his former Plea says he cannot gain Say the plaintiff's Action against him therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant tho the sum of fifty Dollars besides his Costs of Suit and the plaintiff by his Said attorney agrees to stay the execution of the Judgment till next term.

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Har St James Beauvies Plaintiff  
Recorded vs Case  
Wal Patrick Connally Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and the Said Defendant comes into Court in his proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's Action therefore is is Considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the said Defendant the sum of one hundred and six Dollars and Seventy eight cents also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the Plaintiff by his Att<sup>o</sup> agrees to Stay execution of this Judgment till first of February next.

A. Hunt Plaintiff  
vs in Case Reed's Death suggested

Patrick Connally & Thomas Reed Defendant  
This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came a Jury to wit, Gideon Hopkins, James West, John Bells, George, Killian, Moses Moore, Philip Hoggatt, John Armstreet, Archibald Evans, Christopher Harmon, Josse Bell, Nathan Swayzo, and Joseph Killian who being olected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do Say that the Def<sup>t</sup> Did assume in Manner and form as the plaintiff against them in his Declaration hath declared and do assess the Plaintiff damages by reason thereof to fifty five Dollars besides costs therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the said Defendant his damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their vordict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended & the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Moses Moore, foreman



Present John Henderson Esq<sup>r</sup>

Dun Robert Moore Plaintiff  
 Recorded Vs Case  
 Wal Charles Dowling Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Defendant by his attorney waving his former Plea and Saving and reserving to himself every advantage he may have in Equity Says he cannot gain Say the plaintiff's action against him therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant fifty five Dollars and one eighth of a hundred Cents and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy & C and the Plaintiff agrees to Stay execution of this Judgment till the first of Feb<sup>r</sup>y next.

Har William Kenner Plaintiff  
 Recorded Vs in Case  
 Mah Luke Whiting Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Said Defendant waving his former plea say he cannot gain say the plaintiff's action against him Therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of thirty five Dollars & ninety Six Cents also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy & C

Bra Extors<sup>s</sup> Morris Stackpool Plaintiff  
 Vs in Case  
 Har William B. Smith Defendant Rule Reference

This day came the parties by their Attornies and agree to Submit all Matters in difference between them to the final Determination of Love Baker and Henry Turner and their Report be Retained in Office made the Judgment of the Court and execution to Issue thereon.

Har St James Beauvies Plaintiff  
 Recorded Vs in Debt  
 Wal David Johnston Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Said defendant by his attorney waving his former plea Says he cannot gain Say the plaintiff's action against him th<sup>r</sup>e<sup>f</sup>ore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant.

G.P.Wal Ezra Johns Plt  
 Vs Attachment  
 Calvit Amos Hubbard Def<sup>t</sup>

On Motion of Wm Smith by the Defendants attorney it is ordered by the Court that an interpleader be filed by the Said Smith in this Suit.

Court adjourned till 9 O'clock.

Court agreeable to adjournment met  
Present

Samuel Brooks  
Jonathan Guice Esquires  
Joseph Irwin

George Killian Plaintiff  
vs Attachment  
George Lownig Defendant

Joseph Killian Garnishee being Sworn made oath he stands indetted to the defendant in the Sum of two hundred Dollars whereupon it is ordered by the Court that the Said Joseph retain in his hands the Sum of Sixty Doll<sup>s</sup> a part of the Said Debt till the further order of this Court.

Bra Asa Searcy Plt  
Recorded vs in Debt  
Mah Stephen Stephenson Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came the parties by their attornies and the Said Def<sup>t</sup> Relinquishing his former plea Says he cannot gain Say the plaintiff's action against him therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant Seventy eight Dollars and fifty cents and also his Costs in this behalf expended and the Def<sup>t</sup> in Mercy. Stay Ex<sup>ct</sup>on till the first March.

Wal James Wiley Plaintiff  
vs in Blank  
Har Lewis Evans Defendant

On the the motion of the Motion of the Plaintiff by his attorney it is ordered that this Suit be continued till the next term.

B.L.Hur Abijah Hunt Plaintiff  
vs in Case  
Wal Peter Anthony Defendant

By consent of the parties it is ordered that this suit be continued till the next Court.

Benjamin Kitchens Plt  
vs in Case Rule of Ref<sup>o</sup>  
Bryan Bruin Def<sup>t</sup> Set aside

The former Rule not being performed is Discharged whereupon came the parties by their Said Attornies and and thereupon came a Jury to wit, Nathan Swayze, Jun<sup>r</sup>, Gideon Hopkins, James West, John Bolls, John Armstreet, Archibald Evans, Christian Harmon, Jesse Bell, Joseph Killian, George Killian, Nathan Swayze, Sen<sup>r</sup>, and Moses Moore, who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined ~~Whe being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue~~ Joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant did assume in Manner and form at the plaintiff forty six Dollars and fifty Cents Damages besides Costs therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his damages aforesaid in Manner



by the Jurors in In their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and which in the whole make and the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Claiborn Boles made oath that he attended in the Suit Benjamin Kitchens vs Brian Bruin one day as a witness therefore is entitled to the allowance by Law to wit One Dollar.

Court adjourned till tomorrow 9 O'clock.

Court agreeable to adjournment met  
Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> 1803

Present  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Brooks  
John Henderson Esquire  
Jonathan Guice

Har Fielding Denny Plt  
vs in Case  
Val Price & Whiting Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came the parties by their attornies and the Said Def<sup>ts</sup> by his said attorney waving his former Plea Says they cannot Gainsay the Plaintiff's action against them therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said defendants eighty five Dollars and eighty four Cents and also his Costs by them about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the plaintiff agrees to Stay execution of this Judg<sup>t</sup> till the first of January next.

Dun Stephen Odair Plaintiff  
vs in Case  
Muncy Ann Martin Defendant

On the motion of the Plaintiff by his attorney it is ordered that this Suit be continued till next Court.

Dun Ex<sup>tors</sup> William Vousdan Pltffs  
vs Case Annabell Smith  
Bra Morris Stackpooles Ex<sup>tors</sup> Def<sup>ts</sup>

the Parties by their Attornies agree the Ex<sup>tors</sup> appear without Citation.

Wal Patrick and T. Campbell Pltffs  
Vs Appeal from Justice  
Esox Capshaw Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came the plaintiffs by their attornies and the Def<sup>t</sup> in his Proper Person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the Plaintiff's action, therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant nineteen Dollars and fifty four and also the costs by him about their suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the Plaintiffs agree to stay the Execution of the Judgment till the first of January next.

Wal The Same Pltffs.  
Vs Same  
The Same Def<sup>t</sup>

The the same above for eleven dollars and Costs with Stay of Execution till the first January next.

Bra Asey Searcy Pltff  
Recorded vs in Debt  
Mahan Barton Harmon Deft

This day came the parties by their attornies and the Defendants by this Said attorney Relinquishing his former Plea and Saving and Reserving to himself every advantage he may have in equity says he cannot gainsay the plaintiff's action against him, therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant Sixty two Dollars with interest thereon to to be computed at the Rate of five percentum For Annua till paid and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended which in the whole make Seventy Seven Dollars & Seventy Cents and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c & the Plaintiff agrees to Stay execution till first February next. Court adjourned till half after 9 O'clock.

Court agreeable to Adj<sup>t</sup> met Present

Samuel Brooks  
John Henderson Esquires  
&  
William Darby

Benjamin Kitchens Plt  
vs in Case  
Bryan Bruin Deft

Judg<sup>t</sup> by Jury for Plt

The Defendant by his attorney Prayed an appeal to the next Superior Court of Law to be holden for the District of Adams which is granted with the condition the Said Defendant do give Robert Cockran as Security in Said appeal to be conditioned according to Law.

Bra David Ferguson Plaintiff  
vs Debt  
Mah Christopher Lec Defendant

This day came the Parties by their Attorneys and the Said Defendant by his attorney acknowledges the Plaintiff's action, therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff Recover against the Defendant Eighty three Dollars and fifty Cents and interest thereon from the date of the note at five prCent and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &c and the plaintiff agrees to Stay the execution of the Judgment till the first of February next.

This Suit was dropped on the dockett.

Mah John Duhamil Pltff  
Recorded vs in Debt  
Har Samuel Hindman Deft

This day came the parties by their attornies and the Defendant by his Said attorney Relinquishing his former plea and Saving and Reserving every advantage he may have in equity Says he cannot gainsay the plaintiff's action against him, therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff Recover against the the Said Defendant Sixty Dollars the Debt in the declaration mentioned and Legal interest thereon and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended which in the whole make Seventy Seven Dollars & ten cents and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c

Debt 60 \$ "  
Interest 7 "  
Costs 10 10



Dun Thomas House Pltff  
 Recorded vs in Debt  
 Mah David Havard Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came the parties by their attornies and the Defendant by his said attorney acknowledges the plaintiff's action ag<sup>t</sup> him. Therefore it is Con- sidered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant twenty two Dollars, the Debt in the Decl. Mentioned, also four Dollars twelve and one half cents Damages for the Detention of the Same besides Costs which in the whole make thirty Six Dollars twelve & half cents and the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Debt \$22  
 Dam 4 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> \$36 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>  
 Costs 10

Wal John Wells Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs in Notice  
 William Brooks late Sheriff Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Def<sup>t</sup> failing to appear whereupon by the Consent of the plaintiff by his Counsel this motion is Con- tinued till Thursday next.

Wal Jacob Stagel Plaintiff  
 vs in Case  
 Ezra Johns Defendant

Abates by death of the Defendant.

Har Charles Surget Plaintiff  
 vs case  
 Elisha Adams Defendant

By Consent it is ordered that this Suit be Dismissed.

St James Beauvais Plaintiff  
 vs in Case  
 George Lawing Def<sup>t</sup>

On Motion of the Pltffs Atto. this suit is Continued till next court.

Har William Darby Plaintiff  
 vs in Cove  
 William Johnston Defendant

On the Motion of the plaintiff by his attorney ordered that his suit be dis- missed.

Har	Thomas Irwin	Pltff
Deft for	Vs	In Case
costs	Martin McCulloch	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and the Defendant by his Said attorney relinquishes his former plea acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is considered by the Court that Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant thirty three Dollars and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended which in the whole makes forty three and Sixty Cents and the said Defendant in Mercy &c and the plaintiff agrees to Stay the Execution of this Judg<sup>t</sup> till next term.

Dun	Moore's Extors <sup>rs</sup>	Plaintiff
	Vs	Case
	John Tally	Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Def<sup>t</sup> being Solomnly called came not but made default, therefore it considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his damages Sustained by occasion of the Defendant's non Performance of the promises and assumption in the Declaration Mentioned and because it is not known what Damages the Pl<sup>t</sup> hath Sustained it is ordered that the same be enquired of and assessed by a Jury at the next Court.

Mah	Patrick Connally	Plaintiff
Wal	Vs	Case
Tur	John Shackler	Defendant

Braz Recorded to wit, Nathan Swayze, James West, Gideon Hopkins, John Bolls, George Killien, John Armstreet, Archibald Evans, Christian Harmon, Moses Moore, John Barney, Moses Kiddy & Walter McClelland, who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined Retired to consider of the verdict and after sometime returned and reported they Could not agree whereupon by consent of the parties and with the assent of the Court Moses Moore one of the Jurors aforesaid was withdrawn and the rest of the Jurors from Rendering their verdict are Discharged and the parties by their Said attornies agree that this Cause be taken to the Superior Court as on an appeal and then entered at the next term and that commissions may be Issued by the Clerk of the Said Supreme Court at any time hereafter to such commissioner or commissioners as he may appoint to take the Depositions of Absent witnesses or Interrogatories the party applying for such didimas giving the oposite party ten Days notice of the time of Issuing thereof together with a Copy of his interrogatories.

Court adjourned till Monday 9 O'clock.

Monday Oct 10 Court agreeable to adjournment Met.

Present

Samuel Brooks, Esquire

Ordered Court be adjourned till tomorrow morning nine o'clock.



James Griffin presented in Court an account against the County which being examined is allowed and ordered to be Certified of

	\$24.62 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Antoni Figaro Same of	16.50
Ferdinand Claiborne Same of	130.87 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Christopher Lee Same	33.50
	<u>\$205.50</u>

Robert Bashford presented an account against the County which being examined by the Court is laidover for further Consideration whereupon the Court Proceeded to allow one hundred and fifty Dollars to be certified to the auditor of of public accounts and the Said one hundred and fifty Dollars to be deducted from the Said Bashfords account when hereafter examined.

William Nicholls Presented an account of Eighty Six dollars and ninety cents to here think proper to Submit it to the opinion of the Attorney General the Same becomes a Territorial or County Charge.

Court adjourned till tomorrow 9 o'clock

Saml Brooks C. J.

Court met agreeable to adjournment

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> 1803

Present

Samuel Brooks

John Henderson Esquires

&

John Foster

Wal	Robert Willson	Plt
	vs	in Case
Har	John Sweaney	Deft

This day came the Defendant by his Attorney and the Pltff the Solemnly called came not but made Default nor is his Suit further prosecuted therefore on the Prayer of the Defendant

by his said Attorney it is ordered by the Court the Plaintiff be non Suited and the Defendant go hence without day and Receive of the Plaintiff his Costs by him about his Defence in this behalf expended.

Har	James Beauvais & Co	Plt
Recorded	vs	in Case
Dft	John Cammock	Deft

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Said Defendant by his said attorney Relinquishing his former Plea Says he cannot gainsay the Plaintiff's action against him therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant Eighty eight dollars and seven cents and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defend<sup>t</sup> in Mercy &c and the plaintiff agrees to Stay execution of this Judgment three months.

	George Rapalie	Plt
	vs	in Trover
	Elijah Loyd	Deft

This day came the Parties by their attornies and agree that the former Rule of Reference made herein be continued.

Har William Thompson Plt  
vs in Case  
Mah Rowland Shackelford Deft

With consent of the parties by their attorney it is ordered this suit be continued till the next Court.

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Dfts John Perkins Plt  
Recorded vs in Case  
Wal Patrick Connally Deft

This day came the Parties by their attorneys and thereupon came a Jury to wit, John Bolls, George Killian, Christopher Harmon, Jesse Bell, John Burney, Bennet Truly, Samuel Timberlake, Joseph Strickland, Thomas Harris, John Campbell, Moses Kiddy & John Overaker who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant did assume upon himself in Manner and form as the plaintiff in his declaration against him hath Declared and do assess the plaintiff Damages by Reason thereof To one Hundred and Seventy Dollars and Sixty Seven Cents besides Costs, therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the said Defendant his Damages aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended which in the whole make one hundred and eighty Dollars & sixty seven Cents, and the Said Defendant in Mercy & C

Dam	170.67	
Costs	10	180.67

Wal Lewis Moore Plts  
Recorded vs Case  
Har George Sheras Defend<sup>t</sup>

This day came the parties by their Attornies and the Said Defendant by his attorney relinquishing his former plea acknowledges the plaintiff's action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover fifty six Dollars eighty Seven & one half cents and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy & C and the Plaintiff agrees to stay Ex<sup>on</sup> till the first of Jan<sup>ry</sup> Lewis Moore the plaintiff acknowledges to have Recd of Sam<sup>l</sup> Mahan the Def<sup>ts</sup> Bail the amt of this Judgt November 1804, S. May

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Dunlop Samuel Null Plt  
Recorded vs in Case  
Wal William Darby Deft

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Defendant by his Said attorney relinquishing his former plea, say he cannot Gainsay the Plaintiff's action against him therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant thirty four dollars Seventy Seven Cents and



also his cost by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the Plaintiff agrees to Stay the Execution of the Judgment till the first of January.

Court adj<sup>d</sup> till two o'clock.

Court according to adjournment met

Present

Saml Brooks

James Neilson

Will<sup>m</sup> Foster Esq<sup>rs</sup>

&

John Henderson

Dfs John Perkins Plt  
Recorded vs In Case  
Wal P. Connally & Clark Deft

This day came the Parties by their attorneys and thereupon came a Jury to wit, John Bolls, Samuel Timberlake, Bennet Truly John Campbell, Joseph Strickland Jesse Bell, Moses Kiddy, Robert Bashford, George Killian, Christopher Harmon, Walter McClelland & Robe t Patterson who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do Say that the Defendant did assume upon himself in Manner and form as the plaintiff in his declaration against him hath declared and do assess the plaintiff Damagos by Reason thereof to thrity Seven Dollars and Six Cents besided Costs therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the Defendant

Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their Verdict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended which in the whole make forty Seven Dollars and six Cents and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Bra Joseph Bell Plaintiff  
Recorded vs In Case  
Wal Patrick Connally Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attorneys and the said Defendant by his attorney acknowledges the plaintiffs Action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>.

Har John Irwin Plt  
Recorded vs In Debt  
Tur Moses Moore Deft

This day came the Parties by their attorneys and the Defendant by his Said attorney Relinquishing his former Plea and Saving and Reserving to himself every to himself every advantage he may have in equity Says he cannot gainsay the Plaintiffs action against him therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff Recover against the Defendant Seven hundred and thirty four Dollars and eighty cents and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the Plaintiff agrees to Stay Execution of this Judg<sup>t</sup> till the first of March next.

Mah Joseph Martinez Plt  
 vs in Case  
 David Kennady Def<sup>t</sup>

Ordered that a Citation Issue to the Adm<sup>ors</sup> to come forward and defend this Suit.

Jonathan Davis Plt  
 vs In Debt

Mah John Whitton Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Said Def<sup>t</sup> not appearing tho Solemnly called upon the motion of the Plt by his attorney it is ordered that the plaintiff recover of the Defendant his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf Expended and

Wal John Holly Plt  
 vs in Case

Df John Campbell Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came as well the Defendant by his attorney as the Plt by James his Atto and the Said Defendant prays & has leave to impart until the next Court and then to Plead.

James Warren Plt  
 vs in Case

Thomas Ragen Def<sup>t</sup>

By consent of the Parties it is ordered that this Suit be Con<sup>d</sup> till next Court.

Wah James Malson Plt  
 vs in Case

Har Benjamin Kitchen Deft

By consent of the Parties it is ordered that the former Rule of Reference made herein be continued.

James Flannigan Plt  
 vs in Cov<sup>t</sup>

Lewis Shelton Deft

This day this day came the Parties by their and the Defendant by his said attorney Relinquishing his former Plea and Saving and Reserving to himself every advantage he may have in Equity Says he cannot gainsay the Pltffs action against him, therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of twenty three Dollars thirty three and one third Cents Debt the Debt in the Declment and also nine Dollars and ten cents, his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> & the plaintiff agrees to Stay the Execution of this Judg<sup>t</sup> till the first of April next.

Certified James Neilson Esquire Produced in Court an account against the County of Adams which being examined was allowed & ordered to be certified for \$37.50.

Har Ferguson & Woolley Pltff  
 Recorded vs in Case

Dps William McWilliams Deft

This day came the parties by their attorneys and the Deft by his Said attorney Relinquishing his former plea acknowledges the plaintiffs action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff Recover of the



Said Defendant fifty six Dollars and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the Plaintiff agrees to stay the Execution of this Judgment till the first of March next.

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Moore Ex<sup>tors</sup> Plts  
vs in Case  
Winniford Payne Deft

On the Motion of the Plaintiff by his attorney it is ordered that this Suit be dismissed.

Dun Anthony Grass Plaintiff  
vs Case

Drp Margaret Barton Ad<sup>tor</sup> Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys that amendment be made on Both sides and then to plead.

Dun Estors of W. Moore Plt  
vs in Case

Wal Willis Benner Ad<sup>mr</sup> Deft

By consent of parties by their Attornies it is ordered that this Suit be dismissed.

Wal Thomas Munfield Pltffs  
vs Attachment

Mah David McClelland Deft

The Parties by their attornies and agree to that the deposition of Absent Witnesses be taken agreeable to the former order made herein at the last Court be continued and that a Didimus Issue accordingly.

Dun Phillip Alston Jun<sup>r</sup> Plt  
vs case

Eunico McIntosh Deft

To be taken by consent of the Parties to the Supreme Court.

The Same Pltff

vs Case

The Same Deft The Same

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Dun Moore Ex<sup>tors</sup> Plt  
vs Case

Har Richard King Ex<sup>tors</sup> Deft

The Defendant by his Said attorney and prays leave to Impart till the next Court and then to Plead which is granted him under a Particular Rule for trial at the next Court.

Wallace John E. Long Plt  
vs Case

Duncan George Rapalie Deft

The Parties by their attornies agree and it is ordered that this cause be continued till the next court.

Har Panton Loftes & Co. Plt  
Recorded vs in Case

Dun Bryan Bruin Deft

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit, John Bolls, Samuel Timberlake, Bennet Truly, John Campbell, Joseph

Strickland, Jesse Bell, and Moses Kiddy, Robert Bashford, George Killian, Christopher Harmon, Walter McClelland & Robert Patterson, who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do do say that the plaintiff do assume upon himself in Manner and form as the Plaintiff in his declaration against him hath Declared and to assess the Plaintiff damages by Reason thereof to two hundred and thirty three Dollars damages besides costs therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff Recover of the Defendant his damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended which in the whole make and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c

Ker Robert Park Plt  
vs In Debt  
Mah James Malson Deft

This day came the Parties by their attornies and the Defendant by his said attorney relinquishing his former Plea and Saving & Reserving to himself every advantage he may have in Equity Says he cannot gainsay the plaintiffs adtion against him therefore it is Considered by the Court that the plaintiff Recover against the Said Defendant fifty Dollars the Debt in the declaration mentioned and six Dollars Damages besides Costs which in the whole makes

[Blank] and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c  
Ker Culberson Parks Pltt  
vs In Case  
Mah James Malson Deft

By consent of parties ordered that this Suit be continued to take Depositions.

Dp United States Plt  
Recorded vs In Debt  
Hogg & Thery Deft Amicable Suit

This day came the United States by James Dunlop the Att<sup>o</sup> in that behalf and the Defendant in Proper Person and the Defendant acknowledges the Pltffs action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the Defendant the Debt in the Declaration Mentioned and also his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c

Dp United States Pltff  
Recorded vs In Debt  
Mahan James Hogg & I. B. Theri Def Amicable Suit

This day came as Well James Dunlop Esquire attorney in behalf of the United States and the Defendant in Proper Person and the Said Defendant acknowledges









Ordered by the Court with Assent of the Parties that that commissions Issue to take the diposition of witnesses Residing in the Spanish Government in behalf of either of the Parties, Said Deposition to be taken on interrogations a copy of which shall be served on the Adverse Party or his attorney at least ten days Previous to the Issuing of Said Commission Saving Just exceptions to the Compitency or credibility of Said witnesses commissions to be appd by Samuel Brooks Esquire.

Har Panton Laslie & Co. Pltff  
Recorded vs in Case  
Dun Bryan Bruin Deft Judgt given heretofore

The Defendant by his attorney prayed an appeal from the Judgt in the Suit to the next Superior Court of Law to be holden for the district of Adams which is granted & the Parties agree that the appeal Bond to be taken out of Court provided the Said Defendant give Robert Cochran and one other free holder as Security within ten Days from the Rising of the Court or otherwise Execution to Issue thereon against the Defendant under the Penalty of four hundred and Sixty Six Dollars.

Ordered Court to adjd till Court in Course

Saml Brooks J. P.

At a County Court held for the County of Adams at the Courthouse thereof in the City of Natchez on Monday the fifth Day of December 1803

Present

Samuel Brooks Esquires  
John Henderson

Ordered that Court be adjourned till tomorrow Morning nine O'clock. Tuesday the 6th 1803, Court agreeable to adjt Met.

Present

John Henderson Esqr.

Ordered that Court be adjourned till tomorrow Morning 9 o'clock for want of a Sufficient Corum.

Wednesday 7th 1803, Court Met accgr to adj met

Present

Samuel Brooks Esquires  
&  
John Henderson

Ordered that Court be adjourned till tomorrow morning 9 o'clock for want of Sufficient Corum.

Thursday 8th 1803, Court according to adjournment met

Present

Saml Brooks Esquires  
John Callender &  
Wm Foster

United States	Plaintiff
vs	In Debt
James & Robert Moore	Defendant
Same	Plaintiff
vs	Same
Same 2 <sup>d</sup> Suit	Defendant
Same	Plaintiff
vs	Same
Same 3 <sup>d</sup>	Defendant

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in the above suits the Writs Returned to this Term to Wit September the Parties agree that Clerks Issue against the Said Defendant's in three Suits the Said Defendants not to be charged with the costs of the first Original Writ.

In pursuance of an act of assembly for that purpose the Court proceeded to nominate the number of Jurors for this County as directed by the Said act to attend at the next Superior Court for the District of Adams Whereupon the following housekeepers and freeholders were nominated to wit, Walter Burling, Charles Surget, Joshua Howard Jun<sup>r</sup>, William Hoggatt, Thomas Foster, Isaac Guion, Richard King, David Killian, Thomas Wilkins, William Dunbar Jun<sup>r</sup>, James Dunbar, Robert Parkison, William Cochran, Adam Bingamin, David Holt, Andrew Walker, James Foster, Nathan Hoggatt, Calvin Smith, Gabriel Swayze, Elisha Estis, Abner Bockham, James McIntosh Samuel Watson, John Grafton, Richard Sessions & John T. Taylor and it is ordered a Venire facias Issue according.

Certified William Nicholls Sheriff produced in Court an account of nine Dollars eighteen and three fourth Cents which being examined is allowed and ordered to be certified. \$9.18-3/4.

Benjamin Seaman's Clerk of this Court produced in Court an account against the County for Certain Services Rendered Said County to wit, Recording the annual returns made by the Matistrates of 3<sup>d</sup> County and furnishing five Different Copies & taking bond given by the Sheriff & Recording the Same the Court the Court have allowed at the rate of Sixteen Cents per sheet for the original list and twelve and one half cents for every hundred words, copies thereof and the same is ordered to be certified.

Ebenezer Roos	Plaintiff
vs	In Case
Arthur Cobb	Defendant

By consent of the parties ordered this Suit be cont<sup>d</sup> till tomorrow.

Dun	Executors William Gilbert	Pltffs
	vs	In Case
Wal	Job & Richard Kories	Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his atto and the plaintiff having been solemnly called came not but made default nor is his Suit further prosecuted therefore it is cons<sup>d</sup> by the Court that the Plaintiff be non Suted and that Defendant go hence without day & recover of the Pltff his costs by him about his Defense in this behalf expended.



Dun David Ferguson Plaintiff  
 vs Case  
 Har Julian Thomas Defendant  
 By consent of the parties ordered that this Suit be continued  
 John Holland Plaintiff  
 vs in Case  
 Elias Fisher Defendant  
 By consent ordered that this Suit be Continued  
 Mahan John Jones Plaintiff  
 vs Attachment  
 Benjamine Thyre Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant being Solemnly called & Still failing to appear and plead to Issue it is ordered that the office Judgment herein be confirmed & made final on motion to quash the Att<sup>c</sup> ordered that the Same be dismissed.

Dun George Rapalie Plaintiff  
 vs  
 Wal John E. Long Defendant  
 The parties by their attornies agree that this Suit be continued the plaintiff paying the costs thereof.

Har W<sup>m</sup> Dunbar Plaintiff  
 vs In Case  
 Duncan Andrew Beal Defendant  
 Ordered that a Citation Issue against the Executors of the Deceased to come forward and Defend the Suit  
 Dun William Vousdan Plaintiff  
 vs Tresspass  
 Bra Extors of Morris Stackpoole Dec<sup>d</sup>. Defendant  
 The death of the plaintiff Suggested and David Ker and George Fitzgerald Executors of the last will and Testament of the S<sup>d</sup> Deceased enter their appearance to this Suit.  
 Ker Lewis Valcourt Plaintiff  
 Vs In Case  
 Acres & McBride Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his atto and the Defendant being Solemnly called doth not come nor Say anything in bar or preclusion of the Plaintiff's action ags<sup>t</sup> him but hath made default whereby the Said Lewis Valcourt remains against them the Said Acres & McBride therein altogether undefended & because it is not known what Damages the plaintiff hath Sustained in the Promises it is ordered that the Same be enquired of and assessed by a Jury at the next court.

Ordered that Court be adj<sup>d</sup> till tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.

Court agreeable to adjournment Met

Present

Sam<sup>l</sup> Brook & Esqs  
John Henderson

Ordered that court be adjourned till to morrow morning for want of a Sufficient Quorum.

Court Met according to adjt Saturday 10th 1803

Present

Samuel Brooks  
John Henderson Esqs  
& James Ferrall

Ordered that court be adjourned till Court in Course

Saml Brooks J. P.  
Court

At a court held for the County of Adams at the Courthouse thereof in the City of Natchez on Monday the Sixth Day of March in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and four

Present

Samuel Brooks  
John Henderson Esquires  
John Callender &  
James Ferrall

William B. Shields Exhibited in Court a Licence from Cato West Secretary of the Territory Authorizing him to practice as an attorney and Counsellor at Law whereupon he took the oath Presented by Law and is admitted accordingly.

Har Ebenezer Rees Plaintiff  
Vs in Case  
Arthur Cobb Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by their attos and six words illegible, crossed out thereupon came a Jury to wit, Abram Guice, James West, Parson Carter, Reubin Gibson, John Congill, Nicholas Rabb, Abram Taylor, David Havard, Israel Leonard, John Mitchell, Thomas Ford & William Montgomery, who being elected tried & Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant did assume upon himself in Manner and form as the Plaintiff against him hath declared and do assess the plaintiff damages by reason thereof to one hundred and Sixty Six Dollars and fifty cents besides Costs therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his suit in that behalf expended and the Defendant in Mercy &c

Ordered that no attorney of this Court in any Cause Shall become Special Bail for any parties one word illegible with the Special leave of the Court.



Peter Rabb Nathaniel Harrison & William Montgomery being Summonsed to attend this Court this day as Jury men, were Solemnly called but came not therefore it is Considered by the Court for their Contempt there in that they be severally fined Six Dollars each to be applied for such default unless they appear and make a reasonable excuse as the Law directs & that they may be taken &c whereupon the Said William Montgomery came into court and made his excuse therefore his fine is remitted him.

Willi Christopher Lee Plaintiff  
vs in Case  
Har Miguel Sollivellas Defendant

Ordered that the former rule of referance made herein be continued.

Ordered that court be adjourned till half past two o'clock.

Court Met according to adjmt

Present

Samuel Brooks  
Adam Tooley Esqs  
James Ferrall  
Wm Darby

On the application of Captain Israel Luce who produced in court a certificate of his fitness to keep a Tavern at his house in the County it is ordered that a Licence be granted him to keep the Said Tavern during the term of one year from the date hereof and until the next succeeding Court thereafter he having entered into & acknowledged bond in the Sum of three hundred with Jas Cole & Morris Custard his Trustee Con't according to Law.

William Kenner Plaintiff  
vs On a Scire facias vs Bail  
Morris Custard Bail of Defendant  
Elias Fisher

In this case Morris Custard brought into court the body of the Said Elias Fisher and Surrend him in discharge of his bail & the Said Morris is exonerated on Paying the Costs of this suit.

Daniel Douglass Plaintiff  
vs Case  
Henry Green Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his by his Attorney and the Plaintiff having been Solemnly called came not therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff be non Suited and that he go hence without Day and recover of the Plaintiff his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended Whereupon the Said Plaintiff by his attorney comes into Court and on Motion of the Sd Plaintiff it is ordered that the order made herein be Set aside and the cause be continued.

Pain Ferdinand L. Claiborne Plaintiff  
Recorded Vs In Debt  
Leonard B. Compton Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in Proper Person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiff's action, therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of two hundred and Seventy one Dollars and Sixty two Cents the Debt in the Decln Mentioned with Intrest thereon besides Costs &c the Pltff agrees to stay the Execution of this Judgment till the first Day of January 1805 and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c

Pain Same Plaintiff  
Recorded vs In Case  
Same Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in Proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the Plaintiff's action therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant thirty two Dollars with Intrest thereon besides Costs, and the Plaintiff agrees to stay the Execution of this Judgment till the first day of January 1805 and the Said Defendant in Mercy &c

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Wal Francis Killer Plaintiff  
vs In Case  
Andrew McBride Defendant

This day John Hoggatt as Special Bail delivered up the body of the Defendant in Discharge of his recognizance & undertaking & the Defendant prayed in Custody &c.

Manuel Lopez Plaintiff  
vs on a Scire facias against bail  
Anthony Dougherty & Defendant  
Patrick Connally bail of  
Christopher Lee

In this case Anthony Dougherty and Patrick Connally brought into court the body of the Said Christopher Lee and Surrendered him in discharge of their bail & the Said Anthony Dougherty & Patrick Connally are exonerated in paying the Costs of this suit.

Wal Daniel Douglass Plaintiff  
Vs In Debt  
Charles Dowling Defendant

Wal Same Plaintiff  
Vs In Case  
Same 2nd Suit Defendant  
Same Plaintiff  
vs Same  
Same 3rd Suit Defendant

John Parker the Defendants Spl B<sup>l</sup> in the above suits Del<sup>d</sup> up the body of the Said Deft in Discharge of his Recgn<sup>s</sup> & undertaking & the Deft in Custody &c

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Certified Daniel Hawley Presented in Court an Acct ag<sup>st</sup> the County which being examined is allowed and ordered to be certified for forty three Dollars and twenty-nine cents. \$43 29



Ordered that court be adjourned till tomorrow morning nine o'clock.  
Tuesday 7th 1804, Court met according  
to adjournment met

Present

Samuel Brooks  
Adam Toolley Esquires  
William Foster &  
William Darby

Dp John Croker Plaintiff  
Recorded vs in Case  
Wal Martin Hinderlider Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit Abram Guice, James West, Parson Carter, Reubin Gibson, John Cowgill, Nicholas Rabb, Abram Taylor, David Havard, Israel Leonard, John Mitchell, Thomas Ford & William Montgomery, who being Elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their Oath do say that the Defendant did not undertake & promise in manner and form as the Plaintiff in his Declaration against him hath declared therefore it is considered by the Court that the Defendant go hence without day & recover of Pltff his Costs &c

James Wilson Plaintiff  
vs Case  
Benjamine Kitchens Defendant

Ordered that the former Rule of Reference in this cause be discharged & continued.

John Willson Plaintiff  
vs in Case  
Lewis Evans Defendant

James Wallace administrator of the Said John Willson comes into court and appears to the Suit & continues for trial at the next term.

Har David Ferguson & Melling Woolley, Plaintiffs  
vs Case

Wal Patrick Connally Defendant

Ordered by consent of the parties that the former Rule of Reference be continued if no award be returned in this cause within Six weeks then the Said Award to be set aside & set for trial at the next term.

Frank George Rapalie Plaintiff  
Recorded vs In Case

Wal John E. Long Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his attorney and the plaintiff being Solemnly called came not therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff be non Suited and the Defendant go hence without day and recover of the Pltff his costs by him about his defense in that behalf expended

Wm Foster  
James Farrell  
Jacob Guice  
John Henderson  
John Callender

Thomas Wilkins Plaintiff  
 vs In Case  
 Stephen Stephenson Defendant  
 by consent of the Parties ordered this Suit be continued.  
 Thomas Regan Plaintiff  
 vs in Case  
 Benjamine Kitchens Defendant  
 Ordered that the former Rule of Reference in the cause be Set aside.  
 W<sup>m</sup> McWilliams Plaintiff  
 Vs in Case  
 The Same Defendant  
 Ordered that the former Rule of reference in this Cause be Set aside.  
 William Dunbar Plaintiff  
 Vs Case  
 Andrew Beall Defendant  
 Ordered that a Citation issue to Rich<sup>d</sup> Beall Executor of the Last Will and Testament of the Said Andrew Beall deceased to come forward & Defend Suit.

Ferguson & Woolley Plaintiff  
 vs  
 Andrew Beall Defendant  
 Ordered that a citation Issue against Rich<sup>d</sup> Beall Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Andrew Beall deceased to come forward & defend this suit.  
 A. Hunt Plaintiff  
 vs in Case  
 Peter Anthony Defendant  
 By consent ordered this suit be Continued.  
 Dun Stephen Adair Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs in Case  
 Marny Nancy Martin Defendant  
 This day came the Defendant by her attorney & the plaintiff being Solemnly called came not therefore it is Considered by the court that the plaintiff be non Suited and that the Defendant go hence without Day and recover of the Plaintiff her Costs by about her Defence on that behalf expended.  
 Ordered that Court be adj<sup>d</sup> till tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.

Court Met agreeable to adjournment  
 Present  
 Samuel Brooks  
 A. Tooley  
 W<sup>m</sup> Darby Esquires  
 W<sup>m</sup> Foster  
 James Ferrall  
 Jacob Guise  
 John Henderson  
 John Callender



Har Henry Churchill Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs in Case  
 Tur Moses Moore Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and the Said Defendant by his attorney relinquishing his former Plea and Saving and reserving to himself every advantage he may have in Equity. Says he cannot gainsay the Plaintiff's action against him Therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant one hundred and thirty Six Dollars and fifty Cents & also his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended & the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

It is considered by the Court that they have not now a right to levy a Tax on the County for the Purpose of building a Jail & Courthouse agreeable to an act of Assembly Passed 18<sup>th</sup> of November 1803 entitled an act to establish a permanant Site of Justice for the District County of Adams.

Wal James Wiley Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs In case  
 Lewis Evans Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorneys and the Defendant in Proper Person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the plaintiffs action therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the sum of twelve Dollars besides his costs by him about his suit in that behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Ex<sup>tors</sup> Morris Stackpoole Plaintiff  
 vs Case  
 W<sup>m</sup> B. Smith Defendant

Referred by consent to Love Baker and his award to be made the Judgment of the Court & Execution to Issue thereon

Absent  
 John Callender  
 William Darby Esquires  
 James Ferrell &  
 Samuel Brooks

Wal Patrick Connelly Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs In Trover  
 Mahan Thomas Crabb Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his attorney & the Plaintiff being Solomnly called came not therefore it is therefore considered by the Court that the Plaintiff be non Suited and that the Defendant go hence without Day and recover of the Said Plaintiff his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended.

William Dunbar Plaintiff  
 vs Case  
 Jeremiah Bass Defendant

Referred to John Henderson Esq<sup>r</sup> his award to be returned and made the Judgment of the court.





Har            John Walton                                  Plaintiff  
 Recorded        vs    In Case  
                  Robert Wilson                                  Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his Attorney and thereupon came a Jury to wit, the Same Jury as first aforesaid, who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages in this Suit Returned Verdict "We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff eighty nine Dollars in Damages besides Costs". therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Deft his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended & The Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

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Har            Walker & Henderson                              Plaintiff  
 Recorded        vs    in Case  
                  Little Berry West                                  Defendant

This Day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came a Jury to wit, the Same Jury as first aforesaid, who being elected tried and Sworn Well and truly to enquire of Damages in this suit Returned verdict "We the Jury find for the plaintiff fifty Seven Dollars and Seven cents Damages besides Costs" Therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also his Costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Har            St James Beauvais & Co.                            Plaintiff  
 Recorded        vs    In Case  
                  George Lawnig    Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came a Jury to wit, the Same Jury as on the Suit Thomas Erwin against Charles Cayson, who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages in this Suit Returned Verdict "We of the Jury find for the Plaintiff ninety Seven Dollars and Eighty five cents Damages besides cost. Therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

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Har            Lewis Valcourt                                      Plaintiff  
 Recorded        vs    In Case  
                  Acres & McBride                                      Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came a Jury as on the Suit Erwin against Cayson Who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages in this Suit Returned Verdict "We the Jury find for the Plaintiff Seventy two Dollars and forty five cents Damages besides Costs" therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their Verdict aforesaid assessed also his Costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>





Frances Nailor Plaintiff  
vs in Case  
Stephen Stephenson Defendant

Charles Kin appearance bail Surrendered up the body of the Defendant in Dis-charge of recognizance and undertaking and said Defendant prays in Custody & whereupon Samuel Timberlake comes into Court and undertakes for the Said Deft that in case he shall be cast in the Suit aforesaid That he would Satisfy and pay the Costs and condemnation of the Court or surrender his body in execution for the Same or in case of failure thereof that he the Said Samuel Timberlake would do it for him.

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Ordered that Samuel Brooks and John Henderson Esquires be continued as Commissioners to lay off the Boundarios for the Jail and that they be authorized to alter the Present Boundery and fix them the most convenient to the present prison that they Shall Judgement and that the bounds be established upon their report into office.

Solomon Swayze Plaintiff  
vs Attachment  
Elijah Cockefair Defendant

Ordered by the Court that the Property attached be sold by the Sheriff and the money arising from Such Sale be deposited as the Law directs.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned till tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.

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Court Met according to adjournment  
Present

Adam Toolley  
John Henderson Esquires  
William Foster  
Jacob Guice

United States Plaintiff  
Recorded vs in Debt  
David Johnson & Hogg Defendant

This day came the U. S. by its Attorney and the Defendant in Proper Person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the Said action of the United States, therefore it is considered by the Court that the Said United States recover against the Defendant the Sum of ninety nine Dollars fifty one and three fourth cents the Debt in the Declaration mentioned with legal interest thereon till Paid also the Costs about the Same Suit in that behalf expended and the Said Defendant in *Mercy & C.* Stay Ex<sup>on</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> May.

Same Plaintiff  
Same vs In Debt  
Same Defendant

This day came the U. S. by its atto. and the Deft in Proper person and the Said Deft<sup>t</sup> acknowledges the 3<sup>d</sup> action of the Said U. S. therefore it is

Considered by the Court that the S<sup>d</sup> U. S. recover against the Said Defendants the Sum of ninety nine Dollars fifty one and three fourths cents the Debt in the Declaration mentioned with legal interest thereon till paid also the costs about the Same Suit in that behalf expended and the Def<sup>t</sup> in Mercy & C Stay execution 15<sup>th</sup> May.

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John W. Langford Plaintiff  
 Recorded Vs in Case  
 Wal Joseph Griffin Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his attorney and the Plaintiff being Solemnly called came not therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff be non Suited and that the Defendant go hence without Day and recover of the Plaintiff his Costs by him about his defence in this behalf expended.

Wal Ann Martin Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs in Case  
 Dun Ebenezer Reese Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit Abram Guice, James West Parson Carter Reubin Gibson, John Cowgill, Nicholas Rabb David Havard Israel Leonard William Montgomery, Thomas Ford, William B. Smith Jun<sup>r</sup> & John E. Long, who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined and the plaintiff being Solemnly called came not and the Jury from rendering their verdict are discharged, nor is her Suit further Prosecuted therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff be non suited and that the Defendant go hence without day and recover of the Plaintiff his Costs by her about his Suit in that behalf expended.

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Certified Anthony Dougherty Exhibited in Court an account against the County which being examined is allowed and ordered to be Certified for forty four Dollars & fifty cents \$44.50 Cents.

Wal Sarah Dunnnavans Plaintiff  
 Recorded Vs Tresspass  
 Dun Moses Caroll Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit, Abram Guice James West, Prosper Carter, Reubin Gibson, John Cowgill, Nicholas Rabb, David Havard, Israel Leonard, William Montgomery, Thomas Ford Wm B. Smith Jun<sup>r</sup> & John Mitchell who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant is guilty in Manner and form as the plaintiff against him in her Declaration hath declared and do assess the plaintiff Damages by reason thereof to three hundred and eighty nine dollars and twenty five cents Damages besides Costs therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Defendant her Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also her costs by him about her suit in that behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy & C.



Har Jerry Brandon Plaintiff  
 Vs attachment  
 Roderick & Robert Perry Defts

William Lemon Garnishee answereth on oath that he Stands Indebted to Robert Perry one of the Defendants in the Sum of four hundred dollars for a Negro boy for which sum the Said Robert hold this Garnishee obligation Payable the fourteenth of February last and that he hath no other effects of the Defendants or either of them in his hands

Present  
 Alex<sup>r</sup> Montgomery Esq<sup>r</sup>

Ordered on Motion of John E. Long that a Tavern Licence be granted him to keep a Tavern at his house in this County during the term of one year from the date hereof and until the next Succeeding Court thereafter he having ~~Complained~~ One word illegible crossed out and entered into & acknowledged Bond with F. L. Claiborne & W<sup>m</sup> Brooks his Surities in the Sum of three hundred Dollars conditioned according to law.

Ordered that Court adjourned till 2 o'clock.

Court met according to adjournment

Present  
 John Henderson  
 W<sup>m</sup> Foster Esquires  
 Jonathan Guice  
 Alexander Montgomery

Har Ferguson & Woolley Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs case  
 May Joptha Higdon Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attornies and the Said Parties agree to Waved the trial of the Issue by a Jury and agree to put themselves on the Judgment of the Court and being fully heard it is the opinion of the Court that the Defendant did assume in Manner and form as the plaintiff in his Declaration hath alledged and do assess the plaintiff Damages by reason thereof to Seventy Seven Dollars and fifty five Cents besides cost therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner & form aforesaid given also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended & the Defendant in Mercy &c

Ordered that David Greenleaf, John Martin, William Montgomery Daniel Fowler, Benjamine Newman, Archibald Lewis & Samuel Montgomery do view & mark out a Road on the South fork of Cole's Creek Beginning near John Martin's running thro Captain Greenleaf's and a part of Captain Morrow's District untill it intersects the public highway near Daniel Whitaker's and make report thereof according to law.

Silas L. Pain Plaintiff  
 vs  
 Joptha Higdon Defendant  
 Death of the plaintiff suggested.

	Peter A. Vandorn	Plaintiff
	vs	Case
	Silas L. Pain	Defendant
Wal	Death of the Defendant suggested	
	Nathaniel Tomlinson	Plaintiff
	vs	case
Dp	Seth Caston	Defendant

Ordered that the former rule of Reference in this cause be set aside.  
 Ordered that Court be adjourned till tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.

Court agreeable to adjournment met  
 Present

Alex<sup>or</sup> Montgomery  
 Adam Toolley Esquires  
 W<sup>m</sup> Foster &  
 Samuel Boyd

On the application of Ferdinand L. Claiborne it is ordered by the Court that William Darby Esquire be appointed as Enquirer in his Room and Stead to take & Receive a list of the Taxable Property in the District for which the Said F. L. Claiborne is appointed for the Current year.

Thomas Berry	Plaintiff
Vs	in Case
John Shute	Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his and the Plaintiff being Solemnly called came not therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff be non Suited and that the Deft go hence without day and recover against the Plaintiff his costs by him about his defence in that behalf expended.

Har	William Thompson	Plaintiff
Recorded	vs	In Trover
Mahan	Rowland Shackelford	Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury To Wit, Abram Guice, James West, Parson Carter, Reubin Gibson, John Cowgill, Nicholas Rabb, Daniel Havard, Isreal Leonard, Anthony Calvit, Thomas Ford, John Mitchell, David Gibson who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant is guilty in Manner and form as the plaintiff in his Declaration hath alledged and do assess the plaintiff damages By reason thereof to Twenty five Dollars besides Costs therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Def<sup>t</sup> his damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his Costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

	John Overaker for use of Drake,	Plaintiff
Recorded	vs	in Case
	James Ferrall	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury The Same Jury as next above who being elected tried and sworn the truth to Speak



upon the Issue, Joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant hath not Paid the Debt in the Decl aforesaid mentioned as in pleading he hath alledged as do assess the Plaintiff Damages by reason thereof to thirty one Dollars and twenty five cents besides Costs therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the Debt in Mercy &c

Ordered that court be adjourned till 2 o'clock.

Court Met according to adjournment Present

Samuel Brooks  
William Foster Esquires  
S. Boyd &  
A. Montgomery

Jeremiah Ruth Plaintiff  
vs  
Moses Custeen Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his attorney and the Plaintiff being Solemnly called came not therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff be non suited and that the Defendant go hence without day and recover agst the plaintiff his costs by him about his defence in that behalf expended and thereupon the Said Plaintiff comes into court and moved the Court that his cause be reinstated which is granted him & it is ordered that Commissions Issue to take the depositions of absent witnesses on Interrogations.

Hoggatt et als Plaintiff  
vs in Case  
Barton Hannon Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury To wit Abram Guice, James West, Parson Carter, Reubin Gibson, John Cowgill, Nicholas Rabb, David Havard, Israel Leonard, Thomas Ford, John Mitchell, David Gibson, Thomas Hieth, who being elected tried & Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the

Defendant did promise and undertake in Manner and form as stated in the Plaintiff's declaration and do assess the Pltff Damages by reason thereof to one hundred & fifty one Dollars and fifty one cents Damages besides costs, therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid assessed also his Costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the Said Debt in Mercy &c

Har A. Hunt Plaintiff  
Recorded vs In Blank  
Tur John Blanchard Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit Abram Guice, James Wost, Parson Carter, Reubin Gibson, John Cowgill, Nicholas Rabb, David Havard, Israel Leonard, Thomas Ford, David Mitchell,

David Gibson, Thomas Heith who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their Oath do say that the Defendant did Promise and undertake in manner & form as the Plaintiff in his Declaration hath alle<sup>d</sup>ged and do assess the Damages by reason thereof to Sixty Seven Dollars besides Costs, therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also his Costs by him about his suit in that behalf expended and the Def<sup>t</sup> in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Richard Down Plaintiff  
Vs  
Joseph Lee Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came &<sup>c</sup> the Same Jury as next above Returned Verdict for the Plaintiff for forty three Dollars Damages & Costs.

Har James Ferrall Plaintiff  
Lewis Vs In Case  
Ex<sup>on</sup> William Henery Defendant

This day came the parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit <sup>for</sup> Abram Guice, James West, Parson Carter, Reubin Gibson, John Cowgill, Nicholas <sup>costs</sup> Rabb, David Havard, Israel Leonard, Thomas Ford, John Mitchell, David Gibson Thomas Hieth, who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant did assume on himself in manner and form as the plaintiff his Declaration hath alledged and do assess the plaintiff Damages by Occasion thereof to three hundred dollars besides costs, therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the Defendant his Damages aforesaid in manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Har The Same Plaintiff  
Recorded vs in Case  
Lewis The Same Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit Abram Guice, James West, Parson Carter, Reubin Gibson, John Cowgill, Nicholas Robb, David Havard, Israel Leonard, Thomas Ford, John Mitchell, David Gibson & Thomas Hieth, who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Deft did undertake and promise in manner and form as the Pltff

in his Declaration hath declared and do assess the Plaintiff Damages by occasion thereof to fifty eight Dollars twelve and one half cents besides Costs therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant his Damages aforesaid in manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his suit in that behalf & the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>



Same Plaintiff  
vs in Debt  
Same & John Henry Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit Abram Guice, James West, Parson Carter, Roubin Gibson, John Cowgill, Nicholas Rabb, David Havard, Israel Leonard, Thomas Ford, John Mitchell, David Gibson & Thomas Hieth who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Def<sup>td</sup> did undertake & Promise in manner & form as the Plaintiff agst him hath declared and find for the Plaintiff forty three Dollars twelve and one half cents, the Debt in the Decl mentioned also one cent Damages besides Costs therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the Defendant his Debts Damages & Costs aforesaid in Mannor and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf.

Charles McBride Adm<sup>r</sup> Plaintiff  
vs in Case  
Alexander Montgomery Defendant

By consent commission is awarded the Defendant to take the Deposition of Henry Bowger being listed or giving the Pltff notice of the time & place to buy.

Court adjd till tomorrow 9 o'clock.

Court agreeable to adjournment met

Present  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Brooks  
Wm Foster  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Boyd Esquires  
John Callender  
William Darby

Every cause when called shall be immediatly tried Contd or discontinued - No cause shall be continued unless by consent or on Sufficient cause shown by affidavit or otherwise to the satisfaction of the court - Jurors making Default shall be fined.

Ordered by the court  
Signed  
Sam<sup>l</sup> Brooks

Benjamin Robinson Plaintiff  
vs  
Bennett Truly Defendant

by consent of the Parties it is ordered that either Party take depositions without the Territory before any legal Justice of the Peace or Alcaid or interrogatories filed or notice given of the adverse party of the time & place of taking same.

Bennett Truly Plaintiff  
vs  
Benjamin Robinson Defendant

By consent of the Parties it is ordered that either party take depositions without the Territory before any legal Justice of the Peace or Alcaid or interrogatories, filed or notice given the adverse Party of the time and place of taking the same.

W<sup>m</sup> Pope & Co. Plaintiff  
 vs in Case  
 Philip B. & John Compton Defendant

This day came the plaintiffs by their attorney and the Defendant in Proper Person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the Plaintiff's action therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the Defendant the sum of five hundred and fifty five Dollars Seventy two cents Interest and costs of a former Judgment with Interest on this Judgment till Paid & costs by him about their Present Suit in this behalf expended & the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Ordered that Court be adjourned till 2 o'clock.

Court agreeable to adjournment met

Present

William Darby  
 W<sup>m</sup> Foster Esquires  
 Sam<sup>l</sup> Boyd

Barnaba Minyard Plaintiff  
 vs in Blank  
 Archibald Evans Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his attorney and the Plaintiff failing to file his declaration agreeable to the rules of this court and being Solemnly called came not therefore it is ordered by the court that the Plaintiff be non Suited and that the Defendant go hence without Day and recover of the Plaintiff his costs by him about his defence in that behalf expended &<sup>c</sup>

Charles B. Green produced in court a Licence from Cato West Secretary of the territory Authorising him to Practice as an attorney & Counsellor at Law Whereupon he took the usual Oath of office and is admitted accordingly.

Reed & Ford Plaintiff  
 vs Case  
 Ezekiel Dewitt Defendant

On motion of the Plaintiff leave is granted him to amend the first count of his declaration by inserting the name of William B. Smith instead of Ezekiel Dewitt and time given to plead there till the first of May.

Ordered that Joshua Howard nominate such fit persons to whom the children of James Kelly may be bound as apprentices and retain those persons so nominated to the next orphans court ~~to the next~~ Court for their approbation or rejection of the court.

Certified Doct David Lattemore Exhib<sup>t</sup> in Court an account agst<sup>t</sup> the county after Examination is allowed and ordered to be certified for forty two Dollars and twenty five cents 42.25

Benjamine Seamans the Same for 104.12  
 William Brenburg Plaintiff

vs  
 Joshua Hadley Defendant

Ordered by consent of the parties that didimus Issue to take Despositions on interrogatories before any Justice of the Peace notice thereof being given to either party ten days

William Darby J. P.

Court ajourned till Court in Course.



At a County Court held for the County of Adams at the Court House thereof in the City of Natchez on Monday the fourth Day of June 1804

Present

Samuel Brooks  
John Henderson  
Alexander Montgomery Esquires  
James Neilson &  
William Foster

Ferdinand L. Claiborn                      Plaintiff  
vs  
John Bryan                                      Defendant

This day Joseph Harrison & John Bradshaw The Defendants Special Bail Surrendered up the body of the S<sup>d</sup> Defendant in discharge of their Recognizance and undertaking and the Said Defendant Prays in Custody &<sup>c</sup>

Ordered by the Court that a Permanent Bridge shall be built over the St Catherines where the main road leading from Natchez to Coles Creek crosses to, by Paid out of County Tax the court will receive Proposal till Tuesday the seventh Instant for building the same & the Clerk is ordered to put up at the Door of the Courthouse a notification thereof.

Lewis Charles Norwood                      Plaintiff  
Recorded                      Vs                                      in Blank  
Benjn Balk & Jephtha Higdon              Defendant

The plaintiff by his attorney comes into Court and says he will not prosecute this action further against the Defendant Jephtha Higdon and the Deft Benjamin Balk in Proper Person comes into court and acknowledges the Plaintiffs action for the sum of two hundred and eighty one Dollars and five cents damages besides Costs, therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the Defendant the damages aforesaid & also his costs by him about his suit in that behalf expended and the Deft in mercy &<sup>c</sup> and the Plaintiff agrees to stay Excn on this Judgt till first of Jan<sup>ry</sup>

Paid my fees,  
B. Scamans

The commissioners appointed to view & mark the roads on the South fork of Coles Creek this day returned their report which is as follows: agreeable to the order from the Worshipful Court of Adams County to us directed we have Proceeded to view and mark a Road from the neighbourhood of John Martins to Daniel Whitakers and Pass there the land of David Greenleaf by consent, thence thro the lands of John Martin by consent, thence thro the land of Adam Bergamin, thence thro the land of Patrick Connelly, thence thro the lands of Benjamin Newman, by consent thence thro the lands of Charles Boardman lines thence thro the lands of James Carpenter and Daniel Whitaker by

consent Given under our hands this 27th Day of May 1804 and it is ordered by the Court that the same be established.

Har James Ferrall Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs in Debt  
 William Leland Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in Proper Person and the Defendant acknowledges the plaintiffs action for the Debt in Declaration mentioned, of Eighty four Dollars eighty seven and one half cents with interest thereon for being Six Dollars & thirty six cents.

Specially & Costs therefore it is considered by the court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Debt aforesaid with Interest as aforesaid also his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended & the Defendant be in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> the Pltff agree to Stay the Execution on this Judgment till the first Day of November next.

Dep A. L. Duncan Plaintiff  
 Recorded Vs Case  
 Foster Rawley Martin Defendant

This came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Def<sup>t</sup> in Proper person and the Said acknowledges the Pltffs action therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover of the Defendant twenty five Dollars the Debt in the declaration mentioned his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf Stay Ex<sup>r</sup> till first Dec.

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A. L. Duncan Plaintiff  
 vs In Case  
 Ravley Martin Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in Proper person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the Plaintiffs action therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the said Defendant twenty five Dollars the Debt in the Declaration mentioned also his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> Stay Ex<sup>on</sup> till first Dec<sup>r</sup>.

The court nominated and appointed the following Persons overseers of the Highways to wit In Captain Merrows District - Thomas Foster oversoer

Capt <sup>n</sup> Barton Hannon	do	Abram Martin	"
Capt <sup>n</sup> William Darbies	do	William Cochran	"
Capt <sup>n</sup> Benjamine Homes	do	Ebenezer Rees	"
Capt <sup>n</sup> Israel Luses	do	Caleb King	"
Capt <sup>n</sup> Joseph Sessions	do	James Howard	"
Capt <sup>n</sup> Jesse Caston	do	Parson Carter	"
Capt <sup>n</sup> David Greenleaf	do	Sam <sup>l</sup> Montgomery	"
Capt <sup>n</sup> Abram Guice	do	Jonathan Guice	"
Capt <sup>n</sup> William Nicholls	do	Jonathan Dayton	"
Capt <sup>n</sup> William Voss	do	Anthony Dougherty	"
Capt <sup>n</sup> Philander Smith	do	Charles Surget	"

and the clerk is ordered to be certify to each Person of their appointment which the Sheriff is to deliver.

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Andrew Walkor Plaintiff  
 vs Defendant  
 Joremiiah Bass  
 This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in Proper Person



and mutually agree to Dismiss this Suit each Party Paying half the costs accrued thereon and Robert by his Atto assumes three Dollars the part of the Plaintiff. Ordered Court be adjourned till two O'clock.

Court met according to Adjournment Present

Samuel Brooks  
James Neilson  
Alexr Montgomery

Ordered that the former Rules at which the Several Tavern Keepers within this County Shall Sell be continued Except that for a Horse at Hay, twenty four Hours they Shall have fifty cents & for one night twenty five cents and the Same is established accordingly.

Robert & George Cochran Pltffs

vs

Daniel Lawry Defendant

By consent of the Parties it is ordered that this Suit be continued till next court.

Thomas Austin Plaintiff

vs

Nathaniel Harrison Defendant

Reubin Gibson comes into Court and undertakes for the Defendant that in case he be cast in the Suit aforesaid that he shall satisfy and pay the costs condemnations of the court or Surrender his body to Prison in Execution for the Same or in case of failure thereof that he the Said Reubin will do it for him.

Ferdinand L. Claiborne Plaintiff

Recorded vs In Debt

Lewis Dunn Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in Person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the Plaintiffs Action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Debt fifty eight Dollars and his Costs with interest also his Costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended & the Sd Defendant in Mercy &c & the Plaintiff agrees to Stay the Execution on this Judgt till the first of November next.

Ordered by the Court that the Judgt rise against Nathanl Harrison as a Juror be set aside upon his Paying Default The Court nominated and appointed the following persons as Overseers of the Poor in the Several Districts within the County to wit in

Capt <sup>n</sup> Rob <sup>t</sup> Morrows	District	Thomas Foster	
Captain Barton Hannons	District	William Hoggatt	overseer
Capt <sup>n</sup> William Darbies	do	John Grafton	do
Capt <sup>n</sup> Benj <sup>n</sup> Homes	do	Abner Brockham	do
Capt <sup>n</sup> Israel Luces	do	David Lambert	do
Capt <sup>n</sup> Joseph Sessions	do	James Howard	do
Capt <sup>n</sup> Jesse Carters	do	Nathaniel Tomlinson	do
Capt <sup>n</sup> David Greenleaf	do	Jeremiah Coleman	do

Capt <sup>n</sup> Abram Guice	District	Nathaniel Kinnison	Overseer
Capt <sup>n</sup> William Nichols	"	Polser Shilling	"
Capt <sup>n</sup> William Voss	"	Anthony Dougherty	"
Capt <sup>n</sup> Philander Smith	"	Charles Surget	"

and the clerk is ordered to certify to each Person of their appointment which the Sheriff to Deliver.

Ferdinand L. Claiborne Plaintiff

Vs

Alexander Bailey Defendant

On the Motion of the Defendant Bailey by his attorney at 2 o'clock in the afternoon the first Day of the case to quash the Execution against the Said Defendant which is laid over till tomorrow and then to be heard.

Ordered Court be adj<sup>d</sup> till tomorrow 9 o'clock.

Court agreeable to adjournment met Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup>

Present

Sam <sup>l</sup> Brooks	
John Henderson	
William Darby	Esquires
James Neilson	
William Foster	
Jacob Guice	

Har Benjamin Kitchens Defendant

Recorded vs Case

James Matson Plaintiff

This day came Benj<sup>n</sup> Kitchens the Def<sup>t</sup> by his atto and the Plaintiff being Solemnly called comes not nor is his Suit further Prosecuted therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff be non suited and that the Defendant go hence without day and recover of the Plaintiff his costs by him about his Defence in this behalf

Wal Thomas Rogan Plaintiff

Recorded vs case

Har Benjamin Kitchens Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit Christian Gilbert Peter Robb, William Glascock, William Clark, John James William Barland Jeremiah Coleman Reubin Newman Samuel Montgomery Abram Taylor Parson Lewis John E. Long.

Who being olected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Def<sup>t</sup> did asume upon himself in manner and form as the Pltff in his Declaration hath declared and do assess the Pltff Damages by reason thereof to forty eight dollars sevonty five cents besides Costs therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and his costs by him about his suit in that behalf



expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy & C from which Said Judgment the Defendant Prays an appeal to the next Superior Court of Law which is granted him on Payment of costs with his entering into Bond with John Cammack & Bennett Truly his Sureties in the sum of one hundred and twenty Dollars conditioned as the Law Directs.

Ferdinand L. Claiborne	Plaintiff
vs	In Debt
Benjamin Goodson & A. Bailey	Deft

Ordered that the suit be continued till tomorrow by consent.

William Dunbar Ex <sup>tor</sup>	Plaintiff
vs	
Andrew Beal	Deft

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Ferdinand L. Claiborne	Plaintiff
vs	In Debt
Jacob Nafe	Defendant

Robert Morrow his Special Bail this cause Surrendered up the body of the Defendant in discharge of his recognizance and undertaking & the Said Defendant Prays in Custody & whereupon Avery Clark comes into Court and undertakes for the Defendant that in case he shall be cast in the Suit aforesaid that will pay and Satisfy the costs and conditions of the Court or Surrender his body in Execution to Prison for the Same or in case, of failure thereof that he the Said Avery will do it for him.

Abija Hunt	Plaintiff
vs	in Case
Peter Anthony	Defendant

This day came the parties by their attorneys and thereupon came a Jury to wit Christian Gilbert, Peter Robb, William Glasscock, William Clark, John James, William Barland, Jeremiah Coleman, Reubin Newman, Samuel Montgomery, Abner Taylor, Parson Lewis, & John E. Long who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon

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Their oath do Say that the Defendant did Promise and undertake in manner and form as the Plaintiff in his Declaration against him hath declared and do assess the Plaintiff Damages by reason thereof to Sixty nine Dollars and Seventy cents besides Costs therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in manner & form by the Jurors in their verdict afore said assessed also his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the Defendant in Mercy & C

James Warren	Plaintiff
vs	In Case
Thomas Regan	Defendant

This day came the plaintiff by his attorney and Releases the Damages afore said in the Declaration mentioned & prays Judgment for the costs accrued on the Said Suit therefore it is considered by the court the Plaintiff have Execution for his Costs afore said according to the form of the Statute in Such case made & preformed.

A. Hunt  
vs  
Jonas Scroggens

Same & Smith  
vs  
Same

Plaintiff  
Defendant

Polser Shilling and Charles King come into Court and undertakes for the Defendant that in case he shall be cast in the Suit aforesaid that he shall Satisfy and Pay the costs and con-

demnations of the court or Surrender his body in Prison for the Same and in case of failure thereof he will do it for him

Ordered court be adjourned till 2 o'clock.

Court according to adjournment met  
Present

Samuel Brooks  
John Henderson  
James Neilson Esquires  
James Ferrall  
W<sup>m</sup> Foster &  
Jacob Guice

William McWilliams  
vs  
Vansanly Armanda  
Bisonte Hernandez

Appellee  
Appeal from Justice  
Appellant

By consent of the Parties it is ordered that this Suit be continued.

Wal John Robb  
vs  
Joseph Gluckland

Appellee  
Appeal from Justice  
Appellant

This day came the Parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury wit William Gilbert, Peter Robb, William Glascock, William Clarke, John James, William Barland, Jeremiah Coleman, Samuel Montgomery, William Taylor Parson Lewis, John E. Long & Robert Morrow, who being Elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the appellee hath Sustained Damages by reason of the appealants non performance of the Several Promises and undertakings in the Declaration Specified

and do assess the Appellee Damages by reason thereof to twenty one Dollars and Seventy five Cents besides costs therefore it is considered by the Court that the Appellee recover against the Appellant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the Said appellant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>



Garrett Wood & Co. Plaintiffs

vs

Abram Hill Defendant

William Collins comes into Court and undertakes for the Defendant that in case he shall be cast in the Suit aforesaid that he shall Satisfy and Pay the costs and condemnation of the Court or Surrender his body in Execution to Prison for the Same or in case of failure thereof that the Said William will do it for him.

Ordered by the Court that all appeals from a Single Justice Magistrate's Judg<sup>t</sup> to the County Court Shall in future Determined in a Summery Manner at the Same Court at which they are returnable

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Dp William Mitchell Plaintiff

Vs

Isaac Guilliart Bail Deft  
Lewis of Thomas Hutchens

This day came the parties by their attornies and and the Defendant by his Said attorney acknowledges the plaintiffs action therefore it is considered by the Court that the Pltff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of one hundred and thirty three Dollars and forty Seven and one half cents Damages including costs.

Har John Wilkins Jun<sup>r</sup> Plaintiff

vs

William Mitchell Attachment  
Lewis Defendant

Isaac Guilliard Garnishee being Sworn Says that he ows To William Mitchell the Defendant the amt of a Judgment rendered against him at this time as bail of Thomas Hutchins at the Suit of William Mitchell To wit the sum of one hundred and thirty three Dollars and forty Seven and one half cents including costs which sum the said Isaac brings into court and deposits in the hands of the Clerk of the Court Whereupon it is ordered that the Said Isaac be discharged and that the sum of ninety one Dollars & 75 cents remain in the hands of the Said Clerk Subject to the Judgment of the Court.

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Thomas Noble Appellee

vs

W<sup>m</sup> Darby & Appeal from Justice Brooks  
John Robb his Surety Appellants

This day came the Plaintiff and the Defendant in Proper Person and the Said Appellant acknowledges the Appellees action for twenty one Dollars and twenty five Cents besides Costs therefore it is considered by the Court that the appellee recover of the appellant and John Robb his Security the sum aforesaid confessed and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf and the Said Deft<sup>s</sup> in Mercy &c Exon Stayed till Second Saturday in August.

Ordered by the Court that the County tax be levied on each and every article Taxable and not to exceed that Sum and the Sheriff is hereby ordered to collect Same agreeable to Law.

Ordered that Court be adjourned till tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> June 1804 Court met agreeable to adjournment Present James Neilson, W<sup>m</sup> Darby, W<sup>m</sup> Foster, John Henderson, Alexander Montgomery, Jacob Guice, Esquires

A. L. Duncan Plaintiff  
vs Attachment  
Frederick Zerban Defendant

The Sheriff having returned that he had levied the Atta<sup>m</sup> herein awarded upon two Set of hand organs in the Possession of Lewis West it is ordered by the Court by the Said Sheriff Sell them Perishable Property.

In pursuance of the act of assembly in such case made and provided the Court proceeded to nominate the number of Jurors for the County as directed by the Said act to attend of the next Superior court whereupon the following house keepers & free holders were nominated to wit James Foster, Jesse Carter, Nathan Swayze, John Hutchins John H. White Charles Surget William Scott, Adam Benjamine Andrew Walker George Killian William G. Foreman David Holt, Robert Dunbar Ebenezer Rees David Gibson Ezekiel Newman John Bolls Simon Homes William Hoggatt J. W. A. Loyd, Manuiel Madden Daniel Grafton Thomas Tyler Benjamin Osmun Benj<sup>m</sup> Farrar Jessie Harper George Fitzgerald Thomas Wilkins, Philander Smith Abram Martin David Greenleaf and John Martin, it is ordered that a vinere Facias do issue to the Sheriff accordingly.

Mary Jones Appellee  
vs Appeal from Justice  
David Berry Appealant

The aforesaid appeal this day being called and the Court Proceeded to try the Same in a Summary manner agreeable to a former rule of this Court upon consideration whereof the Courts are of the opinion the appellee recover against the Said appealant fifteen Dollars and fifty cents and the costs ordered on S<sup>d</sup> appeal

John Short Appellee  
vs Appeal from Justice  
Nathan Swayze Appealant

The appellee being Solemnly called came not Therefore it is considered by the court that he be non suited and that the appealant go hence and recover of the appellee his costs by him about his defence &<sup>c</sup>.

James Wallace Appellee  
vs Appeal from Justice  
John Tristler & Williams Appealants  
Thompson his Bail

This day came the appellee by his attorney and the said appealant failing to appear and prosecute the Said appeal to effect Whereupon it is considered by the Court that appellee recover of the appealant & William Thompson his bail Sixteen Dollars Damages by reason of the Detention of the Same also his Costs in that behalf expended and the appealant & party in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>



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Thomas Austin  
vs  
Wal Avery Clark & Ann  
Martin his Bail

Appellee  
Appeal from Justice  
Appelants

This day the aforesaid appeal being called the Said Court Proceeded to try the same in a 2<sup>nd</sup> Summary way agreeable to a Rule of this Court upon consideration whereof the Court is of the opinion that the appellee recover of the appellant and Ann Martin his Bail the sum of nineteen Dollars Eighty Seven and one half cents the am<sup>t</sup> of his note given and also his costs by them about his Suit in that behalf expended.

William Smith  
vs  
Moses Moore

Appellee  
Appeal from Justice  
Appellant

This day came the appellant by by his attorney and the appellee being solemnly called came not therefore it is considered by the Court that the afo<sup>r</sup> appellee be non Suited and the appellant go hence without day and recover of the appellee his costs by him about his defence in this behalf expended

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Abram Fulkerson  
vs  
John Little & John  
Callender his Bail

Appellee  
Appeal from Justice  
Appellant

This day the above cause being called the Court Proceeded To try the Same in a Summary way agreeable to a rule of the court & the Judgment thereon & proceedings being examined and inspected by the Court on consideration whereof the Court are of the opinion that the appellee recover of the said appellant and John Callender his bail thirteen Dollars besides his costs by them about his Suit in this behalf expended & the appellant be in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Ordered that Court be adjourned till two o'clock.

Court met according to adjournment  
Samuel Brooks

Present

Alexander Montgomery  
James Neilson  
William Foster  
William Darby  
Jacob Guice  
John Henderson

The court appoints Abner Green David Latimore & William Brooks Inspectors of the Present Election to be held near Benjamine Farrars Mill at the time advertised by the Sheriff of Said County

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James Neilson exhibited an account in Court against the Said County which is examined by the Court allowed and ordered to be certified for thirty one Dollars and fifty Cents \$31.50

Ordered that Court be adjourned till tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.

Thursday the 7<sup>th</sup> 1804 Court agreeable to adjournment met

Present

Samuel Brooks  
John Henderson Esquires  
Jacob Guice &  
William Darby

David Ferguson & Milling  
Woolley

Pltffs

Recorded

vs

In Case

Patrick Connelly

Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit Christian Gilbert, Peter Robb, William Glascock, William Clark, John James, W<sup>m</sup> Barland, Jeromiah Coleman, Samuel Montgomery, Abram Taylor, Parson Luce, John E. Long, William Morrow, who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant did as same in Manner and form as the Plaintiff hath declared and do assess the Plaintiff Damages

by reason thereof to eight Dollars ninety three and three fourth cents besides costs. Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Plaintiff by his attorney Prays an appeal to the next Superior Court of Law to be held for the District of Adams which is granted him with entering into and with Lyman Harding & James Dunlop his Sureties in the Sum of Sixty Dollars conditioned according to Law.

Certified Jeremiah Coleman, Presented in Court an account ag<sup>st</sup> the County which being Examined by the Court as allowed and ordered to be certified for fifty three Dollars and fifty Cents. \$53.50

Certified David Gibson the Same for 27.00  
Stephen Stephen Extors Plffs

vs

Defendant

Adam Lanehart  
Charles King comes into Court and undertakes for the Deft that in case he be cast in this Suit that he will woll and truly Pay and Satisfy the Costs and condemnation of the Court or render his body in Prison in Execution for the Same or in case of failure thereof that he will do it for him

Stephen Terry

Plaintiff

Vs

John Lusk

Defondant

On the motion of the Plaintiff by his Counsel it is ordered that this Suit be continued at his costs

John B. Stout

Appealant

Ads

Appeal

Ann Martin

Appellee

This day came the Parties by their attornies and the cause being Argued before the Court and the Parties fully heard upon consideration where of the



Court and of opinion that the Judgt given him by the Justice be confirmed and that appellee recover of the appellant fifteen Dollars and Seventy five cents also his costs by him about her Suit in that behalf expended and the Said appellant be in Mercy &c from which said Judgment the said appellant Prayed an appeal to the next Superior of Law held for the District of Adams which is granted him with giving bond & Security as the Law Directs.

Ordered that court be adjourned till half after two of the clock  
Court met half after two according to adjournment

Present

Samuel Brooks  
Alexander Montgomery Esq<sup>rs</sup>  
John Henderson  
Wm Darby

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Wal William McWilliams Plaintiff  
Vs In Case

Har Benjamin Kitchens Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attorneys and thereupon came a Jury to wit Christian Gilbert, Peter Robb, William Glascock, William Clark, John James Wm Barland, Jeremiah Coleman, Sam<sup>l</sup> Montgomery, Abram Taylor Parson Lewis, John E. Long & William Morrow who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant Oweth nothing of the Debt in the Declaration mentioned as in Pleading he hath alledged & find for the Defendant Sixty Seven Dollars and Sixty Six Cents therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff take nothing for his bill but for his false clamour be in Mercy & and that he go hence and recover of the Plaintiff the Sixty seven Dollars and Sixty Six cents in Manner and form By the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid adjudged & also his costs by him about his Defence in that behalf expended.

Wal Anthony Hostman Appealant  
vs Appeal

Lewis Jacob Nass Appellee

Jacob Nass comes here into Court and deposits in the hands of the clerk four Dollars till the final Declaration of the Suit.

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Lewis William Murry Plaintiff  
vs Atto  
Thomas Hutchens Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Plaintiff by his said attorney romits the Damages in his Declaration mentioned except one Cent and Defendant being Solemnly called came not but made Default or doth he say anything in Bar or Purclusion of the Plaintiffs action against him whereby the Pltff remains therein altogether undefended therefore it is Consd by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of nine hundred Dollars the Debt in the Declaration mentioned and one cent Damages and also his costs by him about his suit in that behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &c and it is further ordered that the Sheriff do make Sale of the lands so attached Satisfaction entered this thirteenth Day of October 1804 by order of Pltffs Atto: Benjamin Seamans Clk.

Moses Moore

Appellant

vs

Lewis Evans

Appellee

This day came the Parties by their attornies and cause being Argued before the court and the Parties being fully heard upon consideration whereof the Court are of the opinion that the Judgt for appealant be confirmed for eight-  
 een Dollars and Seventy five cents & costs of suit from which Judgt appellee  
 Prayed an appeal which is granted

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him with giving bonds and security conditioned according to law.  
 Cert<sup>d</sup> Nehemiah Carter makes Oath he attended twelve Days as a witness in Suit  
 Samuel Hutchens against Israel Smith for Defendant & Traveling 72 miles &  
 four ferreages for which he is entitled to fifteen Dollars  
 James Ferrall Plaintiff

vs

Joseph B. [Blank] Defendant

Judgment confessed for am<sup>t</sup> of note given with interest & costs and the  
 plaintiff agrees to Stay Ex<sup>cr</sup> till first November

Thomas Noble

Plaintiff

vs

William Darby

Defondant

7th Jan<sup>ry</sup> This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in  
 1805 Proper Person and the Defondant acknowledges the plaintiffs action  
 assigned therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover  
 the Judgt against the Said Defendant the Sum of one hundred and twenty Dol-  
 to Thomas lars also his Costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended  
 Regan and the Def<sup>t</sup> in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> & the Plaintiff agrees to Stay Ex<sup>on</sup> of  
 S May Judgt till 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday in December

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On the Motion of John James a Juror Summonsed to attend this Court leave  
 is granted to return home & that he be discharged from Serving on the Jury  
 any more at this term

Ordered Court be adjourned till tomorrow morning nine o'clock.

Friday the 8<sup>th</sup> June 1804

Present

Samuel Brocks

Alexander Montgomery Esq<sup>s</sup>

and William Darby

David Ferguson &amp; Milling Woolley Plaintiff

vs

Case

Patrick Connally

Defondant

This day came the Parties by their attornies and the S<sup>d</sup> Defendant by his at-  
 torney waving his former Plea & Saving and reserving to himself every advan-  
 tage he may have in Equity says he cannot gainsay the Pltffs action against  
 them therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover  
 against the Said Deft the sum of Sixty Dollars with Interest thereon from  
 the first Day of December a Six per Centum Per annum till Paid also his costs  
 by him about their Suit in this behalf expended and the Defendant in Mercy &  
 and the Pltff agrees to Stay execution on this Judgt till next court which  
 damages in that suit make



Levi Munsell Plaintiff  
vs  
Robert Mitchell Defendant

Ordered by the Court with the consent of the Parties that a commission Issue in this cause to take the Deposition of Jeremiah Hall Charles Avery and Daniel Sims witnesses in behalf of the Defendant residing out of the Territory on interrogations to be returned and used in Evedence and that Such Commissions be directed to any Justice of the Peace where such witness may reside

Abner L. Duncan Plaintiff  
vs  
Frederick Zuban Defendant

Lewis Evans Garnishee being Summonsed answereth Question 1<sup>st</sup> are you indebted to the Defendant? Answer, I am not, Ques 2<sup>nd</sup> had you any Property of Said Defendants at the time of serving said attachment - Answer, I had not - Question 3<sup>d</sup> have you any Property now in your hand of the Said Defendant Answer I have not Ques 4<sup>th</sup> do you know of any property of Frederick Zubans in the hands of any other Person in the County answer Nothing except two hand organs attached in this Suit. - - -

Joseph Martinez Pltffs  
vs  
Hernandes Extors Deft

Ordered a Citation Issue agreeable to the first order made herein

Wal Thomas Munfield Plaintiff  
Mahan Vs Atto  
David McClelland Deft

This day came the Defendant by his attorney and the Plaintiff being Solemnly called came not therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff be non suited and that the Defendant go hence without day and recover against the Pltff his Costs by him about his suit in this behalf expended

Wal Benjamin Robinson Plaintiff  
Issued vs Trover and Conversion  
Har Bennett Truly Defendant

This day came the Parties by their attornies and thereupon came a Jury to wit Christian Gilbert, Peter Robb, William Glascock, William Clark, Moses Moore, William Barland, Jeremiah Coleman, Sam<sup>l</sup> Montgomery, Abram Taylor, Parson Lewis, John E. Long & Robert Morrow who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to try the Issue Joined upon their oath do say that the Defendant is Guilty of the trover conversion in Manner and form as the Plaintiff hath alledged against him and do assess the Plaintiff damages by reason thereof to one hundred Dollars besides costs therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his Suit in this behalf expended and the Deft in Mercy &c

Recorded

Ordered Court be adjourned till 2 of the Clock

Court met according to adjournment  
Present

Samuel Brooks  
Alexander Montgomery Esquires  
& William Darby

Dun Extors of A. Moore Plaintiff  
vs in Case  
Wal David Phelps Defendant

This day came the Defendant by his attorney and the Plaintiff being Solemly called came not therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff be non Suited and that the Defendant go hence without Day and recover against the Plaintiff his costs by him about his Defence in that behalf expended

Har Leonard Pomot Plaintiff  
vs in Case  
Def Bennett Truly Defendant

Recorded This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in Proper Person and the Defendant acknowledges the Plaintiffs action therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Defendant the Sum of Seventy three Dollars Seventy Seven and one half Cents and also his costs by him about his suit in that behalf expended & the Deft in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

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Recorded Leonard Pomot Plaintiff  
vs in Case  
Bonnet Truly Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant in Proper Person and the Said Defendant acknowledges the Plaintiffs action therefore it is considered by the Court that the Pltff recover against the Said Defendant the sum of one hundred and nineteen Dollars also his costs by him about his suit in that behalf expended and the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup> it being the am<sup>t</sup> of Judg<sup>t</sup> S<sup>d</sup> Pomot vs Silas L. Payne Dec<sup>d</sup>

Pom George Killian Plaintiff  
vs Defendant  
Recorded, George Lawnig

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and Thereupon came a Jury to wit Christian Gilbert, Petor Robb, William Glascock, William Clark, Moscs Moore, William Barland, Jeremiah Coloman, Sam<sup>l</sup> Montgomery, Abram Taylor, Parson Lewis, John E. Long who being elected tried and sworn well and truly to inquire of Damages in this suit upon their oath do say that the Plaintiff hath sustained Damages by reason of the Defendants non Performance of his Promise and undertaking in the Declaration mentioned to forty seven Dollars besides costs therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner & form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his suit in that behalf expended & the Deft in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

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Har Stackpool Ex<sup>tors</sup> Pltffs  
vs in Case  
William Fletcher Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came a Jury to wit, (the same Jury) who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire





Promise and undertaking in the Declaration mentioned to one hundred & forty one Dollars and eighty six Cents besides costs therefore it is considered by the Court that the Pltffs Ex<sup>tors</sup> as aforesaid recover of the Defendant the Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their Verdict afs<sup>d</sup> assessed also his costs the Costs by them about this same suit in that behalf expended & the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Har James Ferrall Plaintiff  
Recorded vs in Debt  
James Swayze Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorneys and thereupon came a jury to wit (the Same Jury) who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages in this Suit upon their oath do say that the Plaintiff hath Sustained Damages by reason of the non performance of the promise and undertaking in the Decl<sup>n</sup> Mentioned & "find for the plaintiff fifty six Dollars Debt also four Dollars and fifty eight cents Damages which he hath sustained by reason of the Detention of the Debt besides costs therefore it is considered by the court

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That the Plaintiff recover against the Said Deft<sup>s</sup> the Debt & Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their Verdict aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Recorded John Ferrall Plaintiff  
vs In Case  
Elijah Bunch Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came a Jury to wit (the Same Jury) who being elected tried and Sworn well & truly to enquire of Damages in this Suit upon their oath do say that the Plaintiff hath sustained Damages by reason of the Defendants non performance of the of his promises and undertaking in the Declaration Specified to seventy nine Dollars and fifty two cents besides costs therefore it is Considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also his Costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

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Joseph Sheckland Plaintiff  
vs In Case  
James Bennet Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney & thereupon came a Jury to wit (the Same Jury) who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages in this suit upon their oath do say that the Plaintiff hath Sustained Damages by reason of the Def<sup>t</sup> non performance of the Promise and undertaking in the Declaration mentioned to Sixty Dollars besides costs therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the Said Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>



Wal Peter Azzavedo Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs In Case  
 Mahan John Ferguson Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came also a Jury to wit (the same Jury) who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages in this suit upon their oath do say that the Plaintiff hath sustained Damages by reason of the non performance of his Promise and undertaking in the Declaration mentioned to eighty five Dollars and eighty five cents besides Costs therefore it is considered by the Court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed and also his costs by him about his suit in this behalf and the Deft in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Endorsed in Margin

Feb'y 25<sup>th</sup> Recd the Amount of the within viz eighty five Dollars and eighty five cents Judgment

Benjamin Stokes,  
 agent for the Pltff.

End of Endoresment

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Wal Francis Killer Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs In Case  
 Andrew McIntire Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came a Jury to wit, (the same Jury) who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire of Damages in this suit upon their oath do say that the Plaintiff hath Sustained Damages by reason of the Defendants non performance of his promise and undertaking in the Decl<sup>n</sup> Specified to forty four Dollars besides costs Therefore it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors in their verdict aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Wal John Short Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs in Case  
 William B. Smith Def<sup>t</sup>

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came a Jury to wit, (the Same Jury who being elected tried and sworn will and truly to enquire of Damages in the Suit upon their oath do say that the plaintiff hath Sustained Damages by reason of the Defendants non performance of his promise and undertaking in the Declaration mentioned to one hundred and forty dollars and ninety three and three fourth cents besides costs therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the Defendant his Damages aforesaid in Manner and form by the Jurors

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Their verdict aforesaid assessed also his costs by him about his Suit in that behalf expended and the Defendant in Mercy &<sup>c</sup>

Wal John King & Reubin Sackett Plaintiff  
 Recorded vs Covenant  
 Peter Rucker & Bartholomues Defendant

This Day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and thereupon came a Jury to wit, (The Same Jury) who being elected tried and Sworn well and truly to enquire







Ordered by the Court that the List of Taxable Property be corrected in the list returned by William Darby Esqr to wit the Taxation one Billiard table and that the money which appears to have been collected

by the Sheriff be returned by the Said Sheriff John McGuire the Said tax not having been legally

W<sup>m</sup> Nicholls having given Bond with approved Securities to this Court conditioned for the Collection of the Tax for this Current Year agreeable to Law which Said Bond are ordered to be transmitted to the Treasurers Authorized to receive the Same

David Ferguson & Melling Wooley Plaintiff

vs

Anthony Calvet

Defendant

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney and the Defendant by his atto and the Defendant acknowledges the Plaintiffs action for Therefore it is considered by the court that the Plaintiff recover against the Said Defendant the Sum of and also his costs by him about his Suit &c

John Holly

vs

James Campbell

The death of the defendant suggested the papers in file Dec

Term 1804 Supa against Adm<sup>r</sup> Samuel Postlewaite & returned (Scirefeci)

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aside and an alias ordered returnable next court

Ordered that a committee of three Persons be appointed and find the most eligible Situation for Building a Perminent Bridge over the St Catherine Creek at or about ~~at or about~~ the Present Crossing Place on the road leading from Natchez to Washington and Determine on the Kind of Bridge to be built and reserve Proposal for Building the Same and report thereof to the next county Court, John Henderson, James Neilson & William Brooks Esquire appointed accordingly.

Ordered that Court be adjourned till tomorrow morning eight O'clock. Saturday 9th 1804, Court met according to adjmnt

Present

Samuel Brooks

John Henderson

William Darby

& Neilson

Esqrs

Benj<sup>m</sup> Robinson

Plaintiff

vs

In Trover

Bennett Truly

Deft

The Defendant by his attorney and motioned the court the Verdict & Judgt made herein by Def<sup>t</sup> aside and a new trial

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