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Leppers creek and the overseer, requires your petitioner to keep a bridge about 20 feet long one his own cost and charge and your petitioner is not willing for this reason for when the road went over cow bridge there was about 50 feet to keep good and now about 20 feet besides there was a long cow way and I have always been willing to assist either in team to draw the sleepers or to find plank or slabs to keep the bridge good but because your petitioner has got a good mill to his neighbours satisfaction in chief and some body has got one not to such satisfaction makes this uneasiness and complains to capt. Smith against your petitioner without reason for if the publick think hard to keep this bridge good for them selves well may your petitioner think hard to keep it for the publick your petitioner prays the overseers warrant may not extend till it meets the division for the overseer will put his hand to the nearest post of the mill and say my warrant extends here and in duty your petitioner shall ever pray

The petition of being read and heard and fully understood wherefore it is considered by the Court here that Cap^t John Smith and M^r Joseph Miller go to the ap^t William Burrows and give such directions about the clearing of the said road and making of Bridges over the said Saw mill as they shall think fitt and they to make their report to August Court next &c

Ordered that Cap^t David Wilson be overseer of the road and clear from the edge of the marsh where Henry Sandan lives up to the main Road that leads along the mouth of the neck between Back Creek and Annamapex and also that he clear all bridge paths from every house in this said Neck to the ap^t Road leading out of the ap^t Neck &c

Ordered that Aaron Filman be overseer of the Road from Annamapex Dams to the north side of Back Creek wading place and from the end of Samuel Wilsons ditch along the road thro^o the Swamps toward^s Locomoke like he come within three quarters of a mile of Stevens Branch meeting with Giddison Filman overseer on Locomoke side and that he have W^m Turpin son of John Todd Middleells and Samuel Yonge hands for clearing of the said Road and all the labourers or male Taxables in the neck from the Widow Listers Bridge to Annamapex Dams and from William Turpins son of John all the hands up the south side of Back Creek to the head thereof &c

Ordered that Edw^d King Jun^r extend further than usual to the South side of Back Creek wading place and that he have all the hands in the neck and that Liveth between Back Creek and heading Branch for the clearing of the road he is overseer of &c

William Waters discharged from being of Overseer of the Roads till further order &c

Ordered that Edw^d George Darshille be overseer of the road from Thomas Gillies to John Disharoon and from his own house into the ap^t Road and from M^r John Keadys ferry to John Christophers and from the ferry to the ap^t Disharoon and from the said ferry to Richard Stevenses &c