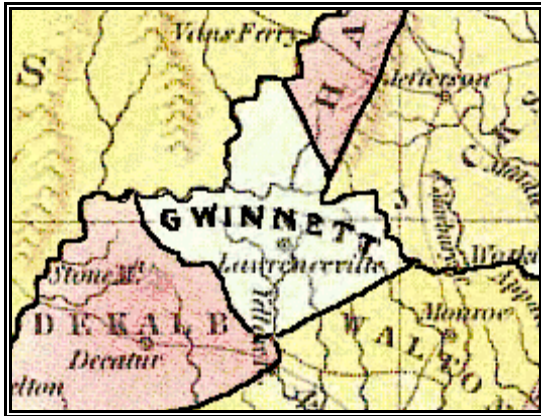


## Gwinnett County, Georgia, Inferior Court Minutes (for County purposes) 1820-1832.

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*Gwinnett County was created December 15, 1818. These old records are of particular importance since the courthouse burned on September 10, 1871, and all the court records were destroyed in the fire except some of the records of the old Inferior Court and the Court of Ordinary. It was believed that the burning was the work of an incendiary, particularly since it burned the night before the time of calling the criminal docket.*

*This volume is for County purposes and contains items relative to county business including orders, cases, receipts, juries, roads, etc. It contains Inferior Court Minutes from January term 1820 to November 5, 1832 on numbered pages 1 to 342 and there is an index in the front on unnumbered pages. This book is apparently a*

*transcribed copy from another book and we might assume it was copied from the burned book after the 1871 fire. It has not been abstracted before, although extracts from it were used by J. C. Flanigan in his "History of Gwinnett County, Georgia," volumes I & II, both of which are available from the Gwinnett Historical Society, P. O. Box 261, Lawrenceville, GA 30046. These records have been abstracted from microfilm at the Georgia Department of Archives and History, Microfilm Library drawer 165, box 50.*

### P. 1 "Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Georgia".

No. 1. "By the honorable the Court of Ordinary when sitting for Inferior purposes.

May Term 1820. Ordered that Jas. Wardlaw shall receive \$17.62½ in payment for books of record in his office. Thomas A. Dobbs, Clk.

No. 2. Ordered that William Blake Sheriff of said county shall receive \$20 for extra services out of the County funds and that Jas. Loughridge his Deputy shall receive \$2.25 as compensation for his expense with prisoners. Thomas A. Dobbs, Clk.

No. 3. Ordered that Joseph Hamilton Esq., Thomas Johnson & Hugh Dixson be Commissioners of Roads in Capt. Austin's Dist. Thomas A. Dobbs, Clk.

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No. 4. January term 1820. Ordered that the Tax Collector of said County shall collect an additional sum on State Tax for County purposes to the amount of twenty per cent and this shall be his authority for the same. Thomas A. Dobbs, Clk.

No. 5. January term 1820. Ordered that James Wardlaw shall receive out of the County funds \$9.50 as compensation for designating the County line and \$2.00 for a jury box furnished by him for the Superior Court. Thomas A. Dobbs, Clk.

No. 6. March term 1820. Ordered that Isham Williams shall receive out of the County fund \$56.00 whenever that amount is collected for County purposes for the building of a temporary Court House for said County, 6 March 1820, Thomas A. Dobbs, Clk. March 6, 1820, received payment in full of the above.

No. 7. May term 1820. Ordered that Thomas Johnson shall receive out of the County fund \$8.87 for building a Grand Jury room for said County, 1 May 1820. Thos. A. Dobbs, Clk.

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No. 8. June term 1820. Ordered that Edmd. Strange Esqr. & William H. Dixson be Commissioners of the poor in Capt. Pool's and Capt. Austin's Dists.

No. 9. September term 1820. Ordered that Edmd. Strange shall receive \$10.00 out of the County funds and appropriate it to the use and benefit of the Widow Cavender, an infirm indigent old woman. Thomas A. Dobbs, Clk.

No. 10. To the Tax Collector for said county for the year 1829: You are hereby ordered by authority of the Inferior Court for said County to collect an additional sum of fifty per cent on state tax for the use of said county and ten per cent for poor tax, 22 February 1821. Elisha Winn, J.I.C., William Towers, J.I.C., John Cupp, J.I.C.

Received of Thos. A. Dobbs ten dollars for the purposes above mentioned, 7 September 1820. Edmd. Strange.

Received of Thomas A. Dobbs by an order of the Inferior Court \$11.50. Jas. Wardlaw, July 3, 1820.

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No. 11: March term 1821. Ordered that Edmond Strange, one of the Commissioners of the poor in said county shall receive \$10.00 out of the county fund for the use and benefit of the Widow Cavender an infirm indigent person. Thomas A. Dobbs, Clk.

March 5, 1821. Rec'd of Thomas A. Dobbs \$10.00 the amount of the above order. Edmd. Strange.

Received of the county funds for books to keep the records of the Inferior Court \$3.68¾, 25 April 1821. Thomas A. Dobbs.

Due to the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County by Thomas A. Dobbs, former Clerk of said Court \$187.50 by settlement with Wm. Towers one of the Justices of said Court the same being County money. April 25, 1821.

P. 5 Lawrenceville, Gwinnett County, June 11, 1821. The Court met according to Court in course. Present, their Honors, William Towers, George Reid, Joseph Morgan, & John Cupp and the following persons being sworn to serve on the Jury at this term were called, empanelled & sworn to it:

- 1- Daniel Harris, 2. Henry Mathews, 3. George Brogden, 4. William Tumlin, 5. John Gaddis, Junr., 6. Samuel Baker, 7. Gadwell Perce, 8. Benjamin Baker, 9. Isaac Towers, Senr., 10. Barton Abbott, 11. Obadiah Glasgow, 12. Willis Rowland.

Wm. Maltbie vs. James Steen) Debt. The Jury finds for the plaintiff \$62.00 with interest & cost. John Gaddis, F. M.

George M. Gresham vs. James Steen) Debt. The Jury finds for the plaintiff \$75, John Gaddis, F.M. [ForeMan]

Wm. Maltbie vs. Jeremiah Nesbit) Debt. Jury finds for the plaintiff \$36.00. John Gaddis, F.M.

William Abbet in place of Isaac Towers on the Jury and being sworn as such.

James Perce & Co. vs. Micajah Hendricks) Assumpsit. Settled at mutual cost.

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Willis Jinks vs. James B. Kidd) Case. Jury finds for the plaintiff \$130.00. John Gaddis, F.M.

Philip H. Alston Indorsee, vs. David Dickson) Dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Philip H. Alston, Indorsee, vs. Charles Harris, Indorsor) Assumset. Dismissed at the plaintiff's cost.

Benjm. Merrill vs. Joseph Hughey) Attachment. It appearing to the Court that a Negro boy has been levied on by notice of the above stated attachment, the property of deft. and whereas it comes under the domination of perishable property, it is ordered that the Sheriff proceed to sell the same and deposit the proceeds in the Clerk's office subject to the further order of the Court.

George M. Gresham vs. James Steen) Attachment. It appearing to the Court that the property levied on by the above stated attachment which is of a perishable nature, it is ordered that the sheriff proceed to sell the same and deposit the proceeds in the Clerk's office subject to the further order of the Court.

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On motion of counsel, stating that a mortgage on which execution issued in favour of Moss against Rushton, will become necessary for the Administrators of Rushton, it is therefore ordered that the Clerk hand over the above mentioned papers to the Admrs. when called for.

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Charles Hemphill vs. Dennis Tippin) Debt. Security dismissed.

George M. Gresham vs. James Steen) Attachment. A gun levied on and claimed by the affidavit of James H. Kidd & ordered to be given up.

The following persons were drawn to serve in the Jury at the next term (Jury No. 1):

Jessee Jinkins, Daniel Jinkins, Robert Barnwell, Claibourn Howze, James Hill, Richard Beasley, Axiom Pearce, Hope H. Watts, Wm. Sikes, John Garner, Hezekiah Coleman, Ezekiel Bowman, Wylie Perce, Willis Jinks, John Johnson, James Nolen, James Jordon, William Kilgore, John W. Turner, Samuel Jones, Eps Barker, John Cook, John Steele, John Bentley, William Woodall, Benjn. Jackson, John Farmer, Thomas McAdams, William Minard, Charles Weeks.

No. 12. Ordered by the court that James McBride do receive \$10.00 out of county money; paid McBride \$10.00 & took a receipt.

No. 13. Ordered that William Towers do receive out of County funds the amount of a receipt given by Cam(?) & Hines for advertising the lots in the town of Lawrenceville.

P. 8     June term 1821.

No. 14. Ordered that Edmond Strange be released as Commissioner of the poor and that he pay over what money he has to William Henry and that Enoch Benson be also a Commissioner of the poor and that the said Henry is also appointed in room of Edmond Strange.

No. 15. Ordered that Wm. Baskin, Mathias Bates, Silas Dobbs, Meredith Collier and James Loughridge or any three of them be Commissioners to lay out and mark a road from Gwinnett Court House the nearest and best way to Jackson Court House so as to intersect any of the Publick roads leading on towards Gwinnett Court House,

No. 16. Ordered that Asa Wade, Henry Cupp & John McMillian be Commissioners to lay out and mark a road the nearest and best way from Gwinnett Court House to intersect with the Walton road near Hefftings.

No. 17. Ordered that David Watson, Dan'l Harriss & Edmond Strange be Commissioners to lay out and mark a road the nearest and best way from Gwinnett Court House to Wm. Jackson's on the Hightower Trail.

P. 9     June term 1823 (sic; actually 1821).

No. 18. Ordered that Shadrack Bogan, John Winn & Patrick L.(?) Dunlap be Commissioners to lay out and mark a road the nearest & best way from Gwinnett Court House [in] the direction of Hall Court House as far as the County line. Wm. Towers, J.I.C., George Reid, J.I.C., John Cupp, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C.

No. 19. Ordered than Wm. Green, Levi Dempsey, Jacob R. Brooks, John Woodall & Thomas Worthy be Commissioners to lay out & mark a road leading from Gwinnett Court House to the Shallowford on Chattahoochee the nearest and best way and report the same agreeable to law. July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1821.

No. 20. Ordered that J. W. Beauchamp, George P. Parker, Thomas Watson, Willis Rowland, & Isaac Cowan or any three of them be Commissioners to lay out and mark a road the nearest and best way to the County line in a direction to Wadkinsville (sic) in Clarke County and report the same. Elisha Winn, J.I.C., George Reid, J.I.C., John Cupp, J.I.C., Wm. Towers, J.I.C.

No. 21. Ordered that the Clerk of the Inferior Court pay the Undertaker of the jail of Gwinnett County \$400 and make a minute of the same in his office this 14<sup>th</sup> July 1821. Elisha Winn, J.I.C., George Reid, J.I.C., Wm. Towers, J.I.C.

P. 10     Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County July 14<sup>th</sup> 1821.

No. 22. Ordered that John Beauchamp do receive out of the County funds \$5.00 for his service in crying the sale of the lots in the Town of Lawrenceville & letting out the jail & well & the same be entered

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on the minutes of the Inferior Court July 14<sup>th</sup> 1821. Wm. Towers, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., George Reid, J.I.C.

Lawrenceville, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept. 1821. The Inferior Court met for Inferior purposes. The Commissioners appointed to lay out the road towards the Shallowford attended to the order and laid out the same and made a return thereof which was received by the Court.

No. 23. Ordered that Thomas Worthy, Jacob R. Brooks and Wm. Green Esqr. be Commissioners of Roads in Capt. Mayfield's Dist.

No. 24. Ordered that Levi Dempsey be a Commissioner of Roads in Capt. John L. Tippen's dist. in the room of Wm. H. Dickson.

No. 25. Ordered that Robert L. Johnson, Daniel Harriss and Clifford Woodruff Esqr. be Commissioners of Roads in Capt. Jonathan Dobbs dist.

P. 11 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1821.

No. 26. Ordered that Sam'l Reid, Washington Chambley and Joseph Thompson Esqr. be Commissioners of Roads in Capt. P. L. Dunlap's Dist.

There being three Commissioners appointed to mark off a road the nearest & best way to Hall County line and the same being agreed upon by two of the Commissioners and returned to the Court the same is received.

There being five Commissioners appointed to lay out & mark a road the nearest & best way to the Jackson County line from Lawrenceville, the same being agreed upon by three of the Commissioners and marked accordingly and a return thereof being made, the Court having received the same.

No. 27. Ordered that Meredith Collins, Christopher Addison and Dempsey Perkerson Esqr. be Commissioners of Roads in Capt. Bridges Dist.

No. 28. Ordered that George M. Gresham, David L. Knox & Thomas W. Boseman be Commissioners to lay out & mark a road the nearest & best way commencing on the N. West side of the Yellow River on the Shallow ford Road then to said Boseman's on the Chattahoochy (sic).

No. 29. Ordered that Ezekiel Yancey do receive out of the County funds \$25.00 for digging & fixing the Publick Well. Court adjourned until 12 o'clock tomorrow. Elisha Winn, J.I.C., George Reid, J.I.C., Wm. Towers, J.I.C.

P. 12 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Lawrenceville, Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> 1823 (sic). The Court met according to adjournment &c.

No. 30. Ordered that a road be laid out commencing on the Jackson line on the road leading from Price's Bridge to Thompson's Mill crossing Thompson's Mill Creek above the head of the Mill Pond, thence direct to Archibald Hamilton's crossing the Appalatchie (sic) at a shoal below Asa ford intersecting the Road leading from Lawrenceville to Richardson's Mill as soon as convenient between the Appalatchie and the Cedars, the nearest and best way the Country will admit of.

No. 31. Ordered that David Richardson, William Baskin and Joseph Thompson be Commissioners to lay out and mark the above named Road and make a return of the same to Court. Wm. Towers, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C., John Cap, J.I.C. Court adjourned till Court in course.

This being the day appointed for holding the Inferior Court for said County, present their honors Wm. Green, Thomas Monk, Edmd. Strange, Jos. Morgan & Hugh B. Greenwood Esqrs., 10<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1821.

The Jury being called, empanelled & sworn, to wit: James Nolen, Samuel Maloney, John Steele, Hope H. Watts, Robert M. Hamilton, John L. Tippen, George M. Gresham, James B. Hairston, Wylie Perce, Wm. Woodall, John Sudduth, John Crook.

P. 13 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County Decr. Term 1821.

Charles McKinney vs. Benja. Whitehead; Debt. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$200 with interest & cost. Benj. Whitehead.

In the above case Benjamin Whitehead came forward, paid the cost and craved a stay of execution and bound himself, together with William White, security for the above judgement agreeable to law. Signed 10 Dec. 1821, Benj. Whitehead, William White.

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No. 32. Ordered by the Inferior Court that the Clerk of said Court do pay over to the Sheriff of said County out of any publick money the amount of two accounts passed by the Judge of the Superior Court to wit being \$113.50, Decr. 10, 1821.

Charles Hemphill vs. Dennis Tippin, Debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$120.00 with interest & cost.  
Robert Hamilton, F.M. [ForeMan]

P. 14 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County December term 1821.

Meriwether Beal & Co. vs. James W. Sikes, Attachment, Gwinnett Inferior Court. It appearing to the Court that the above attachment has been levied on one bed, bedstead & furniture, on motion of council it is ordered by the Court that the Sheriff proceed to advertise & sell the above property and deposit the proceeds with the Clerk, subject to the further order of the Court.

Charles P. Welch vs. Absalom Stewart, Assumpsit. We the jury find for the Defendant with cost of suit.  
Robert Hamilton, F.M.

Samuel Jones in the place of John L. Tippin.

John Rice vs. Archibald Hamilton, Debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$107 with interest & cost.  
Robert Hamilton, F.M.

James M. C. Montgomery, agent for Wm. Marbury for the use of William R. Caldwell vs. Wm. H. Dickson & Michael Dickson, Debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$724 with interest & cost. Robert Hamilton, F.M.

P. 15 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County December term 1821.

John Quillian vs. James Nettles, Debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$82.50 with interest & cost.  
Robert Hamilton, F.M.

Seaborn Mattox vs. Wm. H. Dickson & Dennis Tippin, Case. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$254.50 with interest & cost of suit. Robert Hamilton, F.M.

Benjm. Merrel vs. Joseph Hughey, Attachment. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$84 with interest & cost. Robert Hamilton, F.M.

George B. White vs. Joseph Hughey, Attachment. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$162 with interest & cost. Robert Hamilton, F.M.

P. 15(b) Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County December Term 1821.

George B. White vs. J. Hughey / B. Morril vs. J. Hughey. It appearing to the Court that an Attachment having issued on a Negro boy & sold by order of said Court it [is] ordered that the Sheriff pay of said verdict judgement or so much thereof as he may have funds in his hands.

Edmond Strange vs. Smith Bonner, Debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$144 with interest & cost.  
Robert Hamilton F.M.

The Court adjourned till 9 o'clock tomorrow A.M. Wm. Green, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., H. B. Greenwood, J.I.C., Edmd. Strange, J.I.C.

(Jury no. 2). Tuesday, 11 Decr. 1821, Court met pursuant to adjm't, the following were drawn to serve at the next term: John Camp, John Harriss, Mark Snow, Wm. Smith Junr., George Bournes, Peter Hairston, James Hicks, Ephraim Salmons, James Edmondson, Solomon Bridges, Henry Curbow(?), Benjamin Lee(?), Joshua Harvell, Robert Green, Joseph Hamilton, William Terry, Thomas Watson, William Martin, Benjamin Brand, J. R. Brooks, Andrew Hamilton Senr., Thomas Cox, Abraham Chandler, John Tanner(?), Joseph Cowey(?), John Evans, John Gazaway, Valentine Brumbelow, John Hewit, James White, Benjn. Price, Henry Mitchel, Robert Hamilton, Elisha Winn, Sam'l Hamilton, John Moss.

P. 16 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County Decr. Term 1821.

Charles Hemphill vs. Dennis Tippin, Attachment Dismissed.

Wm. Perce for the use of J. Stamps vs. Willis Jenks, Fife.

Same vs. same, Fife

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It appearing to the Court that the Sheriff of this County has money in his hands belonging to Willis Jenks and James H. Kidd having lodged in the hands of said Sheriff the foregoing Fifas for the purpose of claiming said money, it is hereby ordered by the Court that the Sheriff do pay over to the said James H. Kidd the amount of said Fifas or as much thereof as he has in his possession coming to the said Willis Jenks.

No. 33. 10<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1821. Ordered by the Court that John Henry do receive out of the funds the sum of \$12 for services rendered in States business by him. Paid this order, W. Maltbie, C.T.C.

No. 34. Ordered that the Sheriff of said County do receive out of the County funds \$1.50 for handcuffs procured by him.

P. 7(sic; actually 17) Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Decr. 10<sup>th</sup> 1821.

No. 35. Ordered by the Court that James McBride do receive out of the County funds \$12.50 for services him as Coroner holding an inquest over the body of Mrs. Leveret.

Received the amount of order no. 35 in favor of James McBride for \$12.50.

No. 36. Ordered by the Court that Wm. Towers receive out of the County funds \$23 for laying off the lots in the town of Lawrenceville.

No. 37. Ordered that Shadrack Bogan, James Edmondson & George Brogden be appointed Commissioners to mark out a road from Lawrenceville on the best & nearest way to the County line on toward Hall Court House and make their report to this Court.

No. 38. Ordered that John McMillian, Francis Ellison and Robin(?) McClung Esqr. be Commissioners of Roads in Capt. Ellison's district.

No. 39. Ordered that James Wardlaw do receive out of the County funds \$7 for services rendered by him by previous order of said Court.

P. 18 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County Decr. 10<sup>th</sup> 1821.

No. 40. Ordered by the Inferior Court that Robert Montgomery, James C. Reed, Wm. Beardon, Wm. Nesbit and John Suddeth be Commissioners to view and mark out a road leading from the town of Lawrenceville to the Island ford on the Chattahoochee near the mouth of Richland Creek, the nearest and best way the ground will admit of for the publick ability and report the same to the Court.

No. 41. Ordered that James Wardlaw do receive out of the County funds \$52.56¼ agreeable to two orders passed by the Judge of the Superior Court &c. H. B. Greenwood, J.I.C., Edmd. Strange, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C.

Court adjourned till court in course.

Charles P. Welch vs. Absalom Steward, Assumpsit. We the jury find for the Defendant with cost of suit. Robert Hamilton, F.M. in the above case, Charles C. P.(sic) Welch came forward, paid the cost and cra'd. an appeal and gave John Welch security for the eventual condemnation money in terms of the law. December 12<sup>th</sup> 1821. Chas. C. P. Welch, Wm. Welch.

P. 19 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Decr. 14<sup>th</sup> 1821.

Edmond Strange vs. Smith Bonner, Debt. We the jury find for the Plff. \$144 with interest & cost. Robert Hamilton, F. M. in the above case came forward Smith Bonner and Lewis Williams and craved a stay of the execution and bound themselves for the eventual condemnation money agreeable to law. Decr. 14<sup>th</sup> 1821. (signed) Smith Bonner, Lewis Williams.

James M. C. Montgomery agent for Wm. Marbury for the use of Wm. R. Caldwell vs. Wm. H. Dickson & Michael Dickson, Debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$724 with interest & cost. Robert Hamilton, F.M. in the above case came forward William H. Dickson & Michael Dickson and paid the cost & craved an appeal and bound themselves together with John Gaddis & David Dickson security for the eventual condemnation money. 15 December 1821. Wm. H. Dickson, Michl. Dickson, John Gaddis Senr., David Dickson.

P. 20 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County January 8 1822.

No. 42. Ordered that Martha Cavender do receive out of the County funds \$15.

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No. 43. Ordered that Richard Holeman receive out of the County funds \$1.50 for repairing the Court House.

No. 44. Lawrenceville, 5 March 1822, the Inferior Court met for County purposes. Ordered the Commissioners in the different districts do have the road opened from Price's Bridge on by way of Bogan's Store and continue on the old Peach Tree Road to the dividing line between the county aforesaid & Henry County authorizing the Commissioners to make the road as straight as convenience will admit of continuing on in the same direction as the old road.

No. 45. Ordered that James Reed do receive out of the County funds \$13 for services rendered by him in running County lines.

No. 46. Ordered that the alteration made in the road leading to Shallow ford by Wm. Wardlaw by his house shall be the road hereafter on his making a good causeway and bridge across the Branch by his house.

No. 47. Ordered that George M. Gresham, David C. Knox, Harman W. Bozeman, Joseph Hamilton & John Hesterly be Commissioners to lay out the road the nearest and best way to Bozeman's Ferry on the Chattahoochy (sic) from Lawrenceville & the former order is hereby revoked. Court adjourned till court in course. Wm. Green, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., (last name illegible).

P. 21 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

No. 48. Georgia, Gwinnett County. At a meeting of the Inferior Court May 6<sup>th</sup> 1822, the Sheriff opened Court and it was ordered that the ground be viewed for a road commencing at Langston's Mill on the Mulberry and continuing until it intersects the Hog Mountain Road about half a mile west of the plantation of Samuel Reed Esqr. and that Joseph Thompson, John King, Washington Chambley and Nath'l Dobbs Junr. be Commissioners to mark out said road the nearest & best way and to make a return thereof to the Court.

No. 49. Ordered that Henry Cupp, Mr. Bangston, Joseph Edmondson, Abraham Martin & Richard Watts be Commissioners to lay off and mark out a road the most direct way from Lawrenceville to Henry County line in the nearest direction to the house of Absalom Stewart.

No. 50. Ordered that the report made by Willis Rowland, J. W. Beauchamp & George Parker Commissioners to lay out a road from Gwinnett Court House in a direct line to Watkinsville in Clarke County to where it strikes the Walton County line be accepted; said line was marked as follows: beginning on the Walton line near Thomas Watson's, thence on across the Appalatchie at J. W. Beauchamp's thence on across the Alcovey just below Haginses, thence on to Lawrenceville.

No. 51. Ordered that Thomas Monk Esqr. receive \$13 out of County funds not otherwise appropriated.

Rec'd of the Clerk of the Inferior Court \$13, the amount of order no. 51. (Signed) Thomas Monk.

P. 22 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, 6<sup>th</sup> [May] 1822.

No. 52. Ordered that Wm. Towers Esqr. receive \$5 out of the County funds not otherwise appropriated. Paid the above order and took a loose receipt. (attest) Wm. Maltbie, C.T.C.

No. 53. Ordered that the bond given to the Inferior Court by John Cupp for building the jail be given up by the Clerk to said Cupp.

No. 54. Ordered that the Clerk of the Inferior Court pay to John Cupp what monies that may be received between this time and the sitting of the next Court provided said amount does not exceed said Cupp's demand on bond given by said Court.

No. 55. Ordered that Jessee Dempsey, James Jackson, Ely Massey, Hezekiah Hudman, & Curtiss Cawley be Commissioners to mark out a road from Lawrenceville the nearest & best way to Ezekiel Mathews Bridge & thence to the plantation of Wm. Nesbit Esqr.

No. 56. Ordered that John Cupp receive out of the County funds \$450. "Paid."

Ordered that the Sheriff adjourn Court. (attest) Wm. Maltbie, Clk. Wm. Green, J.I.C., H. B. Greenwood, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C.

P. 23 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County June term 1822.

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Present their honors Edmond Strange, Thomas Monk & Hugh B. Greenwood.

The jury being called, empanelled & sworn, to wit, Mark Snow, Wm. Smith, Junr., Peter Hairston, Robert Green, Joseph Hamilton, Thomas Cox, John Torrance, Joseph Couey, John Gazaway, Henry Mitchel, Elisha Winn, Solomon Bridges.

James McGinnes, Junr. Vs. George Reid, Debt. Judgment confessed by George Reid Guardian for George Reid Senr. insane – amount \$75 with interest & cost.

Wm. Blake (for the use of Sam'l Griswold) vs. Rubin Lee, Debt. We the jury find for the Plff. \$42.37½ with interest & cost. Elisha Winn, Fore'n.

Wm. Blake, Giles Griswold & Co., for the use of Samuel Griswold, vs. Jeremiah Sparks, Debt. We the jury find for the Plff. \$54.45 with interest & cost. Elisha Winn, Foreman.

P. 24 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County June term 1822.

Elisha Winn vs. George Reid & James Loughridge, Assumpsit &c. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$200 with interest & cost. Jos. Hamilton, F.M.

Wm. Blake for the use of Sam'l Griswold vs. Henry Woody & John Woody, Debt. We the jury find for the Plff. \$66.12½ with interest & cost. Jos. Hamilton F.M.

David Boring vs. James W. Sikes, Assumpsit &c. I confess judgment to the Plaintiff for \$54.62½ with interest & cost. (signed) J. W. Sikes.

John M. Burgin vs. Wm. W. Crawford, Debt. We the jury find for the Plff. \$62.68¾ with interest & cost. Elisha Winn, Foreman.

P. 25 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County June term 1822.

Lazarus Dempsey vs. Dennis Tippins, Attachment. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$45 with interest & cost. Elisha Winn, Fore'n.

Meriwether Beal & Co. (Assignees) vs. James W. Sikes, Attachment. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$455.97 with interest & cost. Elisha Winn, Foren.

Wm. Guess vs. A. Plumbly, Attachment. It appearing to the Court that perishable property has been levied on by virtue of the above stated case – it is ordered that the Sheriff proceed to sell the same & deposit the money in the Clerk's office of this Court subject to the further order of this Court.

No. 57. Ordered that the Justices of the Inferior Court of Jackson County do receive out of the County funds \$126.25 for keeping prisoners from Gwinnett County.

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No. 58. It appearing to the Court that Curtiss Caldwell has in his hands \$15, the property of A. Plumbly, it is ordered that he pay the same into the Clerk's office of this Court subject to the further order of this Court.

No. 59. Ordered that a tax of fifty per cent be laid on the State tax for County purposes and that the Tax Collector assess & collect the same.

No. 60. Ordered that John Cupp do receive out of the County funds \$51.32 for extra work done to the jail.

Received from the Clerk of the Inferior Court \$51.32 the amount of order no. 60.

No. 61. Ordered that the Clerk of the Inferior Court procure a set of bound books for the purpose of having the County Records transcribed therein and the records of the Court hereafter to be kept therein.

No. 62. Ordered that John Lock receive out of the County funds \$15.75 for work done on the Publick Square.

Paid \$15.75 the amount of order no. 62 to John Cupp by order of John Lock. (attest) Wm. Maltbie, Clk, I.C.

P. 27 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County June term 1822.

Appeal Bond. George Reid & James Wardlaw give security to Elisha Winn for \$500; whereas Elisha Winn obtained a verdict against George Reid & James Loughridge at June term 1822 in this Court and the said George asks for an appeal. If the said case should be determined against the said George & James



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and they should pay the eventual cost and condemnation money, then this obligation to be void. (signed) George Reid, Jas. Wardlaw. June 10 1822, attest Wm. Maltbie.

The following persons were drawn to serve as Petit Jurors at June term 1822: David Spence, Philip Coleman, Barton Osborn, Francis Winn, Benjn. Jackson, Wm. Williams, Valentine Burnet, Frederick Hart, Ephraim Salmons, Benjn. Beard, Wm. Bankston, Robert M. Hamilton, John Vining, Wm. Hill, Wm. Greyson, Wm. Segars, John Howard, Joseph Couey, Simon Berry, Asa Wade, Am'l. Clayton, Wm. Cupp, Joshua Ballard, Benjn. Whitehead, Gabriel Pierce, Thomas Jones, Wm. Martin, Josephus Harrison, John Pounds, Reubin Benson, Austin Buffington, Moses Ellison, John B. Benson, Saml. Kite, Murdock Martin, Wm. Abbott, Saml. Smith, John Thompson.

P. 28 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County June term 1822.

No. 63. Ordered that John Cupp receive out of the County funds the amount of his contract with the Court for cleaning the Publick Square & well.

Received of the Clerk of the Inferior Court \$43.75 the amount of order no. 63.

Ordered that the Sheriff adjourn the Court until the time prescribed by law for it's next session. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk. Signed, H. B. Greenwood, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C., Edmd. Strange, J.I.C.

Appeal Bond of Wm. W. Crawford & John Cupp to John M. Burgin for \$125.37½ on condition that John M. Burgin has a verdict against Wm. W. Crawford at June term 1822 in this Court and the said Wm. W. Crawford asks for an appeal; if the case should be determined against the said Wm. W. Crawford and he should pay the eventual cost then this obligation to be void. Signed, Wm W. Crawford, John Cupp. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 29 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Extra term, July 1822.

Ordered that the Sheriff proceed to open Court which was accordingly done.

No. 64. Ordered that Robin Jackson, Elias Davis, Nath'l. Dobbs, Jun'r., James Wade and Joshua Prichard be Commissioners to mark out a road leading from the road from Sam'l. Reid's to Langston's Mill the nearest and best way to the County line on the road from Langston's Mill to Thompson's Mill on a direction to McEver's Ford on the Mulberry. Signed, H. B. Greenwood, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C.

No. 65. Ordered that the report of the Commissioners appointed to lay out a road beginning at this place (viz.), Lawrenceville thence on by Mitchel Bennet's, leaving Bennet's on the right & crossing Redland Creek below John Turner's field, thence on to Yellow River crossing near Isham Williams field, thence on & across the Creek below Geo. Lawrence's Shop, thence to Mathews Bridge on Sweetwater, thence on in a direction to intersect the Hightower path to Nesbits be accepted.

No. 66. Ordered that the report made by the Commissioners appointed to lay out a road from Lawrenceville to Henry County line be accepted – said road was laid out as follows: (viz) commencing at Lawrenceville through the woods to Pews Creek, crossing at Gilliam's ford, thence on to Whatley's ford on Yellow River, thence the best way following the Stone Mountain Trail to the County boundary line at Stone Mountain.

P. 30 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Extra term July 1822.

No. 67. Ordered that Ephraim McLain be a Commissioner of Roads in Capt. Baker's Dist.

No. 68. Ordered that Wm. Martin Esqr., Benj. Mattocks, and Robert Kemp be Commissioners of Roads in Capt. Bailey's dist.

No. 69. Ordered that Hiram Harris be a Commissioner of Roads in Capt. Ellison's dist.

No. 70. Ordered that John Cupp receive out of the County funds \$45 for building a platform to the County Jail. Signed, Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C., H. B. Greenwood, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

Ordered that the Sheriff adjourn Court.

No. 71. Copy, Gwinnett, June 10, 1822.

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We the Commissioners have viewed the ground and marked out a road from Lawrenceville by Montgomery's Mill to Boseman's Ferry on the Chattahoochie (sic) River which we think is the nearest and best way for the Publick utility except running through the Citoiens (?) Plantation which they object to and some little (illegible) the road is cut out. Signed, G. M. Gresha, David P. Knox, John Hesterley, Jos. Hamilton, Commissioners. Attest, James Diamond, J.P., 10 June 1822.

**P. 31** Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, extra session August 6, 1822.

The State vs. Henry Lee, Habeus Corpus, returnable before his honor Thos. Monk. In obedience to said writ the jailor made his return thereon ----- . Whereupon after a patient investigation and maturely deliberating upon the case it is ordered by the Court that said Henry Lee (unless he gives security) be remanded back to the jail from whence he came. Signed, Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C.

The State vs. Wm. Parnell; Habeus Corpus, returnable before his honor Thos. Monk. In obedience to said writ the jailor made his return thereon ----- . It is determined that said Wm. Parnell (unless he give security) be remanded back to the jail from whence he came. Signed, Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

**P. 32** Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, extra term Sept. 2, 1822.

No. 72. Ordered that James Edmondson Esqr., George Brogden & Wm. Brandon be Commissioners of Roads in Capt. Pendley's dist.

No. 73. Ordered that George M. Gresham and David L. Knox receive out of the County funds \$100 in part payment of their contract with the Court for brick.

No. 74. Ordered that John Pounds, Curtiss Caldwell, Senior & H. A. Rowden be Commissioners of Roads to mark out a road from Mathews Bridge, the nearest and best way to the Hightower trail to a place where the road leaves said Trail that was cut out by Curtiss Caldwell Senior leading to the County of Fayette.

No. 75. Ordered that the report of Commissioners laying out a road from Samuel Reid's to Langston's Mill the nearest & best way to the County line or road leading from Langston's Mill to Thompson's Mill in a direction to McEver's ford on the Mulberry be accepted. Signed, Thomas Monk, J.I.C., Edmd. Strange, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C.

No. 76. Ordered that George M. Gresham and David L. Knox receive out of the County funds \$100 in part payment of their contract with the Court for brick. Signed, Edmd. Strange, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk, October 8, 1822.

**P. 33** Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County , December term 1822.

Present, their honors Thomas Monk, Edward Featherston and Edmond Strange. Ordered that the Sheriff open Court.

The following jurors were called & seated: Benjamin Jackson, Reubin Benson, Joseph Couey, John Pounds, Austin Buffington, John B. Benson, Wm. Abbott, Robert Hamilton, Simon Berry, John W. Thompson, James McGinnes, John Williamson.

David Dickson vs. Benjamin Plaster, Trespass. We the jury find for the defendant; James McGinnes, Fm.

Wm. Anderson vs. Notley Gilmore, Assumpsit. The parties have agreed to refer this to arbitration, it is ordered that the award of such arbitration as they may choose be the judgement of this Court.

Mark Hudspeth vs. Wm. Heard, Attachment. The above case dismissed by order of the Court.

**P. 34** Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, December term 1822.

Wm. Guess vs. Abraham Plumley, Attachment. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$40 with costs of suit. James McGinnes, Fm.

No. 77. Ordered that the report made by Curtiss Caldwell Senr., John Pounds & Hubbard Rowden laying off a road commencing at Mathews Bridge keeping near the old road one mile or more thence

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leaving the old road to the right intersecting it again at Featherston's, thence keeping the old road and near to it to it (sic) amendments to the Hightower Trail be accepted.

No. 78. Ordered that James Loughridge (Sheriff) receive out of the County funds \$80.91, being the amount of his account against the County for keeping prisoners (to wit) Henry Lee and Wm. Pounds and sundry other charges – accepted by the Court, Decr. 9, 1822.

No. 79. Ordered that the Clerk of this Court be authorized to contract with the County Surveyor or some other fit and proper person to lay out and plainly mark off ten acres of land on the hill northwest of the present plan of the town of Lawrenceville and the same be set apart and reserved for seat of the County Academy.

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No. 80. Ordered that the Clerk of this Court be authorized to employ the County Surveyor to lay out a street twenty feet wide on the back of every square of the present plan of the Town and then a range of lots of one acre each on every square, then a row of five acre lots on every square and the balance of the lands belonging to the Publick lot to be surveyed and laid out into ten acre lots as near as practicable and further to post & number every lot beginning with the highest number in the original plan and further to observe the extending of the main streets of the town through the whole plan as near as practicable and that the surveying be completed within twenty days from the date of this order and a correct plan of the same returned to the Clerk of this Court and the Clerk shall pay the Surveyor out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated the sum of \$45. It is further ordered that the Clerk advertise in the Georgia Journal the sale of all the remaining lots of the original plan together with the lots unsurveyed in Lawrenceville on the first Monday in February next on terms. Signed, Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Edmd. Strange, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 36 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Extra term January, 1823.

No. 81. Ordered that Wm. Martin, Robert B. Camp, and Benjamin Mattochs [*Maddox*] be Commissioners to mark out a road from Lawrenceville to intersect the Walton County road.

No. 82. Ordered that George M. Gresham and David L. Knox receive out of the County funds \$300.

No. 83. Ordered that Wm. Wardlaw, Shadrack Bogan and James Edmondson be Commissioners to mark a road from Lawrenceville to Hall County line.

No. 84. Ordered that the Clerk advertise in the Georgia Journal that the building of the courthouse will be knocked off to the lowest bidder on the first Tuesday in March next.

No. 85. Ordered that the road leading from Lawrenceville opened by Mathias Bates to his Mill be a permanent road.

No. 86. Ordered that Isham Williams, George Lawrence and Jessee Dempsey be Commissioners to mark out a road from Lawrenceville to Mathews Bridge and that a former order appointing Commissioners to mark out a road from Lawrenceville to Mathews Bridge be revoked and that said road commencing at Lawrenceville be the same as the Shallowford road until it crosses the Yellow River at Baker's ford and thence on running near the old ridge road to Mathews Bridge. Signed, Edmd. Strange, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 37 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Extra term, May 5, 1823.

No. 87. Ordered that the Sheriff proceed to open Court which was comply[ed] with.  
Ordered that a County tax of 40 per cent be laid on the State tax for County purposes and the Tax Collector is hereby authorized to collect the same.

No. 88. Ordered that James W. Moore be a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Bailey's dist.

No. 89. Ordered that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, that is that they be allowed to alter the road from Hills old cabins to the High shoals of Alcove River to the head of Indian Creek.

No. 90. Ordered that Thomas Carrell, Thomas Cox and Isham Medlock be Commissioners to view a certain part of ground whereon the Peach Tree Road runs by Esqr. Spencers.

No. 91. Ordered that the report made by Wm. Martin, Robert B. Camp and Benjamin Maddox, Commissioners appointed to view and mark a road from Lawrenceville to the Walton line be accepted.

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No. 92. Ordered that \$2.43  $\frac{3}{4}$  be refunded to Thomas Ezell on account of some estray hogs sold and claimed and proved to be his own property. Paid attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

No. 93. Ordered that Benjn. Ivie receive out of the County funds \$51.75 for supporting Sandford Ramey, a prisoner in jail.

No. 94. Ordered that Charles Gates be a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Mayfield's dist. Signed, Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

**P. 38 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.**

Jury no. 3. List of Jurors drawn by the Justices to serve at June term, Inferior Court 1823: Wm. Ezell, Ezekiel Mathews, John Vining, David Watson, Archibald Nichols, Larkin Green, Wm. Ellison, Westley Yancey, John Humphrey, Bentley Red, David Kennemore, Nath'l. Dobbs, Senr., Peter Hairston, Silas Pool, Thomas McMillian, John Mills, John Jones, John Matlocks, Battle Mayfield, John N. Cargill, Wm. Jones, Benjamin Ivie, Asa Wade, Obadiah Glasgow, Benjamin Brand, Nimrod Pendley, John Wright.

Ordered that the report of the Commissioners (to wit) Robert Montgomery, William Brandon & John Sudduth laying off a road from Lawrenceville to the Island ford on the Chattahoochie River be accepted.

**P. 39 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1823.**

The Court having met agreeable to the time prescribed by law, present the honorable Joseph Morgan, Thomas Monk, William Green & Edward Featherston Esqrs.

The jury called and empannelled: William Ezell, Larkin Green, Peter Hairston, David Watson, John N. Cargill, William Jones, Obadiah Glasgow, John Jones, John Mills, Ezekiel Mathews, Benjamin Ivie, John Maddox.

Robert & Thomas Espy vs. George Reid, Debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$31 with interest & cost. David Watson, Fm.

Thomas Cordery vs. Isaac Gray, Debt. Mistrial.

**P. 40 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1823.**

John Keene vs. Curtis Conly, case &c. We the jury finds for the defendant with cost. David Watson, Fm.

Ephraim McLain vs. Reddin Roberison, Trespass on the case &c. Dismissed.

N. L. Starges Jr. vs. John H. Hammond, Debt for rent &c. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$80 with interest & cost. Signed, David Watson, Fm., Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

Adjourned to 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

**P. 41 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1823.**

The Sheriff proceeded to open the Court, etc.

No. 95. Ordered that the Sheriff or his Deputy receive out of the County funds \$13.13 the amount of an account which accrued on taking charge of Sanford Ramey and allowed on the 9<sup>th</sup> inst.

James Edmondson vs. William Williamson, Illegality. "Illegality of the execution issued from the Clerk of this Court dismissed."

No. 96. Ordered that Thomas Cox, Wm. Babb, John Cates, Wm. Holland & John Bassett be Commissioners to make an alteration in the road that leads from Lawrenceville to the Shallow Ford, which alteration is intended to carry said road by the house of Charles Gates and intersect said Shallow Ford at John Woodall's Senr. or where DeKalb County crosses the same and report to the Inferior Court.

No. 97. Ordered that 12 $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent be levied on the State tax for this County for the present year and be appropriated to the support of the poor.

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No. 98. Ordered that 30 per cent on the State tax be levied and collected for the year 1823 for County purposes.

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No. 99. Ordered that the following be appointed overseers of the poor in these districts: John Blalock in Capt. Brandon's dist., Thomas Jones in Capt. Hare's dist., Nicholas Minor in Capt. Garaway's dist., John McMillan in Capt. Bailey's dist., Charles McEwen in Capt. Dunlap's dist., Reubin McClung in Capt. Ellison's dist., Elisha Win in Capt. Pearce's dist.

No. 100. Ordered that Thomas Jones be a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Hare's dist. In the place of Wm. Green, Esqr.

No. 101. Ordered that Wm. Lard, Reubin McClung & Asa Wade be Commissioners to lay off a road conforming with the road (law) to the Walton county line having for it's object to meet a road leading from Covington towards Lawrenceville and that said Commissioners report to the Inferior Court.

P. 43 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1823.

No. 102. Ordered that Samuel Lee, David Rutherford, Elijah Nunn & Wm. Hall & Charles McEwen be appointed to lay out a road leading from Tanner's Ford on the Appalatchy (sic) in a direction to Vann's or Winn's Ferry on the Chattahoochy (sic) according to law and report the same.

No. 103. Ordered that suits be commenced against all those indebted to the County for lots sold at the first sale together with all other notes now due the County for lots sold previous to this date and be further ordered that the several suits be commenced after the first day in July next and be made returnable to the next Inferior Court.

No. 104. Ordered that all lots sold at the last sale of lots in Lawrenceville which have not been complied with in the first condition do revert back to the County after the 20<sup>th</sup> day of this month.

No. 105. Ordered that John Brewster, John Appling, Benjamin Ivy, James Wardlaw & James McClure be appointed a board of Commissioners to superintend and keep in order the Springs belonging to Town of Lawrenceville and that they be authorized to enforce such rules & regulations as they may think calculated for the benefit of said Springs.

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No. 106. Ordered that the Sheriff of this County be authorized to alter the prison bounds so as to include the house of Benjamin Ivy. Signed, Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

No. 4. List of jurors drawn to serve at the Inferior Court for December term 1823: Smith Bonner, Fanning Brown, Allen B. Winn, Ninam Mulican, Richard Ellison, William Loughridge, Thomas B. Turner, Jennings Hulsey, David Spencer, William Fuqua, Valentine Bromley, John Lawrence, Joseph Watson, Littleberry Meeks, John Williamson, John Hill Senr., Joseph Couey, William Terry, William Martin George Martin, John Wright, John Jackson, Isaac Gray, Francis Mathews, Morgan Fields, Thomas Cox, Joshua Hill, John Berry, Allen Burch, John Defur [Defoor], James Allen, Asa Moore, Ephraim Abram, Joshua Estes, James Farmer, Simeon Congo

P. 45 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

No. 107. Received June 19 1823 from the Clerk of the Inferior Court \$51.75 the amount of Order no. 93. Signed, Benjamin (X) Ivie.

No. 108. (Copy) Lawrenceville, 26 July 1823. We the Commissioners appointed to superintend the Springs belonging to the village have had the same put in good order & after considering the same we allow George Grace \$40 for fixing one spring & William Crawn \$25 for the other, which seems agreeable to the order when we were appointed were to be paid out of the Publick funds. Signed, Jas. Wardlaw, Benjn. Ivie, James McClure, John Brewster. Ordered that the within account be paid, July 26, 1823. Signed, E. Featherston, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C.

P. 46 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, August 4 1823.

The State vs. T. Elliott, Habeas Corpus, returnable before their honors Edward Featherston & Thomas Monk Esquires. In obedience to said writ the jailer made his return thereon – the Court orders that the within named Thomas Elliott on paying the cost be discharged for want of sufficient cause, 4 Aug 1823.

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State vs. Thomas Cates & Betsey Tidwell, Habeas Corpus, returnable before their honors Thomas Monk & Edward Featherston. In obedience to said writ the jailer made his return thereon – it is ordered that the within named Thomas Cates & Betsey Tidwell be discharged for want of sufficient cause, on payment of jailer's fees. Signed, Thomas Monk, J.I.C., Edward Featherston, J.I.C., August 4, 1823. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

**P. 47** Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

Amy Thorn, by her next friend James M. C. Montgomery vs. Charnel H. Thorn, Habeas Corpus, returnable before the honorable Wm. Green & Thomas Monk, Esquires. In obedience to said writ, the jailer made his return thereon – it is ordered that the agent James M. C. Montgomery of Amy Thorn was apprised that the cause of action had subsided and said Amy had satisfaction had given her in said case. The court declared the imprisonment is illegal & the prisoner discharged. Signed, Thomas Monk, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C. August 18 1823. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

**P. 48** Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, extra session Sept. 1, 1823.

At an extra session of the Inferior Court, September 1, 1823, present the honorable William Green, Edward Featherston & Joseph Morgan – ordered that the Sheriff proceed to open Court.

No. 109. Ordered that Commissioners be appointed to mark out a road leading from DeKalb by Choice's Store & Colonel Featherston's quarter to Lawrenceville & that John Boring, James Jackson & Thomas Johnson be Commissioners to mark out said road.

No. 110. Ordered that \$200 be appropriated as part payment for brick for the Court House & it be paid by the Clerk to George M. Gresham & David L. Knox.

No. 111. Ordered that the report made by William Lord, Asa Waid & Reubin McClung Commissioners appointed to mark out a road from Lawrenceville to the Hightower Trail in this County so as to intersect the road to Newton borough or Covington in Newton County be accepted.

No. 112. Ordered that the report made by Charles McHugh & David Rutherford (made by the unanimous consent of all the Commissioners) appointed to mark a road from Tanner's Ford on the Appalachy (sic) on to Vann's or Winn's Ferry on the Chattahoochy (sic) through said county except an alteration near Joseph Morgan Esqrs. be accepted.

**P. 49** Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, September extra term.

No. 113. Ordered that Commissioners be appointed to view the ground and lay out a road leading from or near where the road that leads to Mathews' Bridge leaves the Shallow Ford Road to intersect a road that runs by Judge Featherston's at or near his plantation; Lazarus Dempsey, Nicholas Minor, & Dennis Still be said Commissioners.

No. 114. Ordered that the report made by Isham Williams & Jessee Dempsey, Commissioners appointed to mark out a road from Baker's Ford on Yellow River to Mathews' Bridge be accepted.

No. 115. Ordered that the report made by Thomas Cox, John Cates, Wm. Holland, John Bassett & Wm. Babb Commissioners to make an alteration in the Shallow ford road to run by Charles Gates' store and intersect the same road at John Woodall's be accepted.

(Signed) Wm. Green, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Edward Featherston, J.I.C.

(Attest): Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

**P. 50** Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Decr. Term 1823. Present their honors Edmond Strange, Thomas Monk & Joseph Morgan Esquires.

Ordered that the Sheriff proceed to open Court.

The following jurors having been called, impaneled & sworn took their seats (viz.). Allen B. Winn, William Loughridge, Thomas B. Turner, David Spence, Francis Mathews, Joseph Watson, Allen Birch, Morgan Fields, John Williamson, Valentine Brumbelo (sic), James Anderson, John Turner (lined out), Simeon Congo.

Septimus Taylor vs. James Wade, Debt. Settled & cost paid.

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John Young vs. Isaac Gray. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$75.82 with interest & cost. William Loughridge.

Sam'l & A. B. Sturges vs. Mark Hudspeth & William Spencer, Debt. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$37.12½, 8 Dec 1823. Mark Hudspeth.

P. 51 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Decr. Term 1823.

James Wardlaw vs. James Donaldson, Assumpsit &c. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$36.00 with cost. William Loth (sic) Foreman.

William Williamson vs. James Edmondson, Mortgage &c. Settled at Defendant's cost.

William C. Morgan for the use of Thomas G. Casey vs. Wells Thompson, Debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$56.35, William Loughridge, Foreman.

Mansfield & Barrett vs. Mathew Caldwell, Debt &c. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$55.81. William Loughridge, Foreman.

P. 52 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Decr. Term 1823.

Mansfield & Barrett vs. Mathew Caldwell, Debt &c. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$107.67, William Loughridge, Foreman.

Charles Bacon & Co. vs. John H. Hammond, Debt &c. I confess judgement to the plffs. for \$140. N. L. Hutchins, Defts. Atty.

Nathaniel L. & Samuel Sturges vs. David Kennemore, Debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiffs \$30.12½. William Loughridge, Foreman.

Nathaniel Sturges Jnr. Bearer vs. John Gaddis Snr., Debt &c. We the jury find for the plff. \$35.93¾. William Loughridge, Foreman.

P. 53 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Decr. Term 1823.

John Brewster for the use of J. H. Hammond vs. P. H. Alston, Debt &c. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$35. John G. Park, P. P. H. Alston.

Samuel B. Hill for the use &c. of Washington Chamblee vs. William Blake, Debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$85. William Loughridge, Foreman.

Thomas Oliver for the use of Dozier Thornton vs. Philip H. Alston, Debt &c. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$57.50. J. G. Park for P. H. Alston.

Tate & Verdel vs. John Jennings, Debt &c. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$61.75. William Loughridge, Foreman.

P. 54 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Decr. Term 1823 continued.

Nathan'l L. Sturges Jnr. vs. Thomas W. Williamson, Debt &c. Settled at mutual cost.

Wells Thompson vs. Willis Green, Trespass viet armis &c. Settled at Defendants cost.

Thomas Cordery vs. Isaac Gray, Debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$149.45¾. William Loghridge (sic) Foreman.

John Pitman vs. Wm. Brumbelow, fifa. It appearing to the Court that the above fifas have been levied and a Negro boy by the name of Garrison, the property of Defendant, and it further appearing that the Sheriff has not sold said Negro under said fifas agreeable to law & at the time that it was advertised to have been sold, it is therefore ordered that the Sheriff show cause why he does not pay over the money to Plaintiff's atty. in said fi fas.

P. 55 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Decr. Term 1823 continued.

John Pitman vs. Wm. Brumbelow, fifa & Charles Gates for the use of D. N. Pittman vs. Wm. Brumbelow, fifa. A rule nisi having been this day obtained against the Sheriff to show cause why he does not pay over the money to plaintiff's atty. in said fifas and he not having shown sufficient cause, it is therefore ordered that the Sheriff do punctually pay over the amount of said fifas to plaintiff or his attorney within thirty days or that he be attached as for a contempt.

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No. 116, paid. Ordered that the Clerk of the Inferior Court do receive out of the County funds \$54.87 for books furnished for County records & advertising sale of lots & notice to carpenters & masons & free Negroes. The above order paid by crediting Wm. Maltbie's note.

No. 117. Ordered that the Clerk of this Court pay to the Sheriff of the County \$5 for an account in favor of Benjamin Smith from the Superior Court.

No. 118. Ordered that the Clerk of the Court notify all of the Justices of the Peace & other officers having estray money in their hands to pay it over to the Clerk within thirty days or otherwise they will be ruled to the Superior Court.

P. 56 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Decr. Term 1823 continued.

No. 119. Ordered that John Brewster receive out of the County funds \$10.25 for services medical rendered to Sandford Raimy a prisoner in jail. Paid.

No. 120. Ordered that Josephus Harrison, Alex'r M. White and Willis Rowland Esqrs. be Commissioners of Roads in Capt. Pearce's District.

No. 121. Ordered that John Brewster receive out of the County funds as agent for Mulliver (?) & Honeycut \$5, the same being for Smith's work Ironing (?) prisoners &c.

No. 122. Ordered that the Clerk of this Court do give up to George M. Gresham & David L. Knox their bond for making brick for the Court House, they having fully complied with their contract in that respect and that the said Clerk do come to a full settlement with the said George M. & David respecting the said brick ...

No. 123. Ordered that the Clerk of this Court pay to Benjamin Ivy \$122.15½ for boarding prisoners in jail &c. Sept. 27, 1823.

P. 57 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County Decr. Term 1823 continued.

No. 124. Ordered that John Boring, William Loughridge & Benjamin Gholson be Commissioners of Roads in Capt. Caruthers District.

No. 125. Ordered that Joseph Hamilton, William Montgomery, Elijah Moore, Jessee Dempsey & William McDaniel be Commissioners to review and ascertain whether any alterations are requisite to be made in the road from Lawrenceville to Wm. Green's said road is known by the Shallow ford Road and report the same to the Inferior Court.

[no #]. Ordered that the old Court House be sold to the highest bidder payable on the first Monday in March next, the purchaser giving bond and security – said building to [be] removed off the Publick square in ten days from this day.

No. 126. Ordered that William Abbott, Samuel Reed & Enock Benson be appointed to view and mark a road from Lawrenceville to Richardson's Mill and make report to the next Court.

No. 127. Ordered that the Clerk of this Court procure for County purposes a complete set of standard weights & measures, both dry & Liquor (sic) measure and that the same be paid for out of any monies in the County Treasury...

P. 58 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, Decr. Term 1823 continued.

List of jurors drawn to serve at an Inferior Court to be held in Lawrenceville on the second Monday in June 1824. John Oakley, James Bonds, John Wade, Henry Lee, Joseph Reid, Jessee Dempsey, James Cochran, Reddick Rhames, Wm. Ewin, Benjamin Jackson, John Clark, Thomas Jones, Michael Thomas, Joel Jones, Richard Leverett, Nathaniel Dobbs Junr., Drewry Silven, Edward Brumbalo (sic), Peter Willis, Archd. Hamilton, James Bradbury, Thomas McAdams, Loudy Walker, Thomas Snow, Danl. N. Pitman, Jeremiah Sparks, Amos Spiller, Gadwell Perce, John Lyle, Wm. Key, Wm. Rucks, John Taylor, Wm. Copeland, Thomas Carroll, John Beasley, John W. Ragsdale.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned till Court in course. Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Edmd. Strange, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 59 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.



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Charles Bacon & Co. vs. John H. Hammond, Debt. In the above case John H. Hammond came forward and made application to the Clerk of the Inferior Court for the stay of a judgement obtained against him at the last Inferior Court and hereby binds himself together with Benjamin Ivy for the above judgement ... December 13, 1823. John H. Hammond, Benjamin (X) Ivy Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk. I.C.

Gwinnett County, Georgia, Inferior Court extra term, January 5, 1824.

No. 128. Ordered that Dennis Still be Commissioners (sic) of the poor in Capt. Gazaway's Dist. and it is further ordered that Dennis Still, overseer as aforesaid, be authorized to expend \$10 for the relief of James Barnes, an indigent person. Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 60 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, January extra term 1824.

No. 129. Ordered by the Court that Joseph Melton, Elisha Winn, & Young Moore Esquires be appointed Commissioners of Roads in Capt. Dunlap's Dist.

The petition of the subscribers, trustees of the Academy in said County sheweth that your petitioners anxious to cooperate with your Honors in contributing to the happiness & welfare of their fellow citizens & the reputation of their Country, & unwilling that Counties of the same age, and much more, that those whose soil bore only the print of savage footsteps when the political existence of this County commenced, should be before them in establishing seminaries of learning, are desirous without delay, of commencing a building for the County Academy on a scale in some degree proportioned to population & prospects of the County, but having received only \$500 from the Treasury of the State ...

P. 61 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, January extra term continued.

January 5, 1824. Wm. Maltbie, Thomas Worthy, G. M. Gresham, John W. Turner.

It is ordered that the petition be granted & the Board of Trustees of the Gwinnett County Academy are hereby fully authorized to draw on the Clerk of this Court for the full amount of the State tax paid to him for County purposes by virtue of an Act passed at the last session of the Legislature ... 5 January 1824. Thomas Monk, Wm. Green, Jos. Morgan, Edward Featherston.

P. 62 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, February extra term 1824.

Received January 30<sup>th</sup> 1824 from Wm. Maltbie, Clerk of the Inferior Court the full amount of Order No. 123 passed Dec. term 1823 for \$122.15½. Benjamin (X) Ivy.

At an extra session of the Inferior Court held 2 February 1824.

No. 130. It having been suggested that a County tax should be levied, it is ordered by the Court that a tax of forty per cent be laid upon the amount of the state tax for the year 1824 for County purposes ...

No. 131. Ordered that George M. Gresham, Isham Williams & Elisha W. Chester be appointed Trustees for the poor school fund for Gwinnett County agreeable to an act of the legislature passed on the 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1823.

No. 132. The Court appoints John Boring, Thomas Monk & Young Moore fit and proper persons to take the census of this County for Gwinnett County. Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Edmd. Strange, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 63 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

No. 133. Received February 3, 1824 from Wm. Maltbie Clerk of the Inferior Court, \$80.90, being the amount of an order passed December 9, 1822, Order No. 78. James Loughridge.

No. 134. Received February 3, 1824 from Wm. Maltbie, Clerk of the Inferior Court \$113.50, the amount of an order passed Decr. 10, 1821, order No. 32. Also the amount of an order passd. same date amt. \$1.50 say order No. 34. Also an order No. 35 passed in favor of James McBride for \$12.50 of the same date. Signed, James Loughridge.

No. 135. Received February 5, 1824, from Wm. Maltbie, Clerk of the Inferior Court, \$13.13 in full of an order passed in favor of the Sheriff at June term 1823, order No. 95. Wm. Nesbit.

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No. 136. Ordered by the Inferior Court that the lots sold at the last sale of lots in Lawrenceville on which the payments have not been fully made be sold on the first Tuesday in March next unless the purchasers shall make full payments for the same before that time. Edward Featherstone, J.I.C., Joseph Morgan, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C. A true copy of the original order. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 64 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

Georgia, Gwinnett County. The petition of William Maltbie sheweth that he hath rendered various services to said County, such as selling town lots, writing bonds and deeds, receiving and paying out public monies, making settlements with public creditors, entering sundry orders, issuing Commissions, &c., &c. It is ordered by said Court that said Wm. Maltbie be entitled for such & similar services to a commission of one per cent ... February 5, 1824. Joseph Morgan, J.I.C., Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

No. 137. Ordered that James Wardlaw receive out of the County funds \$22.12½ for record books furnished for the County as per his bill this day rendered. February 5, 1824. Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Joseph Morgan, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C. By Order; Wm. Maltbie, Clk. Paid the above order to James Wardlaw.

P. 65 Inferior Court Extra Term, March 1824.

March term 1824. Ordered that the lots sold at the last sale which have not been paid for be sold on the 2<sup>nd</sup> inst. to the highest bidder for one fourth in hand, the balance to be paid on the 25 December next and if not punctually paid to revert back to the County & all payment or payments which may have been made be forfeited. Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C.

We the Commissioners for a road running from Lawrenceville to intersect the old Hog Mountain Road near the Hall County line report that commencing at Lawrenceville at the house of Benj. Ivy, thence by the brick yard, thence along the present road to Bogan's Mill upon the Ivy Prong of Suwaney Creek, thence along a ridge & marked way between the said Ivy Prong & Suwaney Creek to Clemond's Road, thence to fraction No. 298, thence to Hall County line. March 1, 1824. S. Bogan, James Edmondson.

P. 66 Inferior Court extra term, March 1824.

Commissioners of Roads for Capt. Moore's Dist: Robert Montgomery.

For Capt. Brandon's Dist: James McDill, Esqr., Elijah Foster, John Sudduth.

For Capt. Atwell's Dist: Laban P. Poole, Esqr., Thomas Beaty.

For Capt. Grey's Dist: Charles McHugh, Esqr.

Ordered that the above named persons be appointed Commissioners of the Roads in the districts as named. Jos. Morgan J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C., Edward Featherston, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 67 Georgia, Gwinnett County, Inferior Court extra term, May 1824.

On motion it is ordered that Benjamin Gholson be an overseer of the poor in Capt. Caruther's Dist.

On motion it is ordered that William Henley, Richard Holt & Henry Easterling be Commissioners to view and mark a County line Road from the corner of Newton County near Morris' to Pounds on the Hightower trail & said Com-missioners will meet & act in concert with other Commissioners appointed by the Inferior Court of DeKalb County.

On motion it is ordered that John Pounds, Wm. Nesbit & Jessee Dabbs be Commissioners to view & mark a road from Pounds to Spencers & said Commissioners will meet & act in concert with other Commissioners appointed by the Inferior Court of DeKalb County.

No. 138. On motion it is ordered that Joseph F. Garner, a Constable, receive out of the County \$3.50 for bringing a witness up to Superior Court by the name of Nancy Yancey.

No. 139. On motion it is ordered that Benjamin Ivy, Jailer, receive out of the County funds \$20 in full for keeping & maintaining Michael Roach in jail.

P. 68 Inferior Court extra term, May 1824, continued.

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No. 140. On motion it is ordered that Benjamin Ivy, Jailer, receive out of the County funds \$15.35 for keeping & supporting George Heard in jail 30 days.

On motion it is ordered that the report made by James Jackson & Thomas Johnson of a road marked by them from Lawrenceville to John Boring Esqr. be accepted, said road passes by Joseph Reid's, crosses Yellow River at lot. No. 50, thence near Crumpton's, thence to Boring's.

No. 141. On motion it is ordered that James Loughridge, Deputy Sheriff, receive out of the County funds \$3.55 in the case [of] the State vs. Mewbern for services rendered.

On motion it is ordered that Gabriel Pool, William Bennett, & Charles Gordon be appointed Commissioners to mark out a road from Lawrenceville to the Rock Bridge on Yellow River, the nearest & best route. And further that they mark out a road from Camp's old house to intersect the road leading from Lawrenceville to Covington the nearest & best way. Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C., Edmd. Strange, J.I.C.

P. 69 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1824.

Present, the honorable Edward Featherston, Joseph Morgan, Thomas Monk, Wm. Green & Edmond Strange, Esquires.

Ordered the Sheriff to proceed to open Court, which was accordingly done.

The following Jurors having been empanelled, called & sworn, took their seats: John Wade, Benjamin Jackson, Daniel N. Pittman, Drewry Silven, Jeter Wates, James Bradbury, Gadwell Pearce, Jessey Dempsey, Edward Brumbelow, Thomas McAdams, Thomas Snow, John Lyle.

John S. Welch, for the use of Elijah Cochran, vs. Henry Easterling; Case &c. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$50 with interest & cost. James Bradbury, Fm.

John S. Welch, for the use of Elijah Cochran vs. William Camp; Case &c. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$50 with interest & cost. Danl. N. Pittman, foreman.

P. 70 Minutes of the Inferior Court, June term 1824, continued.

William Davis for the use of Benjamin Davis vs. William J. Russell; Assumpsit &c.; Continued.

William Davis for the use of Benjamin Davis vs. Benjamin Ivy; Assumpsit &c.; we the jury find for the Defendant cost of suit. D. N. Pittman, foreman.

Daniel N. Pittman vs. Wm. Huckeba & James B. Huckeba; debt &c.; We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$68 with interest & cost. James Bradbury, foreman.

John Stricklin vs. Absalem Coursey; Case &c.; Dismissed at Defendant's cost. Settled cost to be paid by Deft.

P. 71 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1824, continued.

Thomas P. Lumpkin for the use of &c., vs. Thomas Ware; Debt &c. Settled.

Ordered that James McDill, James McGinness, & Wm. Brandon be Commissioners to view & mark a road from Lawrenceville to strike the Chattahoochie (sic) at James Gilbert's.

Ordered the report of a road made to the Court by Williams (sic) Bennett, Charles Gordon & Gabriel Pool running a direct line from the Rock Bridge to George Gordon's, thence the old trail to Richard Watts', crossing Pew's Creek between John Wade's & William Bennett's, thence to Jesse Rambo & Lawrenceville be accepted.

Ordered that Henry B. Wadkins, William Hill & William Page be authorized to lay out and mark a road from the Rockbridge in this County to a point in the County line between Gwinnett & Walton Counties in the direction for Ellison's Mills in Walton County.

Ordered that the report of a road laid out by Wm. Abbott, Samuel Reid & Enock Benson commencing at Richardson's Mill and on by or near Mr. Green & on to the Monks Mill & from thence to the Court House coming in the street that passes the jail called Groghan Street (with the exception going through Lewis Cooper's field, also McWhorter's field), be accepted.

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Ordered that John McMillan & Richard Plunket be appointed Commissioners of roads in Capt. Bradbury's Dist. In the place of Esq. Moore & Robert Camp resigned.

Ordered that the report of Tyree Landers, Stephen Cruse & Dennis Still, Commissioners appointed to lay out a road beginning near Mr. Thompson's new ground field leaving the Shallow ford road to the right running as marked until it strikes the north line of the first range of lots in the seventh Dist. Continuing on & near said line until it strikes the corner of No. 156 in the sixth dist., thence running as marked to Judge Featherston's Plantation be accepted.

Isaac Gray vs. James H. Kidd; Attachment. The above attachment having been dismissed, it is ordered that the property taken by virtue of said attachment be delivered to James H. Kidd by the Sheriff of said County.

Ordered that Robert Smith, Esqr., Robert Ware, Richmond Baker, Thomas Woods & Isham Medlock be Commissioners to view the ground & mark a road from Gates Ferry on the Chattahoochie (sic) River to the Rock Bridge on Yellow River.

P. 73 Gwinnett Inferior Court, June term 1824, continued.

Ordered that the Clerk of this Court pay to Thomas Monk, Esqr., \$20 out of any money arising from the sale of estrays.

Ordered that Elisha Winn, Joseph Thompson, Enock Benson, Wm. Baskin, & Richard Holman be appointed Commissioners to view the ground & mark a road from Lawrenceville to Price's Bridge passing by Elisha Winn's.

Ordered that Benj. Ivy, Jailer of Gwinnett County, do personally appear at the adjourned term on the first Monday in July next to answer to the following charges, viz. For suffering Mansfield who was convicted his charge by bail process in favour of B. Golston to escape; suffering one Michael Roach who was committed to his custody for hog stealing to escape from said County by removing him from the dungeon of the jail to the upper room & permitting him to use tools in said jail unauthorized by law & such other charges that may be preferred against him by said Court with regard to his conduct as jailer of said County. Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C. It is further ordered that a copy of this rule be served on the said Benjamin Ivy within a reasonable time before said adjourned term.

P. 74 Gwinnett Inferior Court, June term 1824, continued.

List of jurors drawn at June term 1824 to serve at December term, 1824 (No. 5): John Pearce, John King, Edward Lee, William Hill, Mark Snow, Henry Curbow, William Wardlaw, William Abbott, David Kite, John Hill Junr., Josiah Fincher, Robert Caldwell, Joseph Downie, William Rakestraw, James Nolen, James Harvil, James Lee, William Minyard, Joshua Pritchard, John Thompson, James Hill, Thomas Mullcan (sic), George Flanagan, William Guffin, Ezekiel Boman, John Ezell, Wm. Thompson, James Berry, James Mahaffy. John Tarrance, James Farmer, William Camp, Reuben Benson, William Sikes, William Huckaba, William McLain.

Ordered that the Sheriff adjourn the Court till Court in course.

P. 75 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

John S. Welch, for the use of Elijah Cochran, vs. Henry Easterling; Case &c. Appeal. In the above case Henry Easterling came forward and prays an appeal, having paid the cost he binds himself, together with John G. Park security, to pay the principal debt, interest, cost & damage that may or shall be awarded against them in the Superior Court of said County. Signed June 10, 1824, Henry Easterling, John G. Park.

P. 76 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, extra term July 5, 1824.

Ordered that the report of a road laid out and returned by Elisha Winn, William Baskin, Richard Holman & Joseph Thompson commencing at Lawrenceville along the Hall County road to near the head of Shoal Creek, thence marked to Buckner Harris', passing Richard Holman's house on the left &c., thence to Elisha Winn's & from thence to Price's Bridge be accepted.

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Benjamin Ivy, the keeper of the common jail of Gwinnett County, having been ruled to show cause why he should not be discharged from his said office & no cause appearing in favor of said rule, it is hereby ordered that the same be discharged.

Ordered that Abner Coleman, Jesse Barker, Richard Witherington, James Wells ("Wells" lined out), Thomas Mason, James Steel, John Price Senr., James Burns & John Kennimore be & they are hereby exempt from poll tax during their indigence & infirmity.

State vs. Franklin; Habeas Corpus. The prisoner having been brought before us & there not appearing sufficient cause for his detention, it is ordered he be discharged by him paying the cost, July 5, 1824.

Ordered that George Grace be authorized to purchase as many bricks as will lay out the Court House floor at the County expenses.

P. 77 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County extra term, July 1824.

State vs. B. Tull; Habeas Corpus. The prisoner having been brought before us & there appearing sufficient cause for his detention, it is therefore ordered that he be remanded to jail.

On motion of Counsel for George Penticost shewing that he hath been injured by the neglect of duty of William McLain, late a Constable in Gwinnett County, ordered that the bond of the said William be delivered by the Clerk of this Court to Elisha W. Chester, Attorney of the said George to be sued on for the use of the said George according to the statute in such case made & provided.

Ordered that Wm. Nesbit, Sheriff, receive out of the County funds \$31.62½ for arresting & supporting sundry prisoners, viz., Henry Bagley, Wiley Bagley, James Poland, William Mathews & Benjamin Humphreys.

Ordered that the report of Robert Smith, Thomas Wood & Isham Medlock, laying off a road from Gates Ferry in direction to the Rock Bridge as far as the district line of Capt. Baker's Dist. be accepted.

P. 78 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

Received July 6, 1824 from the Clerk of the Inferior Court the amount of two orders dated May term 1824 for \$35.35. Benjamin (X) Ivy.

Received July 6, 1824 from the Clerk of the Inferior Court, the amount of an order passed at May term 1824 for \$3.55. James Loughridge.

Ordered that the prayer of sundry persons for the alteration of a road from Lawrenceville to Hall Court House be granted so far as to strike from the original order the words "Reuben Benson's" fraction & that the original order be construed so as to run the road the nearest & best way from "Shadrack Bogan's Mill" to the Hall County line in a direction for the C.H. in that County.

(Copy) Ordered that the Commissioners of every district in Gwinnett County be notified by the Clerk of the Inferior Court to strictly attend to their duty in their respective districts & have the roads well cleared out & put in good order by the next Court of Ordinary or they will be dealt with as the law directs. Wm. Green, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C., Edward Featherston, J.I.C.

P. 79 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

Received July 19, 1824 from Wm. Maltbie, Clerk of the Inferior Court, the amount of an order passed at June term for \$20. Thomas Monk.

Received July 20, 1824 from Wm. Maltbie, Clerk of the Inferior Court, the amount of an order passed at June term 1824 for \$3.50. Joseph T. Garner.

P. 80 Georgia, Gwinnett County, Inferior Court, September extra term 1824.

Agreeable to a return made by H. B. Watkins, Wm. Hill & William Page, it is ordered that the return of a road marked by them from Rock Bridge on Yellow River in a direction towards Ellison's Mill on the Appalatchie in Walton County to where the same intersects Walton County line be accepted.

Ordered that Richard I. Watts be appointed a Commissioner of Roads in Capt. Watkin's District.

Ordered that the alteration of the Hall County line road made by Robert Montgomery & George Brogden from S. Bogan's in a direction to Gainesville to keep the ridge dividing Suwaney [sic] & the Ivy be accepted.

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Ordered that John Lawrence do receive out of the County funds \$1.50 as further compensation for keeping an estray posted by himself.

Ordered that John Pounds, Samuel McKinne & James Castleberry be Commissioners to mark out a road from the end of Capt. Baker's District to John Pounds'.

Ordered that the Clerk of the Inferior Court pay over to Edward F. Cary or order the amount of money a stray mule sold for after deducting the expenses of posting & selling &c.

P. 81 Inferior Court extra term, September 6, 1824, continued.

Ordered that Micajah Mayo be appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Bradbury's District in place of Benjamin Mattocks.

Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County December term 1824.

The Court met agreeable to the time prescribed by law. Present, the honorable Thomas Monk & Joseph Morgan Esqr. There not being a majority of the Court present, the honorable Joseph Morgan & Thomas Monk, together with the Sheriff & Clerk adjourned Court till tomorrow morning, 9 o'clock. December 13, 1824.

P. 82 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, December term 1824.

The Court met according to adjournment, present the honorable Thomas Monk, Joseph Morgan and William M. Green, Esqrs. There not being a sufficient number of jurors to be obtained, the Court adjourned till Court in course.

Inferior Court for County purposes, December term, 1824. Present, the honorable Thomas Monk, Joseph Morgan & Wm. Green, Esqrs.

Ordered that Curtiss Caldwell, Edmond Strange Esq., & John Jones be appointed Commissioners to mark out a road commencing at the Rock Bridge and running the nearest & best route to Charles Gates' Ferry on the Chattahoochie River.

Ordered that G. W. Cooper do receive out of the County funds \$13.06¼ for his services the State vs. Burden Tull & the State vs. Thos. Moore.

Ordered that George Grace do receive out of the County funds \$11.50 for a lock & smith & carpenter's work done on the jail.

Ordered that Joseph L. Cunningham do receive out of the County funds \$10.50 for work done on the jail in Gwinnett County.

Ordered that James Wardlaw do receive out of the County funds \$6.00 for cash advanced for record books.

P. 83 Inferior Court for County purposes, December term, continued.

Ordered that Young Moore Esqr. do receive out of County funds \$5.06¼ for services rendered the State vs. Willis Harmon.

Ordered that [no names written in] be appointed Commissioners to mark out a road from the ford on Henry Bagley's Plantation on the Chattahoochie River to intersect the Hog Mountain road at or near the plantation of Joseph Morgan, Esqr.

Ordered that Benjamin Ivy do receive out of the County funds \$80.10 for keeping & maintaining Burden Tull, Wells Harmon, Elijah Barber & John McLain & J. M. Thompson's & J. Couey's bills.

Ordered that Benjamin Ivy do receive out of the County funds \$26.62½ for keeping & maintaining Frederick Hart in jail.

Ordered that David Moore, Nathl. Burge, Wm. Knox, J. [?] Scott & Wm. Bennett be appointed Commissioners to make alteration in a road from Bethel Meeting House near Chapman's to Rice B. Green's or near said Green's on the Peach Tree Road.

Ordered that Isaac Young do receive out of the County funds \$18.00 for his services as a guard the State vs. Charles Franklin.

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Ordered that Benjamin Ivy, Jailer, do receive out of County funds \$2.19 for board & fees in the case the State vs. Thos. Cates.

Ordered that Benjamin Ivy, Jailer, do receive out of County funds \$13.37½ for blankets &c. furnished prisoners in jail, to be paid to A. R. Smith, as per order.

Ordered that Benjamin Ivy, Jailer, do receive out of the County funds \$24.50 for brick furnished for the Court House.

Ordered that the old road commonly called Fidler's Trail be & the same is hereby declared to be a Publick [sic] road & to be kept open from Bogan's old store to James Loughridge & from thence to the Jug Tavern.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned, attest Wm. Maltbie, Clk. G.C. Signed, Wm. Green, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Monk, J.I.C.

The State vs. Elijah Barber; Habeas Corpus. Ordered that the prisoner Elijah Barber give good bail in the amount of \$1,000 or be remanded to jail. Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Wm. Green, J.I.C., Thomas Monk, J.I.C.

P. 85 Rec'd. December 31, 1824 from Wm. Maltbie, Clerk, an order passed by the Inferior Court in my favor for \$10.50. Joseph L. Cuninghame [sic].

Rec'd. January 6, 1825 from William Maltbie, Clerk of the Inferior Court, the amount of four orders pass'd. in my favor by the Inferior Court making the sum of \$133.41½, pass'd at Decr. Term 1824. Signed, Benjamin (X) Ivy.

Rec'd January 29, 1825 from Wm. Maltbie, Clerk of the Inferior Court, \$13.37½, the amount of an order pass'd in my favor at December term 1824. Asahel R. Smith.

Rec'd April 1, 1825 from Wm. Maltbie, Clerk of the Inferior Court, \$31.62½ the amount of an order pass'd in July 1824 in my favor by the Inferior Court. William Nesbit, Shff.

P. 86 Georgia, Gwinnett County, Inferior Court March 8, 1825.

Present, Joseph Morgan, Samuel Hamilton, Elisha Winn, George M. Gresham & Edward Featherston Esqr.

Ordered that Willis Rowland Esqr. be & he is hereby appointed Overseer of the poor in the 316 Dist., G.M.

Ordered that Mrs. Wilmouth Hatcher, an aged & infirm woman living in the 316 dist., G.M., be considered under the care of the poor commissioner of said dist.

To the Tax Collector of said County. You are hereby commanded to levy 40 per cent on the general tax out of which it is understood & ordered that an amount is to be applied to the use of the poor that shall be equal to one eighth of the general tax & the balance be applied to County purposes.

Ordered that Edmond Strange Esqr. be & he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Roads in the 405 dist., G.M.

Ordered that Henry Curtiss be & he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Brandon's dist. In place of Elijah Foster.

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The Commissioners to lay out a road from Rock Bridge on the Yellow River to Gates' Ferry on Chattahoochy [sic] River, report that they think proper to intersect a road at Wm. Bagwell's at or about the district line which they believe to be of publick utility & have proceeded to mark it accordingly, accepted by the Court, all orders obstructing this road now in force are hereby rescinded.

Ordered that the Clerk destroy all such notes as have been given for the payment of lots in the Town of Lawrenceville which lots have been forfeited & resold by the order of the Court.

Commissioner of roads in Capt. White's district. Ordered that William Robertson, Amos Spiller & Willis Rowland Esq. be & they are hereby appointed Commissioners of roads in said district.

Ordered that James Loughridge be & he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Boman's dist. In place of Hope H. Watts.

Ordered that Aaron Brown Esq. be & he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Fincher's dist.

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Ordered that James McClure be & he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Ellington's dist.

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Ordered that T. A. Glen do receive out of County funds \$21 for guarding the jail, to be paid after the orders already pass'd are paid.

Ordered that J. L. Cunningham do receive out of the County funds \$2 for guarding the jail, to be paid after the orders already pass'd are paid.

Ordered that Thomas Calhoun do receive out of the County funds \$11 for guarding the jail, to be paid after the orders already pass'd are paid.

Ordered that Benjamin Lamkin do receive out of the County funds \$4 for guarding the jail, to be paid after the orders already pass'd are paid.

Ordered that Allen B. Winn do receive out of the County funds \$4.96 for guarding, maintaining &c. James Wiggins, a prisoner, to be paid after the orders already pass'd are paid.

Ordered that Richard Plunked, Aaron Brown & William Gorden be appointed Commissioners to view & mark out a road from the High Shoals of the Alcovey River to Lawrenceville & report the same to this Court.

Ordered that George Grace do receive out of the County funds \$3 for hauling brick, to be paid after the orders already pass'd are paid. Elisha Winn, J.I.C., Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk, T.C.

**P. 89** Names of persons whom the Inferior Court have ordered to be put on the poor list: Mrs. W. Hatcher, March 1825, 316 dist., Willis Rowland, Esq., overseer, paid \$5.00; Mathew Pander, June 14, 1825, Capt. Moore's dist., Esq. Ballock, overseer, paid \$5.00; John Cook [?], June 25, 1825, Capt. Baker's dist., Esq. Jones, overseer, paid \$5.00; Andrew Collins, July 1825, Capt. Moore's dist., Esq. Ballock, overseer, paid \$5.00; Alex. McNice, August 1825, Capt. Caruther's dist., paid by G. M. Gresham, Esq., 1825, \$5.00; Mrs. W. Hatcher, 1825, 316 dist., W. Rowland, overseer, paid \$5.00; Alexander McNice, 1826, Capt. Caruther's dist., paid [by] G. M. Gresham, Esq., 1826, \$5.00; Andrew Collins, 1826, Capt. Morris' dist., George Brogden, overseer, paid \$5.00; John Ferguson, 1826, paid to Richard H. Leverett by order, \$5.25; Margaret McKight, 1826, paid to Esq. Rowland's order, \$5.25; Mahaney Sizemore, 1826, paid to Mathias Bates, \$5.25; John Ferguson, paid to E. Featherston by Leveret's order, \$6.75; Nimrod Jolly, 1826, paid to order of N. Jolly for year 1826, \$5.75; Alex'r. McNier[?], 1827, paid to order of A. McNier for year 1827, \$5.75; M. McRight, June 26, 1827, paid to the order of Jordon Ginn, \$5.00; Cyrene Oscar, July 2, 1827 [no amount listed]; Lucy Story, May 1827 (no amount listed); R. Witherinton, July 1827, paid to R. Witherington, \$5.00; Lucy Story, Nov. 1827, paid to the order of Thomas Jones, overseer, \$5.00; Jemima Bishop, put on 14 Jan'y 1828; Kiziah Pruet, put on 14 Jan'y 1828.

Tax of 1824 rec'd 1825, June 14, by cash from John Boring, Esq., \$69.00

Tax of 1825 rec'd August 14, 1827, by cash rec'd. from J. Boring, Esq., \$68.88

**P. 90** Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

The Inferior Court to Benj'n. Ivy, Jailor, Draws:

To feeding & maintaining C. Franklin 280 days in jail \$131.60.

To taking out & putting in jail 6 times & taking out when he left, \$8.12½.

To feeding Rich'd. Wiggins 189 days from 3 Oct. till 10 April 1825, \$88.83.

Turning key three times at 62½, \$1.87½.

To paid for two blankets at Webster's, \$5.00.

To paid one pair shoes & stockings, \$2.12½.

To making one pair pantaloons for Wiggins, \$0.50.

To sundries medicine from P. Hall, \$2.00.

Total, \$240.50½



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May Term 1825 passed, Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Sam'l. Hamilton, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C.

Rec'd. June 1, 1825 from William Maltbie, Clk. T.C., \$215.42 on the above order. Benj'n. (X) Ivy.

Rec'd. June 13, 1825 from Wm. Maltbie, Clerk of the Inferior Court, \$3.00 in full of an order pass'd by the Inferior Court March 8, 1825. George Grace.

P. 91 Minutes of the Inferior Court June term 1825. Present, Samuel Hamilton, Joseph Morgan, George M. Gresham & Elisha Winn, Esqrs.

The following jurors having been empaneled, called & sworn, took their seats: William Wardlaw, Robert Caldwell, John King, James Noland, William Loughridge, Thomas H. Alexander, William Abbott, Young Moore, Benjamin Baker, William Cron, Laban P. Poole, L. B. Wright, Thomas Allen, James Bromley, William Findley.

William Anderson vs. Notley Gilmore, Assumpsit; dismissed.

William Davis for the use of &c. vs. William J. Russel, assumpsit; Non suit.

Andrew B. Moore vs. Laban P. Poole, Debt; continued.

P. 92 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term continued.

Michael Macken vs. William Green, Debt. We find for the plaintiff \$61.00 with interest & cost of suit, Laban P. Poole, Formn.

John Wingfield vs. John Rutledge & Patrick Quartermus, debt &c. We the Jury find for the plaintiff \$100.00 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, foremn.

William Cupp vs. John McLain, Case. This day Isham Williams surrendered the body of John McLain to the Court and claims an acquittal agreeable to the conditions annexed to the within obligation, the order of the Court is that he be exonerated & the said McLain rendered into the care of the Sheriff until he be from thence delivered by a due course of law.

P. 93 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County June term 1825 continued.

Robert M. Hogg vs. Jessee Collins, Debt. We find for the plaintiff \$200.00 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, foreman.

Jessee Collins for the use of L. B. Wright vs. Robert M. Hogg, Debt &c. Settled at defendant's cost.

Authur Foster, Indorsee vs. James W. Sikes & William Sikes, Case &c. We find for the plaintiff \$600.00 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, foreman.

Buckner Harris, Admr. of John Cupp, dec'd. vs. Isaac Gray & William Tumlin, Case &c. We the Jury find for the plaintiff \$66.50 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, foreman.

P. 94 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term continued.

Christopher Baker for the use of David Watson vs. Wiley Barber, debt &c. We find for the plaintiff \$70.00 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, foreman.

Arthur Foster, Indorsee, vs. James W. Sikes & William Sikes. It appearing to the Court that it will be necessary for the plaintiff to have the note on which the above action was predicated for the purpose of proceeding against the Indorsees, therefore ordered that the said note be delivered up, the Plaintiff's attorney he leaving a copy in the Clerk's office.

Ordered that John Vineyard, Richard Plunkett & Micajah Mayho Esqr. be & they are hereby appointed road Commissioners for the 478 district of said County.

Samuel G. Starr vs. Joseph Thompson, debt. We find for the plaintiff \$351.10 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, foreman.

P. 95 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1825.

Park & Wilson vs. John Brewster, Assumpsit. We find for the plaintiff \$42.18¾ with cost. of suit. Laban P. Poole, foreman.

John Dodds for the use of James Knox vs. John Collett, debt. Settled at mutual cost.

Reuben Benson vs. James Edmondson, Assumpsit. Settled and cost paid.

Robert Martin vs. William G. Foster, debt. Settled.

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Robert Martin vs. William G. Foster & Beaufit Foster, debt. Settled.

P. 96 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1825.

William Loughridge vs. Frederick Baldwin, Admr. &c., assumpsit. Administration revoked.

Murdock Martin vs. War (sic) Gaddis, case &c. Settled at mutual cost.

Buckner Harris, Asmr. of John Cupp dec'd., vs. Benjamin Benson, debt. Settled & cost paid.

John Turner vs. Thomas Porter, debt. Judgement confessed.

Benjamin Baker vs. Frederick Baldwin, Admr., Elizabeth Baldwin, Admx., assumpsit. Administration revoked.

Isaac Gray vs. James B. Kidd & James H. Kidd, Attachment. Dismissed at the plaintiff's cost.

P. 97 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1825 continued.

Laban P. Poole vs. Philo P. Atwell, assumpsit. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$26.25 with cost of suit. Philo P. Atwell.

Charles S. Simonton & Co. vs. John Roper, debt. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$157.50 with interest & cost. Jno. Roper.

William Sikes for the use of Richard Venable vs. George Moore & John Treadwell, debt &c. We find for the plaintiff \$76.00 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, foreman.

Eli S. Shorter, bearer, vs. George Lawrence, debt &c. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$50.00 with interest & cost with liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. George Lawrence per atto. E. W. Chester.

P. 98 Minutes of the Inferior Court, June term 1825 continued.

William Gibson vs. Willis Green, debt. We find for the plaintiff \$64.00 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, foreman.

Egbert B. Beall vs. Frederick Baldwin, debt &c. We find for the plaintiff \$46.68¾ with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, foreman.

Nathl. L. & Saml. Sturges vs. Philip H. Alston, debt &c. I confess judgement to the Plff. for \$104. 62¾ with interest & cost. Green W. Smith, atto. pro deft.

Robert Monroe vs. Silas Taft, assumpsit. Dismissed.

Raleigh Cupp for the use of &c. vs. Patrick L. Dunlap, debt. Settled at defendant's cost.

P. 99 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1825.

John G. Park vs. John Bankston, case &c. settled & cost paid.

Park & Wilson vs. Benjamin Baker, assumpsit. Settled.

Lester Humphrey vs. Wells Thompson, debt. Settled.

Samuel Philips vs. Wm. D. Byrd, assumpsit. Settled.

Nathl. L. Sturges vs. Thomas W. Williamson, assumpsit. Nonsuit.

William Lampkin, Indorsee, vs. Danl. N. Pitman, Admr., Mary Hammond, Admx. of the estate of Lewis L. Hammond, dec'd, assumpsit. [No ruling given.]

P. 100 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1825.

Nesbit & Combs vs. D. N. Pitman, Admr., Mary Hammond, Admx. of the estate of Lewis L. Hammond, assumpsit. [No ruling given.]

William D. Byrd vs. Frederick Baldwin, assumpsit. We find for the plaintiff \$100.00 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, foreman.

Nathl. L. Sturges vs. Thomas W. Williamson, Assumpsit. [Lined out by clerk.]

Francis Meriweather vs. Nathl. Wofford, Attachment. [No ruling given.]

P. 101 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1825 continued.

Nathl. L. Sturges vs. George Grace, debt for rent. We find for the plaintiff \$100.00 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, foreman.

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In compliance with an order of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, we the undersigned Commissioners have marked out the road to run from Lawrenceville in said County to high shoals on the Alcovy, 1 June 1825. R. Plunket, Wm. Gordon, Aaron Brown. Sworn to before me this 14 June 1825, Edward Featherston, J.I.C.

The within report received & Thomas W. Alexander appointed to contract for the making of a lane through the fields of A. R. Smith & David McWhorter which is to be paid for by the County as soon as funds can be spared.

Ordered that Hosea Camp be & he is hereby appointed Overseer of the poor in Capt. Davis' dist.

Ordered that William Baskin be & he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Hill's dist.

P. 102 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1825 continued.

List of jurors drawn from No. 1 at June term 1825: No. 6: Simon Berry, Henry Cupp, John Pounds, Hiram C. Harris, Sam'l. Bourn, Wm. Scott, Alexr. Wright, Ransom Bennett, Samuel Manders, William Tumblin, Solomon Bridges, Jeremiah Morgan, Asa Reid, Stephen Horton, Charles Randal, Aaron Underwood, Zachariah Day, Joshua Ballard, Allen Jenks, James Hayes, Samuel Jones, Francis Winn, Sam'l. Meloney, Ezekiel Yancey, Frederick McGuire, Clement Carroll, John Berry, Edmond Pearce, Samuel Edmondson, Thomas Wood, Berry Atwood, Henry Mathews, John Wade Asa's son, Step Roberts, Philip Blanchard, Wm. A. Hamilton.

It is ordered by the Court that Thomas W. Alexander be appointed road Commissioner in the 407 Dist., G.M.

Ordered that John Vineyard be appointed a Commissioner of Roads in Capt. Fincher's dist.

Ordered that Henry Curtis be appointed a road Commissioner in Capt. Rice B. Green dist.

Ordered that Josiah Brown be appointed a road Commissioner in Capt. Rollins dist.

P. 103 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1825 continued.

Ordered that Wilmouth Hatcher receive from the Commissioner of the poor of Capt. Robinson's dist., \$5.00

Ordered that Mathew Pindar receive from the Commissioner of the poor of Capt. Moore's dist., the sum of \$5.00

Ordered that Alexander Mackinner receive from the Commissioners of the poor in Capt. Caruther's dist. the sum of \$5.00.

Park & Wilson vs. John Brewster, assumpsit. In the above case, John Brewster came forward and made application for a stay of execution and hereby binds himself together with Benjamin Ivy for the payment of the above judgement agreeable to the statutes, June 17, 1825. John Brewster, Benjamin (X) Ivy. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, C.I.C.

Ordered that John Cook of Capt. Baker's dist. secure from the Commissioners of the poor of said dist. the sum of \$5.00 The Clerk of this Court is further ordered to notify the Commissioners that funds for the poor are now in hand.

Ordered that Andrew Collins who is one of the poor receive out of the County funds \$5.00.

P. 104 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County June term 1825 continued.

Ordered that George Brogden, Robert Montgomery & William Fields be & they are hereby appointed to view the ground and mark a road the nearest & best way from Mathew McRight Ferry on the Chattahoochey (sic) River to the Hog Mountain.

Ordered that John Dillon do receive out of the County funds for guarding the jail \$5.00.

Court adjourned till Court in course. Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

Rec'd. July 11<sup>th</sup> 1825 from Wm. Maltbie Clerk of the Inferior Court \$4.00 which is the amount of an order passed by the Inferior Court March 8, 1825. Benjamin H. Lamkin.

The County of Gwinnett Dr. to B. Ivie. To keeping & maintaining E. Barber 7 days; to keeping & maintaining E. Barber from the 7 to the [blank] of May, 3 days, \$4.70. To turning key, \$2.50. total \$7.20.

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Passed on the within in favor of Benjamin Ivy this 5 Sept. 1825. Jos. Morgan, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Edward Featherston, J.I.C.

P. 105 Inferior Court July 5<sup>th</sup> 1825.

William Cupp vs. John McLain, Habeus Corpus for relief &c. Ordered that the prisoner John McLain be remanded back to jail.

Ordered that James Loughridge D.S. receive out of the County funds \$12.68¾ in the case the State vs. Elijah Barber – passed at May term of the Court of Ordinary 1825.

Inferior Court November 7<sup>th</sup> 1825.

Present, G. M. Gresham, Sam'l. G. Hamilton & Elisha Winn Esqrs.

Ordered that James McLure(sic) and Thomas W. Alexander Esqr. be appointed Commissioners to lay out a road from Lawrenceville to intersect the new road leading from Plunket's Mill to Lawrenceville & as Commissioners of roads have the same opened as far as the District line.

Ordered that Thomas Porter, Asahel (sic) R. Smith & G. W. Lampkin be appointed to lay out a road from the end of Croghan Street in the town of Lawrenceville to intersect with the road leading to Massey's Bridge on Yellow River and that the Commissioners of the roads be directed to have it opened as laid out.

Ordered that James McLure (sic), Wm. Maltbie & Thomas W. Alexander be appointed to lay out a road from the end of Mr. Thomas Beaty's lane by Wm. Maltbie's to the town of Lawrenceville and that the Commissioners of this district be directed to have the same opened in the course laid out by the above mentioned persons and that the old road from that place to the town of Lawrenceville be disannulled. G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Sam'l. G. Hamilton, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 106 Georgia, Gwinnett County, Inferior Court, November 7<sup>th</sup>, 1825.

Present, Elisha Winn, George M. Gresham & Sam'l. Hamilton Esqrs.

Ordered that Drury Thompson receive out of the County funds \$8.00 for boarding [blank] Ferguson an orphan child two months pay W. Maltbie, \$1.00, E. Featherston \$2.00, W. Montgomery \$2.00, J. Wardlaw \$3.00.

Ordered that Edward Featherston receive out of the County funds \$3.00 for putting steps to the Court House.

Ordered that each of the infirm persons now enrolled chargeable to the public, have \$5.00 each, paid to the order of the Overseer of the poor for their relief.

Ordered that the Clerk of this Court pay Nathaniel Nuckolls & Cos order, before any other orders are paid, let them have been passed when they may, together with legal interest on the same from date. G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Sam'l. G. Hamilton, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

Received February 1 1826 from William Maltbie, Clerk of the Inferior Court, \$12.68¾ in full of an order passed May term 1825. Jas. Loughridge.

P. 107 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, December term 1825.

Present, Edward Featherston, Samuel Hamilton, Elisha Winn, George M. Gresham & Joseph Morgan Esquires.

The following jurors having been empaneled, called & sworn, took their seats accordingly. John Pounds, Samuel Meloney, Asa Reid, Stephen Horton, Joshua Ballard, Simon Berry, Henry Mathews, John Berry, John Wade, William A. Hamilton, Charles Randall, Edmond Pearce.

Elijah Jewett vs. Asa A. Turner, Assumpsit. Continued.

William Lamkin, Indorsee vs. Daniel N. Pittman, Adm'r., Mary Hammond, Adm'x. of the estate of Lewis L. Hammond, dec'd. Assumpsit. Dismissed.

P. 108 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County December term 1825, continued.

Nesbit & Combs vs. D. N. Pittman, Adm'r., Mary Hammond, Adm'x. of the estate of Lewis L. Hammond, dec'd. Assumpsit. Dismissed.

Francis Meriweather vs. Nathaniel Wofford, Attachment. Continued.

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John Kennedy vs. Elias Davis, Assumpsit. We find in favor of the Plaintiff \$40.00 with costs of suit. Asa Reid, Foreman.

Jacob McCall vs. Henry Cupp & John Mills, Assumpsit. We confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$75.00 with interest & cost with liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Nathan L. Hutchins, Deft. Attorney.

P. 109 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, December term 1825.

Red & Conyers vs. Lewis Williams, Case. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$300.00 with interest & cost. Hines Holt Jr., Deffts. Attorney.

Wilson Strickland vs. John L. Tippin, Assumpsit. We find for the Plaintiff \$32.00 with interest & cost. Asa Reid, foreman.

Stephen Nolan, Admr. of the estate of Christopher Addison, vs. Joseph Thompson Jr. & Joseph Thompson Senr., Debt. We find for the Plaintiff \$65.78¾ with interest & cost and with liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Nathan L. Hutchins, Deffts. Atty.

George Brogden vs. George Allen & Thomas Allen, Assumpsit. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff of \$100.00 with interest & cost and liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. N. L. Hutchins, Deffts. Attorney.

P. 110 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, December term 1825.

Andrew B. Moore vs. Laban P. Poole, Debt. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$373.91 with interest & cost. Nathan L. Hutchins, Deffts. Attorney.

Elias Benham vs. David McWhorter, Assumpsit. Settled & cost paid.

Benjamin Carr for the use of &c., vs. Isaac N. Young & L. P. Poole, Debt. Continued.

John Treadwell vs. Buckner Harris, Admr. &c., Assumpsit. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$265.00 with interest & cost to be satisfied out of the assets in the hands of the Administrator, if sufficient to be found, if not out of the estate of the Defendant with liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Nathan L. Hutchins, Deft. Attorney.

P. 111 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, December term 1825.

Samuel Baker vs. Thomas W. Williamson &c., Assumpsit. Dismissed.

Willis J. Roan vs. James Bracewell, Debt. We find for the Plaintiff \$1,073.53 with interest & cost. Asa Reid, Foreman.

George Hammond vs. William Howard, Attachment. [No verdict given.]

Red & Conyers vs. Lewis Williams, Case. In this case the defendant by Hines Holt Jr. his attorney, comes forward & claims a stay of execution & gives Joshua Ballard as his security in terms of the law in such case made & provided. Joshua Ballard. William Maltbie, C.I.C.

P. 112 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County December term 1825.

Dillard & Mathews vs. Richard Wilson, Debt. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$75.18¾ with interest & cost. R. Wilson.

William Wardlaw (bearer) vs. Richard Wilson, Case &c. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$86.55 with interest & cost. R. Wilson.

Wilson Stricklin vs. John L. Tippin, Assumpsit. In this case the defendant John L. Tippin craves a stay of execution and binds himself, together with Asahel R. Smith his security, for the amount of said judgement. Jno. L. Tippin, Asahel R. Smith. Attest, William Maltbie, C.I.C.

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Jury No. 7. William Bennett, William Warren, William Abbott, Sam'l. Kite, Henry Lowry, John Defoor, Clinton Webb, Stephen Harris, James F. Rucks, John McMillan, Benj. Carroll, Elias Davis, Benj. S. Smith, John Pucket, Jordon Ginn, Robert B. Camp, William Mathews, Isaac Brumbelo, Thomas Copeland, John Evans, John Segars, John Barnett, John Lee, John Clark, Rhessa Reid, James Lawrence, John Cook, Edward Hill, Jacob Thomas, John L. Tippins, Wiley Bridges, Curtiss Cauley, Allen Blalock, Lazarus Jones, Sam'l. Baker, Sion Pearce.

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Ordered that John Harbin receive out of the County funds \$2.26¼ for costs in the case State vs. Allen Whitehead.

Ordered that Benjamin Ivie receive out of the County funds \$97.08½ for boarding Barber Thompson &c.

Ordered that Edward Featherston receive out of the County funds \$7.62½ for goods furnished prisoners in jail.

P. 114 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

Ordered that a County tax of fifty per cent be laid for 1826 and that the tax collector be directed to collect the same and it is further ordered that 1/8 of this tax be applied for the support of the poor.

Ordered that the Clerk of this Court on a settlement with the tax collector do allow him a credit for all of the executions which he has not been able to collect.

Ordered that the Commissioners of roads in every district in the County direct the Overseers in said districts to have all of the public roads grubbed (sic) twelve feet wide and otherwise put in good order on or before the first Monday in March next or else be fined as the law directs.

Ordered that James Wardlaw do receive out of the County funds \$45.31¼ for articles as per bill rendered January term 1826. Edward Featherston, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 115 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

Rec'd. December 13<sup>th</sup> 1825 from William Maltbie, Clerk of the Inferior Court, \$5.06¼ in full of an order passed by the Inferior Court December term 1824. Young Moore, J.P.

Stephen Nolan, Adm'r. of the estate of Christopher Addison, vs. Joseph Thompson Jr. & Joseph Thompson, Debt. In this case the defendants came forward, paid the cost & waved (sic) an appeal which, having been granted, they bind themselves, with Thomas Ezell as their security, for the eventual condemnation money in terms of the law in such case. December 14, 1825. Joseph Thompson, Joseph Thompson, Tomas (sic) Ezell. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, C.I.C.

John Kennedy vs. Elias Davis, Debt. In this case Elias Davis the defendant craves a stay of execution and binds himself, together with James Crew his security for the amount of said judgement in terms of the law. Elias Davis, Jas. Crew. December 14, 1825. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, C.I.C.

P. 116 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

George Brogden vs. George Allen & Thomas Allen, Debt. In this case George Allen and Thomas Allen, the defendants, crave a stay of execution and bind themselves, together with Benjamin Baker their security, for the amount of said judgement in terms of the law. December 16<sup>th</sup>, 1825. George (X) Allen, Thomas (X) Allen, Benj'n. Baker.

Ordered that Edward Featherston Esq. do receive out of the poor fund \$6.75 as per order of Richard Leverett out of \$12.00 which the County owed said Leverett for boarding Mr. Ferguson's orphan – passed Jan'y term 1826.

Ordered that Richard Leverett do receive out of the fund for the poor \$5.25 for maintaining [blank] Ferguson a poor orphan. Paid, pass'd Jan'y term 1826.

Ordered that Willis Rowland, Thomas Watson & Benjamin Smith be and they are hereby appointed to view the nearest & best way from the Walton line to Gwinnett road that crosses the Appalatchy (sic) at Beauchamp's shoal [Note: all this is crossed out.]

P. 117 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

Ordered that the report of a road made by Robert Montgomery & George Brogden commencing at the Hog Mountain and leading to McRight's ferry on the Chattahoochie (sic) be and the same is hereby accepted.

Ordered that Joshua Ballard, Elijah Nunn, Richard H. Leverett & Richard Watts be & they are hereby appointed Commissioners to view the ground and mark a road the nearest & best way from Lawrenceville to Lewis Williams Bridge on Yellow River & thence a direct course for Henry Court House.

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Ordered that David Garrison, John Vineyard & Walton Bridges be & they are hereby appointed Commissioners to view the ground and mark a road the nearest & best way from Beauchamp shoals on the Appalatchy (sic) to the Walton line, said road to intersect the road leading to Beauchamp Shoals about George Reld(?).

Ordered that Willis Rowland, Thomas Watson & Benjamin Smith be & they are hereby appointed Commissioners to view the ground and mark a road from the Walton line at or near Bolin Whitlow's crossing the Alcovy at Garison's Bridge, on to the Jug Tavern or to intersect the Gwinnett Road leading on to said Jug Tavern about or near Jenk's old mill.

Ordered that William Rucks, an aged & infirm man be released from paying a poll tax in Gwinnett County.

P. 118 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

(Copy). Ordered that Samuel Bolt, Richard S. Watts & John Brewster be appointed Commissioners to let out the building of a bridge at or near Whatley's Ford on Yellow River, they giving twenty day's notice of the time & place (Lawrenceville) ... Signed: G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Edward Featherston, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C. Passed January term 1826.

(Copy). Ordered that Margaret McRight, a lunatic, be put on the poor list & receive her share of the poor fund. Passed January term 1826.

P. 119 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

Rec'd. February 16, 1826 from the Clerk of the Inferior Court the amount of three orders passed by the Inferior Court, one for \$3.00, one for \$7.82½, and one for \$6.75, passed Novr., Dec., & January terms. Edward Featherston.

Rec'd February 16, 1826 from the Clerk of the Inferior Court, the amount of two orders, one for \$7.20, passed September term 1825 and the other for \$97.8½ (sic) passed December term 1825. Benjamin (X) Ivy.

Ordered that James Edmondson, Esqr., be appointed a Commissioner of Roads in Capt. Hill's Dist.

Ordered that Samuel Paschal, Richard H. Leverett & Daniel Camp, Esqr. be appointed Commissioners of Roads in Capt. Harper's Dist.

Ordered that Reuben McClung Esqr. be appointed a Commissioner of Roads in Cupp's Dist.

March 6, 1826.

Rec'd March 27, 1826 from Wm. Maltbie C.I.C., \$2.26¼ in full of an order due me. Signed: John Hoshian(?).

P. 120 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County June term 1826. Present, Edward Featherston, Elisha Winn, George M. Gresham, James McDill & Robert S. Adair, Esqrs.

The following jurors have been called, impaneled & sworn & took their seats accordingly: William Bennett, Samuel Kite, John McMillan, Benjamin S. Smith, John Pucket, Jordon Ginn, William Mathews, John Evans, Rhesa Reid, William Rakestraw (lined out), John L. Tippin, Sion Peirce (sic), Elias Davis.

Benjamin Carr for the use of John M. Thompson, vs. Isaac N. Young & Laban P. Pool: Debt for rent.

George Hammond vs. William Howard: Attachment; dismissed.

Enoch Benson vs. Robert Phillips: Debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$37.20 with interest & cost. Benjamin S. Smith, foreman.

P. 121 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County, June term 1826.

Edward Featherston vs. Stephen T. Ellington, debt. In this case Edward Featherston Esq. retired from the bench. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$134.50 with interest & cost. Benjamin S. Smith, foreman.

William D. Byrd vs. Frederick Baldwin, John Greenwood claimant; Fi fa & claim. Levy dismissed.

William H. Crane & Co. vs. Patrick L. Dunlap; debt. Settled.

Francis Merriweather vs. Nathaniel Wofford; attachment. We the jury find against the plea and find for the plaintiff \$51.60 with interest & cost. Benjamin S. Smith, foreman.

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P. 122 Minutes of the Inferior Court, June term 1826.

Ordered that Drewry Thompson do receive out of the County funds \$8.43¾ for guarding jail. "Paid."

Ordered that Talbert Simms do receive out of the County funds \$9.75 for guarding jail. "Paid."

Ordered that John M. Thompson do receive out of the County funds \$15.50 for iron & lock for jail.

Ordered that James Loughridge Sheriff do receive out of the County funds \$12.00 for bringing Bartlett & Moffit from Jackson County.

Jury No. 8. James Edmondson, Mills Estes, Isham Medlock, John Leverett, Thomas Jones, John R. Medlock, James Garnett, William Smith, Septimus Taylor, Henry B. Thompson, Richard Holt, Arthur Walls, Benjamin Higgins, John Burges, Bentley Reid, Wesley Yancey, Simeon Conger, Benjamin Ivy, Henry Lee, William Hill, John Williamson, Thomas Cox, John Wright, Allen B. Winn, William Fuqua, John Hill Senr., William Ewin, John Hill Junr., Joseph Downey, Thomas McAdams, William Copeland, David Kite, Josiah Fincher, John King.

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Ordered that William Nesbit do receive out of the County funds \$8.50 for guarding (the) jail and repairing the same.

Ordered that Hosea Camp do receive out of the County funds \$3.37½ for furnishing Sarah Nelson a poor person with provisions.

Ordered that Samuel Slate do receive out of the County funds \$8.12½ for guarding the jail. "paid."

Ordered that William P. Hunnicut do receive out of the County funds \$19.00 for work done on the jail moving (?) prisoners &c. "paid."

Ordered that William Mathews do receive out of the County funds \$10.37½ for cost guarding prisoners &c. &c. as per bill rendered.

Ordered that Benjamin Ivy do receive out of the County funds \$211.00 for maintaining in jail Barclay, Moffett, Lanier & Heard as per account rendered.

Ordered that John Stricklin (sic) do receive out of the County funds \$9.75 for guarding the jail. "paid."

P. 124 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

Ordered that Edward Featherston do receive out of the County funds \$5.75 for nails & iron furnished for the jail.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned till Court in course. Attest Wm. Maltbie, Clk. Elisha Winn, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Edward Featherston, J.I.C., James McDill, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C.

Rec'd. June 21<sup>st</sup> 1826, \$3.00 out of an order passed in favor of Drewry Thompson by the Inferior Court at November term 1825. J. Wardlaw.

("Copy"). Georgia, Gwinnett County. Ordered by the Inferior Court Thomas Porter, Asahel R. Smith & G. W. Lampkin be appointed to lay out a road from the end of Croghan Street in the Town of Lawrenceville to intersect with the road leading to Massey's Bridge on Yellow River and that the Commissioners of Roads be directed to have it opened as laid out. Novr. 7th 1825. G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Saml. G. Hamilton, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C.

Agreeably to an order of the Inferior Court passed 7<sup>th</sup> Novr. 1825 we have laid out and marked a road leading from Croghan Street in Lawrenceville & intersecting the road to Massey's Bridge on Yellow River about one mile from the town and we recommend to the Court to have it opened as soon as practicable. Signed: George W. F. Lamkin, Thomas Porter, Asahel R. Smith.

P. 125 Rec'd August 17<sup>th</sup> 1826 of Wm. Maltbie C.I.C. \$10.37½ in full of an order passed in my favor by the Inferior Court at June term 1826. William Mathes.

Inferior Court (extra term) Sep. 4<sup>th</sup> 1826.

Ordered that Elias Baker do receive out of the County funds \$4.37½ the same being the balance of the sale of an estray cow proven by him to have been his own right & property; paid in open court.

Ordered that Rebecca Barton do receive out of the County funds \$20.09, the same being the balance of the sale of an estray horse proven by her to have been her own right & property. Paid in open Court.



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Ordered that Cliffird (sic) Woodruff & Thomas Winn be & they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Roads in Capt. Woodruff's Dist. "Notified."

Ordered that the report of the Commissioners appointed to mark a road from Lawrenceville to Lewis Williams' Bridge on Yellow River be accepted & the same be a public road.

Ordered that Allen B. Winn do receive out of the County funds \$8.58 for expenses cost of himself & justice in the case the State vs. R. & J. Wiggins. Constable \$7.33, Justice \$1.25.

Court adjourned. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk. Signed: Elisha Winn, J.I.C., James McDill, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Robert S. Cash (?), J.I.C.

P. 126 Ordered that the County Treasurer do pay over to the above named Murdock Martin of his order the amount of the above account out of the County funds which now are or may hereafter come into his hands, not otherwise appropriated. "Paid."

Ordered that Richard H. Leveret, Zachariah Lee & Joshua Ballard be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to view the ground and mark a road from the Rock Bridge by Nathan Johnson's & from thence to Tapley Camp's be and the same is hereby accepted.

Ordered that the report of the Commissioners (to wit) Richard H. Leveret, Zachariah Lee, Joshua Ballard & Thomas McGuire laying out a road from the Rock Bridge by Nathan Johnson's & from thence on to Tapley Camp's be and the same is hereby accepted.

Ordered that Simeon Stricklin Esqr. be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Roads in Capt. Hunnicut's Dist.

Ordered that Greenberry Waldrop Esq. be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Roads in Capt. Caruther's Dist.

Ordered that John S. Anderson Esq. be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Roads in Capt. Maddux Dist.

Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk. Signed: Elisha Winn, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C.

P. 127 Inferior Court, Extra Term, Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> 1826.

Ordered that John H. Spruce, John Blalock & James Dollar be and they are hereby appointed to view that ground & mark a road the nearest & best practicable way from, at, or near, Bond's Ferry on the Chattahoochy (sic) River, then the nearest & best way to intersect the Ridge Road leading on to Langston's Mill in Jackson County. Signed: Elisha Winn, J.I.C., James McDill, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C.

("Copy"). Ordered that James Wardlaw & Edward Featherston be appointed to contract for the work to be done agreeable to the above plan "[plan omitted]" or any other that can be made better so as to be plain strong and not too expensive & the County pay the same when money comes to hand to defray the same. 4<sup>th</sup> Sep. 1826. Signed: G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., James McDill, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C.

("Copy.") Ordered that Joseph Depriest be paid \$75.00 for the amount due on the above contract this 6<sup>th</sup> Novr. 1826. Signed: G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., James McDill, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C.

Received Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> 1826 from Wm. Maltbie, Clerk of the Inferior Court, \$75.00 in full of an order passed Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> 1826, by the Inferior Court in my favor, \$6.82½ to be paid to Mr. Plunket. Joseph Depreese(sic).

P. 128 Inferior Court, extra term Novr. 6<sup>th</sup> 1826.

Ordered that William D. Byrd receive out of the County funds \$4.72 for services rendered in the case of the State vs. Wm. A. Pearce. "Paid."

("Copy"). Ordered that the Clerk of the Court receive out of any monies in the County Treasury not otherwise appropriated the amount of fees to which he is entitled by law for entering certificates & advertising all such estrays respecting which the Justices of the Peace in and for said County have made no returns. Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> 1826. Signed: G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., James McDill, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C.

P. 129 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County December term 1826.

Present, Robert S. Adair, George M. Gresham & Asahel R. Smith, Esqrs.

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The following jurors having been empaneled, called & sworn, took their seats for the transaction of business. Willis Rowland, Wm. Rakestraw (Note: an "X" by this name), Young Moore, Benjamin S. Smith, John Horn, John Mills, Wm. Smith, Benjamin Higgins, Isham Medlock, John W. Medlock, Nathaniel Austin, John McMillan, James Nolen (Note: this name added at bottom of list).

John Sparks vs. David Williams; Mortgage fifa.

William H. Underwood vs. Zimah McGuir (sic); debt.

John P. Winn vs. William G. Sikes; assumpsit. Continued.

**P. 130** Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County December term 1826.

John P. Winn vs. Benjamin Fuller; Assumpsit. We the jury find for the defendant with cost of suit, this 11<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1826. Willis Rowland, foreman.

James K. Redd vs. Daniel Camp & Tapley Camp; Case. Dismissed at defendants cost.

Elias Benham vs. John Berry; Debt. Settled at defendants cost.

John Vineyard vs. Obediah Abbott; Debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$55.56 with interest & cost. Willis Rowland, foreman.

James Coldwell vs. William Brewster; Assumpsit. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$64.00 with interest & cost. William Brewster.

**P. 131** Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County December term 1826.

John Banks vs. James Mann; Debt. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$75.00 with interest & cost, 11<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1826. James Mann.

Elisha Winn vs. John Greenwood; Debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$36.00 with interest & cost. Willis Rowland, foreman.

Benjamin Carr vs. George Grace, Wm. Maltbie & Jas. Wardlaw; Debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff against George Grace \$180.00 with interest & cost from the 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1826 & cost of suit. Willis Rowland, foreman.

John H. Richardson vs. Solomon Everett; Debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$150.00 with interest & cost. Willis Rowland, foreman.

Edward H. Hall vs. George Allen; Ca Sa from Justices Court.

**P. 132** Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County December term 1826.

Benjamin Carr vs. Samuel Slate; Debt for rent. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$38.85 with interest & cost. Willis Rowland, foreman.

Jury to try the case (of) Edward H. Hall vs. George Allen. Wm. Loughridge, Asa A. Turner, Benjamin Higgins, Benjamin Ivy, James Nolen, Murdock Martin, Drewry Thompson, Samuel Wardlaw, John Peeples, Aaron Godfrey, William Martin, Thomas Monk.

George Allen, by Park & Russell his attorney, comes into Court & moves the court that he be admitted to swear to the schedule heretofore filed with the Clerk of this Court, he having given notice to E. H. Hall, the Plaintiff in the execution & at whose instance the said George was arrested & also to Edwin Swisher, creditor of the said George, agreeably to the force and effect of an act entitled "an act for the relief of honest debtors." Wherefore, the said plaintiff in execution by Hutchins & Holt, his attos. comes into Court here and saith that the said George ought not to be admitted to swear to the said schedule because he saith & suggests & gives the Court here to understand & be informed that there is fraud & concealment of property, money & effects on the part of the said George and that he, the said George, hath been guilty of the same. It is therefore ordered by the Court that an issue be made

**P. 133** up & tried by a jury of this Court.

John H. Richardson vs. Solomon Everett; Debt. The defendant Solomon Everett comes forward & craves a stay of execution and binds himself, together with Lot Rowden, his security for the amount the judgement rendered against said Solomon Everett together with all costs. December 12<sup>th</sup> 1826. Signed: Solomon Everett, Lot Rowden. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, J.I.C.

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Court adjourned till Court in course. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk. Signed: G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C.

Benjamin Carr vs. George Grace, Wm. Maltbie & James Wardlaw; Debt. The defendant George Grace came forward & craved a stay of execution & binds himself, together with Wm. Maltbie & James Wardlaw, his securities, for the amount of the judgement rendered against said George Grace together with all costs. December 15<sup>th</sup> 1826. Signed: Wm. Maltbie, Jas. Wardlaw.

P. 134 James Coldwell vs. William Brewster; Debt. William Brewster came forward & craved a stay of execution and binds himself, together with John G. Park, his security, for the amount of the judgement rendered against said William Brewster. December 16<sup>th</sup> 1826. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, C.I.C. Signed: William Brewster, John G. Park.

Rec'd. Jan'y 9<sup>th</sup> 1827 from Wm. Maltbie, Clerk of Inferior Court, \$4.72, the amount of an order passed at Novr. Term of the Inferior Court. Signed: Isaac Gilbert for Wm. D. Byrd.

Ordered that the following agreement between the Inferior Court & Hines Holt be entered on the minutes of said Court. Ordered the sum of \$25.00 be paid to Hines Holt for digging up & clearing out & removing the stumps in the public square of Lawrenceville and filling up & levelling the ground when the same shall be taken out, so soon as the said work shall be done and there shall be funds in hand not otherwise appropriated. 13 March 1827.

P. 135 Inferior Court (extra term) January 2, 1827.

Ordered that James Wardlaw receive out of the County funds \$27.37 for books as per bill rendered.

Jurors drawn to serve at the June term of the Inferior Court 1827. Nimrod Pendley, James Lee, Archibald Hamilton Junr., William Thompson, William Wardlaw, Miles Estis, John Wade, David Watson, William Fields, Edward Lee, Edward Brumbelow, Daniel N. Pittman, Jesse Williams, Richard Leverett, Jeremiah Sparks, John Taylor, William Huckabee, James Bradbury, Benjamin Jackson, Michael Thomas, William Abbett, Joseph Coey Jr., Benjamin Carroll, John Thompson, William Ezell, William Tumlin, Saml. Bourne, William Rakestraw, Littleberry Meeks, Allen Burch.

Inferior Court, extra session, March term 1827.

Whereas the Court House of this County is in a state of decay in consequence (of) a deficiency in the cupola & the chimneys of the House which, in time of rain, is the cause of that decay; It is therefore ordered that William Maltbie, the Clerk of this Court be & he is hereby authorized to have the House sufficiently secured from the weather and make out his account for the same. And it is further ordered that the Tax Collector of said County levy a tax of 40 per cent including 8 per cent

P. 136 for the poor tax in collecting the tax of 1826. Signed: Elisha Winn, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., James McDill, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C.

Rec'd. June 5<sup>th</sup> 1827 from William Maltbie, Clerk of the Inferior Court, \$27.37½ in full of an order passed by the Inferior Court Jany. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1827. Signed: Ja. Wardlaw.

P. 137 Minutes of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County June term 1827.

Present, Robert S. Adair, Asahel R. Smith, Elisha Winn, James McDill & George M. Gresham, Esqrs.

The following jurors having been empaneled, called and sworn took their seats accordingly. John Wade, David Watson, Jeremiah Sparks, James Bradbury, John Taylor, Benjamin Jackson, William Abbott, John Thompson, William Rakestraw, Simeon Stricklin, William Downs, William Tumlin.

John P. Winn vs. William G. Sikes; Assumpsit. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$50.62½ with cost of suit. June 11<sup>th</sup> 1827. Jno. M. Thompson, F'n. (Foreman.)

John Sparks vs. David Williams; Mortgage fifa. Continued.

William H. Underwood vs. Zimah McGuir; debt. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$50.00 principal, \$10.67½ interest & \$10.62½ for his cost in this behalf. Signed: Zimah McGuir.

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Tobias Starnes, for the use of Robert Hood vs. John Roper; Debt. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$88.86 principal, with interest and cost with liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Prin. \$88.86, Int. 26.28. Signed: Hutchins & Holt, Defts. Atts.

Edward Featherston vs. James Mann; Debt. Settled at defendants cost.

Robert S. Foster vs. John Foster; Debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$1,500.00 with interest & cost. Jno. M. Thompson, F'n.

Edward H. Hall vs. George Allen; Ca Sa from Justices Court.

P. 139 June term 1827 continued.

Thomas Glen vs. Murdock Martin; Assumpsit. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$57.25 and cost of suit. June 11 1827. Jno. M. Thompson, Forn.

William Wardlaw vs. Richard Wilson, Deft. & Thomas Moon, Claim't.; Claim. Verdict.

Dillard & Mathews vs. Richard Wilson, Deft. & Elisha Winn, Claim't; Claim. Levy dismissed.

One of the bail of Joseph Red, to wit, John P. Hutchins, having surrendered the body of the said Josep (sic) Red into Court in discharge of this bond & recognizance. It is ordered that the said John P. Hutchins be discharged from his bond. June term 1827, Inferior Court.

P. 140 June term 1827 continued.

On motion of counsel, ordered that an original note made by George W. Cooper & William Brewster on which judgement was obtained at the last term of this Court against said Brewster be delivered up by the Clerk to said Brewster, a true copy being retained in office in lieu of the original.

Kinchen Rambo vs. William McLain; Judgement & execution in Justices Court.

Same vs. same. The defendant, having been taken by virtue of two Ca Sas and he having given bond & security for his appearance at the Inferior Court agreeably to the provisions of an act entitled an act for the relief of honest debtors and having failed to appear, it is ordered that judgement be entered up in favor of the plaintiff against the said defendant and Martin Adams, his security on the said bond, for the amount thereof to be satisfied by the payment of the sums due on said Ca Sa, & cost.

Ordered that the petition of sundry subscribers for a road to commence at James Loughridge to cross the Appalatchee at Major Reed's bridge, thence to Laban P. Pool's mill on Alcovey, thence to intersect the Lawrenceville road at or near Raleigh Cupp, be granted & that said road be a public road and to be kept in order by said subscribers and such other persons as choose to work on the same and this is not to exempt any of the persons from the call that they are now subject to (work) on the roads to be kept open in any part of the County.

P. 141 June term 1827 continued.

Jurors drawn to serve at Decr. Term of the Inf. Court, 1827. Wm. Jones, Henry Lowry, Reuben Benson, John Jones, Wm. Scott, Simon Berry, Wm. Warren, Joshua Prichard, Alexr. Wright, Wm. Sikes, Saml. Manders, Frederick McGuire, Ransom Bennett, Jeremiah Morgan, John Pucket, John McMillan, Charles Randle, Joshua Ballard, Stephen Horton, Thomas Jones, Solomon Bridges, Aaron Underwood, Asa Reid, Wm. Cupp, Obadiah Glasgow, Allen Jencks, Saml. Kite, James Cochran, Saml. Jones, Joshua Hill, Saml. Maloney, Joshua Estes, David Kennemore, Wm. McLain, Larkin Green, John Mattocks.

Ordered that John Clowers be a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Caruther's Dist. in place of Wm. Loughridge, resigned. Court adjourned till Court in course. Signed: Robert S. Adair, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C.

("Omitted for want of room.") Ordered that the report on oath of John Blalock, James Dollar & John H. Spruce, Commissioners appointed to view the ground and mark a road the nearest & best practicable way from at or near Bond's Ferry on the Chattahoochee River, then the nearest & best way to intersect the Ridge Road, leading on to Langston's Mill in Jackson County, be accepted.

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William Wardlaw, plff. vs. Richard Wilson, Deft. & Thomas Moore, Claim't; Claim. The Plaintiff, William Wardlaw, comes forward & craves an appeal and binds himself, together with Alston Boyd, his security, for

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the eventual condemnation money. June 15<sup>th</sup> 1827. Attest, Wm. Maltbie, Clk. Signed: William Wardlaw by John G. Park, his atty., Alston Boyd.

Ordered by the Court that \$40.00 be appropriated to build a bridge across Sweetwater on the main road from Lawrenceville to Decatur, said bridge to be kept in good repair for five years and that Thomas Winn, Wm. Nesbit, John Boring, Ezekiel Mathews & John F. Dodds be appointed Commissioners to superintend the same. Signed: G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., A. R. Smith, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C., James McDill, J.I.C.

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Ordered that the report of the Commissioners appointed to lay out a new road from Gates' Ferry Road near Griffith's or Holt's and crossing Yellow River at Williams Bridge then running toward Echols on the Hightower Trail as far as this County line, be and the same is hereby accepted

Ordered that the report of the Commissioners appointed to lay out a new road from Lawrenceville to Walton County line by William Norris be and the same is hereby accepted.

Ordered that the report of the Commissioners making an alteration in the Peach tree road, from or near Bethel Meeting House to Capt. Rice B. Green's or near said Green's on the Peach Tree road be accepted.

(Copy) Ordered by the Court that the Clerk do pay over to the several overseers of the poor in the County the several sums due them out of any funds in his hands not otherwise appropriated. Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> 1827. Signed: G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C.

Ordered by the Court that the within account (on file) laid in by Benjamin Ivie for maintaining Negro Jack & Thomas Cates amounting to \$11.65 be accepted & paid by the Clerk. Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> 1827. Signed: Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C.

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Ordered that Charles McHugh, William Montgomery & Cliffird (sic) Woodroof Esqrs. do each receive out of the County funds \$4.00 for services rendered the County in examining the books of the Clerk of the Inferior Court.

Ordered that the report of the Commissioners laying off a road leading from Plunkett's Mill on the Alcovy River to Williams' Bridge on Yellow River be & the same is hereby accepted.

Ordered that the report of the Commissioners appointed to lay off a road from or near Whatley's Ford on Yellow River to the DeKalb County line be accepted. Com. Issued for Lovelass Dist.

Ordered that William Maltbie receive out of the County funds \$17.43¾ for books &c., &c. as free bill on file.

Ordered that Thomas Johnson, Robert Day & Zachariah Cauley be & they are hereby appointed Commissioners to lay off a road the nearest & best way from the bridge near Whatleys ford to the Walton line in a direction for Monroe Court House.

**P. 145 Inferior Court December term 1827.**

Present, Asahel R. Smith, Elisha Winn, Robert S. Adair & George M. Gresham, Esqrs.

The following jurors having been called, empaneled & sworn to their seats accordingly. Sam'l Meloney, Thomas Chambers, Wm. W. Downs, James Berry (lined out), Jeremiah Morgan, John Foster, Allen Jencks, Solomon Bridges, Stephen Horton, John McMillan, Joshua Estes, John Mattocks, Sam'l Manders.

Thornton & Herndon vs. Richard Richardson; Debt. I acknowledge service of the within declaration, wave process & con. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$63.28 with interest & cost & liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Signed: Richard Richardson by his atto: Elisha W. Chester.

Talbot R. Remington vs. John O'Meard; debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$486.31¼ with interest & cost. John McMillan, for'n.

**P. 146 December term 1827, continued.**

Russell & Boyd vs. John C. Lows; Debt. Settled.

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Henry Terrell vs. Richard B. Robinson; Case. Continued by defendant with leave to amend the plea.

James L. Mayson vs. Richard Plunket; debt. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$198.00 with interest & cost of suit. December 11<sup>th</sup> 1827. Signed: R. Plunket.

Archibald Gray vs. Benjamin Towers; debt. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$35.00 principal together with the interest & cost of suit. 10<sup>th</sup> December 1827. Signed: Benjamin Towers.

P. 147 December term 1827 continued.

John Underwood vs. David Watson; assumpsit. Continued.

Elijah Nunn (for the use of Joshua Ballard) vs. Stephen Brumley; debt. Settled at Defendant's cost.

Green & Buchanan vs. John King; case. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$200.00 with interest & cost. Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> 1827. John McMillan, form'n.

Benjamin Massey for the use of Thomas Robinson vs. Randal Williams; debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$87.16½ with interest & cost. John McMillan, Form'n.

P. 148 December term 1827 continued.

Clemacus R. Zachry vs. James Z. Herington & Jessee Powel; debt &c. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$30.00 principal & \$4.25 with cost of suit with the liberty of appeal. 10<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1827. Hutchins & Holt, attys. For Defendants.

Russell & Boyd vs. William Whorton; debt. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$62.59 principal with interest & cost of suit. 10<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1827. Signed: William Whorton.

Edward Featherston vs. Robert Day & Samuel Day; Debt. We confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$46.37½ for principal with interest & cost. December 11, 1827. Robt. Day, Samuel Day.

Edward Carroll for the use of Hudson H. Allen vs. Vining Cooper; debt.

I confess judgement for the Plaintiff for \$95.00 with interest & cost. Signed: Vining Cooper.

P. 149 December term 1827 continued.

Russell & Boyd, bearers, vs. John Greenwood; Case. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$40.60 principal with interest & cost. 10<sup>th</sup> December 1827. John McMillan, Form'n.

John Sparks vs. David Williams; Mortgage fi fa. Dismissed at Plaintiff's cost.

Edward Carroll for the use of Hudson H. Allen vs. Vining Cooper; debt. The defendant Vining Cooper craves a stay of execution & binds himself, with John S. Head & James Gordon his securities for the amount of the judgement rendered in this case. Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> 1827. (Signatures of) Vining Cooper, John S. Head, James Gordon.

P. 150 December term 1827 continued.

Clem R. Zachry vs. James T. Herrington & Jessee Powel; debt &c. It appearing that the above action was instituted on a note for a sum which is payable only & recoverable in a Justices Court – therefore ordered that the Plaintiff is not entitled to more cost than would have accrued in a Justices Court and that the Clerk be directed to retain the remainder of the cost out of the principal sum when collected.

Russell & Boyd vs. William Whorton; debt. The defendant, William Whorton, craves a stay of execution and binds himself, together with Wiley Bridges, his security, for the amount of the judgement rendered in this case. Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> 1827. (signatures) William Whorton, Wiley Bridges.

Edward Featherston vs. Robert Day & Samuel Day; debt. The defendants Robert Day & Samuel Day crave a stay of execution and bind themselves, together with Allen L. Jencks, their security, for the amount of the judgement rendered in this case. Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> 1827. (Signatures of) Robert Day, Samuel Day, Allen L. Jinks.

P. 151 December term 1827 continued.

John P. Winn vs. Sherwood Stroud; Ca sa from Justices Court. The jury finds that there has been fraud and concealment on the part of said defendant & that he ought not to be discharged or admitted to swear to said schedule. On motion of counsel for said Plaintiff it is ordered and adjudged that the said Defendant be deemed in the custody of the Sheriff & that he be imprisoned until a full & fair disclosure of

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all the property, money or effects be made by the said defendant and until he shall have given the necessary notice according to the statute. Signed: Elisha Winn, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C.

Clemacus R. Zachry vs. James T. Herrington & Jessee Powel; debt &c. The defendants, James T. Herrington & Jessee Powel crave a stay of execution & bind themselves, together with Henry Powel, their security, for the amount of the judgement rendered in this case. Signed: James T. Herrington, Jesse (X) Powell, Henry Powell.

P. 152 James L. Mayson vs. Richard Plunket; debt. The defendant Richard Plunket craves a stay of execution and binds himself, together with James Plunket, his security, for the amount of the judgement rendered in this case. Signed: Richard Plunkett, Jas. Plunkett.

Ordered that Mrs. Wilmouth Hatcher receive out of the County \$20.00 to be paid to the overseer of the poor in Capt. Strong's Dist. Jan. 14, 1828. Signed: Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C.

(Copy). Ordered that James Wardlaw receive out of County funds \$14.25 for sundries as per bill rendered.

Ordered that James C. Loughridge receive out of County funds \$3.50 for an account (of) the State vs. Thos. Cates.

Ordered that Richard Garret receive out of County funds \$0.75 for attending as a witness in the State vs. Negro Jack. Signed: A. R. Smith, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C.

P. 153 (Copy) Nov. 15, 1827. We accept of the alteration of the road as leaving the old Shallow ford at the eight mile post and crossing Turner's Mill Creek at the Rock Bridge or ford and intersecting the Peach Tree road at or near Mr. Goods. Signed: G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C.

(Copy) We have appointed Isaac Gilbert & James McDill Commissioners of roads for Capt. McGinness dist. You will please issue Commissions to that effect. 18<sup>th</sup> Feb. 1828. Signed: Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C.

(Note: Next follows an "account" type of arrangement, where the names on the left seem to have had funds paid to their care to those named in the center portion; this is "Names of Persons on the Poor List" as shown at the top of the following page.)

Mary Higgins & Reuben Higgins, \$10.00 for each. Paid to R. Holcombe Sep. 1831, \$5; paid to Wm. Richardson, Dec. 1, 1832, \$10; paid to Wm. Richardson, Dec. 1, 1833, \$10; paid to Wm. Richardson, Jany. 1834, \$10; paid to Wm. Richardson, Dec. 26, 1834, \$20; paid to Wm. Richardson, Jany. 4, 1836, \$20.

Chas. & Rebecca Walls, put on Dec. 13, 1831. Paid Charles Walls, Jany. 1832, \$10; paid Charles Walls, March 1832, \$10; paid Charles Walls, Jany. 7, 1833, \$20.

Peggy Smith, May 1832. Paid to Geo. Brogden, Sep. 13, 1832, \$10; paid to Geo. Brogden, Feb. 5, 1833, \$10. "Deceased."

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Wm. Flanagan. Paid to Rucker Maulden, Sep. 7, 1830, \$10; paid to Benjamin Gholson, March 1831, \$10; paid to B. Gholson, Jany. 1832, \$10; paid to Susan Flanagan, April 1833, \$10; paid to order of Rucker Maulden, April 1834, \$10.

Alex'r. McNier. Paid Daniel Liddell, 1831, \$30; paid Daniel Liddell, 1832, \$30; paid Daniel Liddell, 1833, \$30; paid to Alex'r McNier, 1834, \$30; paid to Dan'l Liddell, 1835, \$60; paid to Moses Liddell, 1836, \$60.

John Guthrie. Paid Wm. Green, overseer, May 1831, \$10; paid Wm. Green, overseer, March 1832, \$10; paid John Mills, Feby. 1833, \$10.

Rebecca Oliver, "dead." Paid to Geo. Brogden overseer, March 1831, \$10; paid to Geo. Brogden, Jany. 1832, \$10; paid to Geo. Brogden, Feby. 5, 1833, \$10; paid to Geo. Brogden, Feb. 5, 1834, \$10; paid to Geo. Brogden, Jany. 1835, \$10; paid to Geo. Brogden, Jany. 1836, \$10.

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Kiziah Pruet, "removed." Paid to George Brogden, overseer, ten dollars, March 1831; paid to Geo. Brogden, Jany. 1832, \$10; paid to Geo. Brogden, Feby. 5, 1833, \$10; paid to Geo. Brogden, Feby. 5, 1834, \$10.

Elizabeth McLendon. "March term 1837, allowed fifteen dollars a year." Paid to R. J. Watts, overseer, May 1831, \$10; paid to Benj. W. Maddux, overseer, March 1832, \$10; paid to B. W. Maddux, April 1833, \$10; paid to John Mills, April 1834, \$10; paid to Miles Langley, May 1835, \$10; paid to Henry Lee, Jany. 23, 1837, \$5; paid to Geo. Brogden, March 14, 1837, \$10; paid to Geo. Brogden, Jany. 27, 1838, \$15.

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Mrs. W. Hatcher. Rec'd from W. Rowland, Esq, overseer, in 1825 & 1826, \$5 (each year); received from George Brogden in 1827, \$20; received from George Brogden (no year or amount given); "deceased."

Mathew Pindar. Rec'd. from John Blalock overseer in 1825, \$5; Rec'd from George Brogden overseer in 1826, \$5; rec'd from George Brogden overseer in 1827, \$5; rec'd from George Brogden overseer in 1828, \$10; rec'd from George Brogden overseer in 1828 (sic) \$10; paid to George Brogden overseer in 1829, \$10; paid to George Brogden overseer in 1830, \$10; "See page 281."

John Cook. Rec'd from Esq. Jones overseer in 1825, \$5.

Andrew Collins. Rec'd from Esq. Blalock overseer 1825, \$5; rec'd from George Brogden overseer 1826, \$5.

Alexr. McNier. Rec'd from G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., 1825, \$5; rec'd from G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., 1826, \$5; rec'd by his own order, 1827, \$5; paid to J. M. Thompson by order, 1828, \$5; paid as per his own receipt for 1829, \$10; paid as per his own receipt for 1830, \$10; paid to Daniel Liddell as per rec't, 1830, \$20. "See page 154."

John Ferguson. Paid to E. Featherston by R. H. Leveret, order, 1826, \$6.25.

Nimrod Jolly. Paid to order of N. Jolly, 1826, \$5.

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Margaret McRight. Rec'd from Esq. Rowland overseer, 1825, \$5; paid to Jordon Ginns, order (keeper), 1826, \$5; paid to Esq. Rowland, order (overseer), 1827, \$5.

Mahaney Sizemore. Paid to Mathias Bates, order (overseer), 1826, \$5; paid to Mathias Bates (overseer), 1827, \$5; paid to Mathias Bates (overseer), 1828, \$5; paid to Abigail Sizemore, Decr. 1828, \$5; paid to Abigail Sizemore, May 1829, \$5.

Cyrene Oscar. (Nothing entered).

Lucy Story. Paid to Thomas Jones, order (overseer), 1827, \$5.

R. Witherington. Paid to R. Witherington, 1827, \$5.

Jemima Bishop, put on Jan'y 1828. (Carried to page 158.) Paid to the order of Willis Rowland, overseer, \$5; paid to Wm. Robertson, who supports her, Jan'y 1829, \$5; paid to Wm. Robertson, who supports her, 1829, \$5; paid to Wm. Robertson, who supports her, 1830, \$10.

Keziah Pruett, put on Jan'y 1828. Rec'd from George Brogden (overseer), 1828, \$5; paid to Geo. Brogden (overseer), 1829, \$5; paid to George Brogden (overseer), 1829, \$5; paid to George Brogden (overseer), 1830, \$10.

Wm. R. Weaver, put on May 1828. Paid to Mathias Bates (overseer), 1828, \$5; paid to M. Bates (overseer &c.), Feb'y. 10, 1829, \$10; paid to the order of Wm. R. Weaver, Feb'y 20, 1829, \$10.

Susannah Cooper, put on Sept. 1829. Paid to Reuben McClung, overseer Novr. 1828, \$5; paid to Richard J. Watts, overseer, March 1829, \$10; pid to Richard J. Watts, overseer Sept. 1829, \$5; paid to R. J. Watts, overseer, March 1830; paid to R. J. Watts, overseer Jan'y 1831, \$10; paid to Wm. Page, Jan'y 1832, \$10; paid to James Lawrence, Feby. 1833, \$10.

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Jonathan Swan. Paid to Nathan Johnson, overseer Jan. 1829, \$5; paid to Nathan Johnson, March 1829, \$5; paid to Wm. Page, Feb'y 1830, \$10; paid to Wm. Page, Jan'y. 1831, \$10; paid to Wm. Page, Jan'y. 1832, \$10; paid to Wm. Page, Jan'y. 1833, \$10. "Carried to page 282."



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Francis Allen. Paid to George Brogden, overseer, May 1829, \$10; paid to George Brogden, overseer, Jan'y. 1830; paid to George Brogden, overseer, March 1831; paid to G. Brogden, Jan'y. 1832, \$10; paid to Geo. Brogden, Feb'y. 5, 1833, \$10; paid to Geo. Brogden, Feb'y. 4, 1834, \$10.

Elizabeth Bagley. Paid to George Brogden, overseer, \$10 per annum from May 1829 to Jan'y. 1836.

Rich'd. Bennett. Paid to Richard J. Watts, overseer, Sept. 1829, \$6; paid to R. J. Watts, overseer, June 1830, \$10; paid to R. J. Watts, overseer, Jan'y. 1831, \$10; paid to Benj. W. Maddux, overseer, March 1832, \$10; paid to Nancy Bennett, \$10 per annum from Feb'y. 1833 to Jan'y. 1836.

Mahany Sizemore. Paid to Abigail Sizemore, Jan'y. 1830, \$15; five of the above for 1829; paid to Abigail Sizemore, Jan'y. 7, 1831, \$10.

Elizabeth Boatright, "illegitimate child." Paid to Elizabeth Boatright, Jan'y. 1830, \$10.

Wm. Rucks. To cash paid Ann Rucks for 1829, \$10; to cash paid Ann Rucks for 1830, \$10; to cash paid Westley Rucks for 1831, \$10.

P. 158 Amount of poor tax collected in years following.

Collected in the year 1825: \$69.00; collected in the year 1826: \$68.88; collected in the year 1827: \$72.00.

Jemima Bishop. Paid to Wm. Robertson for 1826, \$10; carried to new minutes.

Nancy Criswell. Paid to Richard J. Watts, overseer, Sept. 1830, \$10; paid to Richard J. Watts, overseer, Jan'y. 1831, \$10; (paid Henry Turner for Feby. 3, 1831 to Feby. 3, 1832, \$30; all this is lined out); paid Benjamin W. Maddux, overseer of poor, March 1832, \$10; paid Benjamin W. Maddux, overseer of poor, April 1833, \$10; paid to John Mills, overseer of poor, April 1834, \$10; paid to Fowler & Coker in July & Nov. 1835, \$10.

Mary Dial & Joshua Johnson. Paid to Wm. Green, overseer, July 26 1830, \$10; paid to Henry Turner from Feby. 3 1831 to Feby. 3, 1832, \$30; paid to Wm. Green overseer from Feby. 3, 1832 to Feb. 1833, \$30; paid to Wm. Green overseer from Feby. 3, 1833 to Feb. 1834, \$10; paid to John Baker overseer from Feby. 4, 1834, \$10; paid to John Baker overseer from March 10, 1835, \$10; paid to John Baker from May 2, 1836, \$10.

Rachel Kinney. Paid Rebecca Kinney for 1832 & 1833, Jany. 14, 1833, \$20; paid Rebecca Kinney for the year 1834, \$10; paid Rebecca Kinney Jany. 1835, \$10; paid Rebecca Kinney Jany. 23, 1836; paid Rebecca Kinney March 2, 1836; paid Rebecca Kinney June 12, 1836, \$10.

Nancy Seables. Paid to Thomas Garner for 1829 & 1830, \$20; paid Thomas Garner for 1831, \$20; paid Thomas Garner for 1832, \$10; paid Thomas Garner, March 1832, \$10; paid Thomas Garner Jany. 1833, \$20; paid Thomas Garner, Jany. 1834. ("Carried to new minutes" written between this entry and the next.)

Jemima Bishop. Paid to Wm. Robertson for 1831, 1832, 1833, 1834 & 1835, \$10 each year.

P. 159 Inferior Court Extra (term) March 4, 1828.

Ordered that Joseph Morgan & David Tanner are appointed Commissioners of Roads in Capt. Tuggle's Dist.

Ordered that the part of the Jefferson Road that crosses the Little Mulberry above Anthony's Mill be annulled say from the fork that leads to the said Anthonys Mill to the Jackson County line and the road in the future be turned by the said Anthonys Mill, the same to be cleared out by him, the said Anthonys (sic) and further ordered that the said Anthony receive out of the County treasury for the building of a bridge across his mill dam, \$20, which bridge said Anthony is to keep in good repair five years.

Ordered that Robert Craig, John Stewart, Simeon Stricklin & Nathaniel Austin be appointed Commissioners to lay off and run out a road agreeably to the petition within, leaving the Decatur Road at the lower end of James Austin's plantation and to intersect the Whatley Ford near Pews Creek and that the overseer R. Craig do immediately proceed to open & cut out the same when marked out by said Commissioners. It is further ordered that the Whatley Ford Road from the point where it leaves the Rock Bridge Road to Pews Creek be discontinued.

Ordered that the Clerk of this court pay to George Brogden overseer of the poor in Capt. Strong's Dist. \$10 for Mathew Pindar in addition to what he now receives.

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P. 160 March extra term continued.

Ordered that the report of Commissioners laying off a road from James Gilbert's on by the entrenchment Spring following Clemons trail to the Hog Mountain Road be accepted.

Ordered that the old Ellison Road commencing at Walton line and running to the Rock Bridge be opened & put in good order.

Ordered that Azariah Noel be appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt (blank) District in place of H. Garmany. G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C.

(Copy) Ordered that the collector levy and collect one eighth of the general tax for the use of the poor in the tax for 1827. March 3, 1828. G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C.

Ordered that the road leading from Rock Bridge commonly called the Jackson Road be altered so as to pass by Nathan Johnson's, there taking a left hand which is the commonly frequented road to Born's Mill on the old road.

P. 161 (Copy) Ordered that the within report be rejected and, as the order on which it is founded was obtained by misrepresentation and some persons concerned in the road appear to be dissatisfied and no arrangement can be made which will be satisfactory to all – It is hereby resolved that the said order issuing to the Commissioners named within be revoked and that the part of the road which was discontinued by said order be reestablished agreeably to an original order. 8 March 1828. G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C.

The above order has reference to an order passed by the Inferior Court appointing Simeon Stricklin (sic), Robt. Craig, N. Austin & John Stewart Commissioners to alter the Decatur Road from James Austin's &c. &c.

(Copy) Ordered that Allen Walker, Allen Jenks & George Buchannan be appointed Commissioners to lay off and mark a public road from Brewster's Bridge in the direction of Monroe, Walton County, so far as this County line, said Commissioners to act in concert with such as may be appointed on the part of Walton County as regards the place of crossing the County line. Also ordered that the Commissioners report their proceedings herein to this Court with the least possible delay. Said Commissioners are appointed in room of Robert Day, Zachariah Cauley & Thomas Johnson, who have refused to serve. Elisha Winn, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., John Boring, J.I.C.

P. 162 (Copy) Ordered that James Wardlaw receive out of the County funds \$14.28 for record books as per bill rendered & passed by the Inferior Court & filed.

Ordered that the Clerk of the Inferior Court be entitled to receive as compensation for extra services the sum of (blank) per year since he received the last payment by order of the Inferior Court of one and one half per cent on all monies rec'd. and paid out. May 5, 1828. Elisha Winn, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C.

List of jurors drawn to serve at June term of the Inferior Court 1828. Wm. Loughridge, James Hays, Wm. Smith, John Wright, Thomas B. Turner, John Cook, Allen Blalock, James Nolen, Sion Pearce, Wm. Mathews, Reddick Rhames, Lazarus Jones, Edward Hill, Rhesa Reid, Step. Roberts, Jacob Thomas, Ephraim Salmon, Wm. Rucks, Samuel Edmonson, John Burgess, Henry B. Thompson, Joel Jones, Joseph Watson, John L. Tippin, Wm. A. Hamilton, John Harrold, Saml. Baker, Wylie Bridges, Gadwell Pearce, Wm. Campbell, Stephen Harris, John Lee, Wm. Babb, John Pounds, John Berry, John Segars.

P. 163 Inferior Court, June term 1828.

Present, George M. Gresham, Robert S. Adair, John Boring & Asahel R. Smith, Esqrs.

The following jurors having been called, empannelled & sworn, took their seats accordingly: Gadwell Pearce, Wm. Loughridge, John McMillan, John Wright, James Nolen, Asa Reid, Wm. M. Downs, Simon Berry, Balaam Bridges, Ransom Bennett, Richard Leverett, John Brooks.

Henry Terrell vs. Richard Robinson; Case. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$100 with interest & cost. Richard H. Leverett, For.

Kinchen Rambo vs. Wm. McLain & Martin Adams; Fi fa illegality. Illegality over ruled.

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John P. Winn vs. Wm. G. Sikes; Ca sa. Judgement.

P. 164 June term 1828 continued. Nathan L. Hutchins vs. Jehu Cates; capeus ad satis faciendum from Justices Court. It appearing to the Court that the Defendant was arrested under the above Ca sa by John Proctor, a constable of this County and failed & refused to take legal & sufficient bail in said case & Aaron Underwood, being bound for the appearance of the defendant at no particular court as the law requires. On motion it is ordered that the Plff. Be permitted to enter up instanter judgement against the defendant & the said John Proctor as special bail in terms of the statute in such case made & provided.

Henry Terrell vs. Richard Robinson; Case. The defendant, Richard Robinson, came forward & craved an appeal and binds himself, together with William Brewster, for the amount of the eventual condemnation money. Signed: R. B. Robinson, Wm. Brewster, by Wm. Maltbie.

Ordered that William Crown receive out of the County funds \$5 for work done on the Public Springs.

John P. Winn vs. Isham Kimbrell; Ca Sa. Judgement.

P. 165 June term 1828 continued.

Jordan Odum for the use of John T. Winn vs. Ferdinand Odum; Ca Sa from Justices Court. John P. Winn vs. Jordan Odum & Ferdinand Odum, Ca Sa from Justices Court.

A motion was made by counsel for the Plaintiff to make the Constable Balam J. Bridges who arrested the defendant on 29 May last within 20 days of the sitting of this Court liable as special bail for not taking a bond in pursuance & agreeable to an act entitled "an act for the relief of honest debtors," etc. Signed: Elisha Winn, J.I.C., Asabel R. Smith, J.I.C., R. S. Adair, J.I.C., Geo. M. Gresham, J.I.C., John Boring, J.I.C. Court adjourned.

P. 166 John T. Winn vs. Jordan Odum, Ferdinand Odum (Jordan Odum for the writ); Ca Sa, Justices Court &c. John T. Winn vs. Ferdinand Odum, Ca Sa Justices Court.

In these cases the defendants Jordan Odum & Ferdinand Odum came forward & craved a stay of execution & gave in conjunction with themselves as security for the eventual condemnation money Christopher Odum & Balaam J. Bridges, the last of whom was made special bail by the Court. June 11, 1828. Signed: Balaam J. Bridges, Ferdinand Odum, Christopher Odum.

John T. Winn vs. Isom Kimbrell; Ca Sa, from a Justices Court. In this case the defendant Isom Kimbrell & John Conine his security craves a stay of execution & hereby bind themselves for the amount of the judgement & costs in the above case. June 13, 1828. Signed: John Conine.

Ordered that Phillip B. Hargis is appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Howel's Dist.

P. 167 Gwinnett Inferior Court, extra term July 7, 1828.

Ordered that Philo Hall receive out of the County funds \$15 for services rendered John Ferguson one of the poor.

Ordered that Charles W. Rawson receive out of the County funds \$6 for locks furnished for the jail. Signed: Elisha Winn, J.I.C., G. M. Gresham, J.I.C., A. R. Smith, J.I.C., John Boring, J.I.C.

Ordered that William Green be appointed an overseer or Commissioner of roads in Capt. Bobo's Dist. In the place of Thomas Worthy.

Ordered that \$20 be appropriated towards building a bridge across the Yellow River at Isham Williams'.

(Copy) Extra term Inferior Court 1828. From the presentments of the last Grand Jury and also divers other complaints we are informed that the public roads of the County are in a bad state of repair -- We therefore order that the Clerk of the County make out a written summons for each Commissioner of Dists. and cause the same to be served & returned requiring them to be and appear at the Court House on the first Tuesday in Sept. next there to show cause why a judgement may not be entered against them as defaulters.

P. 168 The report of Dan'l Liddell, Adam Hoyle, Alex'r. Brown & David Burge, Commissioners appointed to lay off a road from Wells Thompson's plantation on the west side of Yellow River or between the 5 & 6

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mile post on the Decatur Road & thence to the County line in the direction of the Shallow ford, has been received and sanctioned by the Inferior Court as appears by the following order.

(Copy) July 29, 1828 – Extra term Inferior Court.

The above & foregoing petition [petition filed] and report are received, sanctioned and adopted & the said road required to be registered on the list of public roads of & for said County.

P. 169 Habeus Corpus Court, August 26, 1828.

Present, Asabel R. Smith, George M. Gresham & Robert S. Adair, Esqrs.

J. P. Pentecost & Co. vs. Jos. Randolph; Habeus Corpus, prayed at the instance of Jos. Randolph. Ordered that the applicant be discharged & that the plaintiff pay the cost, the defendant legally satisfying the Court that he is unable to pay the cost that has accrued on the same. 26 Aug 1828, Court Adjourned.

P. 170 Inferior Court, Sept. 1, 1828.

Ordered by the Court that \$10 be appropriated in addition to the former appropriation for repairing the bridge across Yellow River at Isham Williams on the Shallow ford Road and also \$8 to furnish plank to cover a bridge across the Alcovy at Mr. Monks Mill. Be it further ordered that the two above mentioned bridges shall hereafter be public bridges & kept up by the overseers only when assisted by the Court.

Ordered that the Clerk of this Court pay over to George Brogden, overseer of the poor in Capt. \_\_\_\_ Dist. \$10 for the use of Mathew Pindar, one of the poor.

Court adjourned 'til tomorrow morning, 9 o'clock.

P. 171 Inferior Court, Extra term, Sept. 2, 1828.

Ordered that Noah Strong of Capt. Strong's Dist., be appointed a Commissioner of roads.

Ordered that Thomas Chambers be appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Winningham's Dist.

Ordered that the road which runs from Lawrenceville by Richard Plunket's to Watkinsville known by the name of the Watkinsville Road shall be kept open where said road now runs.

Ordered that George Jones Esqr. be appointed a Commissioner of roads in place of Christopher Woodroof resigned.

(Copy) A plan of the roads to be carried into effect by the Commissioners of roads in this County. It is ordered that the public roads in this County be opened 20 feet wide and ditched where necessary – the bed of the road made 12 feet wide – grubbed – the stumps cut as near even the earth as possible – the roots taken up – the washes turned into a ditch or ditches – the swamps, branches & mudholes to be causeway'd & covered with bushes & dirt – the necessary bridges & abutments to be made of timber laid close – the roads to be measured & posted from the Court House – a sign board of direction to be put up at each fork of the road – and it is further ordered that one copy of this order be furnished to each district – and lastly it is further ordered that this Court adjourn to the second Tuesday in December next, when a rule absolute will positively pass against all defaulters failing to comply with this order.

P. 172 September term, continued.

Ordered that the petition of divers citizens praying the revocation of an order laying off a road from or near Bethel Meeting House to Rice B. Green's or near said Green's be granted – and that the old Peach Tree Road be & remain the public road as formerly. Court adjourned to 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday in December.

Ordered that Lewis Williams be appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Maddox or the Rock Bridge Dist. In the place of Samuel Paschal.

P. 173 Inferior Court extra term November 4, 1828.

Ordered that the Clerk of the Court employ an attorney to commence an action against Francis Hopkins on his bond given to the Justices of the Inferior Court for the maintenance of a bastard child belonging to Temperance Williams.

Jurors sworn to serve at December term of the Inferior Court, 1828. Lawrence Bankston, Samuel Day, James Mann, John Carter, James Lanier, N. H. Dunbar, Wm. Hays, Anderson Arnold, David Spence, Clairborn Vaughn, Thomas Glen, Abraham Martin, Geo. Richardson, Benj. Towers, Horatio C. Bailey,

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Thornton Mead, Jesse Warren, Austin Hide, Jas. Penington (sic), John Perry, John Lambert, Wm. Holland, Hosea Cole, Jesse Kee, Henry Summerlin, Wm. Starnes, Eli Dempsey, James C. Reid, Sam'l Antony, Levi Dempsey, James Rice Sen., Francis Mathews, Jas. Griswold, Jas. Cooper, Solomon Everett, Ben. Brand.

Ordered that Wm. W. Downs receive \$8 out of the County funds for services rendered in summoning Commissioners of roads.

P. 174 Inferior Court December term, 1828.

Present, Robert S. Adair, Asahel R. Smith & Elisha Winn Esqrs.

The following jurors empannelled & sworn took their seats accordingly: Eli Dempsey, Levi Dempsey, Gavey H. Price (lined out), Larry Bankston, John Carter, N. H. Dunbar, Wm. W. Downs, John Lambert, James Lanier, Williams (sic) Bennett, Edmond B. Thompson, Benjamin Towers, Laban P. Poole.

Camak & Ragland vs. James Bradbury; Assumpsit. We the jury find for the plaintiffs \$44.80 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, form.

Drewry Silva Indorsee vs. Luke Panel, maker & Asa Reid, Indorser; Assumpsit. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$145 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, Foreman.

P. 175 Inferior Court December term 1828, continued.

John Winters vs. Samuel Manders; Debt. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$38 with interest & cost & liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Samuel Manders by his attorney Elisha W. Chester.

Nathan L. Hatchins vs. Tapley Camp, Richard H. Leverett & Andrew B. Bonds; Assumpsit. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$50 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, Foreman.

Asahel R. Smith vs. Burd Wisdom (maker & principal) & David Lowry (Indorser & security); Assumpsit. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$40.68<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> with interest & cost. Burd Wisdom.

Asahel R. Smith vs. Burd Wisdom, maker & principal & David Lowry, Indorser & security; assumpsit. In this case the defendant Burd Wisdom comes forward & craves a stay of execution and binds himself, together with Rice B. Green, for the amount of judgement & costs. Signed: Burd Wisdom, Rice B. Green.

P. 176 Inferior Court Decr. Term 1828, continued.

James Wardlaw (Guardian & etc.) vs. John Stewart; Debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$150 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, Foreman.

James Wardlaw (Guardian & etc.) vs. John Stewart; Debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$320.50 with interest & cost. Laban P. Poole, Foreman.

John P. Winn vs. John Roberds; Ca Sa, etc. It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff in Ca Sa do recover of the defendant John C. Roberts & Lewis U. Gilbert & Reynold Harris his security \$60 which may be discharged upon the payment of the principal interest & cost due upon the said Ca Sa and that the defendant be in Mercie & etc. Hutchins & Holt, plffs. Attys. December term 1828.

John P. Winn vs. Jonathan Sell; Ca Sa & etc. The defendant Jonathan Sell having failed to appear before the Court in compliance with this his bond, it is ordered by the Court that the plaintiff do recover of the said defendant & Samuel Manders his security the full amount of said bond.

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... conditioned to be discharged upon the payment of principal, interest & cost. Signed: Hutchins & Holt.

Drewry Silva (Indorsee) vs. Luke Panel (maker) & Asa Reid (Indorsee); Assumpsit & etc. The defendants Luke Panel & Asa Reid comes forward & craves a stay of execution and bind themselves, together with Rhesa Reid, his securities for the eventual condemnation money. Signed: Asa Reid, Rhesa Reid.

Camak & Ragland vs. James Bradbury; Assumpsit. The defendant James Bradbury comes forward & craves a stay of execution and binds himself, together with James Loughridge his security for the eventual condemnation money. Signed: Jas. Bradbury, Jas. Loughridge.

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John P. Winn vs. Henry C. Butler; Two Ca Sas. It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff in Ca Sa do recover of the defendant Henry C. Butler & David Garrison his security ...

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... \$50 for his principal debt and the sum of \_\_\_\_ for his cost in this behalf expended. Dec. 8, 1828. Signed: Hutchins & Holt, plffs. Attys.

It is considered by the Court that the plaintiff in Ca Sa do recover of the defendant Henry C. Butler & Daniel Garrison his security \$60 for his principal debt. Dec. 8, 1828. Hutchins & Holt, plff. Attys.

Ordered that the path leading from the Hog Mountain Road at or near old Mr. Barker's old place then near Esq. Tanner's & David Rutherford's & Joseph Thompson & John Ezzard's and into the road at or near Maffet's, be granted on condition that the petitioners for the same will open & keep open, said path as a public road.

Ordered that the Shallow ford road be laid out straight & in a direct line from the turn near Daniel Killian's and leading from Pike Street to Mrs. Allen's or, at the most convenient point near her house, to suit the general course of the road & that the same, when opened, be permanent and that said alteration be done under the superintendence of James Wardlaw & Jno. Brewster & Edmond Thompson who are hereby authorized to lay out & mark the same ...

P. 179 Inferior Court Dec. term 1828 continued.

Ordered that \$5 (in addition to the former appropriation) be granted to build a bridge at Esq. Monk's Mill.

Ordered that Robert Montgomery & Isham W. Born receive out of the County funds \$10.22 for services rendered the County as per bill rendered.

James Wardlaw (Guardian &c.) vs. John Stewart; Debt. In this case, the defendant John Stewart craves an appeal and binds himself together with \_\_\_\_\_ for the eventual condemnation money. Signed: John Stewart, Wm. Gordon.

(copy of above item).

Ordered that the road leading from Williams' Bridge to Plunket's Mill be extended from said Mill along what is called Bates Road, till the same shall intersect the road leading from Higgins Mill to James Loughridge. Notified.

P. 180 Inferior Court, Dec. term 1828, continued.

Ordered that Charles McHugh be appointed a Commissioner of Roads in Capt. Howington's Dist. In place of Young Moore. And that Benjamin Jones be appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. \_\_\_\_\_ Dist. In place of Richd. Plunket. And that Joseph Gault be appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. \_\_\_\_\_ Dist. In place of Charles Gates. And that Daniel N. Pittman be appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. \_\_\_\_\_ Dist. In place of Thom's Jones Esq. And that Thomas Gaines be appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. Caruthers Dist. In place of G. B. Waldrop. And that Thomas Robinson be appointed a Commissioner of roads in Capt. \_\_\_\_\_ Dist. In place of John Clowers.

Ordered that the following Commissioners of roads be fined each \$20 for not attending to their duty as Commissioners which fines, however, may be remitted by a proper and satisfactory showing by said Commissioners on or before the first Tuesday in January next to this Court that the roads under their especial care are in good condition agreeably to a former order furnished them. Names of Commissioners – Young Moore, Thomas Chambers, James Edmondson, Thomas W. Alexander, John Mills, Simeon Stricklin, Richard H. Leverett, John S. Anderson & Lewis Williams.

P. 181 Inferior Court, Dec. term 1828 continued.

Ordered that \$200 be appropriated agreeably to the petition of the Trustees of the Lawrenceville Academy and the Clerk is hereby ordered to pay over the same to the Treasurer of the Board. Signed: Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C., Robert S. Adair, J.I.C., Elisha Winn, J.I.C.

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John Winters vs. Samuel Manders; Debt. The defendant Samuel Manders craves a stay of execution and binds himself, together with Henry C. Morris for the principal, interest & cost. Signed: Samuel (X) Manders, Henry C. (X) Morris. (attest) Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 182 Inferior Court extra term, January 6, 1829.

Present, Elisha Winn, Asahel R. Smith, John Boring, Robert S. Adair & George M. Gresham, Esqrs.

William Maltbie oath as Trustee of the poor school fund for Gwinnett County. Signed: Wm. Maltbie.

(Copy). Rich'd. Leverett, one of the district Commissioners in the Rock Bridge dist., petitions the Court for a remittance of the fine inflicted by the Court at the last term on the Commissioner of roads in said dist. Because since the same has been enforced, himself and the balance of the Commissioners have caused the P Road in said Dist. To be made agreeable to the plan laid down by the Court. John Mills, one of the Commissioners of the Town Dist. petitions the Court for a remittance ... ordered that the fines alluded to be remitted ... ordered that the Clerk issue his execution and collect

P. 183 the fine imposed on the Road Commissioner of Capt. Winningham's Dist.

Ordered that the several Justices of the Peace and the Capt. in their respective dists. be appointed Commissioners of roads for Gwinnett County.

Ordered that a tax of one eighth of the State tax be laid on the taxable property of this County as the poor tax for 1828 ...

Ordered that the Clerk pay \$16 agreeable to the within petition. Order on petition to go to J. Vineyard for building a bridge.

P. 184 Bond of William Maltbie & Mathias Bates for William Maltbie as Trustee of the poor school of Gwinnett County. Signed: Wm. Maltbie, Mathias Bates.

P. 185 Inferior Court, extra term March 2, 1829.

Ordered that Lot No. \_\_\_\_ in Lawrenceville be sold by the Clerk of this Court on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday in April next on a credit till Christmas.

Ordered that William Fowler be appointed to keep the Court House in good order. That James H. McCarver have the House cleaned out before the Superior Court or that his bond be forfeited and that he also leave the same; also that John Brewster, Asahel R. Smith and James Wardlaw be appointed a committee to contract for the same; and said Court or Committee agree to give \$10 to said William Fowler provided the House is kept in good order.

Pp. 185-86 Rules adapted by the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County for the government of the Inferior & Ordinary Courts, March 2, 1829. Four rules defined & John Brewster was appointed Chairman in conformity to the first rule. Signed: Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 187 Extra adjourned term of the Inferior Court, May 12, 1829.

Ordered that the person having the care of the Court House note down the name or names of such person or persons as may be found hereafter playing fives or any other game at Ball against or otherwise injuring or damaging the Court House or other public property of the County and return them to the Clerk of the Inferior Court, who is hereby authorized to cause suit to be brought agreeably to law against such offenders, their parents or guardians, and in case of Negroes offending as above the Clerk will cause them to be legally punished therefor ... Also ordered that this order be published by public advertisement on the door of the Court House and at two or more public places in Lawrenceville.

Ordered by the Court that the petitioners request be granted & that the new road now opened from Lawrenceville to Jefferson be the public road of said County to wit, that it shall commence about a quarter of a mile from Amos Spillers field leading to Jefferson & pass by Jesse Osborn's house to the County line between Gwinnett & Jackson.

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The within account passed (referring to an account passed this day). Also ordered that Benj. Ivie, Jailor, be authorized to take for his own use all blankets now belonging to the jail establishment in consideration of his undertaking to furnish the jail in blankets all the balance of his present term of office.

Court adjourned till Court in course. Signed: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., C. Woodroof, J.I.C., John Brewster, J.I.C.

P. 188 Habeus Corpus Court, May 18, 1829.

Present, Reuben McClung, James Wardlaw & Cliffird (sic) Woodroof, Esqrs.

Habeus Corpus in favor of Geo. W. Mallory; the prisoner is discharged upon the Habeus Corpus but the bond given for his appearance at the Superior Court to be retained against him. Signed: Reuben McClung, James Wardlaw, Cliffird (sic) Woodroof.

Jurors sworn to serve at June term, 1829: Itti(?) Bryan, Elijah Horn, Stephen Cruce, Thomas Compton, Jesse Rambo, Wm. Fincher, Ezekiel Hamby, Joseph Bailey, James Cater, Wm. Minyard, Frances Shackelford, John Dunbar, Tillman Westbrook, Littleberry Meek, John Ball, Lewis Parham, John Abbott, Henry Bagley, David Abbott, John Wade, Wm. McGinness, Zachariah Bailey, Wm. Williford, Simeon Conger, Absalom Waites, Shadrack Morris, Wm. Fuqua, Wm. Stricklin, Geo. Buchanan, Mark Waits, Richard B. Robertson, Wm. Cupp, Richard Rollins, Wm. Jenkins, Richard Davis, Wm. Abbott, James Henderson, Samuel Manders.

P. 189 Inferior Court June term 1829.

Present, John Brewster, James Wardlaw, Reuben McClung.

The following jurors having been called, empaneled & sworn took their seats: Itti (?) Bryant, Thomas Campton, John Abbott, John Waid, John Dunbar, David Abbott, William Abbott, William McGinness, S. Morris, R. B. Robertson, S. Manders, James Henderson.

Hervey McAllister vs. Jonathan Fincher; Assumpsit. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$71 with interest & cost. Signed: Jonathan Fincher.

Hervey McAllister vs. Micajah Fincher; Assumpsit. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$55.37½ with interest & cost. Signed: M. Fincher.

Hervey McAllister vs. Jonathan Fincher; Assumpsit. The Defendant Jonathan Fincher craves a stay of execution and binds himself, together with P. B. Hargis for the principal, interest & cost. Signed: Jonathan Fincher, P. B. Hargis.

P. 190 June term 1829 continued.

Hervey McAllister vs. Micajah Fincher; Assumpsit. The defendant Micajah Fincher craves a stay of execution and binds himself, together with P. B. Hargiss (sic) for the principal, interest & cost. Signed: M. Fincher, P. B. Hargis.

Russell & Boyd for the use of Hervey McAllister vs. John Turner; Debt. Settled.

It is ordered that the Clerk of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County do deliver to the hands of Green W. Smith Esq., William Huckaba's bond as Constable for Gwinnett County for 1820, 1821, 1822 & 1823 for the purpose of suing on the same at the instance of S. Bogan for McKinzie & Co.

Russell Boyd & Co. for the use of Hervey McAllister vs. Green W. Smith (maker) & William Brewster (Indorser); Assumpsit. We confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$400.90 on note dated 22 September 1828. Signed: Green W. Smith, 8 June 1829.

P. 191 June term 1829 continued.

Russell Boyd & Co. for the use of Hervey McAllister vs. Green W. Smith (maker) & William Brewster (Indorser); Assumpsit. The defendants, Green W. Smith & William Brewster crave an appeal and bind themselves, together with John Brewster, their security. Signed: Green W. Smith, William Brewster, John Brewster.

G. W. F. Lamkin vs. P. P. Otwell; Ca. Sa. From Justices Court. The prisoner being rendered in open Court, it is ordered that his bail Asahel R. Smith be exonerated from the within bond. June 8, 1829.



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Reed & Hughes vs. John & Asa Plumer; Ca Sa. The prisoners, being rendered in open Court it is ordered that his bail Joseph B. Goodin & Thomas McClusky be exonerated from the within bond. June 8, 1829.

P. 192 June term 1829 continued.

William H. Drummond vs. William S. Williams; Ca Sa from Justices Court. The prisoner, being rendered in open court, it is ordered that the bail Seaborn Williams be exonerated from the within bond. June 8, 1829.

William H. Drummond vs. William S. Williams & William Crow(?); Ca Sa from Justices Court. The prisoners, being rendered in open Court, it is ordered that their bail Seaborn Williams be exonerated from the within bond. June 8, 1829.

Russell Boyd & Co. for the use of Hervey McAllister vs. Thomas W. Alexander; Debt. I confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$46.33 from the 20 May 1828. Signed: S. W. Blain, Deft's. Atty.

George Reid vs. James(?) Plunket & James L. Plunket; Debt. We confess judgement to the Plaintiff for \$58. Signed: Jas. Plunket, J. L. Plunket, 8 June 1829.

P. 193 June term 1829, continued.

Russell Boyd & Co. for the use of Hervey McAllister vs. David Watson; Debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$53.00 with interest & cost. R. B. Robinson, Fm.

Russell Boyd & Co. for the use of Hervey McAllister vs. David Jackson; debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$53.20 with interest & cost. June 8, 1829. R. B. Robinson, Fm.

Russell Boyd & Co. for the use of Hervey McAllister vs. James Edmondson Jr.; debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$30.25 with interest & cost. June 8, 1829. R. B. Robinson, Fm.

Russell Boyd & Co. for the use of Hervey Allister (sic) vs. Johnson Davis; debt. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$32.08½ with interest & cost. June 8, 1829. R. B. Robinson, Fm.

P. 194 June term 1829 continued.

Seth Wyman vs. John L. Simms; assumpsit. Settled at Deft's cost.

George W. Lampkin vs. Philo P. Atwell; Ca Sa from Justices Court. We the jury find for the defendant in the within issue. 8 June 1829. R. B. Robinson, Fm.

Reed & Hughes vs. John Plummer & Asa Plummer; Ca Sa. Infr. Court June term 1829. The defendants, having been surrendered into Court and having failed to take the oath for the relief of Insolvent debtors – Ordered that the said John & Asa be forthwith committed to the common jail of said County and there confined until they be released by due course of law.

John P. Hutchins vs. Franklin McDade; Ca Sa from Justices Court. Judgement for plaintiff.

Boyd & Co. vs. Benjamin Davis; Ca Sa from Justices. Principal surrendered and failing to render a schedule in terms of the law was ordered to jail.

P. 195 June term 1829 continued.

Benjamin R. McCutchin vs. Joseph F. Comer; Ca Sa from Justices Court. And the "same vs. same." In these cases the defendant, having been arrested on the said Ca Sas and having entered into a bond with Peter Shutley & Thomas B. Turner as his securities for his appearance at this court and having to appear, it is ordered that judgement be ordered up on said bond for the amount thereof to be satisfied by the payment of principal & interest & cost.

Boyd & Co. vs. Asa A. Turner; Ca Sa from Justices Court. Judgement for plaintiff against principal & security.

George W. F. Lamkin vs. Philo P. Atwell; Ca Sa. On motion of Hutchins & Holt, attornies for deft., ordered that the defendant be permitted to take the following oath and be hence discharged from custody.

I, Philo P. Atwell, do swear that I am not possessed of any real or personal estate, debts, credits or effects, securities or contracts whatsoever, my wearing apparel bidding for myself and family and the working tools or implements of my trade or calling, together with necessary equipment for a militia soldier

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and other articles exempt from levy & sale by law excepted other articles than are contained in the schedule now delivered and that I have not directly or indirectly since my imprisonment and before sold leased assigned or otherwise disposed of ... etc ...

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profit to myself, my wife, or my heirs. Signed: Philo P. Atwell. Sworn to before Wm. Maltbie, Clk., 8 June 1829.

Alston Boyd & Co. vs. Benjamin Davis; Ca Sa. The defendant, having appeared at this Court having given bond & security for his appearance to take the benefit of the laws relevant to insolvent debtors and not having filed his schedule & given notice, ordered that the defendant be decreed and considered in the custody of the Sheriff and that he be imprisoned until he shall make a full and fair disclosure of all his property, money or effects ...

Personally appeared Thomas Beaty Senr. & saith that he was possessed of his own right of a promissory note of which the annexed is a copy in substance and that the same has been lost out of his possession and has not been paid to him. Signed: Thomas Beaty. Sworn to before J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., 8 June 1829.

"On the first day of March 1829 I promise to pay John H. King or bearer \$50.00 for value rec'd. this \_\_\_\_ day of 1827. Signed: Joseph White."

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James Wardlaw vs. Laban P. Poole & John Mills; Casa from Justices court. Judgement.

George W. F. Lampkin vs. Philo P. Atwell; Ca Sa. The defendant, having appeared at this time & surrendered a schedule of his goods & effects and taken the oath as prescribed by law for the relief of insolvent debtors – ordered that the Sheriff proceed immediately to expose to sale the property surrendered and to apply the money arising from the sale thereof as the law directs.

P. I. Murray & John P. Hutchins vs. Bonaparte Mackin; Ca Sa & etc. The defendant, having surrendered himself into custody in discharge of his bail and he having failed to take the oath of insolvency in the above cases. Ordered that he be committed to the common jail of said county & there kept in safe & close custody until he pays said debts or be discharged by due course of law.

Ordered that Nathan Johnson, William Hill & William Hendley be appointed Commissioners to view the trail or road mentioned in the within petition & report whether they think it of public utility to the next Court.

Ordered that James McDill, Wm. Brandon & John Gragg be commissioners to view the road passing Robert S. Foster's and make a report to the next Court.

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Ordered that \$10.00 be appropriated out of County funds to repair the bridge across Suwane Creek where the road leading from Lawrenceville to Gilbert's Ferry on [the] Chattahoochy [sic] passes the same, paid to James McGinness Senr., Isaac Gilbert & Lawson Brandon, Esqrs., agents for the County to let out the repairing of said bridge.

Ordered that executions be forthwith issued and delivered to the Sheriff to collect against all defaulting tax collectors & their securities in arrears to the County.

Jurors drawn to serve at December term of the Inferior Court 1829: Elijah Buchelow, Benjamin Pendley, Thomas Bennett, Moses L. Barron, Wiley Pearce, James Hall, Rancy Coleman, John Holder, Asa Reid, Andrew Clements, John Sparks, Thomas W. Brandon, Joseph Watson, Ransom Bennett, Robert White, Luke Landers, John Stewart, Samuel Baker, Micajah Mayo, William Myers, Zimma McGuire, Allen Humphrey, Henry Wade, James Yancey, Benjamin Rollins, Washington Bonds, John Baker, Henry Lee, William Johnson, Young P. Poole, Andrew Mathis, James S. Porter, Silas Higgins, Morgan Fields, Harrison Harris, Francis Hopkins.

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Mathew Crawford vs. Franklin McDade; Ca Sa &c. Judgement on bond.

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Ordered that Massey's Bridge across the Yellow River on the Decatur Road be made a public bridge and that the building of the same be let out by Commissioners John Boring, George R. Adair & Eli Massey, they advertising the same.

Ordered that B. H. Lamkin receive out of the County funds \$3.00 for working on jail.

Ordered that Daniel Killian receive out of the County funds \$2.00 for work done on jail.

Ordered that John White, Benjn. M. Powel *[sic]* & William Bennett be Commissioners to view the within road and report the same to the next Court; the Rock Bridge road leading by K. Rambo & is required to be straightened if they think it expedient.

John P. Winn vs. John C. Roberts; the execution having issued for an amount short of the amount due, to wit, the jailer for \$4.25; it is ordered by the Court that said execution shall remain and be considered as open for the amount of said jailor's fees.

P. 200 June term 1829 continued.

John P. Hutchins vs. Marquis Ambrose; Ca Sa &c. The defendant, having been surrendered by his bail in the above case & he having failed to take the oath of insolvency, it is ordered that he be committed to the common jail of said County and there kept in safe and close custody until he pays the amount of the above Ca Sa or be discharged by due course of law.

Edward Featherston vs. Henry C. Butler; Ca Sa from Justices court. Upon the representation of S. U. Blain, it appearing to the Court that the Cap *[?]* ad Sat *[?]* and the bond in the above case has been lost, it is ordered that the same be immediately established and that the Clerk of this Court do make out copies thereof immediately.

It appearing to the Court upon the application of Richard Plunket that he has been injured by the misconduct or neglect of duty of William K. Greenwood while acting as a Constable of said County during the year 1827. Therefore ordered that his bond for his performance of the duties of Constable for 1827 be by the Clerk delivered over to said Plunket for the purpose of bringing suit thereon.

Personally appeared before me, John Mills and made oath that a certain Ca Sa paid by him against Franklin McDade in favor to Mathew Crawford for \$5.25 and that the same is lost or mislaid so that it cannot be obtained. Signed: John Mills. Jas. Wardlaw, J.I.C., 9 June 1829.

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It is ordered by the Court that a copy of the same be established in lieu of the lost original.

Ordered that the following persons be and they are hereby Constables for the several Districts to which their names are attached respectively: For the 407<sup>th</sup> in Lawrenceville, Wm. Gordon, Wm. Drummond; for the 478, John C. Whitworth, George Reid Junr.; for the 404, James H. Gilreath, David Lowry; for the 544, Zimri Brooks, John L. Moore; In Capt. Everett's Dist., Curtiss Caldwell, Wm. Stell; for the 550<sup>th</sup>, Nimrod H. Pendley, John Stapp; for the 444<sup>th</sup>, Zachariah Conger, Abel Winningham; for the 575, Few Gordon, Lodowick Cates; in Capt. Bobo's Dist., Tilman Bobo, Battle Mayfield; for the 316<sup>th</sup>, Asa Read, B. S. Smith; Rutherford's, Rucker Malden.

On 15 March 1829 I promise to pay John H. King or bearer \$50 for value rec'd, this 25 March 1828. Signed: Joseph White.

It appearing to the Court that Thomas Beaty Senr. was possessed in his own right of a certain promissory note of which the above is a substantial copy which has been lost out of his possession; it is ordered that this rule and copy note be published once a month for three months in one of the public Gazettes of this State and, unless cause to the contrary be shown, on the first day of the next term of this Court the said copy will be established in lieu of the said lost original. Signed: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., R. McClung, J.I.C., C. Woodroff, J.I.C., John Brewster, J.I.C.

Court adjourned. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

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Russell Boyd & Co. use of Hervey McAllister vs. Thomas W. Alexander; Debt. The defendant, Thomas W. Alexander, craves a stay of execution and gives bond with Hudson H. Allen, his security. Signed: Thos. W. Alexander, H. H. Allen. June 12, 1829.

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George Reid vs. James Plunket & James L. Plunket; debt. The defendants, James Plunket & James L. Plunket crave a stay of execution and give bond with Joseph N. Plunket their security. Signed: Jas. Plunket, Jas. L. Plunket, Joseph N. Plunket.

P. 203 Habeus Corpus Court, July 18 1829.

Present, Asahel R. Smith, Cliffird Woodroof & Reuben McLung, Esquires.

Reed & Hughes vs. John Plummer & Asa Plummer. *[No disposition given.]*

Ordered that Josiah Wise receive out of the County funds \$42.25, being the net proceeds of an estray mare posted by William Adams and sold at public auction which said mare was proven to be the property of said Wise by his own & the oath of Abijah Wise. August 5, 1829.

Ordered by the Court that the road leading from McKeon's Mill striking the line between Hall & Gwinnett near Capt. Strong's old store be made permanent & cleared out hereby revoking all former orders. August 4, 1829. J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., A. R. Smith, J.I.C., C. Woodroof, J.I.C., Jno. Brewster, J.I.C.

P. 204 Inferior Court, September 7, 1829, extra term.

Ordered that Elisha W. Chester, attorney, have \$25.00 out of the County funds for attending to all business of said Court as counsel for twelve months from this date at the expiration of said term.

Ordered that Isham Williams, G. P. Williams, Alfred Williams & David L. Wardlaw, receive out of the County funds ten dollars towards paying attorney's fees in the case Daniel Killian vs. the above named persons for Trespass, &c.

Ordered that L. Perkins receive out of the County funds \$25 for two Court Seals for the County.

Ordered that Rachel Bennett have out of the County funds six dollars to be paid over to Richard J. Watts and be disposed of by him as he thinks best to suit her situation.

Also \$5 to be paid over in the same way for Mrs. Cooper, for this year, Sept 7<sup>th</sup> 1829.

The Justices of the Infr. Court of Gwinnett County for the use of &c. vs. Thomas J. Still & William Nesbit & John Choice, his securities. Illegibility overruled &c. Execution ordered to proceed.

Ordered that George Bishop receive out of the County fund \$6.68½ for making steps for jail and furnishing materials.

P. 205 Inferior Court Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> 1829 continued.

Ordered that the old Shallow ford Road lying between John Tower's & William Green's be kept open & considered a public road.

Ordered that the Trustees of Lawrenceville Academy receive out of the County fund \$50 to *[be]* appropriated towards repairing the Academy such as making window shutters & some other repairs agreeable to the petition of said Trustees which petition is filed in the Clerks Office of the Inferior Court.

Ordered by the Court that George Brogden, Silas King & Edmond Bagby be Commissioners to view and mark out a Road from Thomas Pendley's to intersect the Huckaby Ferry road at or near William Kemp's (first being duly sworn) provided they think it will be of public utility & make report to this Court.

Signed: James Wardlaw, J.I.C., Cliffird Woodroof, J.I.C., Reuben McClung, J.I.C. Court Adjourned, Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 206 Gwinnett County. October 6<sup>th</sup> 1829 in Extra meeting of the Inferior Court.

Present the Honorable Asahel R. Smith, Reuben McLung, John Brewster, James Wardlaw and Cliffird Woodroof, Esqrs.

(Copy)

To the Honorable the Justices of the Inferior Court of the County of Gwinnett. Greeting.

You will accept my resignation of the Office of Sheriff of the County of Gwinnett & extend through you to the citizens generally my warmest thanks for the confidence so often reposed in me. Wm. Nesbit. October 6<sup>th</sup>, 1829.

Ordered that William Martin be & he is hereby appointed to fill the vacancy of Sheriff occasioned by the resignation of William Nesbit Esqr. untill an election can be had to fill said vacancy.

Signed: John Brewster, J.I.C., J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C.

Court adjourned. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

Gwinnett County. I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute all writs, warrants, precepts and processes directed to me as Sheriff of the County of Gwinnett during my continuance in Office and take only my lawfull fees. So help me God. Sworn to and subscribed before us this 8<sup>th</sup> Oct 1829. Signed: Wm. Martin. Witness: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., John Brewster, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C.

P. 207 Georgia, Gwinnett County. Inferior Court December Term 1829.

Present the Honorable Reuben McLung, James Wardlaw, Cliffird Woodroof & Asahel R. Smith, Esq's.

The following Jurors having been called and sworn, took their seats for the transactions of the business of Court: Moses Barron, Wm. W. Downs, John Kinney, Edmond Pucket, Lewis Smith, Raleigh Cupp, Thomas Bennett, Young P. Poole, Shadrach Lowry, James Gilreath [*crossed out*], Wm. Myers, Drewry Peoples, Buckner Harris, John Nix.

No. 4. Cook, Jennings & Co. vs. William Brown. Assumpsit. Not served.

No. 5. James H. Gilreath vs. R. S. Foster & John Foster. Debt. We the Jury find for the Plaintiff the sum of \$50 with interest plus cost of suit. Signed: M. L. Barron, Fm.

No. 6. D. N. Pittman for the use of Jeffrey Pittman vs. Bartlett Whorton. Assumpsit. Not tried.

P. 208 December Term 1829 continued.

No. 7. Willis Pruett vs. John M. W. Pearce. Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$100 with interest and cost. 14<sup>th</sup> December 1829. Signed: John M. P. Pearce.

No. 8. James Stanley for the use of John Conine vs. Shadrach Morris. Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$65.52 with interest from the 19<sup>th</sup> day of January 1829 and cost of suit. 14<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1829. Signed: Shadrach Morris.

No. 10. [*sic*; "No. 9" is missing] Hiram Boen vs. Marquis Ambrose. Debt. Withdrawn.

No. 11. Solomon Reid vs. John Roper & William F. Roper. Debt. Settled & cost paid.

P. 209 December term 1829 continued.

No. 12. Gay Maxwell vs. John Roper & William F. Roper; debt. We confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$45.90 with interest & cost. John G. Park, atty for Dft.

No. 13. Asahel R. Smith vs. Abraham Anderson; assumpsit. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$62.81¼ with interest & cost. M. L. Barron, F.M.

No. 14. Seth Wyman vs. Daniel N. Pittman; debt. We confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$37.62½ with interest & cost. Hutchins & Holt, Defts. Atto's.

No. 15. Seth Wyman vs. Edward Jackson; assumpsit. Settled.

No. 16. Seth Wyman vs. Thomas Gains; assumpsit. We [*sic*] confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$53.10 with interest & cost. Hutchins & Holt, Deft's. Attos.

P. 210 December term 1829 continued.

No. 17. Seth Wyman vs. Thomas Robinson; Assumpsit. Settled.

No. 18. Seth Wyman vs. John Berry; Assumpsit. Settled.

No. 19. Micajah Fincher vs. T. Camp & John Chandler; Case &c. We the jury find for the plaintiff against John Chandler \$102 with interest & cost. M. L. Barron, F.M.

No. 21 (*sic*-"No. 20" is not present). Andrew Carpenter vs. David Watson; debt. Not tried.

No. 22. John Brewster vs. Caven Freeman; attachment. We find for the plaintiff \$357.36 with interest & cost. M. L. Barron, F.M.

P. 211 December term 1829 continued.

No. 23. Thomas Jones vs. Mordecai Alexander; debt. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$438.66 with interest & cost; the above judgement credited with \$300 as per Thomas Jones' rect. 14 Dec. 1829. H. Holt.

No. 24. Lewis Smith vs. Hardie Brown; Ca Sa from Justices Court. Dismissed.

No. 25. Reed & Hughes vs. John & Asa Plummer; Ca Sa from Justices Court. Settled by Hutchins & Holt.

No. 27 [sic- "No. 26" is not present]. Seth Wyman vs. Mathew Wynne; Assumpsit. Continued, Declaration out of place.

No. 28. William Hughes vs. Micajah Williams; assumpsit. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$40 with interest & cost. M. L. Barron, F.M.

P. 212 December term 1829 continued.

No. 29. Seth Wyman vs. Thomas Worthy; assumpsit. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$44.23 with interest & cost with liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. John G. Park, atty. for deft.

No. 30. Seth Wyman vs. Williams [sic] Bennett; Assumpsit. Continued, Declaration out of place.

No. 31. Shadrach Lowry vs. Micajah Williams; Trover.\* We the jury find for the plaintiff \$90 with cost of suit. M. L. Barron, F.M. [*\* Editor's note: "Trover" is an old English and common law legal proceeding against a person who had found someone else's property and has converted that property to their own purposes. The action of trover did not ask for the return of the property but for damages in an amount equal to the replacement value of the property. English law replaced the action of trover with that of conversion in 1852.*]

No. 32. Seth Wyman vs. Thomas Conally; Assumpsit. Settled.

No. 33. Seth Wyman vs. William Abbott; Assumpsit. Settled.

P. 213 December term 1829 continued.

No. 34. Seth Wyman vs. Thomas Pendley; Assumpsit. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$33 with interest & cost. M. L. Barron, F.M.

No. 35. Asahel R. Smith vs. Robert S. Foster; debt. Continued, declaration out of place.

No. 37 [sic-"No. 36" not present]. A. Boyd & Co. vs. James Killcrease; Assumpsit. Settled & cost paid.

No. 38. Marcus Roberts vs. Elemander Warbington & Peter Graham; debt. We confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$35 with interest & cost. E. Warbington, Peter (X) Graham.

No. 39. Ezekiel Powel for the use of Moses Drummond vs. William George; debt. Settled at defendant's cost.

P. 214 December term 1829 continued.

No. 40. Seth Wyman vs. Hugh Brewster; Assumpsit. Continued, declaration out of place.

No. 41. A. Boyd & Co. vs. Washington Bonds; Assumpsit. We the jury find for the plaintiff for \$36.62½ with cost of suit. M. L. Barron, F.M.

No. 43 [sic-"No. 42" is not present]. Hudson H. Allen vs. Hiram Bowen & Wm. Henderson; debt. Continued by consent.

No. 44. Henry Dunn for the use of Lewis Bonds vs. William Liddel; debt. Settled.

No. 45. William A. Cochhern vs. Thos. W. Bacon (maker) & E. Warbington (indorser); Case & bail. We confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$46.39 with interest & cost. 14 December 1829. Signed: Thos. W. Bacon, E. Warbington.

P. 215 December term 1829 continued.

No. 47 [sic-"No. 46" is not present]. William W. Walker vs. Geo. Hopkins & Sam'l. Arnold; debt. Not tried.

No. 48. James Austin vs. David Jackson; Assumpsit. Settled.

No. 49. Patrick J. Murray vs. Richard B. Robinson; debt. I confess judgement to the plaintiff for \$71.25 with interest & cost. R. B. Robinson.

No. 50. Patrick J. Murray vs. David Jackson; debt. Settled.

P. 216 December term 1829 continued.

No. 51. Seth Wyman vs. Sophia Medlin, Adm'x. & John Medlin, Adm'r; Assumpsit. We the jury find for the plaintiff \$50.06¼ with interest & cost to be made out of the estate which was of the said Richard Medlin at the time of his decease, if sufficient to be found; if not, out of the property of the said Sophia Medlin & John Medlin ... M. L. Barron, F.M.

No. 52. John P. Winn vs. Benjamin F. Fuller; Assumpsit. Settled.

No. 53. Patrick J. Murray vs. Benjamin Ivie; Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$44.27¾ with interest and cost of suit. Park & Mounger, attys. for deft.

No. 54. Patrick J. Murray vs. Hugh Brewster; Debt. I confess judgment to the Plaintiff for \$41.76 with interest and cost. Park & Mounagers, Deft's. Atty.

P. 217 December Term 1829 continued.

No. 55. Nathan L. Hutchins vs. Marquis Ambrose; Assumpsit. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$50 with interest and cost. Marquis Ambrose.

No. 56. John E. Bailey vs. Benjamin Ivie; Assumpsit. Settled (Declaration missing).

No. 57. William Cabuniss vs. Benjamin Ivie. Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$67.09½ with interest & cost. 14<sup>th</sup> December 1829. Benjamin (X) Ivy.

No. 58. William J. Hobby vs. Green W. Smith; Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$100 with interest and cost with the liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. James C. Martin, for Deft. 14 December 1829.

P. 218 December Term 1829 continued.

No. 59. William Harrold for the use of James Leonard vs. Richard Richardson; Debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiff the sum of \$82.80 with interest & cost. M. L. Barron, F.M.

James Standly for the use of John Conine vs. Shadrach Morriss; Debt. In this case the Defendant Shadrach Morriss comes forward & craves a stay of Execution and gives in conjunction with himself Jas. Loughridge as security. Signed: Shadrach Morris, Jas. Loughridge. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk. Decr. 14<sup>th</sup>, 1829.

Ordered that Benjamin Ivy receive out of the County fund \$2.66 for keeping Robert C. Cauley in jail & as per acct. rendered.

Willis Pruett vs. John M. W. Pearce; Debt. In this case the defendant John M. W. Pearce comes forward & craves a stay of Execution and gives in conjunction with himself as security. Signed: John M. W. Pearce, Willis Pruett. Witness: William Robertson. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk. Decr. 14<sup>th</sup> 1829.

P. 219 December Term 1829 continued.

Patrick J. Murray vs. Richard B. Robinson; Debt. In this case the Defendant Richard B. Robinson comes forward & craves a stay of Execution and binds himself together with John O. Winn his security for the eventual condemnation money. Signed: R. B. Robnson. Wm. Maltbie, Clk. December 14<sup>th</sup>, 1829.

Gay Maxwell vs. John Roper & Wm. F. Roper; Debt. In this case the Defendants John Roper and Wm. F. Roper comes forward & craves a stay of Execution & bind themselves together with Charles Roper his security for the eventual condemnation money. Signed: Wm. F. Roper, Charles Roper. Wm. Maltbie Clk. December 14<sup>th</sup>, 1829.

Nathan Ellis vs. John Williams; Case &c. We the Jury find for the Plaintiff \$50 with interest & cost of suit. M. L. Barron, F.M.

P. 220 December Term 1829 continued.

William H. Drummond vs. William S. Williams & William Cron. Same vs. William S. Williams. Ca Sas Justices Court. In these cases the defendants having entered into Bonds on recognizance with Seaborn Williams as security for the appearance of the said William S. Williams & William Cron in the first mentioned case & for the appearance of the said William S. Williams in the second case before mentioned to take the benefit *[of]* an act entitled "an act for the relief of honest debtors" & the said defendant having failed to appear. On motion of Counsel for Plaintiff, ordered that he have permission to sign up Judgment on the said Bonds for the amount thereof to be discharged upon the payment of the amount of principal interest and cost due on said Ca Sas respectively.

Hudson H. Allen vs. James Plunket; Three Ca Sas. In these cases the defendants having entered into Bonds or recognizances with Hillary Moore, Jas. R. Plunket as securities for the appearance of the said James Plunket to take the benefit of an act entitled "An act for the relief of honest debtors" and the said James Plunket having failed to appear on motion of Hutchins & Holt, Counsel for Plaintiff, it is ordered that said Plaintiff have permission to sign up Judgment for the amount of said Bonds respectively conditioned to be discharged upon the payment of the amount of principal interest and cost due on said Ca Sas respectively.

P. 221 December Term 1829 continued.

Jurors drawn to serve at June Term of the Inferior Court 1830. Tilman Douglass, Robert M. Barnwell, Thomas Garner, Jesse Sample, James Mayfield, Wilson Dickson, John Lee, Charles Bradford, Rhesa McGregor, John Samples, Nathan Franklin, Mathias Bates, Reps Osborn, Thomas Whorton, Elijah Anderson, David J. Jones, Thomas Prewet, George Carrell, James Edmondson, William Shamblee, Tandy H. Green, John Sammons, Ferdinand Odum, Gibson D. Carr, Jesse Powel, Solomon Farmer, Joseph Hill, Henry Holland, Samuel D. Paden, Martin Boland, Vinson Brumley, Edmond Pearce, Leroy Hammond, Stephen Horton, Thomas Ezell, Osborne Ester.

P. 222 December Term 1829 continued.

Officers of Gwinnett Inferior Court vs. Edward Meader; Affidavit of Illegality. Illegality sustained.

Ordered that William Rucks receive \$10 out of the county funds for to aid him as a living for the year 1820.

Patrick J. Murray vs. Benjamin Ivie; Debt. In this case the Defendant Benjamin Ivie comes forward craves a stay of Execution and binds himself together Hugh Brewster his security for the eventual payment of debt & cost. Signed: Benjamin (x) Ivie, Hugh Brewster. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk. Dec'r 17<sup>th</sup> 1829.

William Cabaniss vs. Benjamin Ivie; Debt. In this case the Defendant Benjamin Ivie comes forward and craves a stay of Execution and binds himself together with Hugh Brewster his security for the eventual payment of debt and cost. Signed: Benjamin (x) Ivie, Hugh Brewster, J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., Reuben McLung, J.I.C., C. Woodroof, J.I.C. Attest; Wm. Maltbie, Clk. Dec'r 17<sup>th</sup> 1829.

Court adjourned 'till Court in court. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 223 Patrick J. Murray vs. Hugh Brewster. Debt. In this case the Defendant Hugh Brewster comes forward & craves a stay of Execution & binds himself together with Benjamin Ivie his security for eventual payment of debt and cost.

Signed: Benjamin (X) Ivie. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk. December 17<sup>th</sup> 1829.

Ordered that the report of the Commissioners (viz) George Brogden and Edmond Bagby laying off a Road from Thomas Pendley's to intersect the Huckaby Ferry Road at or near William Kemp's be and the same is hereby accepted.

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P. 234 Inferior Court Jan'y 7<sup>th</sup> 1830.

The State vs. Jansey Holbrooks. Habeas Corpus per Statu turn [?] &c.

There appearing no legal cause of imprisonment, the prisoner is discharged from her confinement & ordered to go her way and sin no more. Signed: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., Reuben McClung, J.I.C., A. R. Smith, J.I.C. 7<sup>th</sup> Jan'y 1830. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

Inferior Court met for the purpose of taking security & swearing into office the Shff. elect & his Deputy. Present the Honorable John Brewster, Reuben McClung, Asahel R. Smith.

I Thomas Worthy do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute all writs, warrants, percepts, & processes directed to me as Sheriff of the County of Gwinnett & true returns make and in all things well and truly & without malice or partiality perform the duties of Sheriff of Gwinnett County during my continuance in office, and take only my lawfull fees. So help me God. And I do further swear that I am not the holder of any public monies but have paid into the Treasury all sums for which I have been accountable and liable & that I have not since the first day of January 1819 been engaged in a duel either directly or indirectly either as principal or second, or in any other character whatever in this State.

And I do further solemnly swear that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the State of Georgia and to the utmost of my power & ability conform to support & defend the Constitution thereof without any reservation or equivocation whatsoever & the Constitution of the United States. And I do further

P. 235 solemnly swear in the presence of Almighty God ... So help me God. Signed: Thomas Worthy.

Sworn to & subscribed before us January 14<sup>th</sup> 1830. John Brewster, J.I.C., Reuben McClung, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C.

The said Thomas Worthy having directed William Brewster to be sworn as a deputy sheriff he appeared and took the following oath. I William Brewster do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute all



writs, warrants, percepts, & processes directed to me as Deputy Sheriff of the County of Gwinnett & true returns make and in all things well and truly & without malice or partiality perform the duties of Deputy Sheriff of Gwinnett County during my continuance in office, and take only my lawfull fees. So help me God. And I do further swear that I am not the holder of any public monies but have paid into the Treasury all sums for which I have been accountable and liable & that I have not since the first day of January 1819 been engaged in a duel either directly or indirectly either as principal or second, or in any other character whatever in this State, and I do further solemnly swear that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the State of Georgia and to the utmost of my power & ability conform to support & defend the Constitution thereof without any reservation or equivocation whatsoever & the Constitution of the United States. And I do further solemnly swear that I have not since

P. 236 the first day of January 1819 been engaged in a duel either directly or indirectly as principal or second nor have I given or accepted or knowingly carried and delivered a challenge either verbally or in writing to fight the person of another in the State of Georgia or elsewhere at sword, pistol or other deadly weapon. So help me God. Signed: William Brewster.

Sworn to & subscribed before us this 14<sup>th</sup> January 1830. Signed: John Brewster, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C., Reuben McClung, J.I.C.,

Court adjourned without date. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

(Copy. Original filed.)

On motion of E. W. Chester, attorney for the County, Ordered that the Sheriff do immediately proceed to make the money due on the Execution in favour of the Inferior Court vs. Andrew Caruthers, Tax Collector for the year 1827 and his securities & that he pay over the same when collected to the Clerk of this Court.

P. 237 Gwinnett County. Inferior Court Extra session February 23<sup>rd</sup> 1830.

The State vs. Nancy Hill. Habeas Corpus.

Whereupon it is considered & ordered by the Court that the Prisoner be discharged because the offence is not sufficiently stated in the mittimus and because there is no time and place set forth in the mittimus when and where the offence was committed for which she appears to have been committed to Jail.

Signed: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C., Reuben McLung, J.I.C. Wm. Maltbie Clk.

Gwinnett County. At a meeting of the Inferior Court of said County, Present Justices Wardlaw, Brewster, Smith. William Martin Esqr. appear, & by direction of Thomas Worthy, Esquire, Sheriff of said county was sworn as a deputy sheriff as follows:

I, William Martin, do solemnly swear ... *[same oath as above]*

P. 238 ... Signed: Wm. Martin.

Sworn to & subscribed before me March 10<sup>th</sup>, 1830. Signed: John Brewster, J.I.C., J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C.

(Copy)

Original filed with vouchers for the year 1830.

Ordered that John Peoples have \$150 for work done in the Court House out of the County funds. March 15<sup>th</sup> 1830. Signed: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., John Brewster, J.I.C., R. McClung, J.I.C.

(Copy)

Original on file with vouchers for the year 1830.

Ordered that the Clerk of the Inferior Court be invested with the custody and care of the public buildings that he cause such repairs to be made to secure the same from waste and decay as he may in his discretion may deem proper, the Court House kept clean and that he be entitled to a reasonable annual *[sic]* compensation for his services, care and expenses incurred in carrying this order into effect. Signed: John Brewster, J.I.C., Reuben McLung, J.I.C., Jas. Wardlaw, J.I.C. March 15<sup>th</sup>, 1830.

P. 239 Gwinnett County. Inferior Court Sitting for County purposes May 3<sup>rd</sup> 1830.

Ordered that John G. Park receive out of the County funds \$16.43¾ for record books furnished for the county. Signed: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., C. Woodroof, J.I.C.

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Ordered that Benjamin Ivie, jailer receive out of the County funds \$39.16 for supporting Ogle - Stricklin - Guthrey - Mrs. Hill, &c., &c., in jail.

Signed: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., C. Woodroof, J.I.C., R. McClung, J.I.C. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 240 Gwinnett County. Inferior Court June 14<sup>th</sup> 1830.

Present the Honorable John Brewster, Reuben McLung, Asahel R. Smith, James Wardlaw and Clifford Woodroof, Esqrs.

Ordered that the Sheriff be directed to open Court.

The following Jurors having been empaneled and sworn took their seats for the transaction of business.

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| 1. Sam'l D. Paden         | 7. Vardin Odum            |
| 2. George R. Edwards      | 8. David J. Jones         |
| 3. Jesse Powels.          | 9. Martin Bolin           |
| 4. <del>Hen. South</del>  | 10. Thomas Whorton        |
| 5. Newton Bramblett       | 11. Reece McGregor        |
| 6. Sam'l Pearson          | 12. Stephen Whorton       |
| John Higgins [written in] | Wm. Chamblee [written in] |

D. N. Pittman for the use of Jeffrey Pittman vs. Bartlett Whorton. Assumpsit. We the Jury find for the Plaintiff the sum of \$45.00 with interest from the 25<sup>th</sup> Dec 1828 & cost of suit. June 15<sup>th</sup> 1830. George R. Edwards, F'm.

Seth Wyman vs. Mathew Wynne. Assumpsit. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$42.75 with interest & cost and liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Signed: Mat. T. [J. ?] Williams, Deft's Atty.

P. 241 June Term 1830 continued.

Seth Wyman vs. William Bennett. Assumpsit. Settled at Deft's cost.

Asahel R. Smith vs. Robert S. Foster. Debt. Settled at Deft's cost.

Seth Wyman vs. Hugh Brewster. Assumpsit. Settled at Deft's cost.

Hudson H. Allen vs. Hiram Bowen & Wm. Henderson. Debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$51.17½ with interest and cost. Signed: George R. Edwards, Foreman.

William W. Walker vs. George Hopkins & Sam'l Arnold. Debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$100 with interest & cost. George R. Edwards, F'm.

P. 242 June Term 1830 continued.

Robert B. Camp vs. John Reeves. Ca Sa &c. Dismissed by Court.

Philip H. Burford for George A. Gordon vs. William Page. Debt. Settled & cost paid to Hutchins & Holt. Rec'd June 15<sup>th</sup> 1830. \$2.87½ my fee. Wm. Maltbie.

Godfrey Luther for the [?] of Winchester Dumas vs. John Foster. Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$42.50 with interest and cost. Signed: John Foster.

Benjamin Cutliff vs. John Roper. Debt. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$51.30 with interest and cost. Signed: George R. Edwards, F'm.

P. 243 June Term 1830 continued.

John L. Tippin vs. Richard H. Leverett, Prin. & David W. Miller, security. Ca Sa &c. from Justices Court.

The Principal R. H. Leveret having been regularly called and failing to appear. On motion of Att'y for Plaintiff it [is] ordered that he have leave to enter up Judgment on the Bond against said Principal & his security D. W. Miller for the principal, interest & cost due on said Ca Sa.

James Wardlaw vs. George R. Edwards. Ca sa &c. Settled.

P. 244 June Term 1830 continued.

Drewry Morris vs. Azariah Pogue. Ca Sa &c. Dismissed by Court.

John M. Thompson for the use of John Mills vs. James Plunket. Ca sa &c. Settled at Deft's cost.

P. 245 June Term 1830 continued.

William H. Drummond vs. William S. Williams & Seaborn Williams Security. Fi fa & affidavit of illegality. Settled at Deft's cost.

William H. Drummond vs. William S. Williams, Wm. Cron & Seaborn Williams, security. Fi fa & affidavit of illegality. Settled at Deft's cost.

Charles S. Simonton & Co. vs. John Roper Deft. in Execution & James Roper, Claim't. Claim. We the jury find the property subject to the execution subject with the addition of ten per cent for the delay. Signed: George R. Edwards, F'm.

Charles S. Simonton & Co. vs. John Roper Deft. in Execution & William F. Roper, Claim't. Claim. (Not tried.)

P. 246 June Term 1830 continued.

Joseph T. Garner vs. John Foster. Ca sa &c. Dismissed. Rec'd Clerk's cost. Wm. Maltbie.

A. Boyd & Co. vs. Joseph Ratcliff. Ca Sa &c. In this case the prisoner having been surrendered in open court by his bail J. Anglin. Ordered that said Bail be exonerated. Settled at Plff's cost.

Lewis Smith vs. Burton M. South. Ca sa &c. In this case the prisoner having been surrendered in open court by his bail John Haney – Ordered that said bail be exonerated. Rec'd Clerk's cost. Wm. Maltbie.

James S. Park vs. Asa A. Turner. Ca Sa &c. Deft. discharged in terms of Insolvent law.

P. 247 June Term 1830 continued.

John G. Park vs. Asa A. Turner. Ca Sa &c. Deft. discharged in terms of acts of insolvency.

Thomas Gains vs. Asa A. Turner. Ca Sa &c. Deft. discharged in terms of acts of insolvency.

John P. Hutchins vs. John W. Medlin. Ca Sa &c. Continued.

Hudson H. Allen vs. John W. Medlin. Ca Sa &c. Continued.

Elias C. Downs vs. John W. Medlin. Ca Sa &c. Continued.

P. 248 June Terms 1830 continued.

John P. Hutchins vs. Marquis Ambrose. Ca Sa &c. Discharged by Insolvent oath.

Francis Tunelt (Tunell?) for the use of Elisha Winn vs. Samuel Teague. Ca sa &c. Continued.

Lewis Smith vs. Thomas Hanks. Ca sa &c. In this case the prisoner having been surrendered in open Court by his bail – ordered James Wardlaw & J. Bonds be exonerated as bail in this case. Rec'd Clerk's cost. Wm. Maltbie.

Lewis Smith vs. John Hanks. Ca sa &c. In this case the prisoner having been surrendered in open Court by his bail Jesse Rambo, R. H. Lester, K. Rambo & Jas. H. Gilreath. Ordered that said bail be exonerated. Rec'd Clerk's cost. Wm. Maltbie.

Lewis Smith vs. John Hanks, Thomas Hanks. Ca Sa &c. In this case the prisoner having been surrendered in open court by his bail Jesse Rambo, R. H. Lester, K. Rambo & James H. Gilreath. Ordered that said bail be exonerated. Rec'd Clerk's cost. Wm. Maltbie.

P. 249 June Term 1830 continued.

P. J. Murray vs. Drury Dun. Ca Sa &c. Judgment on Bond.

Drury Silvey vs. Elijah Fulton. Ca sa &c. Continued by consent & Deft. in Shff. custody by surrender of bail.

L. B. Wright vs. Moses Blake. Ca Sa &c. In this case the defendant and prisoner having been surrendered in open court by his bail John Kinney. Ordered that said bail be exonerated. Continued.

L. B. Wright & Moses Blake. Ca Sa &c. In this case the defendant and prisoner having been surrendered in open court by his bail. Continued.

Evan Howel vs. William H. Worsham. Ca Sa &c. In this case the defendant and prisoner having been surrendered in open court by the bail Daniel N. Pitman. Ordered that said bail be exonerated. Deft. surrendered by security & committed to jail.

P. 250 June Term 1830 continued.

John Choice vs. Alfred Webb. Ca sa &c. Dismissed for want of form in Ca Sa not to affect original debt.

Russell & Boyd vs. Posey Maddox. Ca Sa &c. Continued.

Dodds & Crowel vs. David Spence. Ca Sa &c. Settled & cost paid.

John B. Cogswell vs. Samuel Bolt. Ca sa &c. The Defendant John Bolt having failed to appear therefore, it is ordered that the Plaintiff have leave to enter Judgment against him & his securities herein in terms of the law. Judgment on Bond.

James Wardlaw for Young Moore vs. Reuben Higgins, Sen. & Reuben Higgins, Junr. Ca sa &c. In this case the prisoner having been surrendered in open court by his bail Joel Higgins ordered that said bail be exonerated. Discharged by taking Insolvents oath.

P. 251 June Term 1830 continued.

Russell & Boyd vs. Lewis Brown. Ca Sa &c. Settled. Rec'd my cost. Wm. Maltbie.

John P. Winn vs. Thomas C. Butler. Ca sa &c. Continued.

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In the above cases the prisoner having been surrendered in open Court by his bail Thomas G. Garrison & John Adair. Ordered that said bail be exonerated.

P. 252 June Term 1830 continued.

William Ravann for the use of John P. Winn vs. Martin Boling. Ca sa &c. Settled

Vivian Holmes for Obadiah Abbott vs. Samuel Pearson & James Plunket. Ca sa &c. Settled in the hands of the Clerk.

John C. Pearson for George Edwards vs. John Ball. Ca sa &c. Judgment on Bond.

J. W. Pentecost vs. Rachel Horton. Ca sa &c. Settled Rec'd my fee. W. Maltbie.

P. 253 June Term 1830 continued.

Shadrach Bogan vs. Andrew B. Bonds. Ca sa &c. Settled in the hands of the Clerk.

Benjamin Baker vs. Frederick Baldwin Admr. & Elizabeth Baldwin Admx. Assumpsit. Dismissed.

William Loughridge vs. Frederick Baldwin &c. Assumpsit. Dismissed.

On motion of Counsel for Burton M. South shewing to the Court that he has been arrested by virtue of a Ca Sa from a Justices Court in favor of Lewis Smith vs. the said Burton M. South and that he has duly filed his schedule in the office of the Clerk of this Court and has given notice to the said Lewis Smith and also to Francis L. Brandon, John M. Thompson &c. on William H. Drummond & Robert Morrow, creditors of said Burton M. in terms of the law in such case made and provided. It is ordered that the said Burton M. be permitted to swear to the said Schedule so filed and to take the benefit of an act for the relief of honest debtors and that upon the taking of such oath he the said Burton M. be discharged from his imprisonment on account of debts due to the persons aforesaid.

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Isham W. Born vs. John Fowler. Ca Sa &c. Settled at Defts. cost.

L. B. Wright vs. Moses Blake. Ca Sa Justices Court. On motion shewing that the defendant in these cases was arrested & had given security for their appearances at this Court to take the benefit of an act for the relief of honest debtors has been tendered into the custody of the Sheriff by his securities. Ordered that said Sheriff shew cause as soon as Counsel can be heard why he does not pay over to Plaintiff's attorney the amount of said Ca Sas.

John P. Hutchins et al vs. Marquis Ambrose. Ca Sas from Justices Court.

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And now at this Term comes the Defendant by Hutchins & Holt his Atts. and moves the Court to be permitted to take the oath forescribed for

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for the relief of honest debtors. It appearing to the Court that the defendant has filed his schedule and given notice to his creditors in terms of the law. Whereupon it is ordered and directed that he be permitted to take the oath aforesaid and that his body be released from imprisonment on account of any demand upon which he has given notice to his creditors &c.

Charles S. Simonton & Co. vs John Roper, Dft in execution and James Roper, Claimant. Claim. In this case the Defendant & Claimant James Roper comes forward and craves an appeal and hereby binds himself together with Wm. F. Roper, Charles Roper & Richard Plunkett for the eventual condemnation money.

Signed: James Roper, Richard Plunkett, Wm. F. Roper, Charles Roper.

Ordered that Marquis Ambrose be committed to jail till tomorrow morning 10 o'clock. June 1<sup>st</sup> [?] 1830.

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Jurors drawn to serve at December Term of the Inferior Court 1830. Vincent Jones, Robert Carter, Preston Glover, John Towers, John Weems, John Haney, Solomon Bridges, John Boozer, John Lee, John Sudduth, Robert Nailer, John MCMillan, Allen Wilson, Berry Atwood, Hiram Gober, George A. Gordon, Wm. A. Turley, Marcus Roberts, Lewis J. Rigsby, James Harrold, James Montgomery, Aaron Brown, Samuel Head, John Morrow, Thomas Jones, James Black, Jacob Gilbert, Wm. Robertson, David A. Lansdown, John Smith, Thomas Dillard, Abraham Dunn, James H. Gilreath, Dudley Bonds, David Sayres.

I Charles W. Rawson do solemnly swear that I will faithfully perform and discharge the duties of Trustee of the poor School fund for the County of Gwinnett as the law directs; that I will not, nor shall any person for me or themselves, by or with my consent or knowledge, use any money or sums of money coming into my hands as Trustee aforesaid, for my own *[or]* for their private use. Sworn to & subscribed before us this 15<sup>th</sup> June 1830. Signed: C. W. Rawson. Witness: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., John Brewster, J.I.C., Cliffird Woodroof, J.I.C.

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Gwinnett County. Know all men by these presents that we Charles W. Rawson *[blank space, probably for the name of Chester Hawks]* are held and firmly bound unto the Justices of the Inferior Court for said County and their successors in office in the just & full sum of \$1,000, for the payment of which sum to the said Justices and their successors in office we bind ourselves our heirs executors & administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June 1830.

The consideration of the above obligation is such that whereas the said Charles W. Rawson has this day accepted the office of Trustee of the poor school fund for said County. Now if the said Charles W. Rawson shall well and truly perform the duties required of him by an act of Legislation passed in December 1828 as Trustee aforesaid then the obligation to be void else to remain in full force & virtue.

Signed: C. W. Rawson, Chester Hawks.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged before us the year day above written. (Attest) Wm. Maltbie.

Ordered that Marquis Ambrose be and he is hereby discharged from his confinement in prison.

Ordered that John Peeples receive out of the County \$51.43 the *[amount]* due him on the Courts Bond and \$4 for extra work.

P. 258 Ordered that Daniel Liddell receive out of the County funds \$20 for maintaining Alexander McNier the year 1830, the above in addition to \$10 received by said McNier.

Signed: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., John Brewster, J.I.C., Cliffird Woodroof, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C.

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Asahel R. Smith vs. John Mosely. Attachment. Gwinnett Inferior Court.

On motion shewing that said Attachment has been levied on an old Negro Woman Slave by the name of Phillis and that the same is of a perishable nature. It is ordered that the Sheriff do proceed to sell the said Negro Woman as perishable property on the first Tuesday in September next at the Court House in said County according to the Statute in such case made and provided.

Given under our hands & seals at chambers this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1830.

Signed: John Brewster, J.I.C., J. Wardlaw, J.I.C.

P. 259 Gwinnett County. Habeas Court. September 9<sup>th</sup> 1830.

The State vs. Mary Sweetman, Nancy Carrell & Elisabeth Sweetman. Assault & Battery.

The Prisoners having tendered satisfactory Bail Ordered that they be discharged. Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> 1830.

Signed: A. R. Smith, J.I.C., James Wardlaw, J.I.C., John Brewster, J.I.C. (Attest) Wm. Maltbie Clk.

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Given under our hands & seals at chambers this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1830.

Signed: John Brewster, J.I.C., J. Wardlaw, J.I.C.

P. 260 Gwinnett County. Habeas Court. October 6<sup>th</sup>, 1830. Present the honorable John Brewster, James Wardlaw, and Asahel R. Smith, Esq's.

The State vs. James Swinney. Ordered that the Prisoner be remanded to Jail.

(Attested) Wm. Maltbie Clk.

Ordered that Alston Boyd, Daniel Killian & William Montgomery be appointed to view and mark out a road from Lawrenceville to Fairview Meeting House to be taken from the west end of Pike Street and that the Clerk notify each of the men appointed and that they report the same as early as possible. Also ordered that an order heretofore passed by this Court appointing other Commissioners so far as the same conflicts with this order be revoked. (Attested) Wm. Maltbie Clk.

Copy – order filed in voucher 1830.

Ordered that the Clerk of the Inferior Court of said County do pay to Benjamin Ivie Jailer of said County the sum of \$210.84½ being the amount due him as per amt. approved by the Court.

Ordered that William Brewster receive out of the County fund \$10.50 the amount of an account rendered Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1830.

P. 261 Gwinnett County. Inferior Court December 1830. Present the Hon. Cliffird Woodroof, Reuben McLung & James Wordlaw, Esqrs.

The following Jurors having been empaneled and sworn took their seats for the transaction of business. Wm. Gordon, John McMillan, Benj. Atwood, Allen Wilson, John Sudduth, Benjamin Mattox, James Gilreath, Henry Killian, Robert Foster, Thomas Monk, John Haney, Wiley Bridges.

No. 1. Asahel R. Smith vs. John Moseley. Debt. Settled at Deft's cost.

No. 2. Hewlet Sullivan vs. Sherod Boman. Debt. Death of Plaintiff suggested.

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No. 3. William Mitcham for the use of John Nelson vs. Thomas Monk. Debt. I confess judgment to the plaintiff for \$127.50 with interest & cost & liberty of appeal as in case of verdict of Chester & Williams, Deft. Attys. Dec. 13, 1830.

No. 4. William D. Bird vs. Benjamin Hays & Fleming B. Nance. Debt. We the Jury find for the Plaintiff \$57.75 with interest & cost. Wm. Gordon, Foreman.

No. 5. James Morris vs. Daniel Mathews & Sion Powel. Assumpsit. We the Jury find for the Plaintiff \$44.25 with interest & cost. Wm. Gordon Foreman.

No. 6. William Shamblee [*Chamblee*] vs. James White & James Wells. Debt. Settled & cost paid.

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No. 7. Benjamin Cutliff for the use of Amory Sibley vs. George A. Gordon. Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$66 with interest & cost. James C. Martin, Defts. Atty.

No. 8. [*Number not used.*]

No. 9. Thomas J. Williams vs. Nathan Ward. Tresspass [*sic*] viet armies [*?*]. Continued.

No. 10. William W. Walker vs. George Hopkins & Samuel Arnold. Debt. Dismissed at Defts. cost & cost paid to Clerk.

No. 11. Archibald G. Janes vs. Abraham Harris, Ransbird Harris & Cliffird Woodroof. We the Jury find for the Plaintiff \$80 with interest & cost. Wm. Gordon, Foreman.

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No. 12. James J. McCarter vs. John Brewster. Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$61.12 with interest & cost of suit with liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Mat. J. Williams, Deft. Atty. Decr. 13<sup>th</sup>, 1830.

No. 13. A. Boyd & Co. vs. James H. McArver [*aka McCarver*]. Debt. Settled.

No. 14. James Caldwell vs. John Harris. Debt. We the Jury find for the plaintiff \$37.87½ with interest & cost. Wm. Gordon, Foreman.

No. 15. John M. Thompson & Co. vs. Thos. J. Chambers. Debt. (Continued.)

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No. 16. John Pittman vs. Thomas Ware. Assumpsit. Settled & cost paid to Clerk.

No. 17. William Ezell vs. Robert S. Foster. Assumpsit. Continued.

No. 18. [*Number not used.*]

No. 19. Charles T. Simonton & Co. vs. John Roper, Deft. in execution & William F. Roper, Claim't. Claim. We the Jury find the waggon & gear and grey mare subject to this fi fa with ten per cent damages. Signed: Wm. Gordon, Foreman.

No. 20. John G. Frost vs. John H. Hammond. Assumpsit. We the Jury find for the Plaintiff \$35 with interest & cost. Wm. Gordon, Foreman.

P. 266 John P. Hutchins vs. John W. Medlin. Ca Sa from Justice Court. (Continued.)

Hudson H. Allen vs. John W. Medlin. Ca Sa from Justice Court. (Continued.)

Elias C. Downs vs. John W. Medlin & Silvester Junior. Ca Sa From Justice Court. The defendant in Ca Sa Silvester Junior having failed to appear and comply with the conditions of his recognizance ordered that the plaintiff be permitted to enter up Judgment on the bond for the amount of the same against said Junior & his security Sophia Medlin to be discharged on the payment of the principal, interest and cost due on the said Ca Sa and the cost of the proceedings in this court.

Francis Tunell for the use of Elisha Winn vs. Samuel Teague. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

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Drewry Silvey vs. Elijah Fulton. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Settled.

L. B. Wright vs. Moses Blake. Ca Sa from Justice Court.

Same vs. Same. Ca Sa from Justice Court. (Continued.)

Evan Howel vs. William H. Worsham. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Settled & cost paid.

Russell & Boyd vs. Posey Maddox. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Settled.)

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John P. Winn vs. Thomas C. Butler. Ca Sa from Justices Court.  
Same vs. Same. Same. *[repeated 4 additional times.]*  
The above cases all continued.

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R. M. Cleaveland vs. James Garnett. Ca Sa from Justice Court. The deft. having been arrested in this Writ and given Bond with Wm. H. Garnett his security for his appearance at this turn of the Inf. Court to avail himself of the provisions of the act for the relief of honest debtors to appear & comply with the provisions of said act and conditions of said bond. On motion ordered that the plff. be permitted to enter up Judgment on the said Bond against the deft. and his security William H. Garnett for the amt. of the same to be discharged on the payment of the amt. due on the Ca Sa prin'c, Int. & cost & the cost in this Court.

James Gilbert, Guardian &c. vs. Johnson Rogers. Ca Sa from Justice Court. Order for Judgment. Whereupon it is considered by the Court that the plaintiff recover of the defendant Johnson Rogers & his security John Anderson the sum of \$54, the further sum of *[blank]* for his costs in this behalf expended to be discharged on the payment of the principal interest & cost of the within mentioned Ca Sa & the cost of this proceeding and the deft. in mercy &c. 12<sup>th</sup> Dec 1830. Hutchins & Holt, Atty. for Plff.

P. J. Murray vs. James Garnett. Ca. Sa. from Justices Court. Settled & cost paid.

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James C. Reid vs. Benjamin South. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Settled.  
Berry Atwood vs. James T. McDade. Ca Sa from Justices Court.  
Charles W. Rawson vs. John F. Burge. Ca Sa from Justice Court. Dismissed & cost paid.

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Isaac N. Young vs. Allen Rigsby. Ca Sa from Justice Court. Settled & cost paid.  
A. Hammond vs. John S. Nelson. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Continued.

It appearing to the Court upon the affidavit of Isham Burns that Charles W. Rawson vs. Edward Wing. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Continued.

Gwinnett County. Know all men by these presents that we Jonathan Pendley & Thomas Pendley are held & firmly bound unto James A. Johnson in the sum of \$22.37½ ... dated 12<sup>th</sup> July 1830. The condition of the above obligation is that if the above bound Jonathan Pendley shall well & truly be and appear at the next Inferior Court ... the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday in December next then and there to take the benefit of the act prescribed for the relief of Insolvent debtors then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force. Signed: Jonathan Pendley, Thomas Pendley. In presence of William Pendley.

P. 272 Gwinnett County. Personally came before me Isham W. Born who being duly sworn saith that original in substance of the above copy Bond has been lost out of his possession or mislaid so that the same cannot be found. Sworn to in open Court at December Term 1830. Gwinnett Inferior Court. Signed: I. W. Born, L. C.

It appearing to the Court upon the affidavit of Isham Burns *[aka Born]* that the original Bond of which the within is a copy has been lost out of his possession and it further appearing that the same is a paper belonging to the office of the Inferior Court. It is ordered that the same be established instead in lieu of the original.

James A. Johnson vs. Jonathan Pendley. Ca Sa in Justices Court. The defendant having given Bond & security for his appearance at this Court and having failed to comply with said Bond against said Defendant & Thomas Pendley his security conditioned to be discharged on the payment on said of the principal interest and cost on said Ca Sa and the cost in this Court.

The term for which Elisha W. Chester was appointed Attorney of the County having expired, it is ordered that the said Elisha W. be continued the County Attorney from the expiration of said time at the same salary heretofore allowed for the term of one year & thence until the further order of this Court.



Copy Notes

\$225.65 One day after date I promise to pay Alston Boyd or bearer \$225.65 value this August 5<sup>th</sup> 1829. Signed: Walter Adair.

Rec'd \$85.00 on the within note Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> 1829. Rec'd \$75.00 June 22d 1830.

\$13 One day after date I promise to pay A. Boyd or bearer \$13.00 value rec'd. August 5<sup>th</sup> 1829. Signed: Samuel Mays.

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Personally appeared in open Court Alston Boyd and being duly sworn deposeth and says that the above described notes are true and substantial copies of the lost originals which are filed in the Clerks Office of this Court. Signed: A. Boyd. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

Rule Ni sa in Gwinnett Inferior Court Decr. Term 1830.

The petition of Alston Boyd sheweth to the Court that he has lost out of his possession the original notes of which in substance the above are true copies and that he is after the most diligent search unable to find the same. Whereupon it is on motion ordered that all persons concerned be and appear at the next term of this court and shew cause if any they have why said copy notes should not be established in lieu of the lost originals. And it is further ordered that this rule be published ... in some public gazette of this State.

A. Hammond vs. John S. Nelson. Continued.

Gwinnett County. Know all men by these presents that we John S. Nelson, Stephen Herring and Jannett Nelson are held & firmly bound unto Hammond & Tate in the sum of \$57.39 which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs and assigns jointly

P. 274 and severally firmly by these presents signed with our own hands and sealed with our seals this 4<sup>th</sup> day of August 1830. The condition of the above obligation is such that ... on the 1<sup>st</sup> [?] day of July 1830 the said John S. Nelson was arrested by Isham W. Born Constable for the 550<sup>th</sup> district G. M. in said county by virtue of a bail process issued from the Justices Court for said district at the instance of Hammond & Tate against him said Nelson and whereas the Nelsons have given bail in terms of the law for his appearance at said Justices at August Term 1830, and whereas at September Term 1830 said Justices Court a Judgment was ordered in favor of said Hammond & Tate against said Nelson for \$20 with interest & cost and the said John being then and there surrendered at and in said Court by his bail. Now if the said Nelson shall be and appear at the next Inferior Court to be held ... on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday in December next ... Signed: John S. Nelson, Jannett Nelson, Stephen (X) Herring.

P. 275 Personally came before me in open court Isham Burns [aka Born] who being sworn saith that the original Bond of which the foregoing is a substantial copy has been lost out of his possession so that the same cannot be found and that the said original Bond was a paper properly belonging to the Clerks Office of this Court. Signed: I. W. Born, L.C. Sworn & subscribed in open Court at Dec. Term, Gwinnett Inferior Court 1830. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

[Alonzo G.] Van Volkingburgh & Hawks vs. N. H. Pendley. Judgment on Bond.

J. A. Johnson vs. Jonathan Pendley. Judgment on Bond.

Van Volkingburg & Hawks vs. N. H. Pendley. Ca sa. The Defendant in Ca sa having failed to appear and comply with the condition of his recognizance. On motion it is ordered that the plaintiffs be permitted to enter up Judgment against said deftd. and his security Jesse Compton for the pamt. of the Bond to be discharged on the payment of the principal interest and cost due on said Ca Sa and the cost in this Court.

P. 276. Gwinnett County. Inf'r Court Dec. Term 1830.

It appearing to the Court upon the affidavit of Isham W. Born that the original Bond of which the foregoing is a copy has been lost or mislaid so that the same cannot be found. It is ordered that the copy be instanter [sic] established in lieu of the original. N.B. Copy Bond to which the above order has reference entered at page 274.

Charles S. Simonton Co. vs. John Roper Deft. in Execution and William F. Roper Claim't. Claim. In this case William F. Roper came forward and craves an appeal and hereby binds himself together [with] David Pruett, James Roper and Charles Roper for the eventual condemnation money. Signed: Wm. F. Roper, David Pruitt, James Roper, Charles Roper.

On motion ordered that the Clerk deliver to John Brewster a note made by Caven Freeman and Garrett Freeman payable to the said John Brewster on which Judgment has been rendered in this court against Caven Freeman for the purpose of proceeding against the other maker of said note the Clerk keeping in his office a true copy thereof.

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William Mitcham for the use of John Nelson vs. Thomas Monk. Debt. In this case the Defendant Thomas Monk comes forward and craves an appeal and binds himself together with Richard Holman his security for the eventual condemnation money. Signed: Thomas Monk, Richard Holeman. December 15<sup>th</sup>, 1830.

H. H. Allen vs. Hiram Bowen & Wm. Henderson. Fi fa Gwt. Infr. Court. The Sheriff having been called on to shew cause if any he had why he did not pay the amt. due on said Fi fa having shown no sufficient cause. Ordered the Shff. pay over to Plff. the amt. due on the same and that the Fi fa be left open for the Sheriffs remuneration.

Inferior Court Dec. Term 1830. Ordered by the Court that the Clerk of said Court do deliver to Henry Mounger, William Huckeba's Bonds as Constable for the years 1821, 1822 and 1823 for the purpose of suing on the same at the instance of Shadrack Bogan for the use of McKenzie & Co. who has made it satisfactorily appear that he has been injured by the misconduct or neglect of said Constable. Signed: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., R. McLung, J.I.C., Cliffird Woodroof, J.I.C.

Court adjourned to Court in course. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

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R. M. Cleaveland vs. James Garnett & William H. Garnett, Security on Bond. Ca Sa &c. In the above case the Defendant James Garnett comes forward and craves a stay of execution & binds himself together with George Buchanan his security for the eventual condemnation money &c. December 16<sup>th</sup>, 1830. Signed: George Buchanan.

January 3<sup>rd</sup> 1831. Ordered that a County tax of 12½ per cent be paid for County purposes, and also a poor tax of one eighth on the general tax.

Ordered that Pearce Williams, Thomas Gains & Benjamin Gholson be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to let out the building of the Bridge at Isham Williams - said Commissioners will dispose of and include this remains of the old Bridge in getting the new Bridge built, and report their proceedings to this Court. Signed: Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C., Reuben McLung, J.I.C., Cliffird Woodroof, J.I.C., Jno. Brewster, J.I.C.

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Ordered that the contractor for building the Jail be required to give Bond with sufficient security for the good workmanship of said Jail and to have the lower story completed by the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January next and the whole finished by the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1832 according to the schedule and plans which we annexed to his proposals and that he be allowed till 1<sup>st</sup> February next to obtain said security. 10<sup>th</sup> January 1831. Signed: A. R. Smith, J.I.C., J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., R. McLung, J.I.C.

(Copy original on file)

Ordered that the permanent scite [sic] for the Jail of this county be located on that part of lot No. 22 in the Town of Lawrenceville which was on the 4<sup>th</sup> instant purchased by the Inferior Court of Hudson H. Allen for that purpose. Jany. 5<sup>th</sup> 1831. Signed: John Brewster, J.I.C., Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C., Reuben McLung, J.I.C.

(Copy original on file)

Ordered that the County Treasurer be required to arrange a correct statement of the costs which have been expended by this County in prosecutions which have arisen from the Cherokee Nation and also all

that may hereafter arise in a neat Book, to be kept ... ready for the inspection of the Judge of the Superior Court for his approval ... as provided by the act of 1830 to refund at the expense

P. 280 of the State all costs which may have been or may thereafter be expended by the several counties in the prosecution of cases arising in the Cherokee Nation. January 10<sup>th</sup> 1831. Signed: John Brewster, J.I.C., J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., Reuben McLung, J.I.C.

Ordered that \$50 be appropriated for building a Bridge at Montgomery's Mill the undertaker to give Bond and security to keep it in repair for 5 years and that Moses Liddell, Thos. W. Alexander & George M. Gresham be appointed Commissioners to lett out and superintend the same.

Ordered that Daniel Liddell receive, out of the County funds, \$30 for the support of Alexander Mackincie for the year 1831.

Ordered that John Guthrie and Rebecca Oliver be put on the poor list and that they receive the sum of \$10 per year. March 7<sup>th</sup> 1831. A. R. Smith, J.I.C., C. Woodroof, J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., R. McLung, J.I.C.

P. 281 Names of persons on the poor list

M. Pindar Paid to Geo. Brogden Overseer for the year 1831 - \$25; paid to Geo. Brogden 1832 -<sup>1</sup> \$5.  
1832 May

C. Caheely Paid Hosea Camp July 4<sup>th</sup> 1832 - \$10; Paid Hosea Camp Jany. 25, 1833 - \$10.

E. Chapman & Paid Hosea Camp Septr. 1832 - \$10; Paid Hosea Camp July 1833 - \$10;

H. Chapman Paid Wm. Richardson Overseer Oct. 1834 - \$18.

Paid to Wm. Rakestraw, Esq. Sept. 1835 - \$10.

Paid to B.F. Fuller Sept. 1836 - \$10.

Paid to B. F. Fuller Sept. 7, 1837 - \$10.

Elizabeth York To cash paid John Mills Overseer - \$10 maintenance from Nov 1831 to Nov 1832.

To cash paid John Mills Overseer maintenance from Nov 1832 to Nov 1833 - \$10.

To cash paid John Mills Overseer maintenance from Nov 1833 to Nov 1834 - \$10.

John Bowen Put on poor List June 1832. Paid to John Bowen from June 1832 to June 1834 - \$20.

Drewry Green To cash paid Joseph Terry Overseer Maintenance from Dec 1832 to Dec 1833 - \$10.

& wife in Dec 1832 Paid to Wm. Richardson Overseer Dec 1<sup>st</sup> 1833 - \$10.

To cash paid Wm. Richardson Overseer Dec 1, 1833 - \$10.

P. 282 Names of persons on the poor list.

Rachel Gentry Paid to Rachel Gentry Jany. 1833 - \$10.

Nancy Ellison Paid to John Mills Esq. March 1833 - \$8.43.

Paid to John Mills Esq. July 1833 - \$6.57.

Paid to John Mills Esq. October 1833 - \$10.

Russell Stowers Jan'y 1833. [No amount stated.]

Mary Roach Paid Benjamin Gholson Overseer of the poor Sept. 11<sup>th</sup> 1833 - \$10.

Paid to Ben Gholson August 4<sup>th</sup> 1834 - \$10.

Paid to Mary Roach Feby. 5 1836 - \$10.

Paid to Mary Roach Feby 18<sup>th</sup> 1837 - \$10.

Paid to Mary Roach Nov 6 1837 - \$10.

Mary McMurtrey Paid Hamilton Garmany Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> 1834 - \$10.

Nov 1833

Jonathan Swan To cash paid to Wm. Page for J. Swan for year 1834 - \$10.

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<sup>1</sup> Note: Entries of dates after 1831 appear to have been inserted after original entry.

P. 283 Names of Jurors drawn to serve at June Term of the Inferior Court 1831 drawn by the Inferior Court March 7<sup>th</sup> 1831.

1. William M. Otwell; 2. Isaac Haney; 3. James Brown; 4. Thomas Nation; 5. Allen Martin; 6. Septimus Taylor; 7. John Strayhorn; 8. Eli Massey; 9. Elisha Vinson; 10. Redmond Hutchins; 11. Machael [sic] Redwine; 12. Thomas Monk; 13. Samuel McKinney; 14. Drury Lee; 15. Absalom Bumgarner; 16. James Wells, Jr.; 17. George B. Morgan; 18. Orange Smith; 19. Wm. S. Norris; 20. Robert Foster; 21. Charles Eastes; 22. Benjamin South; 23. Wm. Medford; 24. Robert Day; 25. Isaac Pritchard; 26. Humphrey Hurst; 27. Nathan Bonds; 28. Thomas Pendley; 29. Jesse Compton; 30. Miles Fowler; 31. David Jackson; 32. Elias Fincher; 33. Jeremiah Morgan; 34. Andrew M. Hamilton; 35. James Hood; 36. Wade Pevy.

Gwinnett County. I James C. Martin do solemnly swear that I will truly & faithfully enter and record all the orders decrees Judgments and other proceedings of the Inferior Court of the County of Gwinnett and all other matters & things which by law ought to be recorded . . . required of me as Deputy Clerk . . . So help me God. Sworn to & subscribed in open court this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1831 before us, Asahel R. Smith, J.I.C., Rueben McLung, J.I.C. Signed: James C. Martin.

P. 284 Ordered that the Clerk of the Inferior Court receive out of the county \$33, the amount of a Bill for Patent Scale, Measures &c. paid by him for the County.

Ordered that James Ferguson Jailer of Walton County receive out of the County fund \$87.57 the amount of his Bill rendered for keeping Prisoners for this County.

Ordered that William Brewster receive out of the County fund \$12.75 & R. H. Lester \$6.50, fees &c. in the case State vs. James Swinney.

May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1831. Signed: C. Woodroof, J.I.C., A. R. Smith, J.I.C., Rueben McClung, J.I.C.

Gwinnett County. Habeas Corpus Court 6<sup>th</sup> May 1831. Present their Honors A. R. Smith, J. Wardlaw and Reuben McClung, Judges.

The State vs. Briant Ward. Ordered that the prisoner be discharged. Attest: James C. Martin, D. Clk. Signed: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., R. McClung, J.I.C., A. R. Smith, J.I.C.

P. 285 Gwinnett County. Inferior Court June Term 1831. Present their Honors John Brewster, Reuben McClung & James Wardlaw, Judges.

The following persons having been sworn as Jurors took their seats for the transaction of business.

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| 1. Robert Day;       | 7. Wm. Ezells;     |
| 2. Humphrey Hurst;   | 8. John Segers;    |
| 3. Septimus Taylor;  | 9. Nathan Fowler;  |
| 4. Robert Foster;    | 10. Wm. Medford;   |
| 5. Seaborn Williams; | 11. A. Bomgarner;  |
| 6. Allen Martin;     | 12. Elias Fincher. |

John M. Thompson vs. Thomas J. Chambers. Debt. Settled at Defts. cost.

Francis Tennille an. [attorney] of Elisha Winn vs. Samuel Teage. Ca Sa from Justice's Court. Settled at Plffs. Cost.

Joseph Johnston [sic], Robert Johnson & Nathaniel Johnson vs. James Bailey. Debt. Settled at the Defts's. cost.

P. 286 Inferior Court June Term 1831.

Stephens Thomas vs. Hugh Brewster, William Brewster & John Brewster Security. Debt &c.

We confess Judgement to the plaintiff for \$250 with interest and cost of suit. Signed: Hugh Brewster, Wm. Brewster, Jno. Brewster.

Kerrs & Graham vs. Ambrose Harnage & George Sanders. Debt &c.

I confess Judgement to the plaintiff for \$182 with interest from the 17<sup>th</sup> March 1831 & cost of suit . . . Signed: A. Harnage.

Thomas J. Williams vs. Nathan Ward. Trespass *viet armis*.

We the Jury find for the plaintiff \$5 and cost of suit. Signed: Seaborn Williams. F.M.

P. 287 Inferior Court June Term 1831.

Thomas W. Alexander admr. of Hewhit Sullivan vs. Sherod Bowman *Scire facias*. We the Jury find for the plaintiff \$243 with interest & cost. Signed: Seaborn Williams, F.M.

William Ezell vs. Robert S. Foster. Assumpsit.

Jerimiah Morgan & James Brown added to the jury in lieu of Robt. Foster. William Ezzell.

We the jury find for the defendant cost of suit. Signed: Seaborn Williams, F.M.

Chuseborough [*Chudeborough?*] Satterlee & Co. vs. Alston Boyd. Debt. We the Jury find for the plffs. \$254.77 with interest and cost. Signed: Seaborn Williams, F.M.

P. 288 Inferior Court June Term 1831.

Montgomery's Mill 6<sup>th</sup> May 1831. We the commissioners chose to let out the Bridge at the above place. James Gilreath bid it of at \$50 & we this day have rec'd the bridge built in good order. Signed: G. M. Gresham, Com'r, Moses Liddell, Comr., Thos. W. Alexander, Comr.

Infr. Court June Term 1831.

Ordered that the Clerk of the Inferior Court or County Treasurer of the county of Gwt. to pay over to Henry Fitsimmons \$375 out of any money in his hands belonging to the county and take his receipt therefor in part payments of his contract for building the jail in said county.

Van Volkenburgh & Hawks vs. John Harris & Ransbird Harris security on stay &c. Fi Fa Justice Court Gwt. County.

Same vs. Same. Same vs. Same. It appearing to this court that the sheriff has in his hands money raised from the sale of Deft. John Harris property & the sheriff having shown no cause why he should not pay to plffs. the amount due on said fi fa other than that he has in his hands other fi fa as the said deft. ordered that he pay over the money in his hands to the fi fas . . .

P. 289 Inferior Court June Term 1831.

Thomas Baity, Jr. having acted in gross contempt of the court now sitting by boisterous & disorderly conduct in the court house while in the custody of the Sheriff it is ordered that he be fined in the sum of \$10 and that he stand committed until said fine be paid.

Ambrose Harnage vs. James Brown, George Harbin. Debt &c. I confess Judgement to the plaintiff for \$143.54 with interest and cost with liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Signed: Hutchins & Holt, Attys for Deft. George Harbin.

In the above case George Harbin one of the defendants comes forward, craves an appeal by paying up the cost and binding himself together with William Rogers his security for the eventual consideration money. Signed: Geo. Harbin.

Wm. B. Malone adrs, &c. vs. Hannah Grogan, Alfred Grogan. We confess Judgement to the plaintiff for \$71.75 with interest & cost with liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Signed: Chester & Williams, Defts. Atty.

P. 290 Inferior Court June Term 1831.

Samuel McJunkin vs. Henry C. Butler. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Settled at defts. cost.

Hudson H. Allen vs. John W. Medlin. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Deft. admitted to the benefit of insolvent oath.

A. Hammond vs. John S. Nelson. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Deft. admitted to benefit of insolvent oath.

G. W. F. Lamkin vs. Nehemiah Sumerlin. Ca Sa from Justices. Settled at Pltfs. cost.

Amos Welborn vs. Thomas Kirkes [*aka Kircus*] & John Turner. Ca Sa &c. The defendants having surrendered themselves in open court & having failed to pay the above debt or take the usual oath, ordered that they be committed & kept in safe custody until discharged by due course of law.

P. 291 Inferior Court June Term 1831.

Wm. & James Orr vs. John Parker, Carter Parker & John P. Winn. Ca Sa &c. The deft. John P. Winn having given bond and Lemuel Winn for security for his appearance at this court to comply with the law in such cases provided, and having failed to appear and comply with the conditions of said bond on motion ordered that plaintiff be permitted to enter judgement on said bond against the deft. and the security for the amt. of the bond conditioned to be discharged on the payment of the principal, interest & cost due on said ca sas therein mentioned & cost and the cost in this court.

James Baxley vs. Charlton Wragdsdale [*Ragsdale*] & Henry C. Butler. Ca Sa from Justices Court. The defendants Charlton Wragdsdale & Henry C. Butler having given bond and Martha Pevy for Security for their appearance at this court to comply with the law in such cases provided and having failed to appear & comply with the conditions of said bond on motion ordered that plaintiff be permitted to enter judgement on said bond against the defendants and the security for the amount of the bond conditioned to be discharged on the payment of the principal interest and cost on said ca sa and the cost in this court.

P. 292 Inferior Court June Term 1831.

John P. Hutchins vs. Berry Millican. Ca Sa &c. The bail of deft. having surrendered him into open court and deft. having neglected & refused to pay the amt. of the above ca sa & to take the oath of insolvency, ordered that he be committed & kept in safe & close custody until discharged by due court of law.

James Austin vs. Gilbert Bowman. Ca Sa from Justices Court.

James Austin vs. Gilbert Bowman & James Coldwell [*Caldwell*]. Ca Sa from Justices Court. The defendant Gilbert Bowman having been arrested under the above ca sas. & given bond for his appearance at this court in terms of the law and the bail having surrendered the party and the said Gilbert Bowman having refused to pay the money or take the usual oath, it is therefore ordered that the Sheriff take the party into his custody and safe keeping until he shall comply with the terms of the law or be otherwise legally ordered out of his custody.

I, John W. Medlin, do solemnly swear in the presence of Almighty God that I am not possessed of any real or personal estate, debts, credits or effects, securities or contracts whatsoever my wearing apparel bedding for myself and family and the working tools or implements of my trade or calling together with the necessary equipments for a militia soldier excepted other than are contained on the schedule now delivered and that I have not directly or indirectly since my imprisonment or before sold bound assigned or otherwise disposed of or made

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over in trust for myself or otherwise any part of my lands goods estates stock money debts securities or contracts whereby any money may hereafter or any real or personal estate whereby to have or expect any benefit or profit to myself my wife or my heirs. So help me God.

Signed: John W. Medlin. Sworn to in open court this 12<sup>th</sup> June 1831. Test: Jas. C. Martin, D. Clk.

Ordered that John W. Medlin be forthwith discharged from all recognizances under ca sas returnable to this court.

I, John S. Nelson, do solemnly swear in the presence of Almighty God that I am not possessed of any real or personal estate debts credits or effects securities or contracts whatsoever my wearing apparel bedding for myself and family and the working tools or implements of my trade or calling together with the necessary equipments for a militia soldier excepted other than are contained in the schedule now delivered and that I have not directly or indirectly since my imprisonment or before sold bound assigned or otherwise disposed of or made over in trust for myself or otherwise any part of my lands goods estates stock money debts securities or contracts whereby any money may hereafter or any real or personal estate whereby to have or expect any benefit or profit to myself my wife or my heirs. Sal help me God.

Signed: John S. Nelson. Subscribed and sworn to in open court 12 June 1831. Test: Jas. C. Martin, D. Clk.

P. 294 Inferior Court June Term 1831.

Ordered that John S. Nelson be discharged from confinement under ca sas returnable to this court.  
James Austin vs. G. Bowman and James Coldwell. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Deft. ordered to Jail.  
James Austin vs. Gilbert Bowman. Ca Sa from Justices Court.  
John P. Hutchins vs. Berry Millican. Ca Sa from Justices Court.  
Deft. ordered to Jail.

Isaac N. Young vs. Ira[?] Seagers & Richard Ellison. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Dismissed at Plffs. cost.

P. 295 Inferior Court June Term 1831.

James Wardlaw an. & c. \_\_\_\_\_ vs. Otwell Langley. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Dismissed.

Wm. & James Orr vs. John Parker, Carter Parker & Wm. P. Winn. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Judgement on Bond.

James Baxley vs. Charlton Wragdsdale. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Judgement on Bond.

Isaac N. Young vs. John Turner & Thomas Kircus. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Defts. ordered to Jail.

Van Volkenburgh & Hawks vs. Rans B. Harris. Ca Sa Justices Court & Bond. The Bail in the above case having surrendered his principal in open court & craved an Exoneration ordered that he be relieved from the liability on his recognizance.

P. 296 June Term 1831. Monday 13<sup>th</sup>.

John P. Hutchins vs. Berry Millican. Ca Sa Justices Court & Bail. The security in the above case John Rigsby & Josiah Moore surrendered their loose copy in open court & were exonerated from the recognizance in said case.

I. N. Young Indorsee &c. vs. John Turner & Thos. Kirkes. Ca Sa Justices Court & Bond. Littleberry Meeks the bail in this case surrendered his principal in open court & cleared & exonerated from his recognizance which was granted.

Sam'l McJunkin vs. Henry C. Butler. Ca Sa in Justices Court & Bond. Balaam J. Bridges the Bail surrendered his principal in open court & craved an exoneration from his Bond which was granted.

John Stowers use &c. vs. Thos. Baitie. Ca Sa Justices Court & Bond. James Wardlaw the Bail in this case surrendered his principal in open court & craved an exoneration from his bond which was granted.

James Austin vs. Gilbert Bowman. Ca Sa Justices Court & Bond.

The Same vs. Same & James Caldwell. Ca Sa Justices Court & Bond. Curtis Caldwell the Bail for Gilbert Bowman surrender[ed] his principal in open court & was therefrom exonerated from his recognizance

P. 297 June Term 1831. Monday 13<sup>th</sup>.

The Court adjourned till tomorrow morning nine o'clock. Signed: John Brewster, J.I.C., Clifford Woodroof, J.I.C., J. Wardlaw, J.I.C.

Tuesday Morning June 14<sup>th</sup>. The Court met pursuant to adjournment.

John Sansom, William Gordon, William W. Downs, Givins Dunbar sworn as tatesmen[?].

Ordered that the clerk pay to Thomas Worthy Sheriff of Gwinnett County \$23.31¼ it being his claim against the county for arresting and carrying Bryant Ward to Walton Jail and \$9.18¾ to R. H. Lester for feeding prisoners and guard.

Hutchins & Holt vs. Thomas Beaty. Ca Sa from Justices Court.

Littleberry Millican cont. *[illegible]*.

Van Volkingburg & Hawks vs. Rans B. Harris. Ca Sa from Justices Court.

We the Jury find for Plaintiff in execution & traverse & that there is fraud panctisice[?] by Rans. B. Harris the 14<sup>th</sup> June. Signed: Wm. Gordon, Foreman.

Ordered that the fine on Thomas Batey of \$10 be remitted.

P. 298 June Term 1831.

John Stowers for the use of E. Oliver vs. Thomas Beaty. Ca Sa from Justice Court. Dismissed.

Smith & Underwood vs. John King. Debt. Dismissed.

Ordered that James Gilbert be permitted to open a road at his own expence from his ferry on the Chatahoochy to the federal road leading on to the Hitower [*Hightower*] river provided it interferes with no persons improvement.

William Hammond Informer vs. Matt Bird. The above case having been discharged of by the Supr. Court at the cost of the Informer. It is on motion ordered that the Atty. of Matt Bird be authorized to sign judgement against said Hammond for the cost that accrued on said case in this court.

Vanvolkenburgh & Hawks vs. Ransbird Harris. Gwinnett Infr. Court June Term. Ca Sa. Justices Court, Gwinnett County. Ca Sa &c.

P. 299 June Term 1831. Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> June.

Vanvolkenburgh & Hawks vs. Ransbird Harris. Ca Sa Justice Court, Gwinnett County.

The defendant having given bond for his appearance at this term to take the benefit of acts of the Legislature passed for the relief of honest debtors & having failed to make a full & fair schedule of his effects & the plaintiff having suggested fraud and concealment of his property which issue being tried at this term the jury on the trial thereof finding fraud in favor of the plaintiff that this is fraud and concealment of his property. Therefore ordered that the said defendant Ransbird Harris be deemed in the custody of the Sheriff & it is adjudged that he shall be imprisoned in the jail of some adjacent county until a full & fair disclosure of all his property money & effects be made by him and until he may have given the necessary notice required by law.

Ordered that Thomas W. Alexander, Joseph Thompson and G. W. F. Lamkin be appointed commissioners to lay off and view the road to be opened from near the two mile post beyond William Gordon's to the house of Moses Camps near what is commonly called Balls Hill and report to this Court thereon.

Ordered that George Brogdon, Amos Wellborn, and Samuel Born be appointed Commissioners to lay off and view the route for a road leading from Noah Strong's to Samuel Born's and report to the Court thereon.

P. 300 June Term 1831. Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup>.

Wm. & James Orr vs. John Parker, Carter Parker & John P. Winn. Ca Sa from Justices Court. In this case the defendant John P. Winn comes forward craves a stay of execution and binds himself together with Ann Conan for the principal interest & cost 15<sup>th</sup> June 1831. Signed: John P. Winn, Ann (X) Conan.

Wm. B. Malone Adrs. &c. vs. Hannah Grogan & Alford Grogan. In this case Hannah Grogan, one of the defendants, comes forward craves an appeal and binds herself together with Peter Walden for the mutual condemnation money. 17<sup>th</sup> June 1831. Cost paid \$14. Signed: Hannah (X) Grogan, Peter Walden. Test: Jas. C. Martin, D. Clk.

P. 301 Names of Jurors drawn to serve at December term 1831 of the Inferior Court of Gwinnett County.

1. Wiley Bagley; 2. Larkin Brown; 3. John Peoples; 4. Ira Segers; 5. Michael Dickerson; 6. W. R. Thorpeton; 7. Micajah Gresham; 8. Jesse Willis; 9. Robert Duncan; 10. Elmsly Helton; 11. John Nix; 12. Alfred Williams; 13. Rheu Prewit; 14. Henry Brit[?]; 15. Ninning Cooper; 16. Joseph Morrow; 17. Cashwell Brand; 18. Allen Dyer; 19. Henry Chandler; 20. Hiram Bowen; 21. John Mathis; 22. Josiah Brown; 23. Chas. Bostick; 24. Barnabas A. Baber; 25. Battle Mayfield; 26. Joseph Hamilton; 27. Joseph B. Haney; 28. Rueben Pickens; 29. Philip Burns; 30. Balaam J. Bridges; 31. John Wates; 32. Peter Hairston; 33. Nimrod Vinson; 34. Martin Pierce; 35. James Thompson. 36. Abraham Taylor.

Served the Shff. with a copy Oct. 17<sup>th</sup>, 1831.

Court adjourned to Court in course. Attest: James C. Martin, D. Clk.

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P. 303 Georgia, Gwinnett County. Habeas Corpas Court. July 4<sup>th</sup>, 1831.



Present their Honors John Brewster, J. Wardlaw and Reuben McLung, Esqrs.

The State vs. Thomas J. Williams. Forgery. Ordered that the prisoner be discharged on the grounds that the warrant & witnesses are grossly defective & informal.

The State vs. Thomas Pettit. Murder. Habeas Corpus Court, 5<sup>th</sup> July 1831. The prisoner having been brought before the court & argument had in the matter, it is the opinion of the court that the courts of the United States had not at the alledged time of committing the offence or at the present time any jurisdiction in the matter & that the courts of the State had not at the time by the laws of the State any jurisdiction over offences committed by & against citizens of the nation. It is therefore ordered that the prisoner be forthwith discharged & that all and singular his property taken for the purpose of answering cost be forthwith delivered up to him.

Signed: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., R. McClung, J.I.C., John Brewster, J.I.C. Attest: Jas. C. Martin, D. Clk.

P. 304 Gwinnett County. Habeas Corpus Court 23<sup>rd</sup> July 1831. Present their Honors Reuben McLung, James Wardlaw & Clifford Woodruff Esqrs.

The State vs. Samuel A. Worcester, Elizur Butler, Dickerson McLeode, James J. Trott, Samuel Mays, James Procter. For residing in the Cherokee Nation without a license & digging Gold.

Ordered that the Sheriff in obedience to the several commitments accompanying the action(?) do . . . convey the prisoners to the keep of the common jail of the county of Walton there being no sufficient jail in the said county of Gwinnett, or that each of the said prisoners give bond with good & sufficient security in the sum of \$500 for their appearance at the next Superior court of said county of Gwinnett then and there to answer to the several charges made against them in the papers submitted.

P. 305 1st August 1831.

Ordered that the Clerk of the Inferior Court do sell tomorrow . . . lot No. 47 in the town of Lawrenceville to the highest bidder on a credit til Christmas next the purchaser to give good security.

Ordered that Elisha Winn, B. S. Smith, Wm. Richardson be and they are hereby apointed to view the ground for a new road leading from Lawrenceville to Jefferson leaving the Watkinsville road 2 or 3 miles from Lawrenceville and crossing the Alcova at or near Higgins Mill and the Appalachy at Brown's bridge and intersecting the Jefferson road at Thomas H. Sprogins and report their proceeding to the said court.

Ordered that the Clerk pay to Asa Reed \$9.65 it being the amount of his cost in a case the State vs. Nancy Hill.

Ordered that the Clerk pay to Wm. Brewster, D. Shff., \$14.45 in a case the State vs. Thos. J. Williams.

Ordered that the Clerk of the Inferior Court pay to Henry Fitsimons \$200 in part payment for building the county jail.

P. 306 Gwinnett County. Habeas Corpus Court. August 18<sup>th</sup>, 1831.

Present their Honors James Wardlaw, Reuben McLung & Clifford Woodroof, Judges.

The State vs. Edward Deloeyus[?] & Austin Copeland. Residing in the Cherokee Nation without a licence.

The prisoners having given bail for their appearance at the next Superior Court, ordered that they be discharged from confinement.

Sept'r 5<sup>th</sup> 1831.

Gwinnett County. By virtue of a commissioner to us directed from the hon. the Inferior Court of said county we have proceeded to view the contemplated route for a road from the house of Samuel Borne to Noah Strong and after examination we believe that is practicable and of public utility to assure a road ... proceeded to mark out said road 22 August 1831. Signed: George Borgden [Brogden], Sam'l Born.

Ordered that the above road be opened according to the report of the commissioners.

P. 307 Ordered that the Clerk pay to George Brogdon \$15 for the support of Matthew Pinder an idiot until Christmast [sic] 1831.

Ordered that the Clerk pay to Henry Fitsimons \$120 in part payment for building the county jail.

Ordered that the Clerk pay to Richard Holcombe \$5 for the use of Mary Higgins a poor woman.

Road from Lawrenceville to Jefferson altered.

Gwinnett County. Personally came before me William Richardson and Benjamin S. Smith they being two of the Commissioners named in the above order and a majority thereof and depose that they have reviewed the ground over which the above road is contemplated to pass by the petition and are of opinion that a good road may be had by keeping the old road or rout to drowning creek thence having the old road on the left on to Browns Bridge on the Appalachie, thence intersecting the Jefferson Road at Thomas Spragins House on the Hog Mountain Road, and that we believe it will be a much better and nearer rout than the present. Sworn to this 5<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1831.

Signed: Wm. Richardson, Benjamin S. Smith. Attest: Reuben McLung, J.I.C. (Commissioners notified)

P. 308 The within order passed as stated in said affidavit and the Clerk notify the Commissioners on said districts that said road passes through to proceed to have said road opened instanter &c. 5<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1831. Signed: C. Woodroof, J.I.C., R. McLung, J.I.C., J. Wardlaw, J.I.C.

Ordered that the petition to open a road from McAdams Ford in Hackness field on the Chattahoochee River to Sugar Hill at Samuel Born's be accepted provided the Petitioners will keep the road in repair, and that Thomas McAdams, Thomas Rutherford & Thompson Moore be appointed Commissioners to lay off said road.

Copy – original on file.

Inferior Court sitting for Ordinary purposes September Term 1831.

Ordered by the Court that Hines Holt be and he is hereby appointed Notary public in and for the County of Gwinnett, and that upon his taking the requisite oath, he be authorized to perform all the duties incident to said office.

Personally appeared in open Court Hines Holt who being sworn depose and saith that he will to the best of his skill and power perform all the duties of Notary public for the County of Gwinnett.

Sworn to in open Court. Signed: Hines Holt. 5 Sept. 1831. Test: Jas. C. Martin, D.G.C.O.

P. 309 Gwinnett County. Inferior Court December Term 1831. Present the Hon. Asahel R. Smith, James Wardlaw Reuben McLung, John Brewster and Cliffird Woodroof, Esquires.

Court adjourned to tomorrow morning 10 o'clock, Dec. 12<sup>th</sup>, 1831.

The following persons having been sworn as Jurors took their seats for the transaction of business.

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| 1. Edward Wing                               | 7. Washington Allen |
| 2. Albert Williams                           | 8. Buckner Harris   |
| 3. Balaam J. Bridges                         | 9. Wm. Gordon       |
| 4. Newton Higgins                            | 10. Thomas Ewing    |
| 5. Richard Lester                            | 11. John King       |
| 6. William Loughridge                        | 12. Wm. Page        |
| Nimrod Vincent in place of<br>Wm. Loughridge |                     |

L. B. Wright vs. Moses Blake. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

L. B. Wright vs. Moses Black. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

John P. Winn vs. Thomas C. Butler. Six Ca sas from Justices Court. (Settled.)

P. 310 Ambrose Harnage & Co. for the use of Ambrose vs. Sohonadahee a Cherokee Indian. Assumpsit. We the jury find for the Plaintiff \$70.43¾ cents with cost of suit. Signed: R. H. Lester, Frm.

Ambrose Harnage & Co. for the use of Ambrose Harnage vs. Nootarhitah a Cherokee Indian. Assumpsit. Settled at Defendants cost.

Charles W. Rawson vs. Edward Wing. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

Thomas W. Harris vs. William Rogers. Case. Continued.

John McWhorter for the use of H. Ken vs. James Edmondson. Assumpsit &c. We the Jury find for the Plaintiff \$75 with interest & cost. Signed: R. H. Lester, Fm.

P. 311 John Nesbit vs. Sam'l Manders & James Bradbury. Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$336 with interest and cost with liberty of appeal. John G. Park, Atty. for Deft.

Hugh Brewster vs. Benjamin Ivie. Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$38.59 with interest & cost. Signed: Benj'n (X) Ivie.

George W. Wright vs. Wm. Stricklin & Hugh Mills. Assumpsit. I confess Judgment [to] the Plff. for \$42 with interest and cost & liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Signed: John G. Park, Atty. for Defts.

William Gilbert vs. Mary Williams. Assumpsit. (Continued.)

Mark Barefield & Co. vs. Samuel Hollis. Debt. We the Jury find for the plaintiff \$63.71 with interest & cost. Signed: R. H. Lester, Fm.

Isaac N. Wright for the use &c. vs. Solomon Hopkins. Debt. We the Jury find for the Plaintiff the sum of \$108 with interest & cost. Signed: R. H. Lester, Fm.

P. 312 Eaton Bass for the use &c. vs. Thomas J. Williams. Debt. (Continued.)

Samuel Sanford for the use of Wm. Gilbert vs. Thomas J. Williams. Debt. (Continued.)

George R. Jessup vs. Richard H. Lester. Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$123.96 with interest and cost. Signed: R. H. Lester.

Thomas Ewing vs. John King. Assumpsit. (Continued.)

G. W. F. Lampkin vs. Benjamin Ivie. Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$4.91 with interest and cost. Signed: Benjamin (X) Ivie.

P. 313 Asahel R. Smith vs. Ira Mahaffey & Wm. Henderson. Assumpsit. We confess Judgment to Plaintiff for \$41.62½ with interest & cost & liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Signed: Hutchins & Holt, Defts. Atty.

Asahel R. Smith vs. Jacob Light. Debt. (Continued.)

Thomas Wynne vs. William Flynn. Assumpsit &c. We the Jury find for the Plaintiff \$45 with interest & cost. Signed: R. H. Lester.

Isaac N. Wright vs. John Stapp. Assumpsit. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$30 with interest & cost. Signed: Elisha W. Chester, Defts. Attorney.

Henry B. Thompson vs. James McGill. Assumpsit. (Continued.)

P. 314 George A. Gordon vs. Henry Dunn, Sr. Assumpsit. (Settled.)

John F. Dodds vs. Wells Thompson. Assumpsit. Settled & Cost paid.

Nathan L. Huchins vs. Jarrell Kicker. Assumpsit. Settled at Plffs. cost.

Pew P. Switzer for the use &c. vs. Edwin Chambers. Debt. I confess Judgment to the plaintiff for \$72.68 ¾ cents with interest & cost & liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Signed: Edwin Chambers.

Charles Hall vs. James P. McGuire. Debt &c. I confess Judgment to the plaintiff for \$152.36 with interest and cost. Signed: Jas. C. Martin, Defts. Atty.

P. 315 John H. Hutchins vs. James Wardlaw. Debt &c. (Settled.)

William Fowler vs. James Wardlaw. Debt. We the Jury find for the plaintiff \$1,112.60 with interest and cost. Signed: R. H. Lester, Fm.

Asahel R. Smith v. Thomas J. Chambers. Assumpsit. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$280.16 with interest and cost with the liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Signed: Jas. C. Martin, Defts. Atty.

James Austin vs. Henry Killian. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued)

Hugh Brewster vs. Rans B. Light & Jacob Light, security on appearance Bond. On motion of Counsel for plaintiff the Defendant not appearing it is ordered that Judgment be entered up against him & his security in terms of the Statute in such case made & provided.

P. 316 James Austin vs. Rans B. Light. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Judgment on Bond.

John Vineyard use of Allen Vineyard vs. Charlton Ragsdale. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Judgment on Bond.)

John P. Hutchins vs. Newton Higgins. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

Wm. W. Downs vs. John Turner. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Judgment on Bond.)

Joshua Hill vs. Solomon Johnson. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

P. 317 James McArver vs. Robert B. Hammett. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Dismissed at Plffs. cost.

James Bonds vs. James Russell. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Dismiss'd at Plffs. Cost.

Daniel Liddle vs. Willis Green. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Dismiss'd at Plffs. cost.

Rule Ni Si. It appearing to the Court that Frederick Harris has lost or mislaid an original Deed, made from Thomas Rawling to the said Frederick Starnes for 50 acres of land in the SE corner of lot No 146 in the 5th Dist. of Gwinnett Co. and it also appearing to the Court that the said Frederick Harris hath filed in the Clerk's Office of this county a copy in substance of said lost original deed, it is therefore on motion ordered that unless good cause is shewn to the contrary on or before the first day of the next term of this Court that said copy filed in office be taken for and established in lieu of said lost original and it is further ordered that a copy of this rule be established in some public Gazette in this State

P. 318 once a month untill the next Term of this Court or served on the said Thomas Rawlins or his special agent 30 days before the next Term.

John Nesbit vs. Samuel Manders [*crossed out*], James Bradbury & Samuel Manders. Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$336 with interest and cost with liberty of appeal. Signed: John G. Park, Atty. for Defts.

William W. Downs vs. John Turner. Ca Sa. Justices Court & Bond for appearance &c. The Defendant having been arrested & given Bond & Littleberry Meeks security thereto for his appearance at this Term of the Infr. Court to comply with the law in such case made & provided and he having failed to appear and comply therewith - on motion ordered that the Pltff. or his Atty. be permitted to enter Judgment on said recognizance against said Deft. His security in terms of the law for the amt. thereof conditioned to be discharged in payment of principal interest and cost due on said Ca Sa and the cost which may have accrued in this Court.

John Vineyard for the use of Allen Vineyard vs. Charlton Ragsdale. Ca Sa from Justices Court. It appearing to the court that the Defendant Charlton Ragsdale has been arrested and given Bond with Martha Pevy for

P. 319 security for his appearance at this Court and having failed to appear it is ordered that Judgment be entered up on said Bond against the Defendant and Martha Pevy his security for the amount of the cost in this Court it appearing that the plaintiff has secured his debt.

Ambrose Harnage & Co. for the use of Ambrose Harnage vs. Sconatarhee an Indian. The original Declaration in the case having been lost or mislaid ordered that a copy be established in lieu of the original.

James Austin vs. Rans B. Light. Ca Sa from Justices Court. It appearing to the Court that Rans B. Light has been arrested by virtue of the above stated Ca Sa and having given Jacob Light for his appearance at this Court and having failed to comply with said Bond. It is ordered that the Plaintiff have leave to enter up Judgment on said Bond which may be discharged on the payment of the principal interest & cost due to said Ca Sa and the cost in this Court.

Ordered that Elisha W. Chester be continued, the attorney of the Court from the termination of the time for which he was appointed at the rate of \$25 per annum until the further order of this Court.

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December 12<sup>th</sup>, 1831. Agreeable to an order of Court of Gwinnett County for a road from Sugar Hill to George Dosses [*Doss's*] and the under named Commissioners have viewed the same & believing it to be utility have proceeded to make out the same to be opened out. (Notified.) Signed: Sam'l Born, Wm. Morrow.

P. 320 Ordered that George R. Edwards receive out of the County fund \$12 for carrying orders of Court to Esq. Woodroof about taking the census.

Ordered by the Court that the work on the road leading from Lawrenceville to Mathew Brown's be suspended until further ordered.

Ordered that the commissioners of roads have every public road in their districts put in the best possible order leveling with the surface of the Earth or removing all stumps grubs &c. & directing your Overseer to remove fences and all other obstacles which have changed the direction of the roads: and report to the Inferior Court, if practicable by the first Monday in July next and if not then by the first Monday in September from personal inspection the manner in which your Overseers have performed their duty.

Court adjourned to Court in court. Signed: A. R. Smith, J.I.C., C. Woodroof, J.I.C., R. McLung, J.I.C.  
Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

Geo. W. F. Lamkin vs. Benjamin Ivie. Debt. In the above case Benjamin Ivie comes forward and craves a stay of Execution and binds himself together with William Ivie his security for the principal interest & cost in the above case. Signed: Benjamin (X) Ivie, William S. Ivie. Decr. 16, 1831.

P. 321 Hugh Brewster vs. Benjamin Ivie. Debt. In the above case Benjamin Ivie the Deft. comes forward and craves a stay of Execution and binds himself together with William Ivie his security for the principal interest & cost due in the above case. Signed: Benjamin (X) Ivie, William S. Ivie. Decr. 6, 1831.

Isaac N. Wight vs. John Stapp. Assumpsit. In the above case John Stapp comes forward and craves a stay of Execution and binds himself together with William Brewster his security for the principal interest & cost due the Plaintiff in the above case. Signed: John Stapp, William Brewster. Decr. 16, 1831.

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Ordered that a tax of 50 per cent for County purposes be laid for the year 1831. Also a poor tax of one eighth of the general tax and that the Tax Collector for said year be and he is hereby authorized & required to collect the same. Signed: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., Reuben McLung, J.I.C., C. Woodroof, J.I.C. January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1831.

P. 322 Gwinnett County. I, William Brewster, do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute all writs warrants precepts & processes directed to me as Sheriff of the County of Gwinnett and true returns make ... So help me God. Signed: Wm. Brewster. Sworn & Subscribed before us, January 4<sup>th</sup> 1832. A. R. Smith, J.I.C., Jas. Wardlaw, J.I.C., Reuben McClung, J.I.C.

P. 323 Gwinnett County. I, Thomas Worthy & Samuel F. Alexander, deputy sheriffs, solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute all writs precepts & processes directed to me as Sheriff of the County of Gwinnett and true returns make ... So help me God. Signed: Thomas Worthy, S. F. Alexander. Sworn & Subscribed before us, January 4<sup>th</sup> 1832. A. R. Smith, J.I.C., Jas. Wardlaw, J.I.C., Reuben McClung, J.I.C.

P. 324 (Copy original in file.)

Ordered that the Sheriff of this County call on the County Surveyor with as little delay as convenient will admit of to lay off the prison bounds of this County & adopt it to the new jail agreeably to the act of assembly pass' in 1830. Also ordered that the bounds be so laid off as to leave the Jail in the center and that the Sheriff accompany the surveyor and superintend the execution thereof ... Signed: John Brewster, J.I.C., A. R. Smith, J.I.C., J. Wardlaw, J.I.C. Feby. 7<sup>th</sup>, 1832.

Ordered that the order passed on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of January 1832 laying a tax of 50 per cent for the County & 12 ½ per cent for the poor on the State tax be rescinded – and that a tax of 20 per cent be laid in lieu thereof on the State tax and it now stands on the Collectors Book. A. R. Smith, J.I.C., Clifford Woodroof, J.I.C., John Brewster, J.I.C., Reuben McLung, J.I.C. March 5<sup>th</sup> 1832.

I, Benjamin Ivie, do solemnly swear that I will well & truly do & perform all & singular the duties of Jailer, for the County of Gwinnett and that I will humanely treat all criminals which may be brought to Jail of which I am the keeper and not suffer them to escape by any negligence or inattention to mine. So help me God. Signed: Benjamin (X) Ivie. Sworn to before me, John Mills, J.P. March 5, 1832.

P. 325 Ordered that William Fowler be and he is hereby appointed receiver of draws for the following district to wit Choices - Rock Bridge, & Cates so called & that John Brewster one of the Justices be

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assigned to receive draws in the Districts called Wm. Green, & Rice B. Green – Cliffird Woodroof another Justice to receive in those called Ben Smith's - Hog Mountain & Morgan's – Justice Smith to receive in those called Lawrenceville & Sugar Hill & Justice McLung to receive in the Districts called McMullen's and Caruther's and that the whole of the fees be thrown into Hotch Potch and divided out equeally between the aforesaid receivers.

Entered by Order of the Inferior Court March 5<sup>th</sup> 1832. Signed: Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

Jurors drawn by the Inferior Court Shff. and Clerk May 7<sup>th</sup> 832 to serve at June Term 1832.

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|---------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Thomas Higgins   | 14. Archibald Meeks     | 26. Samuel Mangum    |
| 2. Wm. Stell        | 15. David Wadkins       | 27. Nimrod Pendley   |
| 3. Abel Sharpton    | 16. Lewis Williams      | 28. Jesse Coffee     |
| 4. Larkin Brown     | 17. Jacob Delk          | 29. James Campbell   |
| 5. James Rutherford | 18. Robert Kelly        | 30. John Cammeron    |
| 6. Edward Hays      | 19. Joshua Baker        | 31. Henry Thompson   |
| 7. Elijah Williams  | 20. David Daniel        | 32. Sanford Higgins  |
| 8. Edmond Dillard   | 21. Nathan Williams     | 33. Benjamin Higgins |
| 9. Sam'l Edmondson  | 22. Jones Duglass       | 34. Randol Brewer    |
| 10. Kinchen Rambo   | 23. John Roberts        | 35. Henry White      |
| 11. Robert Brown    | 24. John Chandler Junr. | 36. Wm. Page         |
| 12. John Higgins    | 25. James Bracewell     |                      |
| 13. Richard Philips |                         |                      |

P. 326 Gwinnett County. Inferior Court June 11<sup>th</sup> 1832. Present the Hon. James Wardlaw, John Brewster, Asahel R. Smith, Clifford Woodroof & Reuben McLung, Esquires.

(Jury)

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| 1. James Campbell | 6. Sam'l Edmondson    | 11. James Higgins          |
| 2. Wm. Loughridge | 7. Sam'l Mangum       | 12. R. H. Lester           |
| 3. Edmond Dillard | 8. Kinchen Rambo      | Wm. South added to Jury in |
| 4. Wm. Page       | 9. Zachariah Thompson | place of <i>[blank]</i> .  |
| 5. Thomas Higgins | 10. John Roberts      |                            |

L. B. Right vs. Moses Blake. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

Charles W. Rawson vs. Edward Wing. Ca Sa from Justices Court. John Wing one of the bail in the within case having surrendered the principal in open Court ordered that said bail be exonerated from his securityship.

William Gilbert vs. Mary Williams. Assumpsit. We the Jury find for the Plaintiff \$920. Signed: R. H. Lester, Frm.

P. 327 Eaton Bass for the use &c. vs. Thomas J. Williams. Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$80 with interest & cost & liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Signed: Thos. J. Williams by his atto. Elisha W. Chester.

Samuel Sandford for the use of Wm. Gilbert vs. Thomas J. Williams. Debt. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$40 with interest and cost & liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Signed: Elisha W. Chester, Defts. Atto.

Thomas Ewing vs. John King. Assumpsit. I confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for \$43 with interest and cost & liberty of appeal as in case of verdict. Signed: Elisha W. Chester, Defts. Atto.

Asahel R. Smith vs. Jacob Light. Debt. Settled & cost paid.

Henry B. Thompson vs. James McGill. Assumpsit. I confess Judgment to the plaintiff for \$64.44 with interest & cost & liberty of appeal. Signed: Elisha W. Chester, Defts. Atto.

James Austin vs. Henry Killian. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

P. 328 John P. Hutchins vs. Newton Higgins. Ca Sa from Justices Court. The bail having surrendered the Prisoner in the within case in open Court, Ordered that he be exonerated from his securityship responsibility in the Bond.

Willie Womack vs. John Brewster. Assumpsit. We the jury find for the Plaintiff for \$250 with interest and cost of suit. June 12<sup>th</sup> 1832. Signed: R. H. Lester, Fm.

Joshua Hill vs. Solomon Johnson. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Dismissed.)

William W. Downs vs. John Turner, Littleberry Meeks security. Fi fa & Illegality sworn. We the Jury find the facts contained in the affidavit to be true. Signed: R. H. Lester, Fm.

William W. Downs vs. David Williams. Ca Sa from Justices Court. U. G. Vankolkingburg the bail in the within case having surrendered the principal in open court ordered that said bail be exonerated from his security ship.

John P. Hutchins vs. Samuel Day. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

P. 329 James Wardlaw vs. William Abbott. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

Thomas Alexander vs. William Abbott. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Settled.)

Thomas A. Glen vs. Aaron Brown. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Benjamin Jones the bail in the within case having surrendered the principal in open Court. Ordered that said bail be exonerated from his securityship.

James Wardlaw vs. Newton Higgins. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Wm. Brewster & Benjamin Jones the bail in the within case having surrendered the principal in open Court ordered that said Bail be exonerated from the Securityship.

John P. Hutchins vs. Henry Killian. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Settled in the hand of Wm. Ivie, Cons'b.

P. 330 William Fowler (Indorsee) vs. Elijah Fulton (Maker). Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Settled.)

John L. Tippins vs. Wiley Rigsby. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Settled in hands of Clerk.

G. W. F. Lampkin vs. Isham Moore. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Settled in hands of Clerk.

Levi McGinness vs. Wiley Stone. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Settled & cost with Plff.

David Tanner vs. John Berry et. al. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

P. 331 David Tanner vs. John Berry et. al. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

David Tanner vs. John Berry, et. al. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

David Tanner vs. John Berry, et. al. Ca Sa from Justices Court. (Continued.)

Jesse Grizell (for the use of John Stewart) vs. David Abbott. Ca Sa. Settled at Defts. Cost.

P. 332 Benjamin Benson vs. Jeremiah C. Clements & David Abbott. Ca Sa from Justices Court. We confess Judgment to the Plff. for the principal interest & cost. Signed: David Abbott, John Abbott, security.

Benjamin Benson vs. Jeremiah C. Clements & David Abbott. Ca Sa from a Justices Court. We confess Judgment to the Plaintiff for the principal interest and cost. Signed: David Abbott, John Abbott, security.

James Austin vs. James T. McDade. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Wm. Gordon the bail surrendered the principal in open Court & craved an exoneration from his securityship which was granted by the Court & Stephen Belleu & Daniel Killian the bail in the within case surrendered the principal in open Court & craved an exoneration from their securityship which was granted.

R. M. Cleveland vs. Almon Bryant & Joshua Welch. Ca Sa from Justices Court.

Same vs. Same.

James B. Smith the bail in the within case having surrendered the principal in open Court – Ordered that said bail be exonerated from his securityship.

P. 333 John P. Hutchins vs. John Crawler. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Curtis Corley the bail in the within Ca Sa having surrendered the principal in open Court – Ordered that said bail be exonerated from his securityship.

James Wardlaw for the use &c. vs. Moses Carr. Ca Sa from Justices Court.

Kellogg & Sanford Indorsee, vs. Thomas Pendley. Ca Sa from Justices Court. Dismissed Plff. not appearing.

Sandford Goodwin vs. Mathew Abbott. Fi Fa from Justices Court. It appearing to the Court that the Sheriff has in his hands the sum of \$62.80 raised from Defts. Property on motion of counsel from Plaintiff Ordered that the Sheriff pay over to plaintiff the amount to which the above stated Fi Fa is entitled out of the said sum after satisfying other fi fas in his hands of older date with the above to receive their equal proportion agreeable to amount due on each.

Isham Burns, Thomas Pendley & Wm. [illegible surname] & Wm. Gordon have been added to the Jury in place of absentees.

P. 334 John P. Hutchins vs. Newton Higgins. Ca Sa. And now at this Term comes the Plff. and suggests fraud and says that the defendant has not rendered any Schedule of his property but has been guilty of a fraudulent concealment of goods, defts. property and effects and of which this plff. puts himself upon the Court by June Term 1832. Signed: Hutchins & Holt, Atts. for plff.

And the defendant doth the like and says that he is not guilty of fraud as charged and of which he puts himself upon the Country &c. Signed: Newton Higgins, per se.

Robert M. Cleveland vs. Almond Bryan. Ca Sas & Bond. James B. Smith the bail for the Defendant for his appearance at this Court came into Court & surrendered said principal in discharge of his recognizance – therefore ordered that the said Smith be & is discharged and exonerated from his said recognizance.

This Court having heretofore passed an order appointing Elisha W. Chester attorney for the County and he not having rendered the services contemplated by said appointment – It is ordered that said rule or order making said appointment be and the same is hereby revoked.

P. 335 Wilie Womack vs. John Brewster. Assumpsit &c. In the above case John Brewster comes forward and craves an appeal and hereby binds himself together with eventual condemnation money principal interest & cost.

James Austin vs. James T. McDade. Ca Sa. It appearing to the Court that the Defendant in Ca Sa having given Bond & security for his appearance at this Term to take the benefit of an act for the relief of home & insolvent debtors and having failed to comply with the terms of the Statute in such case made and provided – It is therefore ordered that the Defendant be deemed in custody of the Sheriff untill he make a full & fair disclosure of all his property money and effects.

R. M. Cleveland vs. Almon Bryant & Joshua Welch. Three Ca Sas from Justices Court.

Same vs. Same.

Same vs. Same.

Almon Bryan one of the Defendants in the above stated Ca Sas having been duly recognized to appear at the present term of this Court to stand to and abide by such proceedings as might be had by said Court in relation to his availing himself of the benefit of the act for the relief of honest debtors and the said Almon having failed

P. 336 to make it appear to said Court that he has given to the Plaintiff in the above stated Ca Sas the necessary notices of his intention at the present Term of said Court to avail himself as aforesaid of the benefit of the act aforesaid on motion of H. Mounger Atty for said Plaintiff it is ordered that said Almon Bryan be imprisoned until a full and fair disclosure of all his property money or effects be made and until he shall have given to the said Plaintiff in said Ca Sas the necessary notice as aforesaid to be Judged of by said Court.

Samuel Born vs. Andrew M. Wilson. Ca Sas Justices Court, Gwt. Cty. It appearing to the Court on application of the Plaintiff that he has sustained injury & damage by the mismanagement & illegal conduct of Simon Berry as Constable of said County and for the 444<sup>th</sup> Dist. G.M. to whom as said Constable said Ca Sa was delivered to execute and return – Ordered that the Bond of said S. Berry for the faithful discharge of the duties of Constable for the years 1831 & 1832 be delivered the plaintiff or his Atty. that suit may be brought thereon in terms of the law in such case for the remuneration of said Plaintiff.



Ordered that the Editor of the Federal Union receive out of the County fund \$3.37.

P. 337 Jurors drawn to serve at the December Term of the Inferior Court 1832.

1. Jonathan Lell	16. Samuel Born	31. Sam'l Brown
2. Wm. Burges	17. Ambrose McGinn, Jr.	32. James Dodds
3. Lodge Langley	18. Archibald Mathews	33. Walter Austin
4. John Allred	19. Jesse Foster	34. Dempsey Miller
5. Claiborn Brown	20. Thomas Bagby	35. Sidney Peirce
6. Rhesa Reid	21. John Fincher	36. John Duncan
7. Drewry Dunn	22. John Mattocks	37. Benjamin Brown
8. Wm. Bennett	23. James Nolen, Jun.	38. Zachariah Thompson
9. Wm. Johnson	24. Aswell Langley	39. John Mills (A. Rivers)
10. Alsey Kemp	25. Edward Kent	40. Jesse Dempsey
11. Barney Lee	26. George Collins	41. Jeremiah Corley
12. Henry B. Watkins	27. Wm. Morrow	42. Joshua Pritchard
13. John Hill	28. John R. Williamson	43. [blank]
14. Jack Walker	29. Enoch Cobb	
15. John Harbin	30. Robt. Campbell	

Ordered that William Brewster Sheriff receive out of the County funds \$33, the amount of an order pass'd by the Infr. Court June 12th 1832.

On motion ordered that the Clerk of this Court be authorized to contract for the following: Rump[?] &c. in the public shall and that it be paid for out of any money not otherwise appropriated.

P. 338 Ordered that Benjamin Ivie receive out of the County funds \$33.84 the amount of an order pass'd June 13th 1832 for maintaining Prisoner in Jail &c. &c.

Ordered that William Downs receive out of the County funds \$13.25 as per order of the Inferior Court pass'd June 12th 1832 & filed.

Ordered that Wm. Montgomery receive out of the County funds \$5 for laying off the Prison bounds &c., &c.

Ordered that Wm. Page be and he is hereby approved Guardian of Jonathan Whitman a free person of colour about 65 or 70 years of age and the said Guardian shall be and is hereby vested with all the powers and authority of Guardian for the management of the person & estate of infants.

Ordered that the road or passway from Jackson A. Monroe's to Haynes Creek Meeting House be laid, the same is constituted a public road passway ...

Rule absolute to establish lost deed. It appearing to the Court that at the last Term of this Court that Frederick Starnes made application to this Court to have a lost Deed established ... It is therefore ordered that the rule be now made absolute and that the early[?] deed filed in the Clerk's Office of this Court be taken and established in lieu of the lost original.

Court adjourned to the 22nd of this July. Signed: J. Wardlaw, J.I.C., John Brewster, J.I.C., A. R. Smith, J.I.C., C. Woodroof, J.I.C. Attest: Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 339 Thomas Ewing vs. John King. Assumpsit. In the above case John King comes forward craves an appeal and binds himself together with William King his security for the eventual condemnation money principal, interest cost. Signed: Jehu [sic] King, William King.

Ordered that the report of the Commissioners laying off a road begining at or near E. Thompson's on the Peach Tree road and on by E. Howel's thence to D. Miller crossing Suwanee at Strickling fish trap then to James McGinnes's, then to Wiley Brogden's, then to Sugar Hill and thence to intersect a road leading to Gainesville on as far as the County line at or near William Doster's be and the same is hereby accepted.

Henry B. Thompson vs. James McGill. Assumpsit. In this case the Defendant James McGill came forward & craves an appeal & binds himself together with William Robertson his security in the eventual condemnation money principal, interest & cost. June 15th 1832. Signed: James McGill, William Robertson by J. C. Winn.

P. 340 Gwinnett County, Inferior Court met according to adjournment. Present their Honors A. R. Smith, Reuben McLung, & Clifford Woodroof, Esqrs.

Ordered that the report of an alteration of a road made by John White, B. M. Powell & William Bennett commonly called the Rock Bridge road & straitened near Kinchen Rambo's be and the same is hereby accepted.

Ordered that the report of the Commissioners laying off a road to commence at the fork of the road near Ball's Hill taking the right hand and intersecting the Jefferson Road appointed Thomas Hollingsworth's House marked and straitened upon the old road formerly used be and the same is hereby accepted.

Ordered that John Bowen be put upon the poor list ...

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Ordered that there be a reduction of ten per cent of the Interest on the Fi fa in hand of the Court against Andrew Caruthers tax collector & Wm. J. Russel & Daniel Liddell his security and that the Clerk settle with them accordingly.

Ordered that Thomas Worthy receive out of the County fund \$7.83.

Court adjourned to Court in course. Signed: A. R. Smith, J.I.C., C. Woodroof, J.I.C., R. McLung, J.I.C.

P. 341 September 4th 1832. Ordered that Robert Hamilton, John Steel & Wm. Dunn be and they are hereby appointed to examine the Peach Tree road and report at the next Term of this Court what alterations are required if any in the route of said road as it now runs having due regard to the convenience and interest of persons resident on said road ...

Ordered that Rhessa Reid, Middleton Montgomery and John Mills Esq. be and they are hereby appointed to examine the route & report on the utility & practicability of a public road to commence at the west end of Allen's Lane and terminate at the most convenient point to at or near the fork of the road leading to Montgomery's Mill & that leading to the public Bridge on Yellow river immediately above said Mill.

Entered by order of the Infr. Court. (Attest) Wm. Maltbie Clk. (Notified)

Ordered that the following persons to wit John Smith, James Hale & John Williamson be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to let out and superintend the building of a Bridge across Yellow River at the old site of Brewster's Bridge. October 5th 1832.

Entered by order of the Inferior Court. (Attest) Wm. Maltbie, Clk. Notified.

P. 342 Inferior Court November 5th 1832.

Ordered that the petition for a road leading from Nathan Johnson to pass by Joshua Welch's from there to pass by the House of Francis Shackelford, thence to the road leading to Lewis William's Bridge where the District line crosses the road at Mathew Cockburn's be granted and that the Commissioner of Roads in said Dist. be notified thereof. (Attest) Wm. Maltbie, Clk.

P. 343 Rec'd July 14th 1827 from Wm. Maltbie Clk. Inferior Court, Schleys digest for the use of the 478th Dist. Georgia Militia. John Vineyard, J.P.

*[This concludes Gwinnett County  
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