

Garret Benson Constable Sworn to attend the Jury

The Jury having returned into Court say by their Foreman John Rea  
that the Defendant is Not Guilty —

The King on Proc of

Will<sup>m</sup> Harlowe

Arthur McCormick

} Assault & Battery

April 1800

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The Defendant being set to the Bar — was charged with his  
Indictment — to which Indictment he pleaded Not Guilty  
& put himself on the Country

Jurors Sworn

Joseph Hicks

Henry Bird

John Huff

Nich<sup>s</sup> Vassals

Peter Vandermaher

John Spencer

George Rutter

Conrad Binyard

John Parcells

Joseph Ellison

Nathan<sup>l</sup> Loames

John German

Evidence

For Proc

Arthur McCormick

Aaron Sharp

James McNab

For Defendant

Alexander Simpson

Elmerges Washburn

Philip Swick Constable Sworn to attend the Jury —

The Jury returned into Court say by their Foreman Joseph Ellison  
that the Defendant is Not Guilty —



The King on Pro<sup>s</sup> of  
Joseph Allen  
v  
Moses Jacob } Assault & Battery

The Defendant being put to the Bar and Charged on his  
Indictment - to that Indictment Pleads — Guilty - & throws  
himself on the Mercy of the Court -

Evidence Sworn - Rich<sup>d</sup>. Knight - John Allen - James McNab -

The Court having taken the premises under consideration do Order  
that the Defent. Joseph Allen - do pay a Fine of twenty Shillings  
& remain in Charge of the Sheriff till paid with Costs of Court

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It is Ordered by the Magistrates in open Sessions Assembled —  
that the Sum of twenty five Pounds Currency - be Levied upon  
the Inhabitants of the County of Lenox - & part of Prince Edward  
County for Members Wages agreeable to an Act of the Province for  
the Year 1796

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William Rambach & Peter Better Indicted last Sessions being set  
to the Bar & charged on their Indictment - on Motion of Charles  
J. Peters Esq<sup>r</sup>. Attorney for the Defendants - the said Indictment was  
quash'd for Informality -

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Gilbert Hearn & James Demorest do acknowledge themselves bound to  
our Sovereign Lord the King in Ten Pounds each to prosecute David  
Bradshaw at the ensuing Quarter Sessions to be held at Kingston



Philip Pember - Isaac Secord & Reuben Beedle - having apply'd to  
the Magistrate in Sessions - It is order'd that the Clerk give them  
Certificate to obtain Licence on filing their Recognizance  
payable to Law -

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A Bench Warrant was Granted (directed to the Sheriff) by the Magis-  
trates in open Sessions assembled - to apprehend David Broadhead  
to answer an Indictment at the ensuing Quarter Sessions of the Peace  
John Allen & Jon<sup>n</sup>. Allen were discharged by Proclamation on  
paying their fees there being no Prosecution against them -

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A special Sessions Kingston Monday 12<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> 1796 -

Present Thomas Markland & W<sup>m</sup> Atkinson Esq<sup>r</sup>

The average price of Flour being 20/- it is order'd that the price  
of Bread for a 4<sup>th</sup> Loaf of fine Wheaten Flour be 9<sup>d</sup> and that a  
brown Loaf weighing 6<sup>th</sup> be 9<sup>d</sup> Currency - The Bakers are order'd  
to mark their Loaves - with the initial Letter of their Names

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Court of Quarter Sessions held at Kingston 11<sup>th</sup> Oct. 94  
Present

Alexander Fisher

Peter VanAlstine

Thomas Markland

William Atkinson

John Peters

Alexander Chisholm

The Commission of the Peace was openly read - the Sheriff  
returned the Precept - The Grand Jury were called & sworn

Elisha Philips

Guyward Sharp

Duncan Bell

Jacob Ferguson

Will<sup>m</sup> Rambach

John Sharp

Peter Dettlor

James Cotter

Ebenezer Washburn

Gilbert Harris

John Richards

Luhr Cascallen

Abram DeFor

Henry Simmonds Foreman Virinus Parks

Will<sup>m</sup> Good & John Most Constables were sworn to attend the Grand  
Jury - All persons bound in Recognizances were called

Amos Ainslie absent - Amos Ainslie upon a second Recognizance  
absent - John Campbell Royal Canadian Volunteer absent

Alex<sup>r</sup> McDonald being set to the Bar - and having informed the  
Court he had made up the matter for which he was complained  
against was Discharged by Proclamation on his paying the Costs  
of Court -

Thomas Gully being set to the Bar and having informed the Court  
he had made up the matter for which he was complained against  
was Discharged by Proclamation - on paying the Costs of Court -



David Bradshaw was set to the bar and arraigned upon the Indictment found against him last July Session at Adolphus Town  
C. J. Peters Esq. Attorney for Defendant having pleaded several irregularities in the indictment the Court has taken till tomorrow to consider them -

It is Ordered by the Magistrates in open Session assembled that the Sum of Twenty nine Pounds Currency be Levied from the Counties of Lenox Hastings & Northumberland for Member Wages for 1793.

It is Ordered that the Sum of Twenty five Pounds Currency be Levied from the Counties of Lenox Hastings and Northumberland for Member Wages for 1796

It is Likewise Ordered that the Sum of Twenty Six Pounds Currency be Levied from the Counties of Addington & Ontario for Member Wages for 1794 minutes issued

The Court Adjourned till 11 O'clock tomorrow

Kingston Oct<sup>r</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> The Court Met

Present the same Justices & Joshua Boothe Esq.  
William Johnston & John Embree were sworn in as Magistrates  
Henry Simmonds was sworn in as Deputy Lieut. of the County of Addington

(Duncan Bell - Shadrach Huff & Andre Lays) having applied to the Magistrates in open Session for leave to keep Publick Houses of Entertainment and Retail Spiritous Liquors - It is ordered



that the Clerk give them each a certificate for obtaining a  
Licence on their filing their Recognizances agreeable to Law  
 Lein<sup>t</sup> William Johnston was call'd and being set to the Bar  
 was discharge'd from his Recognizance by proclamation  
 there appearing no prosecution against him

David Bradshaw was call'd & set to the Bar &  
 arraign'd upon his Indictment to which Indictment he plead  
 ed Not Guilty and put himself upon his Country

The King on Pro <sup>s</sup> of	} On Indictment for Nuisance
Gilbert Hearn &	
James Demorest	
David Bradshaw	

Jury call'd & Sworn

Soloman Ball	Lewis Hicks	Will <sup>m</sup> Paterson
Abram Conhrite	John Sills	Simon Snider
John Conchlin	John Defoe	Dan <sup>l</sup> Walther
David Hartman	Stephen Boyce	Isaac Applestone

Evidence

For Pro<sup>s</sup> - - - Continued

Gilbert Hearn	J B Chamberlain
James Demorest	John Embree
Luke Cas callen	-
John Roblin	
Michael Smith	

For Defendant

Sam <sup>l</sup> Brunson Jun <sup>r</sup>
Joel Hearn -
Girrens Parker
Josiah Berkle
Ebenzer Washbourn



Will<sup>m</sup> Ashley Constable Sworn to attend the Jury - The Jury  
having returned into Court say by their Foreman Stephen  
Boyer - they find the Defendant Not Guilty -  
The Court Adjourned till 10 O'clock

Kingston - Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> The Court Met - Present the same Justices  
Amos Ainslie being call'd is order'd to remain on his Recognizance  
as he did not appear at this Sessions - to be continued till the  
Sessions meets at Adolphus Town -

Amos Ainslie being call'd upon a second Recognizance is  
order'd to be continued till the Sessions meets at Adolphus  
Town -

Will<sup>m</sup> Ashley was call'd and set to the Bar - was dis-  
-charg'd from his Recognizance by Proclamation there  
appearing no prosecution against him -

John Campbell being call'd & not appearing is order'd  
by the Magistrates that his Recognizance is forfeited in the  
Court of Kings Bench -

The Court Adjourned till Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup>, next  
Then to meet at the House of James Kemp in Fredericksburg



Court of Quarter Sessions - held by Adjournment at Kings  
Tavern at Fredericksburg Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> 1796 -

Present

Alexander Fisher

Alexander Chisholm

Peter Van Alstine

John Peters

Thomas Darland (Esquires)

William Johnston

William Atkinson

John Embree

Alexander Clarke Jonathan Miller & John Howell were  
Sworn in as Magistrates and took their seats

The Court proceeded to the Examination of Rolls of  
Loyalists - delivered from the different Townships and ~~that~~  
went thro' the same -

A petition from a number of Freeholders inhabiting the  
additional Lands of Fredericksburg praying they may be  
attach'd to the upper division of the District -

It is order'd by the Magistrates in Sessions Assembled  
that a line be stretch'd between the additional Lands of  
Fredericksburg and the old Township of Fredericksburg  
and that the Inhabitants residing East of said Line  
be liable to be Summon'd as Jurors at Kingston only and  
that the Inhabitants West of said Line be liable to serve  
as Jurors at Adolphus Town only - It is not to be understood  
this Regulation is to extend to the Circuit Courts &c -



Whereas certain Regulations were made by the Magistrates  
Quarter Sessions assembled at Kingston on the day of  
the purpose of preventing accidents by Fire in the Town of  
Kingston - it is deemed expedient by the Magistrates now assembled  
the better to carry the said purposes into effect to order that from  
and after the publication of this Order every Householder in the  
Town of Kingston who shall suffer his or her Chimney to take Fire  
shall forfeit and pay the Sum of Twenty Shillings for every  
time his or her Chimney shall take Fire the same to be  
levied by distress or Sale of Offenders Goods on conviction  
before any Magistrate on the Oath of one credible Witness  
one half of the said fine to be paid to the Informer &  
the other half to His Majesty his Heirs & Successors

The Court adjourned to Tuesday the 15<sup>th</sup> day of  
Nov<sup>r</sup> - then to meet at the Town of Kingston —



Court of Quarter Sessions held by Adjournment  
At Kingston - 15<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> 1794.

Present

Richard Cartwright  
Thomas Markland  
William Atkinson } --- Esquires

It appears to the Magistrates in Sessions  
Assembled that On the 12<sup>th</sup> day of Oct<sup>r</sup> last Allan McLean  
Esq<sup>r</sup> entered into Security himself in £500 and Richard  
Cartwright Esq<sup>r</sup> & Peter Smith £250 each for the said  
Allan McLean Esq<sup>r</sup> truly and faithfully performing the  
Duty of Register for the Midland District and that Alex<sup>r</sup>  
Fisher Esq<sup>r</sup> Peter Van Alstine Thomas Markland W<sup>m</sup> Atkinson  
& John Peter Esquires five of His Majesty's Justices assigned to  
Keep the Peace in the said District Approve of the said  
Security

It appears to the Magistrates in Sessions Assem-  
bled that on the 12<sup>th</sup> of Oct<sup>r</sup> last M<sup>r</sup> John McLeod  
entered into Security himself in £500 and Joseph Fonyth  
and Thomas Markland £250 each for the said John McLeod  
truly & faithfully performing the Duty of Deputy Register  
for the Midland District and that Rich<sup>d</sup> Cartwright  
Alex<sup>r</sup> Fisher Peter Van Alstine William Atkinson and



John Peters Esquires - five of His Majesty's Justices Assigned to  
Keep the Peace in the said District - approve of the said  
Security -

Court of Quarter Sessions held at Adolphus Town Jan<sup>y</sup>. 24<sup>th</sup>  
1797

Present

Alex<sup>r</sup>. Fisher  
Thomas Markland  
John Peters  
Alex<sup>r</sup>. Black  
Alex<sup>r</sup>. Chisholm  
John Blackner  
Dan<sup>l</sup>. Wright

Esquires

Sam<sup>l</sup>. Sherwood  
Peter Van Alstine  
Robt. Black  
Thomas Darland  
Caleb Gilbert  
John Howell

Robt. Young - Augustus Spencer and John Stinson  
were sworn in as Magistrates and took their Seats

The Commission of the Peace was openly read the Sheriff  
return'd the Precept the Grand Jury was call'd & Sworn

John Embury Foreman

Wm R. Bowen  
Alex<sup>r</sup>. Van Alstine  
Paul Trompear  
G. Hagerman Jun<sup>r</sup>  
John Haugh  
Tobias Myers -  
Reuben Beagle  
Leonard Myers

Willet Casey  
Solomon Haugh Jun<sup>r</sup>  
John McIntosh  
Marsh Proff  
Ruloff Ostrum

Constables were sworn to attend the Grand Jury  
Amos Amolik being called upon his Recognizance was discharged  
by proclamation - & being called on a second Recognizance was  
also discharged by Proclamation -



John Cook John Wip and Roloff Ostrom are excused from serving as Jurors in future on account of their age -

It is ordered by the Magistrates that the Sum of £26.. Currency be levied by assessment from the Counties of Addington & Ontario for members wages for the Year 1795 for Joshua Booth Esq Member for the said Counties! John L. Highgate Esq. £25 for the said Counties for 1796 -

The Court adjourn'd till 10 o'clock tomorrow  
25<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> The Court Met

Present

Alex<sup>r</sup> Fisher -

Thomas Darlands

Peter Vanalstine

Caleb Gilbert

Thomas Markland

Sam<sup>l</sup> Sherwood

John Howell

Dan<sup>l</sup> Wright

Alex<sup>r</sup> Chisholm

John Peters

The Grand Jury came into Court and were called and presented a true Bill of Indictment against David Hennipsey for an assault on Phoebe Smith the Court Quashed the Indictment as the assault was committed out of the Jurisdiction of the Court -

Peter Smith was sworn in as a Magistrate

The Court adjourn'd till 10 o'clock tomorrow  
26<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> The Court Met

Present

Alex<sup>r</sup> Fisher

Peter Vanalstine

Caleb Gilbert

Thomas Darlands

Dan<sup>l</sup> Wright

John Howell



John Blacker - Alex<sup>c</sup> Chisholm - and

Matthias Marsh was discharged from his Recognizance  
by proclamation

Jeremiah Beattie was discharged from his Recognizance  
by proclamation

John Reed was discharged from his Recognizance  
by proclamation

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At a Special Sessions of the Peace - - - -

Held at Kingston the 10<sup>th</sup> March 1797 - By the  
Commissioners of the Highways - - - -

Received the Accounts and Lists of the following  
owners - (Present Thomas Markland & W<sup>m</sup> Atkinson Esq<sup>r</sup>)

Ordered that John Graham take the same division  
and work the same Roads that were under the direc-  
tion of Nicholas Herkimer last Season -

That Daniel Ferris shall employ the People of  
his Division in opening and improving the Roads last  
year under the direction of Hugh Campbell -

That John Roushorne } Employ the Inhabitants of their re-  
spective divisions which are com-  
prised within the same limits that



they were last year in opening and improving the Roads.

That James Robins employ the Inhabitants who were last year under the direction of David Brags in repairing and opening the Roads that were last year under his direction

That Thomas Howland of Pittsburg shall have within his direction all the Inhabitants from Mr Donald McDonnells Farm inclusive to the lower extremity of said Township and shall employ them in improving the Roads from his own House to the end of the Township of Pittsburg

That John Grant shall have within his Division the remainder of the Inhabitants of the Township of Pittsburg and employ them in improving the Roads from his own House to Mr S. Howlands -

It is also ordered that provided a line can be run from the Fourth Conception in the Rear of the Township - the Road Masters of the several divisions shall go each two days with their Men <sup>to open it</sup>



Kingston 25<sup>th</sup> April 1797 - Quarter Sessions held this  
Day - - - - - Præsent

Alex<sup>r</sup>. Fisher - Thomas Marshland - William Atkinson

Joshua Booth & Robert Clark Esquires - - - - -

The Commission of the Peace was openly read - the Sheriff  
returned the Præcept -

The Grand Jury were call'd and Sworn -

Joseph Foyth Foreman - - - - - Jephtha Hawley

Peter Smith - - - - - Peter Graft

Benj<sup>n</sup>. Seymour - - - - - Nich<sup>l</sup>. Herkimer

Will<sup>m</sup>. Robins - - - - - Sam<sup>l</sup>. McKay

Joseph Anderson - - - - - James Cascellen

David Bragg - - - - - John Richards

Rob<sup>t</sup>. Wilkins - - - - - Sheldon Hawley

John Frayzer

Will<sup>m</sup>. Ashley and Mich<sup>l</sup>. (Dederich) Constables  
were Sworn to attend the Grand Jury -

The Court gave the Charge to the Grand Jury -

The Grand Jury came into Court and were called over  
and presented a Bill of Indictment against John Allen

Joseph Allen being sworn deposes that his Son John  
Allen is incapable of attending Court on account of a Wound  
in his Knee - - - - -



Kingston April 26<sup>th</sup> 1797-

The Court met according to Adjournment —  
Present the same Justices and Peter Van Alstine and  
Alexander Clarke Esquires

The Magistrates in Sessions assembled ordered that a full Rate  
be Levied on the Inhabitants of this District for the ensuing  
year —

The Magistrates in Sessions assembled recommended Joseph  
Anderson of Kingston and Alexander Van Alstine of Adolphus  
Town as proper persons to be appointed Coroners for this  
District

The Magistrates in Sessions assembled Order that the Sum of  
£11..6..3- be paid by the Treasurer to M<sup>r</sup>. R.. 2.. Short  
being so much of his Account allowed for his Attendance on  
Terence Dunn —

Also the Sum of £2..10.. to Daniel Wright Esq<sup>r</sup>. being  
so much expended by him for Ann Meritt on account  
of the District —

Also the Sum of £7..2..3<sup>4</sup> to M<sup>r</sup>. Joseph Anderson being  
the Am<sup>t</sup>. of his Acc<sup>t</sup>. as Church Warden —

Also the Sum of £1..10.. to the Widow Agnes Taylor being  
so much of her Acc<sup>t</sup>. Allowed for Boarding Terence Dunn



Also £10.. 5.. to John Cannon being the amount of his two accounts - -

Also the Sum of £6.. 1.. 0.. to Philip Swick being the amt. of his acct. for Boarding David Vanderhyden - - -

Also the Sum of £20.. 3.. - to Poole England being the Balance of his acct. as Clerk of the Peace allowed - - -

Also the Sum of £-.. 15.. - to Sheldon Hawley as Town Clerk of Ernest Town for the year 1797 -

Also the Sum of £-.. 15.. - to William Bell as Town Clerk of Fredericksburg for 1797 -

Also the Sum of £- 10.. - to Archibald Campbell as Town Clerk for Adolphus Town for 1797 - - -

It is ordered by the Magistrates in Sessions assembled that John Ferguson be not assessed in the Township of Kingston for the year 1796 as it appears to them that he had no property in the Township at that time and that he was assessed in the Township of Sydney -

On the petition of Andrew Logie the Magistrates are pleased to allow him to keep an Inn and House of Public Entertainment in the Township of Fredericksburg - - -

The Magistrates in Sessions assembled examined the Treasurers Accounts - which being approved of are ordered to be filed in the Clerk of the Peace's Office - - -



John Leony was discharged by Proclamation on his paying his Tax —

John Lorrain was discharged by proclamation on his paying his Tax —

Constables appointed for the Year 1797—

David Williams Sen <sup>r</sup>	} Addington	Micajah Purdy	} Township of	
Barnabas Huff — —		John Horning		} Kingston
Colin M <sup>c</sup> Kenzie Sen <sup>r</sup>	} Amherst	John Milton Sen <sup>r</sup>	} Pittsburg	
Joseph Walker — — —		} Thurlow		Jacob Finkle
James Gerolomy	} Lower part of	Joseph Kump	} Fredericks	
W <sup>m</sup> Harrison Sen <sup>r</sup>		} Marysburg		George Sills
Samuel Brock	} Adolphus			Thomas Richeson
James Cuniff		} Town — —		Lambert Van Alstine
James Dawson	} Kingston			
Alex <sup>r</sup> McDonald				



Adolphus Town - July 11<sup>th</sup> 1797 - Quarter Sessions  
Held this Day

Present

Alex<sup>r</sup>. Fisher - Peter Vanalstine - Thomas Dorland - Mat<sup>r</sup>. Pruyne  
John Pison - Daniel Wright - Alex<sup>r</sup>. Chisholm - & Jon<sup>n</sup>. Miller Esq<sup>rs</sup>

The Commission of the Peace was openly read - The Sheriff  
Returned the Precept - The Grand Jury were called & sworn

John Cuniff Foreman

David Conger	)	Abra <sup>m</sup> . Mayber	)	Michael Slot
Thomas Goldsmith	)	Corn <sup>l</sup> . Vanhorn	)	Solomon Huff - Sen <sup>r</sup>
Will <sup>m</sup> . Smith	)	Will <sup>m</sup> . More	)	Stephen Conger
Jacob Ferguson	)	Paul Huff	)	Abra <sup>m</sup> . DeJor
Arch <sup>d</sup> . Campbell	)	Benj <sup>n</sup> . Clap	)	James Wright
Will <sup>m</sup> . Harrison	)	Nathan Hale	)	Walter Rofs -

James Gerolomy - Constable sworn - to attend the Grand  
Jury - The Charge was given to the Grand Jury -

John Allen was arraigned upon the Indictment  
found against him last Sessions - to which Indictment he  
pleaded Not Guilty -

The King on pro<sup>s</sup> of } Assault  
William Rainey }  
John - Allen } Battery

Jury sworn

Joseph Ellison	)	Henry Rednor	)	George Rattan
William Rattan	(	Chris <sup>r</sup> . Germain	(	Orie Ferguson
Albert Benson	(	Abra <sup>m</sup> . Bogart	(	James M <sup>r</sup> . Masters
Andrew Johnson	)	Owen Roblin	)	John Roblin

Thomas Richeson Constable sworn to attend the Jury -



The Jury having returned into Court say by their Foreman  
John M. Martin that the Prisoner is Not Guilty —

The Court Adjourned till 10 O'clock tomorrow

July 12<sup>th</sup> 1797

The Court Met — present the same Magistrates and  
Alex<sup>r</sup>. Clark Esq<sup>r</sup> —

➤ Daniel Frazer Esq<sup>r</sup> was sworn in as a Magistrate  
The Magistrates in Session assembled directed that  
the Township of Maryburg should be a division  
by itself for the purpose of holding Courts of Request  
and that the Township of Sophiasburg and Amelias-  
burg jointly should form a division and that the  
Magistrates within those townships should preside  
in those Courts.



Court of Quarter Sessions Kingston  
10<sup>th</sup> October 1797

Present

Richard Parkyn, John Peters, Alex. Lister  
Archibald McDougal, Joshua Beecher, William  
Atkinson, Thos. Mackland, Esqrs.

The Commission of the Peace was opened by the  
The Sheriff returning the Sheriff.

John Cumming  
William Robins  
James Raper  
Joseph Franklin jun.  
John Calowell  
John Fraser  
Peter Daly  
Francis Prime  
Jacob Miller  
Mathew Clarke

Samuel McKay  
Henry Simmon  
Mr. Cottier  
Peter Gray  
Sheldon Hawley  
Davis Hawley  
Robert Withers  
Anthony McGuire  
George Murdoff

The Court gave the Charge to the Grand Jury

All Persons were called that were Bound on  
Recognizance to appear and continue in their  
Recognizance

The Magistrate in Session found the  
Following Constables Twenty Shillings each  
for Non Attendance.

Micajah Purdon  
Thomas Miller  
Colin McKenyon

Jacob Finkle  
~~Thomas Richardson~~  
Bernabas Huff



The Court adjourns until Wednesday Morning  
at Ten O'clock

The Sessions Next pursuant to adjournment  
Present

The same Justices

The Grand Jury came into Court and  
Presented two Bills of Indictment agt.  
William Johnson & Samuel Shephard for  
Assault & Battery, and against Caleb  
Williams & William Newberry for Petit  
Larceny.

The King or Provs

Emmerson Bartley

William Johnson

& Samuel Shephard

Assault & Battery

The Defendants were set to the Bar &  
arraigned on their Indictment to which they  
pleaded not Guilty

The Jury were called & sworn

James Robinson Foreman

Andrew Boyce

Solomon Ball

Paul Comer

John Conklin

William McKinstry

John Loring

Jacob Powley

Gilbert Cress

George Buck Junr.

Mathew Howe

Samuel Smith



Evidence Sworn for Pros —  
Emmerson Burly  
William Ashby

Evidence Sworn for Defend.  
Sanderson  
Robinson

A Constable was Sworn to Attend the Jury  
The Jury withdrew to consider of their Verdict &  
having Returned into Court by their foreman James Robinson  
say the Defendants are guilty —

The King on Pious of } Petit Larceny  
Caleb Williams & }  
William Newberry }

The Defendants were not to the Bar and  
arrayed on their Indictments to which they pleaded  
not guilty

The Jury were Called & Sworn

Joseph Hicks Foreman  
William Ryder  
Daniel Lobden  
Elias Vander  
Samuel Pandy  
John Barnet

Andrew Bartels  
William Albertson  
Hugh Campbell  
Benjamin Babcock  
Jumiah Lapp  
John Green

Evidence Sworn for Pros. Evidence Sworn for Defend.

Nicholas Amy  
Robert Clark

The Jury withdrew to Consider of their Verdict &  
having Returned into Court by their Foreman Joseph  
Hicks say the Defendants are guilty



The Grand Jury came into Court and not having found indictments against William Cating and John Cating they were discharged on Proclamation on paying the Court fees —

The Grand Jury found a Bill of Indictment against Nicholas Jucker for a Misdemeanor.

The King's Pross  
Robert Mafuray } a Misdemeanor  
as  
Henry Jucker }

The Prisoner being set to the Bar and arraigned on his Indictment pleaded not Guilty. The Jury Called & Swore as

Solomon Bate Foreman  
George Barnes  
Alexander Anderson  
Martin Smock  
Lewis Day  
Seth Rainer

John Roggie  
Andrew Boyer  
Edward Walth  
Paul Connor  
John Conklin  
Joseph Hick

Evidence for Pross  
Robert Mafuray.

The Jury withdrew to consider of their Verdict and having returned into Court by their foreman Solomon Bate say the Prisoner is Guilty.



The session adjourned until Thursday at  
Ten O'clock

The session next pursuant to Adjournment  
Present

The same Justice

The Court fine William Johnson and  
Samuel Shepherd each Two Shillings & Sixpence.

The Court sentence William  
Newberry and Caleb Williams to receive each Forty  
Lashes at the Public Whipping post in Kingston  
on their bare backs —

The Court sentence Nicholas  
Tades to sit in the Stocks for Two Hours —

It is ordered that the Sum of  
Twenty Two Pounds ten Shillings be levied from  
the Countess of Prince Edward and the Townships of  
Adolphus in the County of Lenox for the Payment of  
Members Wages.

William Caton. John Lonin & Roger Bayne  
was discharge from their Recognizance. —



County of Quarter Session. Held at Adolphus  
Town 23 Jan. 97

Present

Richard Cartwright	Alexander Fisher
John Henshaw	Thomas Daland
Peter Vanalstine	Caleb Gilbert
Augustus Spencer	Jonathan Miller
J. W. Myers	Peter Smith

The Commission of the Peace was opened here.

The Sheriff returned the Process.

The Grand Jury were called & sworn.

Daniel Young Foreman	Robert Thomson
Walter Rees	Arden Richards
Nathan Hale	Farrington Ferguson
Abraham Lufkin	Daniel Richards
Stephen Conger	Wm. Carver
Jacob Ferguson	William Dyer
Daniel Young	
William Henshaw	
John Allen	
Thomas Goldsmith	

The Court gave the Charge to the Jury.

James Carver } Constables fined by order of the  
George Baker } Session 20% for non attendance



All Persons Bound on Recognizance were called  
Hermann Lamm did not appear was therefore  
still continued on his Recognizance —  
Jacob Lox did not appear

The session adjourned until 10 O'clock  
the Next Day.

The Magistrates in session met pursuant  
to Adjournment and Arch<sup>d</sup> M'Donell Esq.

The Grand Jury came into Court and pre-  
sented two Bills of Indictment

The session adjourned until 3 O'clock in the  
Afternoon.

The Magistrates in session assembled pursuant  
to Adjournment and Arch<sup>d</sup> M'Donell Esq.

The Grand Jury came into Court and  
presented two Bills of Indictment for  
Assault & Battery against John Thompson  
Jnr. and Samuel Parsons and Thomas  
Elmes Mathews

The session adjourned until the Next  
Day at Ten O'clock



The Session Met pursuant to adjournment  
at the same Magistrate's Presence

The King on Pro of } Assault & Battery  
John Warren }  
John Thompson jur.

The Defendant was arraigned on his  
Indictment to which he pleaded not guilty  
The Jury called & sworn were

1 Andrew Johnson Foreman

2 Benjamin Wait

3 Tobias Snyder

4 John Miniker

5 Andrew Shepail

6 Benjamin Hicks

Evidence sworn for pro

John Warren

Abraham Warner

7 Conrad Bayard

8 Sampson Striker

9 Donald McIntosh

10 Miss McDonnell

11 William McKenzie

12 John Green

Evidence for Defend.

Benjamin Rowe

The Jury considered of their Verdict and  
say by their foreman Andrew Johnson that the  
Defendant is guilty



The Trial a Pro of  
Samuel B. Gilbert  
Thomas Elms Mathews  
Samuel Parsons

Grant & Battery

The Defendants were Arraigned on their  
Indictment to which they pleaded not  
Guilty

The Jury Called & Sworn were

Barnard Cole Foreman  
Henry Bird  
Anthony Badgely  
Samuel Farrington  
John Dingman  
Calist Platt

James Edwards  
Ruben Hughes  
David Dulmage  
John Gurnace  
John Agden  
Henry Smith

Evidence for Pro  
John Hinesy  
Abel Gilbert  
Samuel B. Gilbert

Evidence for Defend  
Joseph Arkile  
Gerrish Griffin

A Constable was Sworn to Attend the Jury  
The Jury withdrew to consider of their Verdict  
and having returned into Court by their foreman  
Barnard Cole say that Samuel Parsons is  
Guilty and Thomas Elms Mathews Not Guilty



The Grand Jury Came into Court and pre-  
sented a Presentment against Samuel  
Parsons

The Court Adjourned until the 10th of October

The Court Mich pursued to Adjournment  
Samuel Parsons was called to Answer to  
the Presentment but no Person appearing  
to Prosecute he was discharged by procla-  
mation

The King or Pros  
of  
Samuel B. Gilbert  
vs  
Samuel Parsons

The Court fine Samuel Parsons  
Ten pence

The King or Pros  
John Warren  
vs  
John Thompson

The Court fine John Thompson  
Two Shillings and Ten pence

Henry Spencer of Richmond is appointed  
to Seal Measures



It is ordered by the Magistrates in Session  
that the Sum of Eighteen Pounds be Levied  
by Assessment from the Counties of Lenox  
Hartings & Northumberland for Members  
Ways i.e. Warrs

Monday the 19<sup>th</sup> March 1790

At a Special Session  
Present

Richard Cartwright  
Thomas Markland } Esquire  
William Atkinson }

Mr Robin to Make the same division with  
the same People he did last year.

Mr Brown to Make the same division  
he did last year.

Mr Daniel to Make the same division of Mr Daniel Fawcett.

Mr Smith to Make the same Division he  
worked last year.

Joseph Jones to Make the Road from the  
Grave to Mr Nicholas Hartington and the  
New Road to the Second Concession and to Lane



for his Apartment. That part of the Town formerly  
occupied by the House formerly occupied by Mr.  
Within south east of the Main Street.

Montoloma Creek's Division to Water the  
to the Concepcion Road to the Cataragui  
Bridge and to Open the Road on the North  
side of the Bridge to the Third Concepcion.  
The Grant of Mr. Howard's the same  
Division as last year -



Court of Quarter Sessions held at  
Kington Tuesday the 26<sup>th</sup> April 1787

Present

Richard Cartwright  
William Althorn  
Robert Clarke

Alexander Fisher  
Thomas Markland  
Daniel Wright

The Commission of the Peace was openly  
Read

The Sheriff returned the Receipt

The Grand Jury were called & sworn

Robert McLawlay Foreman.

John Cumming  
William Robin,  
Thomas Fraser  
Knox Barclay  
William Fairfield Junr.  
Martin Hawley  
Jacob Miller

Francis Hays  
Isabod Hawley  
George Carscallon  
John Williams  
John Sharpe  
Gyrenus Parks  
Nathan Phillips  
William Bell

The Court gave the Charge to the Grand Jury  
All Persons were called on their Recognizance  
and Attended

The Court adjourned until tomorrow at Ten o'clock

The Court met pursuant to adjournment



Present the same Magistrate &  
Arch<sup>d</sup> McDonnell Esquire

The Grand Jury came into Court and presented a  
Bill of Indictment against D<sup>r</sup> Donit Arkland

The Defendant was set to the Bar & Answered  
to which indictment he pleaded not guilty

The King vs Pros. of  
Mary Harlow } for Assault & Battery  
Dedrick Arkland }

On Motion of the Prosecutor the Trial was postponed  
until tomorrow at Ten O'clock

The Session adjourned until Ten O'clock to  
morrow

The Magistrate met on Thursday Morning  
Pursuant to Adjournment

The same Magistrate present

The King vs Pros

Mary Harlow } for Assault & Battery  
Dedrick Arkland }

The Defendant was set to the Bar

The Jury Called & sworn were

Solomon Ball Foreman  
David Hartman  
Lewis Hicks  
Jonas Amy  
James Williams  
Henry Goodwin

William Perry  
Henry McQuinn  
Daniel Fraser  
John Shibley  
Simon Sworts



The King or Pros  
Mary Harlow }  
Didrich Arkland } for Frank & Battery

Evidence for Pros      Evidence for Defnd.  
Mary Harlow  
Mary Asky -

Monstable was sworn to attend the Jury  
The Jury withdrew to consider of their Verdict  
and Having returned into Court by their foreman  
Solomon Ball say the Defendant is not Guilty.

Didrich Arkland Discharged by proclamation

It is ordered by the Magistrate in Session that a  
Fell be hired from the Midland District for the  
Year 1790.

It is ordered that in future the Salary of the  
Goaler shall be £25 Annually

The Sheriff paid the fines of Micaiah Purdy &  
Barnabas Hough Constable, for Non Attendance.  
Eight Dollars

It is ordered by the Magistrate in Session that the sum  
of Twelve Pounds four Shillings and ten pence half  
penny be paid to the Sheriff of the Midland District

It is ordered by the Magistrate in Session that the  
sum of Six Pounds Six Shillings be paid to  
Timothy Thomson Esq. of Redoubtburgh

That the sum of Seventeen Shillings be paid to  
Coffin



That the Sum of Twenty Shillings be paid  
to Shelden Hawley

That the Sum of Seven Pounds Nine Shillings and  
Six pence be allowed to James Richardson

That the Sum of Twelve Pounds Eleven Shillings be  
allowed to John Cannon

That the Sum of Fifteen Pounds be allowed  
to Allan McLean Clerk of the Peace

That the Sum of 13/ Shillings be Allowed to the  
Town Clerk of Fredericksburgh William Bell

That the Sum of 15 Shillings be allowed the  
Town Clerk of Kingston Joseph Pritchard

That the Sum of Ten Shillings be allowed the Town  
Clerk of Adolphus Town

Constables to June for the Year 1798 to April 1799

99 John Cuthby } Marysburgh  
James North }

John Muddoff } Fredericksburgh  
Joseph Kempe }  
Salomon Taylor }

Stamps Sayer Jas. Richmond

Joseph Walter } Thurlow

(David Williams } Ernest Town  
William Walker }

John Richards } Amhurst Island

Charles Huff } Adolphus Town  
Henry Davis }



Abel Gater Township of Pittsburgh

Edward Walker } Kingster  
Robert Tindell }

Gabriel Orin } Township of Kingster  
John Holmer }

Samuel Williams } Township of Hollowale  
Isaac Garrett }

In pursuance of the Statute a Jury was called  
to Ascertain the Value and Damage done to  
~~John~~ Hart by altering and making a Road through  
his Improved Ground

The Jury Called and Sworn were

Nicholas Amy Foreman

David Hartman

Jonas Amy

James Williams

William Perry

Louis Hicks

Richard Sworn

Solomon Bale

William Perry

Master Fielich

Henry Gordinier

Das Fraser

Simon Swartz

Peter Thomas

Peter Appleton

The Cause having heard the Evidence charged  
the Jury

After which was sworn to attend the Jury  
The Jury withdrew to consider of their Verdict  
and having returned into Court by the Foreman  
Nicholas Amy find the Sum of Six Pounds  
due to John Hart in consequence of the  
Attraction of the Road through his Improved Ground



Court of Quarter Sessions held at  
~~Kingston~~ Adolphus Town July 10.  
1798

Magistrate Present

Alexander Fisher  
Jonathan Miller  
Peter Smith  
Thomas Portland

Peter Vanalstien  
Bryan Canfield  
Alexander Chisholm

The Commision of the Peace was openly  
read

The Grand Jurors were Called & Sworn

Reuben Bragg Foreman

Jacob Corkman

Paul Thompson

Abraham Maby

Benjamin Clapp

John Caniff

John Hugel

Michael Glook

Archibald Campbell

William Moon

Paul Huff

Cornelius Vanhook

Nathan Marsh

The Court gave the Charge to the Grand  
Jury

All Persons, were called on their Recognizance

The Court adjourned until Four O'Clock



The Court Mr. Harman & argument.

The Same Magistrate

The Grand Jury came into Court  
And presented a Bill of Indictment  
against Charles Ferguson for a Murderer

The King on Pro of } for a Murderer

Charles Ferguson }

The Defendant was led to the Bar and  
arraigned on his Indictment & what he plea-  
red Guilty -

The Court sentenced him to be fined Twenty  
Shillings

An Application of Straight Paper to be  
permitted by the Magistrate in Spain to  
keep a Ferry across the River Rappahannock

Took Paper, & pay 3<sup>d</sup>

Horn & Man 7<sup>th</sup>

An Application of John Smith to be permitted  
to keep a Ferry from Murren  
at S<sup>d</sup> for Man & Horse  
to be for a foot passage



Court of Quarter Session held at Kingston  
the 9<sup>th</sup> October 1790<sup>r</sup>

Present

R. Cartwright  
Thomas Mawland

Alexander Lister  
William Atherston

Magistrate Present

The Commission of the Peace was openly read

The Grand Jurors were called & sworn

Benjamin Symon Foreman

Leah Carrallion

Guythard Sharpe

Abraham Dapce

James Raper

Nicholas Harkness

David Bragg

John Ewens

John Caldwell

John Lazen

James Robin

Georg Mundoff Senr.

Jepttha Hawley

Ebenezer Washburn

Davis Hawley

Sheldon Hawley

James Carrallion

The Court gave the Charge to the Grand  
Jury.

It is ordered by the Magistrate, in Session that the  
Sum of Twenty Eight Pounds Ten Shillings be  
allowed to Mr. Gadwin Mudge Raper for  
his wages as Member for the County of Essex  
Edward & Part of the County of Essex

A Warrant issued to Mr John Cannon High Constable  
for do



The Session Adjourned until 10. at Ten  
O'clock in the Morning

The Session Met pursuant to adjournment.  
adjourned



At a Court of Quarter Sessions holden at  
Adolphus Town 22<sup>nd</sup> January 1799

Present

Alexander Fisher  
Bryan Crawford  
Alexander Chisholm Esqr  
John Walter Myers  
Samuel Sherwood  
Embury  
John Stinson Junr

Peter Vanalstene  
Alexander Clarke  
Robert Clarke  
Augustus Spencer  
Timothy Thomson  
Daniel Wright

The Commission of the Peace was openly Read.

The Grand Jurors were called and Sworn.

1 David Conger Foreman  
2 Walter Ross  
3 Cornelius Vanalstene  
4 Barrett Dyer  
5 Andrew Embury  
6 ~~Andrew D.~~  
7 Stephen Conger  
8 Jacob Ferguson  
9 Daniel Young  
10 William Harrison  
11 John Allen

11 Thomas Goldsmith  
12 James Wright  
13 Robert Thomson  
14 Farrington Ferguson  
15 Daniel Richards  
16 Caleb Elsworth  
17 William Carson  
18 Peter D. Conger  
19 William Dyer

The Court gave the Charge to the Grand Jury.

All Persons were called and appeared on their Recognizances.



The Grand Jury came into Court &  
Presented Bills of Indictment against J. W.  
Myers for Assault and Battery and against Dick  
Baker a Negro for Petit Larceny

The King on Pros  
Rufus Thorne } Petit Larceny  
as  
Dick Baker }

The Defendant was set to the Bar  
and was arraigned on his Indictment to which  
Indictment he pleaded ~~not~~ guilty.

The Court adjourned until Wednesday  
morning at Ten O'clock.

The Sponsors pursuant to adjournment  
The same Magistrate Present

The King on Pros of  
John Croydell } Assault & Battery  
as  
John W. Myers }

The Defendant was set to the Bar and  
arraigned on his Indictment to which Indictment  
he pleaded not guilty. —

An Motion of the Defendant the Trial is put off  
until July Sponsors at Adolphus Tavern —

John Croydell Bound in £20 to Prosecute  
William Thorne Jnr. } in £10 each to give  
Thomas Elm Matthews } Evidence

John W. Myers Bound for his appearance £50



The Grand Jury Came into Court and presented  
Bills of Indictment against James Hearn

The King on Pross  
of  
Mary Hearn } Assault & Battery -  
James Hearn }

The Defendant was set to the Bar and  
Arraigned on his Indictment to which Indictment  
he Pleaded not guilty

The Jury Called & Sworn were

1 Henry Bird  
2 John Dingman  
3 Barnard Cole  
4 Caleb Platt Foreman  
5 James Edwards  
6 John Cummings

7 James Grobomy  
8 Reuben Hughes  
9 David Dulmage  
10 John Ayden Junr.  
11 Henry Smith  
12 Benjamin Wait

Evidence Taken for Pross

Mary Hearn  
Elizabeth Arnold  
Catharine Loyd  
Oliver Arnold  
Gran Tyler

Evidence Taken for Defendant.

Josiah Hearn  
Jane Hearn

The Jury without Retiring from Court say by their  
foreman Caleb Platt that the Defendant is  
Guilty.

The Prisoner Dick Baker was brought up to  
the Bar to receive Sentence The Court sentenced  
him to receive thirty Lashes.



The Session Adjourned until Thursday at  
Ten O'clock The Session met pursuant to adjourn-  
ment & The same Magistrate Present

The Grand Jury came into Court and presented  
Bills of Indictment against Daniel Bowen, William  
Bowen and Abraham Bowen for Assault and  
Battery and against J.W. Myers for an Assault  
and forcibly taking the Property of Rufus Othman

The King on Pet  
James Bradshaw  
vs  
Daniel Bowen  
William Bowen  
Abraham Bowen

Assault & Battery

The Defendants were set to the Bar and  
arraigned on their Indictment to which Indictment  
they Pleaded not Guilty -

The Jury Called & Sworn were -

1 Henry Bird  
2 Anthony Badgley  
3 John Doughton  
4 Barnard Cole  
5 James Edwards  
6 John Cummings  
Evidence sworn for Pros  
James Bradshaw  
Jacob Inniman  
David Bradshaw  
John Peter  
George Lucas

7 David Dulmage  
8 John Ogden  
9 Henry Smith  
10 Benjamin Wait  
11 Tobias Longden  
12 Andrew Johnson  
Evidence taken for Defend.  
James W. Nabb  
Alexander Shaw



The King on Pros of  
 James Bawshaw  
 Daniel Bower  
 William Bower  
 Abraham Bower

The jury withdrew to consider of  
 their verdict and having returned into Court by their  
 foreman Andrew Johnson say that Abraham Bower  
 and Daniel Bower are guilty and that William  
 Bower is not guilty.

The King on Pros  
 of  
 Rudolph Ostum  
 J. W. Myers

Assault & Straying  
 Property —

The Defendant was Set to the Bar &  
 Arraigned on his Indictment to which Indictment  
 he Pleaded not guilty.

The Court in Consideration of the Defendants having  
 no knowledge of this Indictment put off the Trial  
 till July Next at the Sessions of Adolphus Town

Ralph Ostum Bound in £10 to prosecute  
 J. W. Myers. D. in £20 to appear

An Complaint of Mary Thorns of her being under  
 Personal fear of Gilbert Thorns and several Affidavits  
 were Read to this effect and filed.

The Justice Bind Gilbert Thorns to his



Good behavior for Six Months, his wife  
One Hundred Pounds and Two Sons in  
fifty Pounds each

Cyrus Parks — £ 50

Victor Bowen — £ 30 —

Jason Horn was sold to the Bar and fined Twenty  
Shillings —

Daniel Bowen fined Two & Tenpence and  
Abraham Bowen five Shillings —

The Spies Adjourn —



At a Special Spices Held at Kingston 25<sup>th</sup>  
March 1799 Present

Richard Cartwright } Esquire  
Thomas Markland }

Mr James Robin, will attend the Division of  
Mr Roads he attended Last Year

Mr Moser to attend Mr. Farn's Division

Mr. Samuel Rudy to attend the Division of  
Thomas Smith.

Mr. Brewer to attend the Division he attended  
Last Year -

Mr. Daniel Farn to attend the Division of George  
Bush -

Mr. John Darby to attend the Division of Mr. Grant

Mr. Howland to attend the Division he attended  
last Year -

Adjourned



Court of Quarter Sessions held at Kingston the  
23. April 1799

Magistrate Present

Richard Cartwright Esq.

Alexander Fisher

J. Thomson

Latham Brothers

William Allenson

Thomas Markland

The Commission of the Peace was openly read.

The Grand Jurors were called & sworn.

Joseph Anderson Foreman

Joshua Booth

James Richardson

John Carrallion

Norris Briscoe

William Fairfield

William Fairfield Junr.

Francis Hoyle

Henry Finkle

James Parrot

Matthew Clarke

Michael Graft.

Joseph Thompson

The Court gave their Charge to the Grand Jury  
All Persons were called on their Recognizance  
and appeared.

The Grand Jury came into Court and presented  
a Bill of Indictment against Josiah Cane.  
The



The King or Pros of } Assault and Battery  
Henry Palmater }  
Jonas Cann

Jonas Cann was set to the Bar and Arraigned  
on his Indictment to which Indictment he pleaded  
not Guilty? —

On Application of Henry Palmater to the  
Court the Trial was put off till the 1<sup>st</sup> of June at  
Adolphus Town — — — — —  
James Cannon

On Application of James Cannon a bound  
apprentice to Emmerson Barby a Matter of the Town  
of Kingston praying ~~that~~ to be discharged from his  
Indentures for Want of sufficient food, and that  
he <sup>is</sup> employed as a Servant and not at the  
Trade of a Matter, W. Pater of Counsel for  
James Cannon — —

It appearing to the 2<sup>d</sup> Magistrate in Session  
that no Regular Pouch had issued from the Court  
~~that~~ they could not take Cognizance of the Complaint  
until the opposite party had Notice  
and Mr. Heyman as Counsel for Emmerson Barby  
undertaking that he should be present tomorrow  
did not issue any Pouch to bring the said Emmerson  
Barby before them in Session.

The Court adjourned until tomorrow  
at Ten O'clock —



Wednesday the 24. April 1799

The session Met pursuant to adjournment  
Present

The same Justices

James Cannon appeared

Emmerson Baily appearing, to answer to the  
complaint of the said James Cannon and having  
proved nothing whereby to clear himself of the  
said Complaint but on the contrary the said  
James Cannon having given full Proof of the  
Truth of the said Complaint to the satisfaction  
of the said Court We therefore whose hands and seals  
are hereunto set being four of His Majesty's Justices of the  
Peace for the Midland District in Sessions assembled  
do order pronounce and Declare that the said Apprentice  
shall be and is hereby discharged and freed from his said  
Apprenticeship ~~for there~~ because it appears in Evidence  
that the said Apprentice has been employed by his said  
Master Emmerson Baily rather as domestic Drudge than  
in learning his Trade and further because he does appear to  
have been provided with sufficient food and this is to be a  
final order betwixt the said Master and apprentice any  
thing contained in their Indentures of apprenticeship is otherwise  
to the contrary notwithstanding Given under our hands and seals  
at Kingston 24. April 1799

R. Carburgh  
W. Alderson  
J. Maitland  
J. Thomas.







Joseph Anderson	£1. 0. 4
Mr. John Cumming to I. Hays & Juan	8. 1/2
G. Plumm	2. 18
Thomas Markland	2. 0
Robert Clark Esq.	1. 15
N. Heyman	10
Leonard Lopez	6. 0

Constables Chosen for the Township for the ensuing year  
of Grace Wycox }  
James Robinson } Town of Kingston

Barnabas Day Junr. } Township of Kingston  
Jacob Powley - }

Henry Rempler Petersburg

David Williams } Court Tour  
James McKinnon }

James Jackson Amherst Island

Joseph Kempe }  
William Kemp }  
Jacob Trille }

Stephen Goodell }  
 Aaron Oliver } Richmond



Joshua Hicks } Adolphus Tour  
William Griffith }

Calcut P. Purdy Thunlow

George Baker } Hallawell  
Peter Maby }

Cyrus Howard — Lecky —

John Vanner Marybury



The Court of Quarter Sessions held at  
Adolphus Town the 9<sup>th</sup> July 1799

Overt

Alexander Fisher  
Bryan Crawford  
Jonathan Miller  
Alexander Chisholm

Thomas Doland  
John Peter  
J. W. Myers

The Commission of the Peace was opened  
read

The Sheriff returned the Precept—

The Grand Jury Called & Sworn were

- |                         |                      |
|-------------------------|----------------------|
| 1 Abraham Maby Foreman. | 12 Leonard Myers     |
| 2 William Bile          | 13 Thomas Richardson |
| 3 David Simmon          | 14 John W. Tork —    |
| 4 John Chisholm         |                      |
| 5 Timothy Carter        |                      |
| 6 Samuel Williams       |                      |
| 7 Abraham Cook          |                      |
| 8 William Lounsbury     |                      |
| 9 William Johnson       |                      |
| 10 David Palmer         |                      |
| 11 Samuel Badgley       |                      |

All Person Called on ~~Indictment~~ Recognizance

The Recognizance of James Gorman was directed to be  
Entered.



~~The J. J.~~

The King on Oath of  
Ralph Ostrum

J. W. Myers

On Motion of Mr. Hagerman Atts.

This Cause was put off until ~~Monday~~ Wednesday

All Persons were called on their Recognizance

The Session adjourned until ~~then~~ O'clock  
on the Wednesday Morning

The Session Met pursuant to  
Adjournment - 11 - 11 - 11 - 11

Present

Alexander Lusk  
Bryan Crawford  
Jonathan Miller

Thomas Dabane  
John Peters  
J. W. Myers

The King on Oath

Ralph Ostrum

J. W. Myers } from Last Session

The Jury Called and Sworn were

David Geomans Foreman  
Arthur Geomans  
Richard Han  
Cory Spencer  
Nicholas Peterson  
Samuel Wright

Jaish Rattan  
John Bowen  
John Schermahorn  
William Bowen Sen.  
Homonious Simmons  
John Friedrich



The King on Pross  
 of  
 Ralph Ostum  
 J. W. Meyers

Evidence Sworn for Pross  
 Ralph Ostum  
 Daniel Ostum  
 Martin Frederick  
 Alpheus Taft

Evidence for Defendant  
 Daniel McKenzie  
 Rosmond Leavens

A Constable Sworn to Attend the Jury  
 The Jury withdrew to consider of their Verdict &  
 Having returned into Court by their foreman David  
 Yeomans say the Defendant is Guilty + +

The Sessio<sup>n</sup> Adjourned until five O'clock in  
 the Afternoon

The Sessio<sup>n</sup> Met pursuant to adjournment  
 Present The Same Magistrates  
 William Henry, Henry Newton & David Henry  
 were Discharged by Proclamations. + +

Gilbert Horns was discharged by Proclamation.

The Sessio<sup>n</sup> adjourned until Thursday  
 Morning at Nine O'clock.

The Grand Jury came into Court and Presented  
 Bills of Indictment against Alexander Vanabrook  
 and Joseph Allen



Joseph Allen in the Sum of One Hundred Pounds  
and John Griffiths in the Sum of fifty Pounds  
to appear at the Next Session which will be in  
January Next at Adolphus Town & Answer to  
the Indictment

James Grant William Bennet and Samuel  
Roe & John Gargle being sworn depose that  
they are under personal fear and apprehension that  
Joseph Allen will do them Injury —

The Court Bind J. Allen in £100

A. Vassaltoni } in 50 L ea  
J. Allen }

for the Good behaviour to the said Parties  
until January Session Next at Adolphus  
Town — — — —

The King on Petition  
of William Bennet  
& James Grant  
Joseph Allen — } Barratry.

The Defendant was Arraigned  
on the Indictment & Whil & pleaded not  
guilty.

On Motion of Joseph Allen the  
Trial put until he is Acquainted with the Particular  
Acts of Misbehaviour that are to be brought for-  
ward against him

Motion Granted



The King on Procs of  
John Ferguson } Assault & Battery  
Alex. Vanalstein }

The Defendant was Set to the Bar  
and Arraigned on his Indictment to which indict-  
ment he pleaded guilty —

The Spsion fine J. W. Myers Five Pounds

The Spsion fine Alexander Vanalstein Ten  
Shillings

~~The Spsion adjourned~~

It is ordered by the Magistrate in Spsion  
that the Sum of Fifteen Pounds be levied from  
the County of Frontenac for Members Wages for  
the Year 1797 — ~~being the Ministry~~

It is order'd by the Magistrate in Spsion  
that the Sum of Fifteen Pounds fifteen Shillings  
be levied from the County of Frontenac for Members  
Wages for the Year 1798 —

It is ordered by the Magistrate in Spsion that  
the Sum of Twenty Pounds be levied from the County  
of Prince Edward and the Town of Adolphus in the  
County of Lenox for Members Wages for the Year

1799







The Sefions Met pursuant to the Journall

The same Magistrate Present

William Taylor and William Brayley were  
discharged from their recognizance —

The Sefions adjourned —

At a Special Sefions held at Kingston on Saturday  
the 23. January 1860

Present

Richard Cartwright Esq.

William Alkenes Esq. Thomas Markland

The Sefions Opened

The Prisoner Amos was set to the Bar and Confessed  
that he was guilty of Stealing a Gun the Property  
of William Brayley

Elizabeth Brayley being duly Sworn, saith that the Gun  
was Taken from their House and that the Wage due  
him was only Sixpence

William Brayley being duly Sworn was asked by the  
Court whether the Gun was his Property  
Answer it was & that the Value of it was Twenty Shil-  
lings — The Court sentenced the Prisoner to receive  
Twenty Nine Lashes on his bare Back at the Public  
Whipping Post — — —



At a Court of Quarter Sessions held at  
~~Kingston~~ Adolphus Town 28<sup>th</sup> January 1800

Magistrates Present  
Richard Cartwright Chairman

Archibald McDonnell  
Alexander Fisher  
Peter Vanatstone  
Timothy Thomson  
John Stinson Junr.  
Thomas Dorland

Esq.

Alexander Clarke  
Thomas Markland  
Caleb Gilbert  
Joshua Baskin  
John Howell  
Augustus Spence

The Commission of the Peace was openly Read  
The Sheriff returned the Precept.

The Grand Jury were called and Sworn

Caleb Elworth Foreman  
Stephen Han  
George W. Myers  
Baruch Dyer  
Abraham Deffoe  
Henry Young  
Conrad Bungart  
John Taylor

Stephen Conger  
Jonathan Elden  
William Carson  
Daniel Richards  
Birdie Gilbert  
Nathan Heald  
Jacob W Myers

The Court gave the Charge to the Grand Jury  
All persons were called on their Recognizances  
The Court adjourned until Eleven O'clock  
Tomorrow



Wednesday the 29<sup>th</sup> January 1800

The Session met pursuant to adjournment

The same Magistrate Present —

The Session bound Josiah Cain in Fifty Pounds  
And Josiah Horn, and Francis Vandebogart each  
in the Sum of Twenty Five Pounds that the said  
Josiah Cain ~~and~~ shall keep the Peace and be of  
good behaviour for the Space of Twelve Months.

The Grand Jury came into Court and pre-  
sented a Bill of Indictment against John W Bear  
for Assault and Battery?

The King's Pleas of  
Robt. Thomson } for Assault and Battery  
John W Bear }

The Defendant was Led to the Bar and  
Arraigned on his Indictment to which he Pleaded  
Guilty.

The Court fine the Defendant Twenty  
Shillings. 4 4

Joseph Allen was Discharged on Proclama-  
tion

The Session allow John Parrell One Pound  
Ten Shillings 4

Also William Fox One Pound five Shillings  
for Compensation making a Road through their  
improvements?



Special Session 24<sup>th</sup> March 1800  
Present

R. Cartwright Esq. Thomas Markland Esq.

William Alhinson Esq.

Mr James Robins delivered his Account of the last Year, Balance Due him £3. 19. 9.

Mr James Robins to Work the Road from the Kingston Mills with the Town as far as the Goal and the Road to Mr Marklands Farm

Mr Mosman delivered his Account and Approved Balance Due by him to the Treasury £4. 15.

Mr Harkermer will Work the division Mr Mosman worked last year, beginning at Fitchs in the Town of Kingston and from hence to the End of the Township in front of the forty foot Road to the End of the first Conception —

Mr Burnett will Work the Road from Little Cataragui Creek to Collins Creek Second Conception of the Open the forty foot Road from the Second to the Third Conception —

Mr Brewer will Work the Third Conception Road from Collins Creek to the East part of the Township and down to the Second Conception on the forty foot Road between No. 17 & 18.

Mr Campbell will Work the Inhabited part of the fourth Conception and the forty foot Road to the Third Conception

Mr Van order to Work the Second Conception Road from Cataragui Creek to Mr Marklands Farm —

Mr Harkermer will be Allowed from Seven to Eight Dollars to Work the Road from the fourth to the fifth Conception



Two Days Labor to be Given by Mr. Bruers Division on  
the Sixth Concession Road leading to Loughborough

Two Days Labor to be given by Mr. Campbell's Division  
on the Seventh Concession Road leading to Loughborough —

Two Days Labour to be given by Mr. Vanorden Division  
on the Fifth Concession Road leading to Loughborough —

Mr. M. Laughlin will Work Six Days on the Road from Lot  
No. Eight to Capt. Bakers House — the Remainder on the  
Public Road to St. Johns Creek

Mr. Gates will Work from St. Johns Creek to Capt. Stons Division

Mr. Orson Ac. T. Approved Balance Due the Treasury

\$1.0.0.

The Rest of the Oversee Produced their Ac. T.,



At a Court of Quarter Sessions held at Kingston the  
22<sup>d</sup> of April 1800

Magistrates Present

Richard Farthing  
Thomas Dorland  
William Atkinson  
Thomas Markland  
Daniel Wright

Alexander Clarke  
Daniel Finner  
Jonathan Miller  
J. Thomson  
Joshua Booth

The Commission of the Peace was openly  
read

The Sheriff returned the Precept.

The Grand Jury were called and sworn

Robert Clarke Foreman

John Dutton

Francis Pugh

George Corsewallen

Henry Semmon

Norris Bruner

James Richardson

Joseph Franklin Junr.

Henry Lintle

Francis Hople

Thomas Lunn

~~Eliza Phillips~~

Peter Graps

John Bunt

William Lampfield

John Sharp

John Corsewallen

Peter Dutton

The Court gave the Charge of the Grand  
Jury?

All Persons were called on their Recognizance  
and appeared excepting Booth? Louis B. Prouth? & &

The Court adjourned until Tomorrow at Ten O'Clock.

The Sessions met the 23<sup>d</sup> Pursuant to adjournment.

The Same Magistrates Present



The Grand Jury came into Court and Presented Bills  
of Indictment against Francois Le Gros & Margaret  
Robinson + and William Powley —

The King on Pros of  
Francis Bruen  
Margaret Robinson  
Francis Le Gros — } for Larceny

The Def Prisoners were Set to the Bar  
and Arraigned on their Indictment to which Indict-  
ment they pleaded not guilty. + + + + +

The Jury Called & Sworn were —

Asa Bradshaw Foreman	Peter Thomas
Samuel Ansbey	George Sells
John Graft	Jacob Diamond
John George	Melchor Fild
Lewis Hicks	Joseph Peters
Edward Walker	Samuel Peters Junr.

Evidence Sworn for Pros  
Francis Bruen.

Mary Bruen.  
Francis Duval  
Pine Ratti —

Evidence Sworn for Prison.

A Constable was Sworn  
to attend the Jury —

The Jury withdrew to consider  
of their Verdict and having Returned into Court by their  
Foreman Asa Bradshaw say the Prisoners are not  
Guilty — + —

The Grand Jury came into Court and Presented  
two Bills of Indictment against Jacob Hufman  
& William Fairfield + —



The King on Pro of  
William Fairfield } Larceny  
William Powley }

The Prisoner was Set to the Bar  
and Arraigned on his Indictment to which Indictment he  
Pleaded Not Guilty.

The Jury Called and Sworn were

Asa Bradshaw Foreman  
Samuel Ansley  
John Graft  
John George  
Lewis Hicks  
Edward Walker

Peter Thomas  
George Sills  
Jacob Diamond  
Melchor Fife  
Joseph Peters  
Samuel Peters Junr

Evidence for Pro  
William Fairfield  
John Baptiste Poirier  
Jacob Haymes  
Baron Althorn

Evidence for Prisoner  
Honorable Sworn to Attend  
the Jury

The Jury withdrew to Consider of  
their Verdict and having returned into Court by their fore-  
man Asa Bradshaw say the Prisoner is Not Guilty

The King on Pro of  
William Fairfield } Receiving of Stolen Goods  
Jacob Huffman }

The Prisoner was Set to the  
Bar and Arraigned on his Indictment to which  
Indictment he Pleaded Not Guilty.

The Jury Called and Sworn were

Asa Bradshaw Foreman  
John Graft  
John George  
Lewis Hicks  
Edward Walker  
Samuel Ansley

Peter Thomas  
George Sills  
Jacob Diamond  
Melchor Fife  
Joseph Peters  
Samuel Peters Junr



The Ring on Pros of } Receiving Stolen Goods  
William Fairfield }  
Jacob<sup>n</sup> Hapman }

Evidence for Pros  
William Fairfield

Evidence for Prisoner

Monstrable Sworn to Attend

The Jury

The Jury withdrawn to consider of their Verdict and  
Having returned into Court by their foreman Asat  
Bradshaw say the Prisoner is not guilty — — —

The Ring on Pros of } Assault & Battery -  
Mary Hapman }  
" }  
William Fairfield }

The Defendant was set  
to the Bar and Arraigned on his Indictment to  
which Indictment he Pleaded Guilty — — —

It is ordered by the Magistrates in Session that  
Threefourths of a Rate be levied from the Midland  
District for the Year 1800 —

It is ordered by the Magistrates in Session that a Sum  
not Exceeding Forty Pounds to be paid by the Treasurer of  
the Midland District to M. Dordano, M. Tishie, and  
Peter Vanalstene Esquires for the use of the Court House  
in Adolphus Town

It is ordered that the Sum of Twenty five Shillings  
be deducted from Michael Smiths A/c.

The Magistrates Adjourned the Session  
until Ten O'clock The Magistrates met at Ten O'clock  
on ~~Wednesday~~ <sup>Thursday</sup> Morning Pursuant to adjournment.



The Jan Magistrate Present.  
 The King on Pet of  
 Mary Thompson } Assault & Battery -  
 William Fairfeild )

The Defendant William  
 Fairfeild was set to the Bar and fined forty Shillings.  
 It is ordered that the following Sums be paid to the  
 undermentioned Persons -

Thomas Markham	£ 61. 4. 1 $\frac{1}{4}$
Titus Litch	12 -
William Ashby	18 -
Town Wardens Kingston	23. 4. 9
Mr. John Cannon	2 -
Mr. George Barnes	1. 16. 2
Mr. John Cannon	31. 10 -
Town Wardens Sydney	5 -
Clerk of the Peace	15 -
William Coffin	1. 12 -
Richard Cartwright	38. 3. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Town Clk County of Addington	15 -
Dr. Maysburgh	10 -
Indebtedburgh	15 -
Stoolyburn Town	10 -
Kingston & Pittsburg	15 -
Richmond and Spence	10 -
Town Wardens Maysburgh	17. 9. -

Mr. John Cannon High Constable for the Year Ending  
 John Stander } Constables for Kingston  
 Andrew Desrie }  
 Comas Oubelle } Dr. Township of Kingston  
 Samuel Smith }  
 Launch Lee & Intosh for the Township of Pittsburg



John Gier Senr } Constables for Marysburg  
Andrew Munick }

Emas Wmullen Senr } Amherst Island  
John Wmullen }

John Miller } Enock Town  
Neil Elworth }

Jonas Vanalstene Richmond

Joseph Kempe } Fredericksburgh  
Elihu Hupman }  
Matthew Houg }  
Isaac Laraway }

John Griffiths } Adolphus Town  
John Hicks }

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