

March Court --- 1724 --- 263 ---

On the Bank of the foregoing Bill it was thus Endorsed - Ignoramus - Wm Lane for man
Thereupon the said Alice Cate is discharged from her Recognizance and is ordered to give Security
for fees due by means of the premises and thereupon the said Peter Fitzgibbon present here in Court
undertakes for the said Alice Cate to pay all the fees due by reason of the premises and
Upon the prayer of the said Alice Cate she was cleared by Exoneracion in usual form &c

Robert Martin of Somerset County Gent: brings a servant Boy into this Court, Named John Callanane,
who was Imported into this County, in the Ship called John of Dublin, a certain John Bidell Master, thereupon
on the said Robert Martin prays the Court to take relation to the age of the said John Callanane
Whereupon the Court are of Opinion and do adjudge the said John Callanane to be of the age of fifteen
years &c

John Norton }
Petitioner } To the worshipful Justices of Somerset County in Court Sitting the humble Petition of

John Norton humbly sheweth --- That your Petitioner being seated on the Indian
River near the sea shore and the main Road some time past went through your petitioner's Land
to the Inlet which was then fordable, but since by the late great Stormes rendered impassable and
anew Road by your Worships Order cleared round the head of the Indian River by means of which the old
Road is become useless, yett not withstanding divers Neighbouring persons presuming of the Liberty of the old Land
do continually Molest and damage your petition by throwing down your petitioners fencing & remove his
Inclosures, your Petitioner humbly sheweth a desire of his grievances by such suitable Means as your
worships wisdoms shall seem most convenient and your Petitioner as in duty bound shall pray ---

The petition being read & heard & the premises considered - It is ordered by the Court
that the Road which leads from the said Nortons house to the Inlet be void, but that the old Road that leads
from his house to the Indian Town Branch be cleared & deemed againe a publick Road &c

John Jplin }
Bound to } Whereas a certain John Jplin an Orphan boy was Left, with a certain John Johnson &
John Johnson } the said Jplin being not able to take care of himself and no person out of family would doe the
Same. the said John Jplin being a considerable time at the house of the said John Johnson
and likewise been very chargeable and troublesome to him - Whereupon the said John Johnson
Prays that he may be allowed by the family for keeping the said Jplin - thereupon It is ordered by the
Court that the said John Johnson be allowed Six hundred pounds of tobacco worth Sixty pounds ---

Likewise the said John Jplin Orphan and is bound by the Court unto the said John Johnson untill he
arrives to the age of twenty One year he being five years Old as of December ---
the said John Johnson to find the said John Jplin sufficient Money during his Servitude mate for
him to have gear --- Likewise It is ordered by the Court that the said John Johnson give good secu-
rity to save, keep harmless, & Exonerate, Somerset County, from all costs, troubles, charges, or
Inconveniences, that might happen by means of the said Child being Left without Guardian &c

Thereupon the said John Johnson, with Peter Fraser his Security present here in Court
(acknowledged)