

The Court agrees with Benjamin Aydelot to keep ferry over the Indian River and find about and hands  
to give good attendance thereto, until March Court Next, and that he be allowed One thousand pounds of  
to be for the same, to be paid next Levy Court &c.

John Donelson } William Bowen son of Edward Bowen Late of Somerset County dec. being arrived  
Guardian to } at full age for the choosing of his Guardian came herunto Court in his proper person.  
William Bowen -- } and prays that he may be admitted for to choose a certain John Donelson of the County as  
his Guardian &c. which is granted to him &c. Whereupon the said William Bowen makes those of the same John  
Donelson as his Guardian &c. whereupon it is ordered by the Court that the said John Donelson give  
Recognizance in fifty pounds Sterling for to comply with the Law in relation to Guardians &c.

Thereupon the said John Donelson present herunto Court in his proper person acknowledged himself to  
owe and stand justly indebted unto the said William Bowen in the sum of fifty pounds Sterling to be  
levied on his body goods or Chattels Lands or tenements for the use of the said William Bowen if default be  
made in the condition hereunder written ---

The condition of the above Recognizance is such that if the above bound John Donelson  
do and shall well and truly comply with the Law in Relation to the Guardianship as and Likewise  
deliver up unto the said William Bowen all his Estate both Real and personal that doth of right belong  
unto the said Wm. Bowen, peaceably and quietly <sup>that he shall have in his hands</sup> when he shall arrive at full age to receive the same &c.  
then the above Recognizance to be void &c.

Elizabeth Robins } To the worshipful Court of Somerset County now sitting the humble petition  
pet. ----- } of Elizabeth Robins plainly sheweth. Whereas your humble petitioner has  
anegro woman called Hannah which by reason of age and infirmity of body is become alto-  
gether unserviceable therefore your humble petitioner humbly prays your worships would be  
pleas'd to give order that the said Negro may hereforth be tax free and humble petitioner shall  
as being in duty bound shall always pray.

The petition aforesaid being read and heard and fully understood and mature delibera-  
tion thereupon had, wherefore it is considered by the Justices here that the aforesaid Elizabeth Robins  
be for the future discharged from paying of Levy for the said negro. named Hannah as by the petition  
aforesaid is said &c.

Dido anegro Girl of John Dennis Junr. is adjudged by the Court to be of the age of seven years &c.  
Martha Ewans } Martha Ewans daughter of James Ewans Late of Somerset County dec. came  
herunto Court, and prays that a Guardian may be appointed for, the being not of  
full age for the choosing of the same &c.  
Whereupon a certain John Hardy of Somerset  
County