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Bess negro Gyle of Thomas Browne is adjudged by the Court to ^{the} age of six years
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Sarah Davis } To the worshipfull Justices of Somerset County now in Court sitting the humble
petⁿ } petition of Sarah Davis widow sheweth that whereas your petitioners two Negroes
Sambo and Bess are both of them Old feble and not able to Labour and Labor a charge than
any benefitt to her for herfore pray. that your worships will grant such Order as in your wisdom
shall think fitt. that your petitioner may be acquitted from paying of taxes for the said Negroes
and as in duty bound she will ever pray &c Sarah Davis. - -

The petition aforesaid being read and heard fully understood wherefore it is considered
that the aforesaid Sarah Davis be discharged for the future from paying of taxes for the ^{said} Negroes
(to witt) Sambo and Bess as by the petition aforesaid is praid &c -

Edward Boniter } To the Worshipfull Court now sitting the humble petition of Edward Boniter
Bett . . . } humbly sheweth that whereas your petitioner is disabled in his Limbs and not
able to work scarcely to make bread to eat humbly prays that he may be tax free and as in duty
bound shall ever pray Edward Boniter. - -

The petition aforesaid being read and heard and fully understood and mature deliberation
thereupon had wherefore it is considered that the aforesaid Edward Boniter be discharged for
the future from paying of Taxes as by the petition aforesaid is praid &c -

Ordered that a County Road be cleared and Lanywayed where need full from the wading place at
Bank Creek into the main Road by Edward Cluffe, and that David Willson be Overseer of the same Road
from Bank Creek wading place to a spindle here standing near Stevens Branch, and Likewise that ~~David~~
~~Willson~~ be Overseer from the same Spindle tree into the main Road by Edward Cluffe &c -

Thomas Dashiell } To the worshipfull the Justices of Somerset County now in Court the humble
petⁿ } petition of Thomas Dashiell sheweth. That your petitioner having an Old Negro
man called Harculus that is a great charge being past Labour it is much that he is not capable
of Earning his bread your petitioner humbly prays they may be tax free and your petitioner shall ever
pray &c Thomas Dashiell - -

The petition aforesaid being read and heard and fully understood and mature deliberation thereupon
had wherefore it is considered by the Justices how that the aforesaid Thomas Dashiell be discharged for the
future from paying of taxes for the aforesaid Negro man called Harculus as by the petⁿ afo is praid &c -

Jos: Hickey ad: Dawsey } Joseph Hickey alias Dawsey son of Alice Hickey (servant to Charles Hall)
bound to } aged three months the seventh day of August Instant; at the party present here in
Charles Hall . . . } Court and forasmuch as it is made appear to the same Court that the said Child (called Jos:
Hickey)