# New Brunswick. Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace (St. John County). Minutes: 1812-1839

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#### 22 March 1823

#### **Esquire Justices**

- John Godard
- Noah Disbrow
- Ralph M. Jarvis

#### **Offences**

#### **Acts Unknown**

Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Portland v. John Reynolds:

Name:	Notes:
John Reynolds	Defendant; [Indictment not listed]; being called
	upon his recognizance and not appearing is
	respited till June Session

#### Acts against property only: Larceny

King v. William Dowling

Name:	Notes:
William Dowling	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Found Guilty;
	to receive thirty-nine lashes and be discharged.
Mary Doland	Witness
John Moore	Witness
Ellen Moore	Witness
Ewen Cameron	Juror
Charles Park	Juror
John Travis	Juror
John James	Juror; Foreman
Peter Snyder	Juror
Thomas McMackin	Juror
James Payne	Juror
Josiah Adams	Juror
John [Kiles]	Juror
Christopher Lockhart	Juror

James Travis	Juror
Moses Brundage	Juror
Mary Doland	Witness for Prosecution
Ellen Moore	Witness for Prosecution

#### King v. Mary Zalby

Name:	Notes:
Mary Zalby	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Thomas Parker	Witness
Jane Debry	Witness
Ellen Moore	Witness

## King v. William Jackson

Name:	Notes:
William Jackson	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; to receive
	thiry-nine lashes and be discharged

 $Acts \ contrary \ to \ regulatory \ provisions: \ act \ involving \ behavior \ that \ is \ regulated \ or \ prohibited \ on \ moral \ or \ ethical \ ground: \ Unlawful \ Gaming$ 

#### King v. Robert Waiscoat, Lawrence Stivers and William Harris

Name:	Notes:
Robert Wasicoat	Defedant; Indictment for unlawful gaming;
	receive sentence on motion; conviction on the
	several Indictments be received.
Lawrence Stivers	Defedant; Indictment for unlawful gaming;
	receive sentence on motion; conviction on the
	several Indictments be received.
William Harris	Defedant; Indictment for unlawful gaming;
	receive sentence on motion; conviction on the
	several Indictments be received.

 $Acts \ contrary \ to \ regulatory \ provisions: \ act \ involving \ behavior \ that \ is \ regulated \ or \ prohibited \ on \ moral \ or \ ethical \ ground: \ Disorderly \ house$ 

#### King v. George Kirkus

Name:	Notes:
George Kirkus	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house; Pleads Not Guilty; enters into
	recognizance himself in £20
Adam Wilson	Surety in £10 for his appearance at the next
	session
John Russel	Surety in £10 for his appearance at the next
	session
Samuel Cobb	Witness
Robert Simpson	Witness
John Graves	Witness
Joe Brand	Witness

#### Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

#### King v. Joseph Hopley

Name:	Notes:
Joseph Hopley	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house; sentenced to pay a fine of 20/ and be
	discharged

#### Acts against public order or authority: acts against the justice system: default Grand Jurors

 - Walker Tisdale, John V. Thugar, James Robertson Jr., Robert Summers, and Thomas Cauby made default in attending as Grand Jurors and are severally fined 40/.

#### **Court Orders:**

 Assess warrants be issued for the support of the Poor in the Parish of Portland, Lancaster, and the City of Saint John for the ensuing year.

#### **Accounts**

Name:	Notes:
Assessors for Out Parishes	Allowed a sum
Henry Cook	Surgeon; sum allowed for the medical attendance
	of the Poor House
Sherriff	Allowed a sum for services

#### **Appointments:**

- Mr. Scovil, Mr. Millidge and Mr. Humbert to be a Committee to superintend the Poor House
- Mr. Davis, Mr. Donaldson and Mr. Disbrow to be a Committee to examine and report on the public accounts

#### **Grand Jury Presentments:**

- Complaints against Road Masters concerning the roadwork in the City and County of Saint John;
  - Name mentioned: Mr. [Tawny]
- List of nuisances to the Court, several of which have been represented twice before
- Dangerous or poor conditions: Sunken [Lags] near Hamilton Wharf, Waterberg's Slip, Pagan's Slip, and Peter's Slip are dangerous; Ballasts in heap on Mr. Hanford's ground, at end of Mr. Donaldson's and Mr. Lowton's wharves; Thorp's rock is highly dangerous for vessels passing; open space at head of Nichol's step; chimneys at shop on corner of Duke Streets and St. John Street; manner lumber is carted in city; public steps at ends of North and South Markets; kitchen chimney at Poor House; gaol roof, chimney and interior and not enough fuel for criminals
- Wharves extending below the watermark be put under charge of public wharfingers
  - Mentioned: Plaister and Grandstones
- Owners of water lots to be prosecuted for throwing rubbish into the water.
- Many persons have not attended Grand Jury duty, and the lawful fines should be exacted
- Petition of Henry Peters, Esq. concerning assessment in the City of Saint John.

## **Appointed Parish Officers for 1823**

Parish of Portland

Office	Name
Overseers of the Poor	<ul><li>John Travis</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Robert Payne</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Samuel Nevers Jr.</li> </ul>
Assessors	<ul><li>John Travis</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Robert Payne</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Samuel Nevers Jr.</li> </ul>
Fence Viewers	<ul><li>John Niles</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Charles Clark</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Thomas Bean Jr.</li> </ul>
Town Clerk & Clerk of the Market	<ul><li>Daniel Smith</li></ul>
Collector of Taxes	<ul> <li>William Clucas</li> </ul>
Constables	<ul> <li>Samuel Austin</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>William Clucas</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Henry Travis</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Furlong</li></ul>
Constables for Lock Lomond	<ul><li>John Ferguson</li></ul>
	<ul><li>George Smith</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Thomas Song</li></ul>
Constables for Black River	<ul> <li>Robert Bartlett</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Joseph Fowler</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Dorman</li></ul>
Trustees of Schools	<ul> <li>Robert Payne</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Samuel Nevers</li></ul>
Hog Reeves	<ul><li>John Vincent</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Robert Moore</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Patrick Sinnot</li></ul>
Pound Keeper	<ul><li>William Taylor</li></ul>
Fence Viewers for Lock Lomond	<ul> <li>James McGregor</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Matthew Buckland</li> </ul>

Parish of Lancaster

Office:	Name:
Asessors & Overseers of the Poor	<ul><li>Jesse Quinton</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Isaac Clark</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Archibald Menzies</li> </ul>
Trustees of Schools	<ul><li>C. L. Hatheway</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Isaac Clark</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>William Carman</li> </ul>
Constables	<ul> <li>George McDonald</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Thomas Clarke</li></ul>
Collectors of Taxes	<ul><li>William Tilton</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Harding</li></ul>

Pound Keepers	<ul><li>William Tilton</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Cochran</li></ul>
Town Clerk	<ul><li>John Cochran</li></ul>
Fence Viewers	<ul><li>William Barr</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Jesse Quinton</li></ul>

Parish of Saint Martins

Name:	Notes:
Overseers of the Poor	<ul><li>James Moran</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Ebenezer Vaughan</li></ul>
Assessors of Taxes	<ul><li>David Vaughan</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Ebenezer Vaughan</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Stephen Mosher</li></ul>
Collector of Taxes	<ul> <li>William McCamber Jr.</li> </ul>
Constables	<ul> <li>William McCumber Jr.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Edward Mosher</li> </ul>
Fence Viewer for Eastern District	<ul><li>George Brown</li></ul>
Fence Viewers for Western District	<ul><li>Joseph Brown</li></ul>
Pound Keeper	<ul> <li>Daniel Vaughan</li> </ul>
Parish Clerk	<ul> <li>Henry S. Powers</li> </ul>
Trustees of Schools	<ul><li>James Moran</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Ebenezer Vaughan</li></ul>

City of Saint John

Office:	Name:
Keepers of the Poor House	<ul> <li>James O. Betts</li> </ul>
Overseers of the Poor	<ul><li>James O.</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>George Harding</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Samuel Strange</li> </ul>
Trustees of Schools	<ul><li>Josiah Wetmore</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Samuel Strange</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>John Clarke</li></ul>
Surveyors of Lumber	<ul><li>John Cunnard</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Samuel Dalton</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Gilbert Jordan</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Geroge Clark</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Samuel Reynolds</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Robert Payne</li></ul>
	<ul><li>James Payne</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John T. Payne</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Samuel Jordan</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Lewis Carville</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Thomas McMackin</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>John Travis</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Samuel Nevers Jr.</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Josiah Adams</li></ul>

	<ul><li>John Roberts</li></ul>
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## **Tavern Licences for 1832:**

Name:	Sureties:
Joseph Yeates	<ul> <li>Lauchlan Donaldson</li> </ul>
William Thomas	<ul> <li>Robert W. Nowlan</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>John Claybourne</li> </ul>
John Niles	<ul> <li>Lewis Carvill</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>John Travis</li></ul>
John Godard	<ul> <li>Nehemiah Marriett</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Stephen Humbert</li> </ul>
John Cunnard	<ul> <li>Lewis Carvell</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>William Johnston</li> </ul>
William Johnston	<ul> <li>John Cunnard</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Samuel Reynolds</li> </ul>
Henry Anthony	<ul><li>William Kelly</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Robert Chesnut</li> </ul>
Daniel Smith	<ul> <li>Thomas McMackin</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>James Payne</li></ul>
James Rodden	<ul> <li>Neil Rodden</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Daniel McAlveny</li> </ul>
George Smith	<ul> <li>Stephen Humbert</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>John Jordan</li></ul>
James Clark	<ul><li>Daniel Smith</li></ul>
	<ul><li>James Travis</li></ul>
Patirck [Kellepher ]	<ul> <li>G. C. Carman</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Joshua Bunting</li> </ul>
Barnes Travis	<ul> <li>Joshua Bunting</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>John Travis</li></ul>
John [Junis]	<ul> <li>Joshua Bunting</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Barnes Travis</li></ul>
Israel Merritt	<ul><li>Barnes Travis</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Shubal Stevents</li> </ul>
John Harding	<ul> <li>Levi Lockhart</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>John Claybourne</li> </ul>
John McWilliams	<ul> <li>Andrew McKenzie</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Henry Gault</li> </ul>
Gabriel Strong	_
William Eagles	_

[Fines and fees listed.]

## **Court Adjourns**

## 3 June 1823

## **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Thomas Harding
- Gregory Vanhorne
- John Jordan

#### **Constables Sworn**

Name:	Notes:	
Joshua Bunting	High Constable	
Lawrence Stivers		
Samuel Horner		
John Claybourne		
William Fearebay		
Joseph Clifford		
Robert W. Nowlan		
John Graves		
Frederick Rupert		
Joseph Fanjoy		
James White		
Jacob Henry		
Henry Pratt		
Rowland Bunting		
John McCreery		
William Hawkshurst		
Henry Nice		
John Eagles		

## **Grand Jury Sworn**

Name:	Notes:
Nehemiah Merritt	Foreman
Thomas Robson	
William Jarvis	
William G. Cody	
Thomas Merritt	
Henry Chubb	
James Kirk	
Lewis Burns	
John Kerr	
John Robertson	
Thomas H. Hanford	
Calvin Jouett	
George Pagean	
Benjamin Garrison	
Miles Smith	

James Robertson	
Robert Ausley	
John H. Chipman	
Nicholas J. Brown	
Alexander McGratty	
Ambrose S. Perkins	
Benjamin F. Marsh	
George Whitteker	

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 4 June 1823

## **Esquire Justices**

- Stephen Humbert
- Noah Disbrow
- Thomas Harding

## **Offences:**

## Acts against property only: larceny

#### King v. Andrew Graham

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Name:	Notes:
Andrew Graham	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Samuel Stephens	Witness
Robert W. Nowlan	Witness

#### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

#### King v. John Craig

Name:	Ntoes:
John Craig	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Charity Shass	Witness
John Boyd	Witness
Noah Disbrow	Witness
Mary Ballentine	Witness

## **Court Adjourns**

## 5 June 1823

## **Esquire Justices**

- William Scovil
- Thomas Harding
- Gregory Vanhorne

#### **Offences:**

#### **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments**

King v. John Craig

Name:	Notes:
John Craig	Indictment for assault; A True Bill; pleads not
	guilty and enters into recognizance himself in £20
William Craig	Surety in £10 for his appearance at the next
	session
Uriah Ritchie	Surety in £10 for his appearance at the next
	session

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 6 June 1823

## **Esquire Justices:**

- Noah Disbrow
- Thomas Harding
- John Ward

## **Offences:**

Acts contrary to regulatory provisions: act involving behavior that is regulated or prohibited on moral or ethical ground: Disorderly house

King v. George Kirkus

Name:	Notes:
George Kirkus	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house; Not Guilty
John O. McPherson	Juror
Alexander Yeates	Juror
James Buist	Juror
Robert Robertson	Juror
Henry Allen Hartt	Juror
Winthrop Robinson	Juror
James McAverty	Juror
George Bragg	Juror; Foreman
Edmond Kirk	Juror
Henry Golding	Juror
[Linnan] Chilas	Juror
William Hewit	Juror

#### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. Nathan Godsoe

Name:	Notes:
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Nathan Godsoe	Defendant; Indictment for assault
John Marbel	Witness
William Waters	Witness
Mark [Wiley]	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

#### Acts against property only: larceny

King v. Andrew Graham and John Graham

Name:	Notes:
Andrew Graham	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; pleads Not
	Guilty; Guilty and stands charged
John Graham	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; pleads Not
	Guilty; Not Guilty
Samuel Stephens	Witness for the Prosecution
Robert W. Nowlan	Witness for the Prosecution
Charles King	Witness for the Prosecution
Ewen Cameron	Witness for the Prosecution
William Gilbert	Juror; Foreman
William Hutchinson	Juror
Peter McCallum	Juror
Henry Golding	Juror
William George	Juror
David [Linard]	Juror
Aaron Clarke	Juror
Richard [Paughson]	Juror
Thomas Casgrove	Juror
Thomas Clarke	Juror
David Munro	Juror
Stephen Golding	Juror

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 7 June 1823

## **Esquire Justices**

#### **Court Orders:**

- Description of the limits of the Gaol in the City of Saint John
  - o Names Mentioned: Honourable Ward Chipman Esq., James Taylor
- Overseers of the Poor for Lancaster recommend an additional sum
- Ferry be established from the Indian House to Mosquitto Cove, and to include passengers from Leavitt's Point; (prices shown)
- Petition of Hannah [Ohnstead] respecting an over assessment
  - o Names mentioned: Mr. Heaviside and Mr. Scovil

Special Session for next Tuesday the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June.

## Accounts: to be paid

Name	Services
Mr. Peters	Clerk of the Peace for his service for a year
Mr. Bratney	Treasurer to pay balance due

## **Grand Jury Presentments:**

Dangerous or poor conditions: rubbish in Coburg Street, name mentioned: Mr. Wetmore;
 Upper side of Dock Street; head of Wentworth Street

#### **Appointments:**

Name:	Notes
James McNeil	Ferryman
George Haven	Trustees of Schools for the Parish of Portland in
	place of Mr. Nevens who expects to be absent
Misters Ward, Johnston, Humbert	Committee to attend the Poor House

#### **Tavern Licences:**

Name:	Surety:
James Bartrum	<ul> <li>George Moore</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>David Armstrong</li> </ul>
Miles Keegan	<ul> <li>Joseph Dailey</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>James Mc[Allister]</li></ul>
Joshua Brundage	<ul> <li>Nathaniel Lackey</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Ebenezer Herrington</li> </ul>
James Munro	<ul> <li>John C. McPherson</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Benjamin Morse</li> </ul>
John Bluny	<ul> <li>William Fearebay</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Joseph Dailey</li></ul>
Thomas Robertson	<ul> <li>George Turnbull</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Henry Long</li></ul>
John Bradley	<ul> <li>George Moore</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Michael McGuirk</li> </ul>
William Scott	<ul> <li>Robert C. Minette</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>James McAverty</li> </ul>
John Wilkinson	<ul><li>William Bell</li></ul>
	<ul><li>William Scott</li></ul>
Samuel Austin	<ul> <li>William Clucas</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Lewis Carvill</li></ul>
George Clarke Jr.	<ul> <li>Nehemiah Merritt</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Charles Parke</li></ul>
Samuel Reynolds	<ul> <li>Nehemiah Merritt</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>George Clarke</li></ul>
Charles Parke	Richard Lawrence

	<ul> <li>George Clarke</li> </ul>
Benjamin Morse	<ul><li>Ezekiel Dyer</li></ul>
	<ul><li>James Cables</li></ul>
Samuel Hanens	<ul> <li>Nathaniel Laskey</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>George Spencer</li> </ul>
William Nowlan	<ul><li>John [Cox]</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Pallen</li></ul>
William Nowlan	<ul><li>John Cox</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Pallen</li></ul>
William Nowlan	<ul><li>John Cox</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Pallen</li></ul>
John [Cabbot]	<ul> <li>Thomas Rud</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>William Miller</li></ul>
John [Cabbot]	<ul><li>John Rud</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>William Miller</li> </ul>
John [Cabbot]	<ul><li>John Rud</li></ul>
	<ul><li>William Miller</li></ul>

(Fines and Fees are shown)

## **Offences:**

#### **Grand Jury Presentment**

- Request that Bills of Indictment be made against the following persons for keeping disorderly houses
  - Names mentioned: George Stokes, William Law; Charles Whitney, Thomas Robson and James Robertson as Complainants

Acts contrary to regulatory provisions: act involving behavior that is regulated or prohibited on moral or ethical ground: Disorderly house

#### King v. George Stokes

Name:	Notes:
George Stokes	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house
Charles Whitney	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

## King v. William Law

Name:	Notes:
William Law	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	hosue
Thomas Robson	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

## Acts against property only: larceny

#### King v. Andrew Graham

Name:	Notes:
Andrew Graham	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; sentenced to
	two months imprisonment

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 24 June 1823

## **Special Session**

## **Esquire Justices**

- Hugh Johnston
- William Scovil
- William Black

## **Court Orders:**

#### **Accounts:**

## **Accounts Committee Report:**

Name:	Notes: Services
[Tay] Book	Jail Wall for this side the Harbour, and shows an
	assessment regularly signed; credit and debit;
	delinquents; Names mentioned: Mr. Peters and
	Mr. Sancton; Account "A"
Misters Sancton, Humbert, Bedell	Making assessments for jail wall; charge thought
	too high; Account "B"
Joshua Buntin	Attending Special and Quarterly Sessions—for
	sending small expenses in keeping the
	Courthouse in order; Account "C"
Robert W. Nowlan	Jail workhouse; keeping courthouse; Account "D"
Esq. Thomas Sancton	County Treasurer; Account "E"
Esq. C.J. Peters	County Clerk; Account "F"
Mr. Hendricks, Mr. Peters, Esq. Scovil, Mr.	Sundries supplied for the jail; [Slates] to the
Barlow, and Esq. Johnston	Poorhouse; Account "G"
C.F. Bremner	Coroner; Account "H"
Esq. McLeod	Coroner; Account "I"
Dr. Paddock	Attending the Coroner in instances; Account "K"
Mr. Durant and Mr. Chubb	Sundry printing; Account "L"
Thomas Elsner	Stove pipes and locks for the jail; Account "M"
Mr. Jarvis and Mr. Putnam	Drawing up agreements for jail wall; Account "N"
Esq. Thomas Sancton	Jail wall; Mr. [McBratnies] mentioned; Account "O"

Poor Masters of the Parish of Portland	Account "P"
Mr. Godard's account for Poor in the Parish of	Account "Q"
Portland	
Tax Book for the Poor Rates	Joseph Nutting, Mr. Betts, and Mr. Peters
	mentioned; Account "R"
Mr. Sancton, Humbert, and Bedell	Assessors of poor rates; Account "S"
Esq. William Carman	Overseer of the Poor for the Parish of Lancaster;
	Account "T"
Saint John Parish, Carleton	Assessed for Jail wall for the Poor; money
	appears to have not been collected
Saint Martins Parish	Parish has raised nothing on the Jail wall tax; no
	Poor rate money has been raised
Lancaster Parish	Mr. Sancton mentioned; no voucher to ascertain
	if the assessment listed has been fully completed
Poor House	Not within the committee's power to report on
	the state of funds; Mr. Betts mentioned

#### Accounts

Name	Notes
Misters Sancton, Humbert, and Bedell	To be paid
Joshua Bunting	To be paid  To be paid
Robert W. Nowlan	·
	To be paid
C. Peters Esquire	To be paid
James C.F. Bremner	To be paid
Alexander McLeod	To be paid
Doctor Paddock	To be paid
Mr. Durant and Mr. Chubb	To be paid
Thomas J. Elsner	To be paid
Mr. Jarvis; Mr. Putnam	To be paid
Poor Masters of the Parish of Portland	To be paid; not until their assessments and
	expenditures are passed
Mr. Sancton, Humbert, and Bedell	Sums due the County
Joseph Nutting	Sums due the County; mentions the gaol wall and
	the limitation to gaoler in future of money to
	support prisoners
Committee for building Poor House	Sums due County; to render accounts
Mr. Barlow; Mr. Hendricks; Mr. Johnston	Treasurer to pay
Collectors of Gaol wall tax for Lancaster and St.	Sums due County; to render accounts; to be paid
Martins	when submitted
Collector and Overseers of the Poor for Carleton	Sums due County; to render accounts
Treasurer	To render account of fines imposed upon Petit
	and Grand Jury and other fines for last 3 years
Widow Olmstead	Be allowed a sum

Joseph Nutting	Collector of Poor Rates; to pay Overseers of the
	Poor his balance

## [Tavern] Licenses

Name	Sureties
George [Splane]	William Madden, John Graves

(Fine & fees shown.)

Account [rendered] Mr. Sancton

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## 2 September 1823

## **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Gregory VanHorne
- Thomas Harding

## **Constables Sworn**

Name	Notes
Joshua Bunting	High Constable
Lawrence Stivers	
Samuel Horner	
John Claybourne	
William Fearebay	
Joseph Clifford	
Robert W. Nowlan	
John Graves	Sworn to attend the Jury
Frederick Rupert	
Joseph Fanjoy	
James White	
Jacob Henry	
Henry Pratt	
Rowland Bunting	
John McCreery	
William Hawshurst	
Henry Nice	
John Eagles	

## **Grand Jury Sworn**

Name	Notes
John R. Partelow	Foreman
William Durant	
James Burns	

Isaac Praul Thomas Leavitt	
Thomas Leavitt	
William Austin	
William Street	
John McClure	
Isaac B. Sands	
James Keater	
Thomas Ansley	
Archibald [Fryer], [Fren]	
Alexander Simpson	
James Scoullar	
Angus McKenzie	
David Fisher	
Bartholomew Coxetter	
Tertullus Theal	
James Matthews	
Thomas Harvey	
Isaac Ketchum	
Joseph Brothers	
Alexander McGotty	
Thomas G. Hatheway	

#### **Offences**

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. John Campbell and William Thompson

Name	Notes
John Campbell	Defendant; indictment for assault
William Thompson	Defendant; indictment for assault
Sir John [Tylden]	Witness
James C. Kelly	Witness
Frederick Love	Witness
William Hennigar	Witness
James [Worster]	Witness
Hugh McLean	Witness

Case listed three times

## **Court Adjourns**

## 3 September 1823

## **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Thomas Harding
- Gregory VanHorne

#### **Offences**

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

## King v. William Lonsdale

Name	Notes
William Lonsdale	Defendant; indictment for assault
Peter Master	Witness
Thomas Addison	Witness
James Innis	Witness
William [Camroy]	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

#### King v. David Armstrong

Name	Notes
David Armstrong	Defendant; indictment for assault
Mary Carle	Witness
Edward Hagan	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

#### King v. Mary Carle

Name	Notes
Mary Cole	Defendant; indictment for assault
David Armstrong	Witness
Jane Armstrong	Witness
Edward Hagan	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

#### King v. John Campbell and William Thompson

Name	Notes
John Campbell	Defendant; indictment for assault; pleads not
	guilty; enters into recognizance at £20 with
	James Reid and William Mullin at £10 each
William Thompson	Defendant; indictment for assault; pleads not
	guilty; enters into recognizance at £20 with John
	Cox and John Ratter at £10 each

Case listed twice more

## Acts against property only: larceny

#### King v. Eleanor Manning

King v. Eleunor munning	
Name	Notes
Eleanor Manning	Defendant; indictment for larceny; pleads not
	guilty; found guilty
William Thompson	Witness
Elizabeth Thompson	Witness
Thomas Gillaspie	Witness
Robert [Cayle]	Witness
Daniel Smith	Juror; foreman

Barzillah Bailey	Juror
John Cox	Juror
George Ball	Juror
James Reid	Juror
William Scammell	Juror
William Mullin	Juror
James G. Lester	Juror
David Armstrong	Juror
John Boyer	Juror
William Breeze	Juror
William Vanwart	Juror
Elizabeth Thompson	Witness for Prosecution
William Thompson	Witness for Prosecution
Robert Kyle	Witness for Prosecution
Thomas Gillaspie	Witness for Prosecution

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

**Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentment** 

Name	Notes
King v. John Campbell and William Thompson	Indictment for assault; A True Bill

[Case listed twice more]

 $Acts \ contrary \ to \ regulatory \ provisions: \ act \ involving \ behavior \ that \ is \ regulated \ or \ prohibited \ on \ moral \ or \ ethical \ ground: \ Disorderly \ house$ 

King v. William Law

Name:	Notes:
William Law	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house; On motion of Mr. Parker the case is
	delayed until the next sessions

King v. George Stokes

Name:	Notes:
George Stokes	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house; pleads not guilty; enters into recognizance at £20 with Robert [Cammell] for his appearance
	at the next sessions

## Acts against public order or authority: refusal to execute public office

The following Constables made default of appearance; they are to be fined ten shillings each unless they show proper cause by Thursday

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Name	Notes
Lawrence Stivers	
Samuel Horner	
John Claybourne	
Joseph Clifford	
Frederick Rupert	
William Hawkshurst	

Samuel Austin	
John Furlong	
Joseph Fanjoy	
James White	
Jacob Henry	
Henry Pratt	
Rowland Bunting	
John McCreery	
Henry Nice	
John Eagles	
Henry Travis	

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 4 September 1823

## **Esquire Justices**

- Charles Simonds
- Thomas Harding
- Gregory VanHorne

#### **Offences**

## Acts against public order or authority: refusal to execute public office

The following Constables make default in appearance and are fined ten shillings each

Name	Notes
Samuel Horner	
John Claybourne	
Joseph Clifford	
Frederick Rupert	
Joseph Fanjoy	
Jacob Henry	
Rowland Bunting	
Henry Nice	
John Eagles	

#### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

## King v. Thomas Peter Master

Name	Notes
Thomas Peter Master	Defendant; indictment for assault; pleads not
	guilty; enters into recognizance at £20 with Henry
	Halsall and Thomas B. Millidge at £10 each
William Lonsdale	Witness
Henry O'Darling	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

#### King v. David Armstrong

Name	Notes
David Armstrong	Defendant; indictment for assault; pleads not
	guilty; found guilty; defendant compromised with
	the plaintiff; fined [_] and costs
Daniel Smith	Juror; foreman
Hiram Smith	Juror
John Cox	Juror
George Ball	Juror
James Reid	Juror
William Breeze	Juror
James G. Lester	Juror
John Boyd	Juror
William VanWart	Juror
Samuel B[ulyea]	Juror
Barnabas Tilton	Juror
Filo Dibble	Juror
Mary Carle	Witness for Prosecution
Edward Hagan	Witness for Prosecution

#### King v. William Lonsdale

Name	Notes
William Lonsdale	Defendant; indictment for assault; pleads not
	guilty; enters into recognizance with Henry
	O'Darling and Alexander Wedderburne at £20
	each

#### King v. William Godsoe Junior

Name	Notes
William Godsoe Junior	Defendant; indictment for assault
James [McGauagle]	Witness
Robert Godfrey	Witness
William Smith	Witness
William Lockhart	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

## King v. [Mount] C. Quigley and Brown Cleary

Name	Notes
[Mount] c. Quigley	Defendant; indictment for assault
Brown Cleary	Defendant; indictment for assault
Dinah Kingsland	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

On motion of Mr. Peters, a bench warrant is issued

[The defendant [Mount] is listed as Charles Quigley in the Grand Jury Presentment]

## **Court Adjourns**

## 5 September 1823

## **Esquire Justices**

- Thomas Millidge
- Charles Simonds
- John Gordan

#### **Offences**

#### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

## King v. Hannah Thomas and Christiana Thomas

Name	Notes
Hannah Thomas	Defendant; indictment for assault
Christiana Thomas	Defendant; indictment for assault
Elizabeth Carson	Witness
Mary Ann Fearebay	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

#### King v. William Godsoe Junior

Name	Notes
William Godsoe Junior	Defendant; indictment for assault; pleads guilty
	and throws himself upon the mercy of the court

## King v. John Graves

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John Graves	Defendant; indictment for assault; pleads not
	guilty; enters into recognizance at £20 with James
	G. Lester and Samuel Campbell at £10 each
Samuel G. Hamilton	Witness
James Buist	Witness
Archibald [Fren]	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 6 September 1823

## **Esquire Justices**

- Stephen Humbert
- Noah Disbrow
- Gregory Vanhorne
- Thomas Harding et al.

#### **Court Orders**

#### **Accounts:**

Name:	Notes
James O. Betts	Keeper of the Poor for St. John Parish, committee
	to examine account of; (extensive details of
	balances shown)
Marine Hospital Establishment	Balance due to the Parish from
Doctor Head	Salary to go to Doctor Cook for services to the
	Poor House during Head's leave
Dog Tax	Paid up
Keeper of the Poor House	Directed to charge interest
Parish of St. John	Sums due to Parish for illegitimate children
Doctor Head	Attendance at the Poor House
Doctor Head	Mr Betts to pay
Doctor Cook	To be paid
Misters Disbrow, Donaldson	To be relieved of a sum
Mr. Donaldson	To draw on the Treasurer to take to the Bank
Mr. Ward	To be relieved of a sum provided he makes an
	affidavit before the Mayor

#### **Appointments**

- Charge made by Mr. Betts and due to Mr. Ackerson to be referred to a committee
  - o Mr. VanHorne and Mr. Scovil are to be a committee for that purpose
- Overseers of the Poor for Lancaster to render their account to the Committee for examining poor accounts (Mr. Jarvis, Mr. Disbrow, Mr. Donaldson and Mr. Wheeler) or prosecution will ensue
- Misters Wheeler, Scovil and VanHorne to be a committee for the Poor House

#### **Grand Jury Presentments**

 $They find \ a \ number \ of \ persons \ who \ it \ is \ presumed \ sell \ liquor \ from \ their \ homes \ without \ proper \ authority$ 

- Some people not attending as Grand Jury; Jury wishes to ensure punctual attendance
  - o Submitte 6 September 1823.
- Alexander McLeod, Coroner, requests room in the barn of the Poor House for coffins made for bodies found dead

#### **Committee Recommendations [Poor House?]:**

- The spun yarn P. P. now on hand should be sold and no more junk bought
- Committee to advertise for contracts to supply the Poor House
- Comfort of paupers should not be discriminated in the lessening of the expenses of the Poor Establishment
- Table regarding food consumption of the poor should be made use of
- Mr. Betts to receive copy
  - o Report submitted 4<sup>th</sup> September 1823

#### **Tavern Keepers:**

Name:	Sureties:
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George McDonald	John Graves; Joseph McPherson
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## Offences

Acts against public order or authority: Acts against the justice system: Act contrary to the operation of law enforcement of justice systems: Failure to comply with jury summons

Following to be fined unless show cause

Name:	Notes:
Isaac Praul	To be fined unless they show cause by the next sessions
Isaac B. Sands	To be fined unless they show cause by the next sessions
James Keater	To be fined unless they show cause by the next sessions
Thomas [Ausley]	To be fined unless they show cause by the next sessions
Alexander Simpson	To be fined unless they show cause by the next sessions
Angus McKenzie	To be fined unless they show cause by the next sessions
Bartholomew Coxetter	To be fined unless they show cause by the next sessions
Tertullus Theall	To be fined unless they show cause by the next sessions
Isaac Ketchum	To be fined unless they show cause by the next sessions
Alexander McGrotty	To be fined unless they show cause by the next sessions

## Acts against public order sexual standards: Bastardy

#### King v. John Johnston

Name	Notes
John Johnson	Defendant; Indictment for bastardy; failed to
	appear; to pay [no amount listed] per week for
	the maintenance of a bastard child by Rachael
	Adams or that the bond be prosecuted

## Acts against property only: Larceny

## King v. Eleanor Manning

King v. Eleunor Munning	
Name	Notes
Eleanor Manning	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; to be confined
	for one month in the Court Jail and then
	discharged

## Acts causing harm to a person: Assault

## King v. William Godsoe Junior

Name	Notes
William Godsoe Junior	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Retracts guilty
	plea; Enters into recognizance in £20
Henry Pratt	Surety in £10
William Hawkhurst	Surety in £10

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 2 December 1823

## **Esquire Justices:**

- Noah DisbrowGregory VanHorne
- Thomas Harding

## **Constables Sworn**

Name	Notes
Joshua Bunting	High Constable
Lawrence Stivers	AP
Samuel Horner	AP
John Claybourne	AP
William Fearebay	AP
Joseph Clifford	AP
Robert W. Nowlan	AP
John Graves	AP
William Hawkhurst	AP; Constable sworn to attend the Jury
Henry Nice	
John Eagles	AP
William McComber jr.	
George McDonald	
John Ferguson	
Frederick Rupert	AP
William Clucus	AP
Samuel Austin	AP
Jacob Henry	AP
Henry Prayy	AP
Rowland Bunting	AP
John McCreery	AP
Henry Travis	AP
John Furlong	
Edward Mosher	AP
Thomas Clarke	
George Smith	

**Grand Jury Sworn** 

Name	Notes
Henry Gilbert	Foreman
Ezekiel Barlow jr.	
John Ward jr.	
Stephen Smith	
Stephen Wiggins	
Daniel Scovil	
Alexander Edmond	
Joe Brand	
James Robertson	
Jehiel Partelow jr.	
Thomas Nisbet	
William Strickland	
David Brown	
Charles Herring	
William Hughson	
John Burns	
George Murray	
Edward [Viett]	
Isaac B. Sands	
Thomas Ausley	
Angus McKenzie	
Tertullus Theall	
Alexander McGrotty	
Benjamin Stanton	

## Offences

## Acts causing harm to a person: Assault

King v. Samuel Craig and John Craig

Name:	Notes:
Samuel Craig	Defendant; Indictment for assault
John Craig	Defendant; Indictment for assault
James Broad	Witness
James Lindsay	Witness
James Lunnin	Witness
Hugh Johnston jr.	Witness

## King v. Patrick Poor

Name:	Notes:
Patrick Poor	Defendant; Indictment for assault
William [Vanwart]	Witness
John Warden	Witness
Richard Calvert	Witness
John Bayer	Witness

James McDanish	Witness
William Lawton	Witness

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 3 December 1823

## **Esquire Justices**

- Gregory Vanhorne
- John Godard
- Hugh Johnston

#### **Offences:**

**Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments** 

Name:	Notes:
King v. Samuel Craig and John Craig	A True Bill; on motion of Mr. Peters, ordered that
	a [Bench] Warrant issue
King v. Patrick Poor	A True Bill

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

## King v. Ewen Cameron

Name:	Notes:
Ewen Cameron	Defendant; Indictment for assault
William Harris	Witness
William Burton	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

## King v. John Campbell and William Thompson

Name:	Notes:
John Campbell	Defendant; Indictment for assault; recognizance
	respited till next term
William Thompson	Defendant; Indictment for assault; recognizance
	respited till next term

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Name:	Notes:
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Name:	Notes:
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## King v. [Mount] Charles Quigley and Patrick Cleary

Name:	Notes:
[Mount] Charles Quigley	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Patrick Cleary	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Henry Payne	Witness
Dinah O'Leary	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

#### King v. Hannah Thomas and Christiana Thomas

Name:	Notes:
Hannah Thomas	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Guilty; stands
	charged
Christiana Thomas	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Not Guilty
James Gallagher	Juror
Thomas Brooks	Juror
Edward Lake	Juror
Dennis Sullivan	Juror
John Vallely	Juror
Hugh McPherson	Juror
Jacob Snider	Juror
George Clarke	Juror
James Munroe	Juror
Samuel Dalton	Juror
John Reynolds	Juror
William McKee	Juror; Foreman
Mr. Peters	Opens; Closes
Mr Parker	Replies
Samuel Forbes	Witness for Prosecution
Elizabeth Carson	Witness for Prosecution
Maryann Fearebay	Witness for Prosecution
Mary Thomas	Witness for Defendants
Mary Power	Witness for Defendant
Joseph Fowler	Sworn to attend Jury

#### **Recognizance:**

Name:	Notes:
William Munford	Recognizance discharged on payment of fees
Court Adjourns	

## 4 December 1823

## **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Stephen Humbert
- Hugh Johnston

#### **Offences**

 $Acts \ contrary \ to \ regulatory \ provisions: \ act \ involving \ behavior \ that \ is \ regulated \ or \ prohibited \ on \ moral \ or \ ethical \ ground: \ Disorderly \ house$ 

King v. William Law

Name:	Notes:
William Law	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house; Not Guilty
James Gallagher	Juror
Thomas Brooks	Juror
Edward Lake	Juror
Hugh McPherson	Juror
Jacob Snider	Juror
George Clarke	Juror
William McKee	Juror; Foreman
William Lawton Jr.	Juror
James Bustin	Juror
Samuel Dalton	Juror
Peter Peddy	Juror
James Munroe	Juror

King v. Christopher Burgess

Name:	Notes:
Christopher Burgess	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house
John Peel	Witness
Thomas Peel	Witness
Gilbert Crawford	Witness
William Crawford	Witness
James Appleby	Witness
Adam Hull	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

King v. Archibald Gilchrist

Name:	Notes:
Archibald Gilchrist	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house
John Graves	Witness
Frederick Rupert	Witness
William Fraser	Witness
Daniel Dunham	Witness
Thomas Dayley	Witness
Joseph McPherson	Juror
Mr. Peters	Motions that a Bush Warrant Issue

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

## 5 December 1823

#### **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Thomas Harding
- Thomas Millidge

## **Court Orders**

#### **Grand Jury Presentments:**

- Dangerous or poor conditions: Grand Road due to snow drifts, to appoint person to attend;
   Saint John Street and bridges unsafe; Nelson Street, should be maintained at Public expense
- Recommend extension of Saint John Street to Saint James Street; Prince William Street mentioned.

#### **Offences**

#### Acts against public order or authority: nuisance

King v. Gerhardus Carman Esq. et al.

Name	Notes
Gerhardus Carman Esq.	Defendant; indictment for a nuisance
Patrick Keleher	Witness
John Perry	Witness

# Acts contrary to regulatory provisions: act involving behavior that is regulated or prohibited on moral or ethical ground: Disorderly house

King v. George Stokes

Name:	Notes:
George Stokes	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house; not guilty
Edward Lake	Juror
Dennis Sullivan	Juror
John Vallely	Juror
James Munro	Juror
Samuel Dalton	Juror
William McKee	Juror; foreman
John Cunningham	Juror
James Travers	Juror
Thomas Bean	Juror
James Reid	Juror
Peter Lawson	Juror
Charles Whitney	Witness for Prosecution

#### Act causing harm to a person: assault

#### King v. Hannah Thomas

Name	Notes
Hannah Thomas	Fined five shillings and the costs of the
	prosecution

#### **Court Adjourns**

#### 6 December 1823

## **Esquire Justices**

- Gregory VanHorne
- Noah Disbrow
- Hugh Johnston
- Zalmon Wheeler
- John Godard
- Lauchlan Donaldson
- Thomas Heaviside

## Offences

## **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentment**

Name	Notes
King v. Gerhardus C. Carman and others	Indictment for a nuisance; No Bill

#### **Court Orders**

- Special Session appointed for the second Tuesday in January

#### **Appointments**

Name	Notes
Joshua Bunting; Robert W. Nowlan; William	Overseers of the Fishery for City of Saint John
Fearebay	
Misters VanHorne, Heaviside, Donaldson,	Committee to report proper place for new Court
Simonds	House and prepare petition to legislature
	concerning authority to assess City inhabitants
Misters Heaviside, Disbrow, R. Jarvis	Committee of the Poor House for next quarter
Mr. Donaldson	Committee to prepare petition to the General
	Assembly; balance due to the Parish of Saint John
	for expenditures in support of sick and disabled
	seamen

#### **Accounts**

Name	Notes
Robert W. Nowlan	Read and passed the account of

Samuel Theall	To be paid by Overseers of the Poor for the City of Saint John
John Russel	To be paid

#### **Tavern Licence**

Name	Sureties
James Hughes	James Flemming, John McWilliams

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 13 January 1824

## **Special Session**

## **Esquire Justices:**

- VanHorne
- Heaviside
- Jarvis
- Donaldson
- Johnston
- Simonds
- Ward
- Scovil
- Wheeler

#### **Court Orders:**

 The committee appointed to superintend the Poor House are to examine the Transient Poor account and to prepare a petition to the General Assembly for Legislative aid

#### Committee to find a site for new court house: Report

- Benefits of King's Square fronting King's Street; alternate private properties: estates of the late Bartholomew Crannell, and Henry Gardner - mentions one of his lots leased to Mr. Bowhay and the estate lawyer is Mr. Kinnear (dimensions of land and prices shown)
- o Plan drawn and given to Mr. Johnston, the architect
- Recommend inside and outside done under one contract.
- o Estimates for the shell of the building to be advertised as soon as possible

## **Accounts: Treasurer to Pay**

Name	Notes: Services
Mr. Lloyd Johnston	Architect that prepared plans for the new Court
	House

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 16 March 1824

## **Esquire Justices**

- Hugh Johnston
- Thomas Millidge
- Stephen Humbert

## **Constables Sworn**

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Name	Notes	
Joshua Bunting	High Constable	
Lawrence Stivers		
Samuel Horner		
John Claybourne		
William Fearebay		
Joseph Clifford		
Robert W. Nowlan		
John Graves	Constable sworn to attend Grand Jury	
William Hawkhurst		
Henry Nice		
John Eagles		
William McComber jr.		
George McDonald		
John Ferguson		
Frederick Rupert		
William Clucus		
Samuel Austin		
Jacob Henry		
Henry Pratt		
Rowland Bunting		
John McCreery		
Henry Travis		
John Furlong		
Edward Mosher		
Thomas Clarke		
George Smith		

## **Grand Jury Sworn**

Name	Notes
Robert W. Crookshank	[Foreman?]
Henry Halsall	
Thomas Barlow	
Thomas Smith	
Benjamin L. Peters	
Alexander Edmond	
James T. Hanford	
Isaac L. Bedell	

Robert W. Crookshank jr.	
George Matthew jr.	
Robert H. Hamilton	
Robert Rankin	
Alexander McGrotty	
Daniel Scovil	
Robert Sterling	
Stephen Wiggings	
Robert Godfrey	
Robert Summers	
James Street	
John McClure	
William Strickland	
William Eagles	
Nathaniel Milly	
George Murray	
Jogn Robertson	
William Bradshaw	

## Offences

## Acts causing harm to a person: Assault

King v. William Craig and John Craig

Name:	Notes:
William Craig	Defendant; Indictment for assault
John Craig	Defendant; Indictment for assault
James Broad	Witness
Henry Babcock	Witness
James Lindsay	Witness
John Lunnin	Witness
Hugh Johnston jr.	Witness

King v. Peter Fitzgerald

Name:	Notes:
Peter Fitzgerald	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Lavinia Mulhall	Witness
Alice Brown	Witness

King v. Hugh Friel

Name:	Notes:
Hugh Friel	Defendant; Indictment for assault
James Knollin	Witness
Nicholas Horsford	Witness
Richard Ambrose	Witness

## Acts against property only: Larceny

#### King v. Mary Glasgow

Name:	Notes:
Mary Glasgow	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Benjamin F. Marsh	Witness
Gregory VanHorne	Witness
Michael Murray	Witness
Robert W. Nowlan	Witness

#### King v. Joseph McGill

Name:	Notes:
Joseph McGill	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
George Matthew jr.	Witness
Daniel Sullivan	Witness
Robert W. Nowlan	Witness

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 17 March 1824

## **Esquire Justices**

- James Peters
- Noah Disbrow
- Thomas Harding

## Offences

#### **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments**

Name	Notes
King v. Peter Fitzgerald	A True Bill; Bench warrant to Clucus
King v. Hugh Friel	A True Bill; Bench warrant to Nowlan
King v. William Craig and John Craig	A True Bill; Bench warrant to Nowlan
King v. Joseph McGill	A True Bill
King v. Mary Glasgow	A True Bill

## Acts against property only: Larceny

#### King v. Mary Glasgow

Name:	Notes:
Mary Glasgow	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Pleads not guilty; guilty; to be whipped 39 lashes on her back and discharged
James Ackerly	Juror
John Jones	Juror; Foreman
Thomas Hay	Juror
Peter Snider	Juror

Thomas McMackin	Juror
James Payne	Juror
John Miles	Juror
Moses Brundage	Juror
Isaac Gerow	Juror
Gilbert Flaglor	Juror
Lewis Carvill	Juror
John Cunnard	Juror
Benjamin F. Marsh	Witness for prosecution
Gregory VanHorne	Witness for prosecution
Michael Murray	Witness for prosecution

Kina v. Ioseph McGill

Name:	Notes:
Joseph McGill	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Pleads not guilty; Found guilty; to be whipped 39 lashes on his back and then discharged
Peter McLearen	Juror
John Mason	Juror
John Sinclair	Juror
John Cunnard	Juror
John Niles	Juror
James Payne	Juror
Lewis Carvill	Juror; Foreman
Gilbert Flaglor	Juror
Isaac Gerow	Juror
Moses Brundage	Juror
Thomas McMackin	Juror
Peter Lawson	Juror
Daniel Sullivan	Witness
Robert W. Nowlan	Witness
[No first name listed] Stout	Witness

## King v. Daniel Sullivan

Name:	Notes:
Daniel Sullivan	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Nehemiah Merritt	Witness
William Fearebay	Witness

## Acts against public order or authority: Rioting

## King v. Hugh Friel, Peter Douglas and George Moffat

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Name:	Notes:
Hugh Friel	Defendant; Indictment for riot
Peter Douglas	Defendant; Indictment for riot
George Moffat	Defendant; Indictment for riot
Isaac Burchill	Witness

James Knollin	Witness
Nicholas Horsford	Witness
George Pleace	Witness
John Desmond	Witness

#### King v. Hugh Friel, Peter Douglas, George Moffat, Andrew Rose, John Dowler, William Fury and others

Name:	Notes:
Hugh Friel	Defendant; Indictment for riot
Peter Douglas	Defendant; Indictment for riot
George Moffat	Defendant; Indictment for riot
Andrew Rose	Defendant; Indictment for riot
John Dowler	Defendant; Indictment for riot
William Fury	Defendant; Indictment for riot
Isaac Burchill	Witness
James Knollin	Witness
Richard Ambrose	Witness
Nicholas Horsford	Witness
George Pleace	Witness
John Desmond	Witness

Acts contrary to regulatory provisions: act involving behavior that is regulated or prohibited on moral or ethical ground: Disorderly house

## King v. Archibald Gilchrist

Name:	Notes:
Archibald Gilchrist	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house; Pleads not guilty; Arraigned and is in
	custody until he finds bail

## **Court Adjourns**

## 18 March 1824

## **Esquire Justices**

- Noah DisbrowJohn Jordan
- Gregory VanHorne

## **Offences**

## **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments**

Name	Notes
King v. Daniel Sullivan	A True Bill
King v. Hugh Friel, Peter Douglas et al: unknown	A True Bill

# Acts causing harm to a person: Assault

King v. William Thompson and John Campbell

Name:	Notes:
William Thompson	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found NOT
	guilty
John Campbell	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found NOT
	guilty
James Ackerly	Juror
Charles Parke	Juror
John Jones	Juror; Foreman
Thomas Hay	Juror
Peter Snider	Juror
Peter Lawson	Juror
Thomas McMackin	Juror
James Payne	Juror
Josiah Adams	Juror
John Niles	Juror
Moses Brundage	Juror
Gilbert Flaglor	Juror
James [Worster]	Witness for Prosecution
Sir John M. [Tylden]	Witness for Prosecution
James C. Kelly	Witness for Prosecution
Lauchlan Donaldson	Witness for Defendants
Henry Partelow	Witness for Defendants
Frederick Rupert	Constable sworn to attend Jury

King v. William Thompson and John Campbell

Name:	Notes:
William Thompson	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found NOT
	guilty
John Campbell	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found guilty;
	Fined ten shillings and costs of the prosecution
Lewis Carvill	Juror
John Cunnard	Juror
John Sinclair	Juror
Patrick Murphy	Juror
John Mason	Juror
Peter McLaren	Juror
Nathaniel Laskey	Juror
Ptolomey Lombard	Juror
Elijah Spurr	Juror
William Johnston	Juror
John Cox	Juror; Foreman
John Griffith	Juror
James [Worster]	Witness for Prosecution
Sir John M. [Tylden]	Witness for Prosecution

James C. Kelly	Witness for Prosecution
John Eagles	Constable sworn to attend Jury

#### King v. Peter Fitzgerald

Name:	Notes:
Peter Fitzgerald	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pleads not
	guilty; Enters into recognizance in £20
John Moore	Surety in £10 for his appearance at next sessions
Patrick McCourt	Surety in £10 for his appearance at next sessions

#### Kina v. William Thompson and John Campbell

Name:	Notes:
William Thompson	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found NOT
	guilty
John Campbell	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found NOT
	guilty
Lewis Carvill	Juror
John Cunnard	Juror
John Sinclair	Juror
Patrick Murphy	Juror
John Mason	Juror
Peter McLaren	Juror
Nathaniel Laskey	Juror
Ptolomey Lombard	Juror
Elijah Spurr	Juror
William Johnston	Juror
John Cox	Juror; Foreman
John Griffith	Juror

## **Court Adjourns**

# 19 March 1824

# **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Gregory VanHorne
- Peter Duffus

# Offences

# Acts causing harm to a person: Assault

# King v. Hugh Friel and Peter Douglas

Name:	Notes:
Hugh Friel	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pleads not
	guilty; Enters into recognizance in £20 for his

	appearance at next sessions and then £10 as a surety for Peter Douglas
Peter Douglas	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pleads not
	guilty; Enters into recognizance in £20
Richard Ambrose	Witness
Isaac Burchill	Witness
James Knollin	Witness
William Smith jr.	Witness
John Desmond	Witness
Terence Ferguson	Surety for Hugh Friel in £10
James Breen	Surety for Hugh Friel in £10
Alexander Kelly	Surety for Peter Douglas in £10

King v. Hugh Friel

Name:	Notes:
Hugh Friel	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pleads not
	guilty; Enters into recognizance in £20
Terence Ferguson	Surety in £10 for his appearance at next sessions
Edward Hagan	Surety in £10 for his appearance at next sessions

 $Acts\ contrary\ to\ regulatory\ provisions:\ act\ involving\ behavior\ that\ is\ regulated\ or\ prohibited\ on\ moral\ or\ ethical\ ground:\ Disorderly\ house$ 

King v. Archibald Gilchrist

Name:	Notes:
Archibald Gilchrist	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house; Pleads not guilty; Found NOT guilty
James Ackerly	Juror
Charles Parke	Juror
John Jones	Juror
Thomas Hay	Juror
Peter Snider	Juror
Peter Lawson	Juror; Foreman
Thomas McMackin	Juror
James Payne	Juror
John Niles	Juror
Moses Brundage	Juror
Gilbert Flaglor	Juror
Lewis Carvill	Juror
Frederick Rupert	[Witness?]
Thomas Dayley	[Witness?]

# Acts against property only: Larceny

King v. Daniel Sullivan

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Name:	Notes:

Daniel Sullivan	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Found NOT guilty
Peter Snider	Juror
James Payne	Juror
Lewis Carvill	Juror; Foreman
John Cunnard	Juror
John Reynolds	Juror
John Mason	Juror
Edward Hagan	Juror
Jacob Snider	Juror
John Moore	Juror
William [Dara/ Darrah]	Juror
George Carvill	Juror
John Roberts	Juror
John Niles	Juror
Charles Drury	Juror
James Loyd	Juror
Nehemiah Merritt	Witness for Prosecution
William Fearebay	Witness for Prosecution
Robert Gibson	Witness for Prosecution
Nathaniel Milly	Witness for Prosecution
James McLauchlan	Witness for Prosecution
William Hawkhurst	Constable sworn to attend Jury

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 20 March 1824

# **Esquire Justices**

- Stephen Humbert
- Noah Disbrow
- Thomas Harding

#### **Court Orders**

- Court Treasurer to supply Public Accounts for Committee appointed to examine
- Overseer of the Poor for the City of Saint John, the Parish of Portland, and the Parish of Lancaster recommend sums be paid in support of their poor
- Certificate from the Trustees of Schools at Carleton for erection and maintenance of schoolhouse
- Schedule of claims for bounties for raising grain in New Lands; the data includes year, quantity
  of different types of grain, and sums; to be sent to Provincial Secretary for amount
  - Names Listed: Thomas P. Williams, Philip Black, Daniel Brown, Stephen Mosher, Isaac McLean, William Brown Sr., William Townes Sr., Henry Shanklin, George Petterson Sr., Philip Mosher Jr., William Patterson, Jeremiah Kain, George Brown, John Brown Jr., Thomas Brown, William McComber, John Fownes, Isaac Bradshaw, Jacob Beary, Charles

Mason, Stephen Brown, John Beary, John McBratnie, Benjamin Kierstead, Charles Clarke, Noah Disbrow, Calvyn Norris Whooten, and Thomas Long.

- Site and plans of the New Court House
- Regulations for hogs or swine running at large in Parishes of Portland and Lancaster

#### Accounts

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Name:	Notes:
New court house	Sum be paid; fees included
Sherriff	To be paid an annual allowance

#### **Grand Jury Presentments:**

- Concur no cure to remove obstructions in city streets
- Marsh road has never been opened to its full width
- Recommend all buildings in city and vicinity to have in future their front on a road.
- Poor conditions: obstructions on roads should still be removed; city lighted in shameful manner; ferry kept in worst possible measures causing delays; manner lumber carried through streets; poor house roof
- Suggest that a railway be put up
- Suggest an addition to the Break Waters to the West as a defence against the Eastern Wind
- New courthouse should be erected on the Centres of King's Square

## **Appointed Parish Offices for 1824**

# Parish of Portland

Office:	Name:
Overseers of the Poor	<ul><li>John Waterbery</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Cunnard</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Ptolemy Lombard</li> </ul>
Assessors	<ul><li>John Godard</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Waterbery</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Cunnard</li></ul>
Fence Viewers	<ul><li>John Niles</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>William Ackerly</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Ephraim [Sentle]</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Thomas Bean</li></ul>
	<ul><li>James McGregor</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Dorman</li></ul>
Town Clerk	<ul><li>Daniel Switch</li></ul>
Collector of Taxes	<ul> <li>William Clucas</li> </ul>
Constables	<ul> <li>William Clucas</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>John Furlong</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>James Travis</li> </ul>
Constables for Lock Lamond	<ul><li>John Lodge</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John [McCorvan]</li></ul>
Pound Keepers	<ul> <li>James Stevenson</li> </ul>

	James Rowan
Surveyors of Lumber	William Cody Jr.
	Richard Avery
	- John Cunnard
	Lewis Carvill
	George Lewis Carvill
	John Travis
	<ul><li>Josiah Adams</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>John M. Campbell</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Robert Payne</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>John F. Payne</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Thomas McMackin</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Samuel Reynolds</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Samuel Jordan</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Samuel Dalton</li> </ul>
Constables for Black River	<ul> <li>William Ellison</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>John Dowd</li></ul>
Pound Keeper for Black River	<ul> <li>William Ellison</li> </ul>
Trustees of Schools	<ul> <li>Allen Otty</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Robert Payne</li> </ul>
Hog Reeves	<ul> <li>James Rowan</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>William Clucas</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Thomas Fitzpatrick</li> </ul>

Parish of Lancaster

Office:	Name:
Assessors and Overseers of the Poor	<ul><li>Jesse Quinton</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Isaac Clarke</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Archibald Menzies</li> </ul>
Constables	<ul><li>John Harding</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Thomas Clarke</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>George McDonald</li> </ul>
Fence Viewers	<ul><li>Isaac Clarke</li></ul>
	<ul><li>William Tilton</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Jesse Quinton</li></ul>
Town Clerk and Overseer of the Fishery	<ul><li>John Cochran</li></ul>
Pound Keepers	<ul><li>John Cochran</li></ul>
	<ul><li>William Tilton</li></ul>
Trustees of Schools	<ul> <li>Calvin J. Hatheway</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Isaac Clarke</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Jesse Quinton</li></ul>
Esq. Hog Reeves	<ul> <li>WJohn Brundage</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>William Carman</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Clowes Carman</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>George Anderson</li> </ul>

# Saint Martin's

Office:	Name:
Overseers of the Poor	<ul> <li>Ebenezer Vaughan</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>William Bradshaw Sr.</li> </ul>
Accessors	<ul> <li>Ebenezer Vaughan</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>David Vaughan</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Stephen Mosher</li> </ul>
Constables	<ul> <li>John Brown Jr.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Edward Mosher</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>William McCumber Jr.</li> </ul>
Pound Keeper	<ul> <li>Daniel Vaughan</li> </ul>
Fence Viewer for East District	<ul><li>Daniel Brown</li></ul>
Fence Viewer for Western District	<ul> <li>Philip Black</li> </ul>
Town Clark	<ul> <li>Henry S. Powers</li> </ul>

# St. John's

Office:	Name:
Overseers of the Poor	<ul> <li>James O. Betts</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Daniel Ansley</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Thomas Lackey</li></ul>
Trustees of Schools	<ul> <li>Josiah Wetmore</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Samuel Strange</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Clarke</li></ul>
Poor House Physician	<ul> <li>Doctor Cook</li> </ul>

#### **Appointments:**

Name:	Notes
Mr. Johnston; Mr. Hazen	Committee to enquire into circumstances
	respecting school of Musquash and report
Mr. Vanhorne; Mr. Donaldson; James Peters	Committee to examine the public accounts
Mr. Millidg; Major Ward; Mr. Humbert	Committee to superintend Poor House
Mr. Chipman; James Peters; Mr. Heavieside; Mr.	Committee to superintend erection of Court
Donaldson; Mr. Simonds	House

#### **Tavern Licences:**

Name:	Sureties:
John Cunnard	<ul> <li>Lewis Carvill</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>William Clucas</li> </ul>
Thomas Long	<ul> <li>John Jordan</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Charles Raymond</li> </ul>
William Johnston	<ul><li>Daniel Smith</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Lewis Carville</li> </ul>
Daniel Switch	<ul> <li>William Johnston</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Lewis Carvill</li></ul>
John Jones	<ul> <li>Joshua bunting</li> </ul>

Barnes Travis  - Lewis Carvill - Israel Merritt  - Lewis Carvill - Barnes Travis  William Thomas - John Mason - John Travis  John Niles - John Cunnard - Josiah Adams  John Dorman - Peter Duffers
Israel Merritt  - Lewis Carvill  - Barnes Travis  William Thomas  - John Mason  - John Travis  John Niles  - John Cunnard  - Josiah Adams
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- Josiah Adams
John Dorman
- Peter Dullers
<ul> <li>John Cunningham</li> </ul>
Humphry Tyson – William Heartlow
<ul> <li>George McDonald</li> </ul>
John Harding – George McDonald
<ul> <li>Humphry Tyson</li> </ul>
William parks – Robert Robertson
<ul> <li>James Moffat</li> </ul>
John McWilliams – Josiah Adams
<ul> <li>James Payne</li> </ul>
Robert Payne – Robert Robertson
<ul> <li>Peter McLaren</li> </ul>
John Godard – Henry Halsall
<ul> <li>James O Betts</li> </ul>
Henry Anthony – Robert W. Nolan
<ul> <li>Joshua Buntin</li> </ul>
Dennis Connor – Joseph Dailey
<ul> <li>James O'Brian</li> </ul>

(Fines and fees included.)

# Court Adjourns

# 29 April 1824

# **Special Session**

# **Esquire Justices:**

- Mr. Justice Chipman
- Hon. Carman
- G.C. Barman
- Symonds
- Donaldson
- Heaviside
- Johnston
- Hayes

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- Otty
- Godard
- Brundage
- Anderson
- Millidge
- Ward
- Duffers
- Peters
- Wheeler

# **Court Orders:**

#### **Accounts:**

 The Committee appointed to superintend the erection of the New Court House gives their report

#### **Appointments:**

 Mr. Chipman, Mr. Simmonds, Mr. Peters, Alderman Wilmot and Alderman Vanhorne to be a Committee to carry on and superintened the erection of the New said building

## **Court Adjourns**

# 1 June 1824

## **Esquire Justices:**

- Noah Disbrow
- Thomas Harding
- Gregory Vanhorne
- Goerge Hazen

# **Constables Sworn:**

Name:	Notes:
Joshua Bunting	High Constable
Rowland Bunting	
Robert W. Nowlan	
William Fearebay	
Lawrence Stivers	
Ebenezer Herrington	
Thomas Friggiths	
John Graves	
John McArthur	
Henry Pratt	
Frederick Rupert	
John Dowd	

Henry Nice	
Edward Lane	
Benjamin Herrington	
Michael Brothers	
Robert McKelvey	Sworn to attend Jury
John Brown Jr.	
Edward Mosher	
William McCumber	
John Harding	
Thomas Clarke	
George McDonald	
William Clucas	
John Furlong	
Thomas Cunnard	

# **Grand Jury Sworn:**

Name:	Notes:	
Nehemiah Merritt	Foreman; AP	
Thomas Robson	AP	
William Jarvis	AP	
William G. Cody	AP	
Nelson [DeNebes]		
Henry Chubb	AP	
James Kirk		
Lewis Burns		
John Kerr		
Samuel Garrison	AP	
Thomas Smith		
James Robertson		
Robert Sterling		
Isaac Woodward Jr.	AP	
Robert Ausley	AP	
Isaac Bands	AP	
Isaac Ketchum		
Ambrose S. Perkins	AP	
Benjaming F. Marsh	AP	
James McWatt	AP	
Archibald Frew	AP	
George Whittekir	AP	
Thomas Cauby	AP	
Alexander McGrotty		

# **Court Adjourns**

# 2 June 1824

# **Esquire Justices:**

- John M. Wilmot
- Thomas Harding
- Hugh Johnston

#### **Offences:**

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

# King v. William Ramsay

Name:	Notes:
William Ramsay	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Patrick River	Witness
Henry Barnes	Witness

## King v. Sherman Cochrane

Name:	Notes:
Sherman Cochrane	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Robert Jones	Witness
William Fearebay	Witness

#### King v. David Armstrong, James Killgallin, James Black and John Rodgers

Name:	Notes:
Daivd Armstrong	Defendant; Indictment for assault
James Killgallin	Defendant; Indictment for assault
James Black	Defendant; Indictment for assault
John Rodgers	Defendant; Indictment for assault
James Ferriter	Witness
Wausborough Blackson	Witness

# Acts against property only: larceny

#### King v. John Graham

Name:	Notes:
John Graham	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Israel Mills	Witness
Elizabeth Thompson	Witness
Ewen Cripps	Witness
William Gilbert	Witness
Joshua Bunting	Witness
Gregory Vanhorne	Witness

#### **Court Adjourns**

# 3 June 1824

# **Esquire Justices**

- Thomas Harding
- Thomas Heaviside
- John Godard

## **Offences:**

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. James Ferritter

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Name:	Notes:
James Ferritter	Defendant; Indictment for assault
James Kilgallan	Witness
John Rodgers	Witness
Jane Patterson	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

King v. Peter Fitzgerald

Name:	Notes:
Peter Fitzgerald	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found Guilty
James [Bush]	Juror
Robert Robertson	Juror
Winthrop Robinson	Juror
Henry Golding	Juror
William Hewit	Juror
John Dodey	Juror
Edward Hagan	Juror
William Gilbert	Juror; Foreman
Lyman Childs	Juror
William Hutchinson	Juror
Peter Snider	Juror
Peter Oleary	Juror
Levina Mulhall	Witness for Prosecution
Alice Brown	Witness for Prosecution
Michael Kelly	Witness for Defendant
Ellen Shea	Witness for Defendant
John O Neil	Witness for Defendant
John McCarthy	Constable sworn to attend Jury

# King v. John Harris

Name:	Notes:
John Harris	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Discharged by
	Proclamation
James Robinson	Witness
John McCarter	Witness
Benjamin Herrington	Witness

#### Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

#### **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments**

Name:	Notes:
King v. William Ramsay	Indictment for assault; No Bill
King v. David Armstrong et al.	Indictment for assault; No Bill
King v. Sherman Cochran	Indictment for assault; No Bill

## **Court Adjourns**

# 4 June 1824

# **Esquire Justices**

- Thomas Harding
- James Peters
- Thomas Heaviside

#### **Offences:**

## **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments**

Name:	Notes:
King v. John Graham	Indictment for larceny; A True Bill

## Acts against public order or authority: acts against the justice system: default Grand Jurors

The following are to be severally fined 40 shilings unless they show due cause on or before the first day
of Setptember term next.

Name:	Notes:
James Kirk	
Lewis Burns	
John Kerr	
Thomas Switt	
James Robertson	
Robert Sterling	
Nelson DeNeves	
James Reynolds	
Alexander [McCarthy]	

#### Acts causing harm to a person:

# King v. Mary Hughes, Rachael Brandy, Rachael Emerson, Dinah Cooper, Dorcas Smith, Silvy Betts, Polly Fisher, [Polly] Robertson, [Polly] Williams, and Charlotte Diggs

Betts, Polly Fisher, [Folly] Robertson, [Folly] Williams, and Charlotte Diggs	
Name:	Notes:
Mary Hughes	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Rachael Brandy	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Rachael Emerson	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Dinah Cooper	Defendant; Indictment for assault

Dorcas Smith	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Silvy Betts	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Polly Fisher	Defendant; Indictment for assault
[Polly] Robertson	Defendant; Indictment for assault
[Polly] Williams	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Charlotte Diggs	Defendant; Indictment for assault
John McEwing	Witness
John Lodge	Witness
Charles Buck	Witness

#### **Grand Jury Presentments: Bills of Indictment**

- Signed Bill of Indictment against the Corporation for removal of boat sunk at the South Side of Peter's Wharf
- Request Bill of Indictment against Thomas Hanford for removal of Ballast on property
- Request Bill of Indictment against Mr. William Vaughan concerning removal of nuisance at his wharf

#### **Court Adjourns**

# 5 June 1824

## **Esquire Justices:**

- Hugh Johnston
- Thomas Heaviside
- William Scovil

#### **Court Orders:**

- Parish of Portland be divided into two districts; boundaries noted
- Orders to be made out relating to Hogs running at large in the Parishes of Portland and Lancaster
- County Treasurer to proceed against the Collectors of Taxes who have not made their returns

#### **Accounts**

- Clerk's allowance to be paid

#### **Appointments:**

Appointments:	
Name:	Notes
John Harding	Take census in Parish of Lancaster
Isaac Bradshaw	Take census in Parish of Saint Martins
William Clucas	Take census in 1 <sup>st</sup> District of Parish of Portland
John Lodge	Take census in 2 <sup>nd</sup> District of Parish of Portland
Travis Peabody Perley; William H. Travis; Shubal	Surveyors of lumber for Parish of Portland
Stevens	

#### Tavern Licences:

Tavern Licences:	
Name:	Sureties:
James Gallagher	<ul><li>Thomas Waters</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Dooley</li></ul>
Gabriel Strong	<ul> <li>William Clucas</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>William George</li></ul>
John Powers	<ul><li>John Lane</li></ul>
	<ul><li>James Loyd</li></ul>
James Loyd	<ul><li>John Lane</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Powers</li></ul>
John Elmes	<ul><li>John Lane</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Patrick Powers</li></ul>
David Armstrong	<ul><li>John McClure</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Hugh McPherson</li></ul>
Matthew Burkard	<ul> <li>John Godard</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>John McClure</li> </ul>
John Atkins	<ul> <li>George Moore</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>William F. Drummond</li> </ul>
Samuel Reynolds	<ul> <li>Winthrop Robinson</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Henry Golding</li> </ul>
James Bartrum	<ul> <li>John McClure</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Hugh McPherson</li></ul>
Benjamin Morse	<ul> <li>Winthrop Robinson</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Henry Golding</li> </ul>
James Sribner	<ul> <li>Benjamin Moore</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Henry Golding</li> </ul>
James Rawdon	<ul><li>Thomas Foley</li></ul>
	<ul><li>James Sanders</li></ul>
John Williams	<ul> <li>William Cummings</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>James OBrian</li> </ul>
George Clarke	<ul> <li>Winthrop Robinson</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Henry Golding</li> </ul>
James Clarke	<ul> <li>Joseph Dailey</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Patrick Murphy</li> </ul>
John Bass	<ul><li>James Rawdon</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Atkins</li></ul>
Andrew McArthur	<ul><li>John McArthur</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Robert W. Nowlan</li> </ul>
John Bradly	<ul><li>John Moore</li></ul>
	<ul><li>William Scott</li></ul>

# **Offences:**

**Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments:** 

Name:	Notes:
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King v. Mayor Alderman and Commonality	A True Bill
King v. Thomas Hanford	A True Bill
William Vaughan	A True Bill

# Acts against public order or authority: Acts contrary to regulatory provisions: selling liquor without licence

Name:	Notes:
John Folly	
Hugh Chisolhm	
Andrew Williams	
James Kendall	
William Madden	
James Alston	
James Stewart	

# Acts causing harm to a person: assault

# King v. Peter Fitzgerald

Name:	Notes:
Peter Fitzgerald	Defendant; Indictment for assault; fined £20 and
	imprisoned in the Common Gaol for ten days
	until the fine be paid.

## **Court Adjourns**

# 22 June 1824

# **Special Session**

# **Esquire Justices:**

- Noah Disbrow
- Banhorne
- Simonds
- Hazan

# **Court Orders:**

## Accounts:

#### Committee Report

Name:	Notes:
Joshua Buntin	Attendance on the Courts for the year; Account "A"
Robert W. Nowlan	Keepr of the Jail for Board of Prisoners; Account "B"
William Durant	Printing out and appearing in Court; Account "C"

Two Coroner's Accounts	To Be reported a next session
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#### **Appointments:**

- Thomas Powers to be Surveyor of Lumber for the Parish of Portland

# **Court Adjourns**

# 7 September 1824

# **Esquire Justices**

- John M. Wilmot
- Noah Disbrow
- George Hazen

## **Constables Sworn:**

Name:	Notes:
Joshua Bunting	High Constable; AP
Rowland Bunting	
Robert W. Nowlan	AP
William Fearebay	AP
Lawrence Stivers	
Ebenezer Herrington	AP
Thomas Friggiths	
John Graves	
John McArthur	AP
Henry Pratt	AP
Frederick Rupert	
William Ellison	
John Dowd	
Thomas Cunnard	AP
Henry Nice	
Edward Lane	AP; Sworn to attend Grand Jury
Benjamin Herrington	
Michael Brothers	
Robert McElvey	AP
John Brown Jr.	
Edward Mosher	
William McComber	
John Harding	
Thomas Clarke	
George McDonald	
William Clucas	
John Furlong	

# **Grand Jury Sworn:**

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John R. Partelow	Foreman; AP	
Thomas Leavitt	AP	
William Scoullar	AP	
William Street		
Thomas B. Millidge	AP	
George D. Robinson	AP	
Charles Raymond	AP	
James Burns	AP	
William Austin	AP	
Alexander Simpson	AP	
James Scoullar	AP	
David Fisher	AP	
Solomon Nichols	AP	
Thomas G. Hatheway	AP	
Nathaniel Milly	AP	
James Whitney		
Samuel Hallett		
Robert Ray		
James Keatton	AP	
George Pidgeon	Excused	
George Ball	AP	
John Smith	AP	
David Browne	AP	
Robert Watson	AP	

# **Offences:**

# Acts against the state: refusal to execute public office

 The following constables who made default in their attendance ordered to be severally fined twenty shillings, unless they show cause before Saturday Next

Name:	Notes
Rowland Bunting	
Lawrence Stivers	
Thomas Griffiths	
John Graves	
Frederick Rupert	
William Ellison	
John Dowd	
Henry Nice	
Benjamin Herrington	
Michael Brothers	
John Browne Jr.	
Edward Mosher	
William McComber	
John Harding	
Thomas Clarke	

George McDonald	
William Clucas	
John Furlong	

#### Acts against property only: larceny

#### King v. James Thompson

Name:	Notes:
James Thompson	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Timothy Clarke	Witness
John Armstron	Witness
Thomas Griffis	Witness
George Moore	Witness

#### King v. George Watson

Name:	Notes:
George Watson	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
John Powell	Witness
William Ackerly	Witness
Robert McElvey	Witness
Noah [Nisbrow] Esq.	Witness

#### **Court Adjourns**

# 8 September 1824

# **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Gregory VanHorne
- Charles Simonds

# Offences:

# **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments**

Name:	Notes:
King v. James Thompson	Indictment for larceny; A True Bill

#### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

# King v. Mary Hughes, Rachael Brandy, Rachael Emerson, Dinah Cooper, Dorcas Smith, Silvy Betts, Polly Fisher, and Charlotte Diggs

Name:	Notes:
Mary Hughes	Defendant; indictment for assault; arraigned and
	severally pleads Not Guilty; Found Guilty
Rachael Brandy	Defendant; indictment for assault; arraigned and
	severally pleads Not Guilty; Found Guilty
Rachael Emerson	Defendant; indictment for assault; arraigned and
	severally pleads Not Guilty; Found Guilty

Dinah Cooper	Does Not Appear
Dorcas Smith	Defendant; indictment for assault; arraigned and
	severally pleads Not Guilty; Found Guilty
Silvy Betts	Does Not Appear
Polly Fisher	Defendant; indictment for assault; arraigned and severally pleads Not Guilty; Found Guilty
Charlotte Diggs	Defendant; indictment for assault; arraigned and severally pleads Not Guilty; Found Guilty
John Cox	Juror; Foreman
William Breeze	Juror
James Reed	Juror
David Armstrong	Juror
William Vanwart	Juror
John Golding	Juror
Henry Long	Juror
John Smith	Juror
John B. Morrison	Juror
John Robinson	Juror
Filo Dibble	Juror
Daniel Smith	Juror
John McEwing	Witness
Charles Buck	Witness
Rose McEwing	Witness

King v. Benjamin Herrington

Name:	Notes:
Benjamin Herrington	Defendant; Indictment for assault
John Flemming	Witness
Robert Gibson	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# Acts against public order or authority: acts against the justice system: default Grand Jurors

 The Following are severally fined forty shillings unless they appear and show cause before Saturday next.

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Name:	Notes:
William Street	
James Whitney	
Samuel Hallet	
Robert Ray	

# Acts against property only: larceny

## King v. James Thompson

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Name:	Notes:
James Thompson	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Pleads Not
	Guilty; Makes a Statement; Found Guilty
Daniel Smith	Juror; Foreman

Hiram Smith	Juror
John Cox	Juror
William Breeze	Juror
James G. Lester	Juror
David Armstrong	Juror
John Boyer	Juror
William Vanwart	Juror
Jesse Wetmore	Juror
George Scribner	Juror
Barnabus Tilton	Juror
Filo Dibble	Juror
Timothy Clarke	Witness
George Moore	Witness
Patrick Clear	Witness
Henry Nice	Witness

# King v. Joseph Harris

Name:	Notes:
Joseph Harris	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; pleads Not
	Guilty; Found Guilty
William Carson	Witness
Robert Gibson	Witness
George Dogherty	Witness
John B. Morrison	Juror; Foreman
John Smith	Juror
John Appleby	Juror
Henry Long	Juror
John Golding	Juror
John Robinson	Juror
Filo Dibble	Juror
Barnabus Tilton	Juror
George Scribner	Juror
Jesse Wetmore	Juror
William Vanwart	Juror
John Boyer	Juror
William Carson	Witness for Prosecution
George Dogherty	Witness for Prosecution
Robert Gibson	Witness for Porsecution
Noah Disbrow	Witness for Defendant

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# King v. James [Darey] and Nathaniel Westcott

Name:	Notes:
James [Darey]	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Pleads Not
	Guilty
Nathaniel Westcott	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Pleads Not
	Guilty

William Leavitt	Witness
William Scoullar	Witness
Robert W. Nowlan	Witness

## King v. William English

Name:	Notes:
William English	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Joseph Rider	Witness
Michael Tunney	Witness
Andrew Ruddick	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# King v. Henry O'Donnell, Michael [Brieson] and Mark Feltis

Name:	Notes:
Henry O'Donnell	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Michael [Brieson]	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; pleads Not
	Guilty
Mark Feltis	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
John Ferrett	Witness
Francis Johnston	Witness
Benjamin Herrington	Witness
John Moore	Witness
James Moore	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# Acts against public order or authority: Rioting

# King v. Brandy Ogilby, Rachael Ogilby, Peter Emerson, Rachael Emerson, [Mihaly] Hughes, Rhoda Smith, John Reed, Jerry Hughes, Jefferson Fisher, [Cato] Cooper, Dinah Cooper and others

Name:	Notes:
Brandy Ogilby	Defendant; Indictment for rioting; Pleads Not
	Guilty; Found Guilty; to be committed to the
	Common Jail for seven days and then be
	discharged.
Rachael Ogilby	Defendant; Indictment for rioting; Pleads Not
	Guilty; Found Guilty; to be confined seven days
	beyond the five days already sentenced
Peter Emerson	Defendant; Indictment for rioting; Pleads Not
	Guilty; Found Guilty; to be committeed to the
	Common Jail for seven days and then be
	discharged.
Rachael Emerson	Defendant; Indictment for rioting; Pleads Not
	Guilty; Found Guilty; to be confined seven days
	beyond the five days already sentenced
[Mihaly] Hughes	Defendant; Indictment for rioting; Pleads Not
	Guilty; Found Guilty; to be confined seven days
	beyond the five days already sentenced

Rhoda Smith	Defendant; Indictment for rioting
John Reed	Defendant; Indictment for rioting; Pleads Not
	Guilty; Found Guilty; to be committed to the
	Common Jail for seven days and then be
	discharged.
Jerry Hughes	Defendant; Indictment for rioting; Pleads Not
	Guilty; Found Guilty; to be committed to the
	Common Jail for seven days and then be
	discharged.
Jefferson Fisher	Defendant; Indictment for rioting
[Cato] Cooper	Defendant; Indictment for rioting
Dinah Cooper	Defendant; Indictment for rioting
John McEwing	Witness for Prosecution
Loyd Johnston	Witness for Prosecution
John B. Morrison	Juror; Foreman
Henry Long	Juror
John Smith	Juror
John Appelby	Juror
John Golding	Juror
John Robertson	Juror
Filo Dibble	Juror
Barnabus Tilton	Juror
George Scribner	Juror
Jesse Wetmore	Juror
William Vanwart	Juror
John Boyer	Juror
Mr. Peters	Opens for Prosecution
Henry Nice	Sworn to Attend Jury

## **Court Adjourns**

# 9 September 1824

# **Esquire Justices**

- John Ward
- Charles Simonds
- Gregory Vanhorne

# Offences:

Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. Francis Dwyer

Name:	Notes:
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Francis Bowyer	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pleads Not
	Guilty; Enters into recognizance himself in £20
Richard Smith	Surety in £10 to appear at the next session
George Thompson	Surety in £10 to appear at the next session
John McGowan	Witness
John Chipman [Buckwith]	Witness
Robert McElvey	Witness
William Cogswell	Witness
Robert Gibson	Witness

King v. Robert McCalvy, John McArthur, Robert Gibson, John McGowan and Benjaminn Herrington

Name:	Notes:
Robert McCalvy	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads Not
	Guilty; enters into recognizance himself in £20
Joseph McPherson	Surety in £10 for Robert McAlvy to appear at the
	next session
Thomas Brooks	Surety in £10 for Robert McAlvy to appear at the
	next session
John McArthur	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads Not
	Guilty; enters into recognizance himself in £20
William Godsoe	Surety in £10 for John McArthur to appear at the
	next session
David Armstrong	Surety in £10 for John McArthur to appear at the
	next session
Robert Gibson	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads Not
	Guilty; enters into recognizance
John McGowan	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads Not
	Guilty; enters into recognizance himself in £20
William Fearebay	Surety in £10 for John McGowan to appear at the
	next session
Lawrence Stivers	Surety in £10 for John McGowan to appear at the
	next session
Benjamin Herrington	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads Not
	Guilty; enters into recognizance himself in £20
Joseph McPherson	Surety in £10 for Benjamin Herrington to appear
	at the next session
Ebenezer Herrington	Surety in £10 for Benjamin Herrington to appear
	at the next session
Francis Dwyer	Witness
Mary Burnell	Witness
Catherine Furlong	Witness
Mary Sullivan	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# Acts against property only: larceny

King v. James Darey and Nathaniel Westcott

Name:	Notes
James Darey	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Address the
	Jury; Not Guilty
Nathaniel Westcott	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Address the
	Jury; Not Guilty
Daniel Smith	Juror; Foreman
Hiram Smith	Juror
John Cox	Juror
William Breeze	Juror
William Scammell	Juror
Davis Armstrong	Juror
William Vanwart	Juror
Jesse Wetmore	Juror
George Scribner	Juror
Filo Dibble	Juror
John Robinson	Juror
Henry Long	Juror
William Leavitt	Witness for Prosecution
William Scoullar	Witness for Prosecution
Lemuel Launders	Witness for Defendant
Thomas Hatheway	Witness for Defendant
Hiram Betts	Witness for Defendant
Henry Nice	Sworn to attend Jury

## King v. Benjamin Herrington

King V. Denjamin Herrington	
Name:	Notes:
Benjamin Herrington	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Pleads Not
	Guilty; Enters into recognizance himself in £20
Joseph McPherson	Surety in £10 for his appearance at the next
	session

## **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments**

Name:	Notes:
King v. George Watson	Indictment for Grand Larceny; A True Bill

## **Court Adjourns**

# 10 September 1824

# **Esquire Justices**

Gregory Vanhorne

- Hugh Johnston
- Noah Disbrow

#### **Offences:**

# Acts against property only: arson

King v. Polly [al: Mary] Fisher, Winifred Cox, Suky Taylor, Ellen Robertson, Rachael Ogilby, and Charlotte Diggs

Name:	Notes:
Polly [al: Mary] Fisher	Defendant; Indictment for arson
Winifred Cox	Defendant; Indictment for arson
Suky Taylor	Defendant; Indictment for arson
Ellen Robertson	Defendant; Indictment for arson
Rachael Ogilby	Defendant; Indictment for arson
Charlotte Diggs	Defendant; Indictment for arson
Charles Buck	Witness
William Buck	Witness
James Buck	Witness

 $Acts \ contrary \ to \ regulatory \ provisions: \ act \ involving \ behavior \ that \ is \ regulated \ or \ prohibited \ on \ moral \ or \ ethical \ ground: \ Disorderly \ house$ 

#### King v. Charles McLean

Name:	Notes:
Charles McLean	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house
Asa Blacklee Jr.	Witness
Nathaniel Lasky	Witness
John Dean	Witness
Gilbert Ray	Witness
Ebenezer Herrington	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

#### King v. Mary Sullivan

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Name:	Notes:
Mary Sullivan	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house
William Fearby	Witness
Robert Gibson	Witness
John McArthur	Witness
Robert McElgey	Witness
Benjmamin Herrington	Witness

## King v. John Clarke

Name:	Notes:
John Clarke	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house; pleads not guilty; enters into recognizance
	himself in £20

John McArthur	Surety in £10 for his appearance at the next
	session
John O'Donnell	Surety in £10 for his appearance at the next
	session
William Gilbert	Witness

# Acts against property only: larceny

# King v. Nelson Hardenbook

Name:	Notes:
Nelson Hardenbook	Defendant; Indictment for Grand Larceny
Daniel Jordan	Witness
Thomas Fenwick	Witness
Elizabeth Fenwick	Witness
William Leviston	Witness
Gregory Vanhorne Esq.	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# King v. Michael Brieson

Name:	Notes:
Micahel Brieson	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Found Not
	Guilty
Daniel Smith	Juror
Hiram Smith	Juror
John Cox	Juror
William Breeze	Juror
William Scammell	Juror
James G. Lester	Juror
David Armstrong	Juror
John Boyer	Juror
William Vanwart	Juror
Jesse Wetmore	Juror
George Scribner	Juror
Barnabus Tilton	Juror
Mr. Peters	Clerk of the Peace; Opens
John Ferret	Witness for Prosecution
Francis Johnston	Witness for Prosecution
Benjamin Herrington	Witness for Prosecution
John Moore	Witness for Prosecution
James Moore	Witness for Prosecution
Noah Disbrow	Witness for Prosecution
James [Shanwey]	Witness for Defendant
Aaron Cook	Witness for Defendant
Charles Park	Witness for Defendant
Thomas McGlasky	Witness for Defendant

# Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. Levi Lockhart

Name:	Notes:
Levi Lockhart	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pleads Guilty;
	ordered to appear for Judgement on Saturday
	morning
Mindy Kelly	Witness
Robert F. Hazen	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

## **Court Adjourns**

# 11 September 1824

# **Esquire Justices**

- George Ha[z]en
- John M. Wilmot
- Charles Simonds

#### **Offences**

**Bill of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentment** 

Name	Notes
King v. Mary Sullivan	Indictment for keeping a disorderly house; A True
	Bill; Bench warrant issued
King v. Sherman Cochran	No indictment listed; No Bill
King v. Alexander Nevers and Samuel Nevers	No Indictment listed; No Bill
King v. James Bennett	No indictment listed; No Bill
King v. Samuel Bustin and John Harbell	No indictment listed; A True Bill
King v. Hugh Wilson	No indictment listed; A True Bill
King v. Ellen Robertson and others	Indictment for rioting; A True Bill
King v. Mayor Aldermen and Commonalty	No indictment listed; A True Bill; [case listed
	twice]

## **Act Unknown**

King v. Hugh Wilson

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Name:	Notes:
Hugh Wilson	Defendant; Act unknown; Pleads not guilty;
	Enters into recognizance in £20
Samuel Bustin	Surety in £10
William Waters	Surety in £10

King v. Samuel Bustin and John Harbell

Name:	Notes:	

Samuel Bustin	Defendant; Act unknown; Pleads guilty; Enters
	into recognizance in £20
John Harbell	Defendant; Act unknown; Pleads guilty; Enters
	into recognizance in £20
Hugh Wilson	Surety for Samuel Bustin in £10
Nathan Godsoe	Surety for Samuel Bustin in £10
Hugh Wilson	Surety for John Harbell in £10
Levi Lockhart	Surety for John Harbell in £10

Acts contrary to regulatory provisions: act involving behavior that is regulated or prohibited on moral or ethical ground: Disorderly house

#### King v. Charles McLean

Name:	Notes:
Charles McLean	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house; pleads not guilty; enters into recognizance
	at £20 with Andrew McKenzie and Dennis
	McWilliams as sureties at £10 each

#### King v. Mary Sullivan

Name:	Notes:
Mary Sullivan	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house; Pleads not guilty; Enters into recognizance
	in £20
Alexander Jones	Surety in £10
John Hughes	Surety in £10

# Acts against public order or authority: Rioting

# King v. Ellen Robertson, Susan otherwise called Sukey Taylor, Mary Fisher, Rachael [Ogilby], Charlotte [Diges/Diggs], and Winifred Coxetter

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Name	Notes	
Ellen Robertson	Defendant; indictment for rioting	
Susan otherwise called Sukey Taylor	Defendant; indictment for rioting	
Mary Fisher	Defendant; indictment for rioting	
Rachel [Ogilby]	Defendant; indictment for rioting	
Charlotte [Diges]	Defendant; indictment for rioting	
Winfred Coxetter	Defendant; indictment for rioting	
James Buck	Witness	
Charles Buck	Witness	
William Buck	Witness	

# Acts against property only: larceny

## King v. James Thompson

Name:	Notes:
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James Thompson	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; sentenced to
	be publicly whipped 39 times on his naked back
	and then be discharged

## King v. Joseph Harris

Name:	Notes:
Joseph Harris	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; sentenced to
	be publicly whipped 39 stripes on his naked back
	and then be discharged

## Acts against the Justice system: Contempt

## King v. John Vallely

Name	Notes
John Vallely	Defendant; indictment for high contempt;
	defendant is committed by the Court; On making
	an apology to the court is discharged on payment
	of fees

#### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

## King v. Levi Lockhart

Name:	Notes:
Levi Lockhart	Defendant; Indictment for assault; fined five
	pounds and to stand committed until the find be
	paid

# Acts against public order or authority: Acts contrary to regulatory provisions: selling liquor without licence

Name	Notes
William Ackerly	Defendant; Selling liquor without a licence;
	Portland
Morris Whooten	Defendant; Selling liquor without a licence;
	Portland
John Clarke	Defendant; Selling liquor without a licence; Duke
	Street
Mary Sullivan	Defendant; Selling liquor without a licence; York
	Point

# **Court Orders**

- Committee appointed to superintend the erection of the Court House present a building site with estimates; [contract] with Mr. Cunningham
- Committee on the removal of the School House at Lancaster consider it an inconvenience to inhabitants; trustees of the School House are to render statistics
- Committee of accounts is not able to produce a report
- Certificate received from the Trustees of Schools in Carleton, Clerk of the Peace to transmit request for provincial allowance; John Horne mentioned

#### **Appointments**

 Esquires John M. Wilmot, Zalmon Wheeler, and James Peters are a Committee to superintend the Poor House

Accounts to be paid

and to be para	
Name	Notes: Services
John Lodge	Serving Bench Warrant and conveying certain
	persons from Lock Lomond to the City Gaol
Dr. Cook	Account read; referred to the Committee of
	accounts

#### **Grand Jury Presentments**

- Poor or dangerous conditions: The public stairs at Duke Street and wharf; wharf at Germain Street; Britain Street covered with rubbish; stairs at the lower end of the North Market wharf; two bridges; slaughter houses - cleanliness
- Urge City Police to check the growing evil of disorderly houses.
- Submitted to Court September 11<sup>th</sup>, 1824 (Signed John R. Partelow, Foreman).

## **Insertion:**

- [A note commending the Court of Saint John]

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 8 December 1824

# **Supreme Court (Insertions)**

# **Esquire Justices:**

- [Plainley] Crawford
- Henry Helms

## **Constables Sworn:**

Name:	Notes:
Joshua Bunting	AP
Rowland Bunting	
Robert W. Nowlan	
William Fearebay	AP
S. Stivers	
Ebenezer Herrington	
Thomas Griffiths	
John Graves	
John McArthur	AP
Henry Pratt	
Frederick Rupert	AP

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Henry Niel		
Edward Lane		
Benjamin Herrington	AP	
Michael Brothers		
Robert McKelviy	AP	
John Brown Jr.		
Edward Mosher		
William McCumber		
John Harding		
Thomas Clarke		
George McDonald		
William Ellison		
John Dowd		
William Clucas	AP	
John Furlong		
Thomas Cunard		

#### **Court Orders:**

- Petition of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of Saint John, concerning the limited nature of the Law for the Election of Charter Offices in the City
  - o Mentioned: Major-General Sir Archibald Campbell, Bart., G.C.B., Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of the Province of New Brunswick

# **Court Adjourns**

# 7 December 1824

# **Esquire Justices**

- Hugh Johnston
- Gregory Vanhorne
- Ralph M. Jarvis

## **Constables Sworn:**

Name:	Notes:
Joshua Bunting	High Constable; AP
Rowland Bunting	
Robert W. Nowlan	AP
William Fearebay	AP
Lawrence Stivers	
Ebenezer Herrington	AP
Thomas Griffiths	
John Graves	
John McArthur	
Henry Pratt	Dea[d]

Frederick Rupert	AP
William Ellison	
John Dowd	
Thomas Cunard	
Henry Nice	
Edward Lane	
Benjamin Herrington	AP
Michael Brothers	
Robert McElvey	AP
John Brown Jr.	
Edward Mosher	
William McCumber	
John Harding	
Thomas Clarke	
George McDonald	
William Clucas	AP; Sworn to attend Jury
John Furlong	AP

# **Grand Jury Sworn:**

Name:	Notes:	
Henry Gilbert	AP	
James Potter	AP	
William Leavitt		
Charles Hazen		
William Reynolds	AP	
Charles J. Peters Jr.	AP	
Thomas M. Smith	AP	
Walker Tisdale		
John T. Younghusband	AP	
John O. Waterbury	AP	
Joseph Harris	AP	
Angus M. [Kensie]	AP	
Robert C. Minette	AP	
Thomas Witlock	AP	
Edward Veith	AP	
George E. [Fruit]	AP	
Benjamin D. King		
Jekiel Partlow Jr.	AP	
John Burns	AP	
James Ritch		
John Moyes	AP	
Loyd Johnston	AP	
Charles [Longstrough]	AP	
Henry Blakely		

#### Offences:

## Acts against property only: larceny

## King v. Lewis Moor

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Name:	Notes:
Lewis Moor	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
James Stewart	Witness
William Stevens	Witness
Matthew Vincent	Witness

# Acts causing harm to a person: assault

## King v. Benjamin Peel and George [Delem]

Name:	Notes:
Benjamin Peel	Defendant; Indictment for assault
George [Delem]	Defendant; Indictment for assault
David Johnston	Witness
Thomas Peel	Witness
Thomas Millar	Witness
John Thain	Witness
John Peel	Witness

## **Court Adjourns**

# 8 December 1824

# **Esquire Justices:**

- Hugh JohnstonJohn M. Wilmot
- Gregory Vanhorne

## **Offences:**

#### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

# Kina v. Thomas Flemmina

King v. Thomas Flemming	
Name:	Notes:
Thomas Flemming	Defendant; Indictment for assault; arraigned; pleads not guilty; enters into recognizance himself £20
Rebecca Flemming	Witness
Hugh O'Donnell	Witness
Isabella McGaghy	Witness
Joseph McPherson	Surety; enters into recognizance £10
William Madden	Surety; enters into recognizance £10

## King v. Mary Sullivan

Name:	Notes:
Mary Sullivan	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Ann Carroll	Witness
Frederick Rupert	Witness
Gregory Vanhorne	Witness

# King v. Samuel McMahan, Michael Cox, Abraham Day, Jacob Waters, Mark Johnston, Michael Hanks and Others

Name:	Notes:
Samuel McMahan	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Michael Cox	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Abraham Day	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Jacob Waters	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Mark Johnston	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Michael Hanks	Defendant; Indictment for assault
John Wilkinson	Witness
Catharine Wilkinson	Witness
Michael Kelly	Witness
Thomas Welch	Witness
Henry Travis	Witness
William [Kitchie] [Ritchie]	Witness

## King v. James Clark

Name:	Notes:
James Clark	Defendant; Indictment for assault
David Lee	Witness
David Henderson	Witness

# King v. John Baird

Name	Notes
John Baird	Defendant; Indictment for assault
William Smith	Witness
John Brown	Witness
John C[oigtey]	Witness

#### King v. Mary Sullivan

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Name	Notes
Mary Sullivan	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Peter McAleer	Witness
John Corragen	Witness
Hugh Dunn	Witness
Barney Corragen	Witness

# Acts against property only: larceny

# King v. Charles Williams

Name:	Notes:
Charles Williams	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Joseph Longbottom	Witness
Robert McElvey	Witness
William Young	Witness

# Acts against public order or authority: nuisance

# King v. Charles McLean

Name:	Notes:
Charles McLean	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; Found
	guilty on the First Court, and Not Guilty on the
	Second
Edward Lake	Juror
James Gallagher	Juror
Daniel Sullivan	Juror
Silas G. Deforest	Juror
Jacob [Snider]	Juror
Peter Peddy	Juror; Foreman
Samuel Campbell	Juror
Samuel Cobb	Juror
William Herrett	Juror
Christopher Lockhart	Juror
John Hammond	Juror
James Travers	Juror
Asa Blackslee Jr.	Witness for Prosecution
Nathaniel Laskey	Witness for Prosecution
Gilbert Ray	Witness for Prosecution
John Deans	Witness for Prosecution
Ebenezer Herrington	Witness for Prosecution
Archibald McGaghy	Witness for Defendant
John Leet	Witness for Defendant
Henry Nice	Constable; sworn to attend Jury

## **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments**

Name:	Notes:
King v. Benjamin Peel and George Dele[n]	A True Bill; called on Recognizance
King v. Thomas Flemming	A True Bill
King v. Charles Williams	A True Bill
King v. Lewis Moor	A True Bill
King v. James Clarke	A True Bill
King v. Mary Sullivan	No Bill

## 9 December 1824

# **Esquire Justices**

- James Peters
- John M. Wilmot
- Thomas [Heavicide]

# Offences

## Acts against property only: larceny

#### King v. Charles Williams

Name	Notes
Charles Williams	Defendant; arraigned; pleads not guilty; trial
	ordered; found guilty
Isaac Flewelling	Juror; Foreman
Robert Boon	Juror
James Hol[mes]	Juror
Israel Merritt Jr.	Juror
Stinson Patten	Juror
William H. Travis	Juror
James Travis	Juror
John Hammond	Juror
Christopher Lockhart	Juror
William Hewett	Juror
Samuel Cobb	Juror
Samuel Campbell	Juror
Joseph [Loiybottom]	Witness Prosecution
Robert McElvey	Witness Prosecution
William Young	Witness Prosecution
Richard H[owarth]	Witness Prosecution
Peter He[we]ton	Witness Prosecution
Henry Bryant	Witness Prosecution
Frederick Rupert	Constable; sworn to attend Jury

## King v. Lewis Moor

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Name	Notes
Lewis Moor	Defendant; arraigned; pleads not guilty; trial ordered; found guilty
Hugh McPherson	Juror
Edward Lake	Juror
David Sullivan	Juror
[Silus] G. Deforest	Juror
Jacob [Snider]	Juror

Peter Peddy	Juror; Foreman
Samuel Campbell	Juror
Samuel Cobb	Juror
William Hewett	Juror
Christopher Lockhart	Juror
John Hammond	Juror
James Stewart	Witness Prosecution
William Stevens	Witness Prosecution
Matthew Vincent	Witness Prosecution
Daniel Scovil	Witness Defendant
Robert Moore	Witness Defendant
Frederick Rupert	Constable, sworn to attend Jury

# Acts against public order sexual standards: bigamy

## King v. Catherine wife of Joseph Green

Name	Notes
Catherine Green*	Defendant; Indictment for bigamy
Frederick Coster	Witness
Gregory VanHorne	Witness
Margaret M[innie]	Witness
William Scovil	Witness
Noah Disb[urn]	Witness
Jane Mills	Witness
George W. Cleary	Witness

## **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments**

Name:	Notes:
King v. John Baird	A True Bill
King v. Lawrence McMahan, Michael Cox &	A True Bill
others	

## **Recognizances: To find sureties**

Name	Sureties
George Richardson	£10
Joseph Roper	£10
Thomas Carney	£10
Thomas Thomas	£10
William M[ea]dy	£10
William King	£10
William Lucas	£40
George Hammond	£10
William Watson	£10
Robert Agnew	£10
Robert McDougal[d]	£20 himself; John M. Wilmot £20

John McDougald	£20 each John Jerrett and Cornelius Hynes
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#### **10 December 1824**

#### **Esquire Justices**

- John M. Wilmot
- Gregory VanHorneThomas Heaviside

#### **Offences**

-William Turner brought into court; affidavits read from Benjamin Morse, John Ha[rr]es and Levi Ring, defendant to find sureties for his good behaviour for three months

#### Acts against property only: larceny

#### Kings v. George Hilts

Name	Notes
George Hilts	Defendant; Indictment for Larceny; A True Bill, plead not guilty; trial ordered
Thomas Welsh	Witness
Thomas Campbell	Witness

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

### King v. John Baird

King v. John Dan a	
Name	Notes
John Baird	Defendant; indicted for assault; arraigned and pleads not guilty; enters into recognizance
	himself £20
William Cross	Surety £10
William Austin	Surety £10

#### King v. James Clarke

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Name	Notes
James Clarke	Defendant; indicted for assault; arraigned; pleads
	not guilty; recognizance £20
Edward Lane	Surety £10
James F. Lily	Surety £10

#### King v. Mary Sullivan

Name	Notes
Mary Sullivan	Defendant; indicted for assault; found not guilty
Edward Lake	Juror

James Gallagher	Juror
Silas G. Deforest	Juror
Jacob Snider	Juror
Christopher Lockhart	Juror
John Hammond	Juror
Peter Peddy	Juror; Foreman
Samuel Campbell	Juror
Samuel Cobb	Juror
William Hewett	Juror
William H. Travis	Juror
James Travis	Juror
William F[earebay]	Witness Prosecution
Robert Gibson	Witness Prosecution
Robert McElvey	Witness Prosecution
Samuel Ayeson	Witness Defendant
John Jerrett	Witness Defendant
Francis Dwyer	Witness Defendant
Timothy Casey	Witness Defendant
John Co[unard]	Constable; sworn to attend Jury

## King v. Robert McCalvey, John McCarthur, Robert Gibson, John McGowan, Benjamin Herrington

Name	Notes
Robert McCalvey	Defendant; indicted for assault; found guilty
John McCarthur	Defendant; indicted for assault; found guilty
Robert Gibson	Defendant; indicted for assault; found guilty
John McGowan	Defendant; indicted for assault; found guilty
Benjamin Herrington	Defendant; indicted for assault; found guilty
Isaac Flewelling	Juror; Foreman
Robert Boon	Juror
William Bean	Juror
James Holms	Juror
Israel Merritt Jr.	Juror
Stinson Patten	Juror
Daniel Sullivan	Juror
Hugh McPherson	Juror
Lewis [Cand]	Juror
John Moore	Juror
James Campbell	Juror
Mr. Kinnear	Opens and closes
Francis Dwyer	Witness
Samuel Ayeson	Witness
Mary Sullivan	Witness
Mary Bennett	Witness
William Fearebay	Witness
Joseph McPherson	Witness
Mr. Peters	closes

Frederick Rubert	Constable sworn to attend Jury
Court adjourns.	

## 11 December 1824

## **Esquire Justices**

- Charles Simonds
- Hugh Johnston
- John M. Wilmot

#### **Offences**

#### Acts against property only: larceny

#### King v. Lewis Moor

Name	Notes
Lewis Moor	Defendant; brought to the bar for judgement; to
	be confined in the Common Jail for three weeks

#### King v. Charles Williams

Name	Notes
Charles Williams	Defendant; brought to the bar for judgement; to be whipped twenty lashes on the back and then
	be discharged

#### Kina v. Georae Hilts

Name	Notes
George Hilts	Defendant; On motion of the Defendant being
	out on recognizance, recognizance respited till
	March Sessions

#### **Court Orders**

 School House for the Parish of Lancaster to be built on site recommended by Committee near Mr. La[rmeuer]'s Mills; improper removal of School House from its former situation

#### **Appointments**

Name	Notes
Joshua Bunting	Overseer of Fisheries
Robert [W.] Nowlan	Overseer of Fisheries
William Fearebay	Overseer of Fisheries

Mr. Ha[seur]	Committee to report on the Grain Bounty
Mr. Ralph	Certificates
M. Jarvis	
Mr. VanHorne	Committee to examine the accounts handed in by
Mr. Johnston	the persons appointed to take the Census in the
Mr. Donaldson	City and County of Saint John
Mr. Scovil	Committee for the Poor House for the ensuing
Mr. Ralph	quarter
M. Jarvis	
[Alderman] Harding	
Mr. Heaviside	Committee to examine the accounts not adjusted
Mr. Simonds	by the former Committee [of accounts] as stated in their report
Mr. Heaviside	Committee to report a plan for the better
Mr. VanHorne	[dietary], maintaining and supporting the Poor of
Mr. Simonds	the Parish of Saint John etc.
Mr. Millidge	Committee to prepare a petition to the
Mr. Wilmot	Legislature of the Province praying for [pr]
	assistance to defray the expenses of the transient
	poor in the City and County of Saint John the last
	year
Mr. Donaldson	Committee to prepare a petition to have the fines
Mr. Simonds	imposed upon Grand and Petit Jurors
	appropriated to the County funds
Mr. Donaldson	Appointed to prepare a petition to the Legislature
	to authorize the Session to exact a larger fine
	than by the present Laws is permitted of Tavern
	Keepers in the County of Saint John

## **School Certificates**

Name: teachers	Parish	Notes
Dennis Morris	Lancaster- Musquito Cove	Submitted by Jesse Quinton and
		Isaac Clarke Trustees and
		Directors of Schools
John Peterson	Portland- Portland Point	Submitted by Trustees of
		Schools for Parish of Portland,
		Charles Si[mmds] [Simonds?]
		and John Godard; money raised
		by inhabitants
Waiseborough [Wausbrough]	Portland	Submitted by Trustee of Schools
Bloxham		Robert Paine; money paid for
		year

Certificate to be submitted for provincial allowance.

#### Accounts

To be paid

Name	Services
Robert W. Nowlan	Coal procured for Jail

Report of the Committee of accounts

Name	Notes
Thomas Sancton Esq.	Credit for old balance
C. [S.] Peters Esq.	account
A. McLean Esq.	Account; coroner
James C. F. Bremner	Account; cornerCommittee thinks the sum charged for the Inquest on the bodies of James Atherson and James St[ieves] at Harbour by Chance are high and with the case of Stephen Paul and Indian Boy shot at Mill Creek and [Spence] Huston at Loch Lomond
Thomas Sancton Esq.	Account; jail wall
Mr. McBritta[onie]	interest paid to bank on money lifted to pay demand and payments from St. Martin's to account
Messrs. Quintin and Menzies	Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Lancaster March 1823 to March 1824; account accompanied by orders for assessment
William Carman Esq.	poor accounts of Lancaster under charge of have been handed to them, so no report is made
Mr. Payne	sundry documents regarding the Poor accounts in the Parish of Portland in his charge of needs further explanation
Mr. James Simonds	accounts from for Parish of Portland Poor prior to March 1823
Messrs. Nevers and Travis	accounts for from March 1828 to March 1824 cannot be examined save in conjunction with Messrs. Godard and Payne's accounts
Mr. Nutting	Assess Book with the a/c and Delinquent list to him respecting the Poor for the year ending March 1824, amount of sum assessed
Mr. Betts	paid
Mr. Peters	fees
Dr. Cook	account for medicine, attendance in case of Carrol, Justices Ward & Johnston spoke to Doctor Cook to attend this patient, then laying in a house in Cooper's Ally, returned to the Poor House where he died
Mr. Betts	Poor House Book for March 1828 to March 20th 1824, balance due, Marine Hospital, amount from Portland Parish
L. Donaldson and G. VanHorne	Report submitted by
Jehiel Parleton	Fines and fees (amounts shown)
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Thomas Sancton	Fines and fees (amounts shown)
Christopher Lockhart	Fines and fees (amounts shown)
Mr. Sancton	Findes and fees (amounts shown); paid

<sup>-</sup> licence money received; charges various sums ordered by the Sessions; no accounts received from the Poor House building Committee; request for documents regarding the Parish of Portland Poor accounts; no assessments made on the Parishes of Lancaster, Portland, St. Martins for the jail wall so unable to report on those matters; papers regarding the Carleton Poor matters from March 1823 to March 1824 but no old accounts requested furnished; petition forwarded fines imposed on Grand and Petit Jury men and Constables be paid over to County funds; resolved the report be received

#### **Court Adjourns**

### 25 January 1825

## **Esquire Justices**

- Mr. Wilmot
- Mr. Disbrow
- Mr. VanHorne
- Mr. Carman
- Mr. Donaldson
- Mr. Jarvis
- Mr. Heaviside
- Mr. Millidge

#### **Court Orders**

- Report of the Committee to report on the accounts of census takers:
  - o Submitted by Mr. Donaldson and Mr. VanHorne
  - Accounts include: Joshua Bunting (the City), William Chicus (District of Portland), Isaac Bradshaw (Parish of Saint Martins), John Lodge (2<sup>nd</sup> District Parish of Portland), John Harding (Parish of Lancaster)
- Petition to be presented to the Legislature to tax the Inhabitants of the City and County of Saint John for the New Court House
- Report of the Committee appointed to examine and report on the Transient Poor accounts, completed; petition to be sent to legislature for payment
- Report of the Committee appointed to examine Grain Bounty certificates- G. Hazen and Ralph M. Jarvis; includes oats, buckwheat, wheat, barley; ordered transmitted to Secretary of the Province for amount
- The Committee to examine and report on the Public accounts report-Thomas Heaviside and Charles Simonds, need more time to arrange accounts; accounts rendered for finishing the Building; J. O. Betts' account relating the Poor House includes the debtors side), H. Johnston's & Co., payments by Mr. Nutting, [J. M.] Wilm ot & Co.; Hugh Johston & Co. accounts; Parish of Portland Mr. Payne's accounts for 1824, Mr. Chucus, Collector; Mr. Godard's accounts as Overseer of the Poor for the Parish of Portland for the year 1822 and 1823; accounts of J.C.

Waterbery and Ptolemy Lumbert Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Portland for the support of transient poor from 26 March to the 31st December 1824

#### **Accounts**

- Court House monies collected to go to building committee
- ordered report be received and a petition presented to the Legislature for aid to the Parish of Portland to discharge the sums expended in support of the Transient Poor in 1823 and 1824; ordered money due Mr. Johnston be paid by James O Betts the Overseer of the Poor for the City

#### **Applicants for Grain bounties for 1822 & 1823**

Name	Notes
John McConnel	1822 & 1823
John Brown	1823
Thomas Brown	1823
William Brown	1823
William Brown Jr.	1823
Daniel Brown	1823
David Melvin	1823
William Sharp	1823
Elisha Mosher	1823
William Macomber	1823
Dugal McDugal	1823

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 9 February 1825

### **Special Sessions**

## **Esquire Justices**

- Alderman Vanhorne
- Mr. Justice Ward
- Mr. Justice Heaviside
- Mr. Justice Johnston

#### **Court Orders**

 Report of the committee appointed to examine and report on the public accounts; presented by Charles Simonds Esq. (absent) and Thomas Heaviside: accounts of the Overseers of the Poor for Parish of Portland for 1823, and transient poor; Robert Payne (Overseer of the Poor), vouchers and accounts produced by; petition be presented to the House of Assembly

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 15 March 1825

## **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Gregory VanHorneThomas Millidge

#### **Constables Sworn**

Name	Notes	
Joshua Bunting	High Constable	
Rowland Bunting		
William Fearebay		
Lawrence Stivers		
Ebenezer Herrington		
Thomas Griffiths		
John Graves		
John McArthur		
Henry Pratt	dead	
Frederick Rupert		
William Ellison		
John Dowd		
Thomas Cunnard		
Henry Nice		
Edward Lane		
Benjamin Herrington		
Michael Brothers		
Robert McElvey		
John Brown Jr.		
Edward Mooher		
William McComber		
John Harding		
Thomas Clarke		
George McDonald		
William Cl[uews]		
John Furlong		

## **Grand Jury Sworn**

Name	Notes	
Robert W. Crookshank	Foreman	
Thomas Barlow		
Benjamin L. Peters		
James [T.] Hanford		
Isaac L. Bedell		
James Kirk		

Robert [R]eankin	
Stephen Wiggins	
Daniel Scott	
William Eagles	
Charles Hazen	
Thomas Raymond	
Thomas Nisbet	
Robert Godfrey	
Robert Summers	
John [V.] Thurgan	
William Street	
John McClure	
Samuel Hallet	
William Durant	
John [J.] Roberts	
Charles Herring	
Thomas L. Nicholson	
John Brown Jr.	
Stephen Smith	
Mayor charges lung Ehonozor Harrington Constable	. An extend to m.

Mayor charges Jury; Ebenezer Herrington Constable to attend Jury

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 16 March 1825

## **Esquire Justices**

- John WardGeorge Hazen
- Noah Disbrow

## **Court Adjourns**

## 17 March 1825

## **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Gregory VanHorne
- Thomas Heaviside

## Offences

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

## King v. Ke[nne]th Hawes

Name	Notes
Ke[nne]th Hawes	Defendant; Indicted for Assault
Craven Longstroth	Witness
James Rich	Witness

## Acts against property only: larceny

## King v. George Hilts

Name	Notes
George Hilts	Defendant; found not guilty
John Jones	Juror; Foreman
Alexander Yeates	Juror
Robert Robertson	Juror
John Dooley	Juror
Robert Simpson	Juror
Isaac Gerow	Juror
Peter Snider	Juror
William H. Travis	Juror
William Hutchinson	Juror
John Thain	Juror
William Johnston	Juror
William Lawton	Juror
Thomas Welch	Witness Prosecution
Thomas Campbell	Witness Prosecution
Ruth Hilpert	Witness Defendant
John G. Hilpert	Witness Defendant
William Cl[uens]	Witness Defendant
William Elligan	Witness Defendant
John Graves	Witness Defendant
Mr. Parker	For the Prosecution
Mr. Peters Jr.	For the Defendant
Robert McAlvey	Constable; sworn to attend Jury

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

## King v. Thomas Flemming

Name	Notes
Thomas Flemming	Defendant; found guilty
William Breeze	Juror; Foreman
Thomas Hay	Juror
Thomas Mackin	Juror

James Bustin	Juror
Philip Schureman	Juror
William George	Juror
James Payne	Juror
Isaac Gerow	Juror
Robert Simpson	Juror
John Dooley	Juror
Robert Robertson	Juror
Alexander Yeates	Juror
Rebecca Flemming	Witness Prosecution
Hugh O Donnell	Witness Prosecution

## **Court Adjourns**

## 18 March 1825

## **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Thomas Harding
- Gregory VanHorne

## Offence

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. Thomas Robson

Name	Notes
Thomas Robson	Defendant; indicted for assault; arraigned and
	pleads not guilty; enters into recognizance for
	£20
James Robinson	Witness
Richard Lawrence	Witness
William Burtis	Witness
David T. Marshall	Surety; £10
Isaac Gerow	Surety; £10

A True Bill

### King v. Timothy Clarke

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Name	Notes
Timothy Clarke	Defendant; Indicted for assault
William Fitzimons	Witness
Per[e]y M. Benjamin	Witness
Samuel G. Hamilton	Witness
John C. McKo[n]e	Witness

#### A True Bill

Kings v. Hugh Dow, Nancy Dow, Barney Gallagher, Neil McCannon, James Holder

Name	Notes
Hugh Dow	Defendant; Indicted for assault; arraigned and
	plead not guilty enter into recognizance £20;
	surety for James Holder £10
Nancy Dow	Defendant; Indicted for assault; surety for Nancy
	Dow £10
Barney Gallagher	Defendant; Indicted for assault; arraigned and
	plead not guilty enter into recognizance £20
Neil McCannon	Defendant; Indicted for assault
James Holder	Defendant; Indicted for assault; arraigned and
	plead not guilty enter into recognizance £20;
	surety for James Holder £10
Peter McAther	Witness
John Sinclair	Witness
William Reid	Witness
Patrick [Ru]skee	Witness
John Hughes	Surety for Barney Gallagher and Hugh Dow £10
	each
Hugh Cromley	Surety for Barney Gallagher £10
David Monro	Surety for Hugh Dow and Nancy Dow £10 each
James Evans	Surety for James Holder £10

A True Bill

## King v. Kenith Hawes

Name	Notes
Kenith Hawes	Defendant; Indicted for Assault

## **Grand Jury Presentments**

Name	Notes
Barney Gallagher	For keeping a public house or tavern without
	licence

## **Court Adjourns**

## 19 March 1825

## **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Gregory VanHorne
- Hugh Johnston

### **Offences**

# Acts causing harm to a person: assault

## King v. Thomas Flemming

Name	Notes
Thomas Flemming	Defendant; sentenced to be confined in the Jail of the City and County for ten days and then be
	discharged

#### King v. Kenith Hawes

Name	Notes
Kenith Hawes	Defendant; Indicted for Assault; arraigned and pleads not guilty; enters into recognizance for £20
Ebenezer Herrington	Surety £10
William [Owens]	Surety £10

## King v. Timothy Clarke

Name	Notes
Timothy Clarke	Defendant; arraigned and pleads not guilty;
	enters into recognizance for £20
Thomas Hay	Surety £10

## **Grand Jury Presentments**

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Name	Notes	Bills
King v. Benjamin Morse	Indictment for nuisance	A True Bill
King v. John McWilliams	Indictment for nuisance	A True Bill
King v. John Owens	Indictment for nuisance	A True Bill
King v. Samuel Nevers Jr.	Indictment for nuisance	A True Bill

## Acts against public order or authority: nuisance

#### King v. Benjamin Morse

Name	Notes
Benjamin Morse	Defendant; indicted for nuisance; arraigned and
	pleads guilty; enters into recognizance for £20
Alexander Nevers	Surety £20

#### Kina v. John McWilliams

King v. John McWilliams	
Name	Notes
John McWilliams	Defendant; indicted for nuisance; arraigned and pleads guilty; enters into recognizance for £20
John Moore	Surety £10
John Graves	Surety £10

#### King v. John Owens

Name	Notes
John Owens	Defendant; indicted for nuisance; arraigned and
	pleads guilty; enters into recognizance for £20
Alexander Nevers	Surety £20

#### King v. Samuel Nevers and Alexander Nevers

Name	Notes
Samuel Nevers	Defendant; indicted for nuisance; arraigned and
	pleads guilty; enters into recognizance for £20
Alexander Nevers	Defendant; indicted for nuisance; arraigned and
	pleads guilty; enters into recognizance for £20
John Owens	Surety £20

George Turnbull	Surety £10

#### **Grand Jury Presentments**

- Road in Portland near Mr. Black's Timber Pond is too narrow for sleighs or carriages to pass; recommend widening and [hand]rail
- Vacant lot on the North side of Mr. Gaynor's House at York Point is used as a place to deposit filth; injury of the health of inhabitants
- Nelson Street from Lawerences shop to Mr. Waterberg's continues to be filled up
- The end of the North Market wharf has been a great nuisance; on Peter's Wharf there are two
  open places on the side walk which are dangerous to persons passing at night
- Necessary to have a railway put up on the West side of St. John Street at Nichols' and Disbrow's
  Wharf and that the open space of Co[x]etter's lot together with a large hole in the street and
  Jarvis's property are very dangerous traps for person passing in the night
- A part of the rock near Hughson's corner of Queen and Prince William St. should be reduced, so as to be easier for foot passengers and that a hand rail should be put up at the steep part to prevent accidents
- The streets at the termination of South of Germain Street and west end of Britain Street near Younghusband's corner should be made wider
- well covering in Germain Street near Braggs
- slaughter houses not kept in good state; suggest moving them; public health
- North and South Market wharves muddy and damaging goods; suggest covering with square timber
- Heap of dirt accumulating in Market Square
- Former recommendation about the Poor [House] has not been attended to; gutters, porch, kitchen chimney

### **Court Orders**

- Report from the Committee of the Poor House with purpose to prepare a plan for the better regulating the dieting and supporting generally of the poor of the City of Saint John, and keeping accounts; mentions:
  - feeding the poor (victualing); number of persons fed at the Poor House and periods of time; expenditure on provisions and clothing and fuel; recommendation that the offices

of Overseer of the Poor and the Poors' House keeper be distinct; Parish Poor and Transient Poor; account to be given every 13 weeks by Poors' Master accountable for deficiencies; Diet Table; special dietary allowances; allowance for contingent expenses; auditing of accounts; account of expenses to be recorded in a book; recommend all monies collected in support of the poor be paid into the Bank of New Brunswick; approved by the Parish Officers of the City of Saint John: Ezekiel Barlow, James Potter, Thomas Heaviside, Thomas Lockey

- Overseers of the Poor for the City of Saint recommend the sum of one thousand four hundred pounds will be requisite for the support of the poor for the following years, ordered to be assessed
- Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Portland recommend that the sum of four hundred and ten pounds will be requisite for the support of the Poor for the ensuing year, ordered assessed
- Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Lancaster recommend that the sum of forty five pound be requisite for the support of the Poor for the ensuing year, ordered assessed
- Petition from W. T. Peters Admr. [Administrator?] or Doctor Head praying to have sum due the deceased from the Overseers of the Poor in the Parish of Portland; balance due Mr. Payne
- Report from a committee on accounts, presenting sums and balances to be paid, taxes etc., made by Laughlan Donaldson
  - Mentioned: Alexander McLeod Esq., Mr. Donaldson, Mr. Betts, the Poorhouse, Mr. Nutting
- The Late assessor for the Parish of Portland be notified of the order of December Session respecting proceeding to recover the taxes of the residents in that Parish
- The Assessors of the City be directed to proceed for the recovery of assessments against nonresidents for the last year.

#### Treasurer to pay

Name	Notes
Sheriff	Usual allowance
Clerk	Usual allowance

#### **Appointments**

Name	Notes
Mr. Cook	Physician for the Poor House
William Till	Keeper of the Poor Houses
Josiah Wetmore	Trustee of Schools
Samuel Strange	Trustee of Schools
John Clarke	Trustee of Schools
John Wilmot, James Peters, Laughlan Donaldson	committee to examine the public accounts
Lewis Carvell	Surveyor of Lumber
Hugh H. Carvell	Surveyor of Lumber
Shubael Stevens	Surveyor of Lumber
Ptolemy Lumbert	Surveyor of Lumber
John Travis	Surveyor of Lumber
Thomas McMackin	Surveyor of Lumber
James Payne	Surveyor of Lumber

John Payne	Surveyor of Lumber
Robert Payne	Surveyor of Lumber
Josiah Adams	Surveyor of Lumber
John Cunnard	Surveyor of Lumber
Jeremiah Gove	Surveyor of Lumber
John Vincent	Surveyor of Lumber
Samuel Dalton	Surveyor of Lumber
William H. Travis	Surveyor of Lumber
George Clarke	Surveyor of Lumber
Ephraim Sentell	Surveyor of Lumber

## **Appointed Parish Officers for 1825**

Parish of Portland

Office	Names
Overseers of the Poor	John Waterbery
	Henry Gilbert
	Robert W. Crookshank Jr.
Assessors	John C. Waterbery
	Henry Gilbert
	Robert W. Crookshank Jr.
Fence Viewers	William Ackerly
	Ephraim Sentell
	Thomas Bea[n]
	James McGregor
Town Clerk	Daniel Smith
Constables	Samuel Robinson
	Michael Pharlan
	Thomas Cunnard
	William Cl[ucus]
	James Stephenson
	Robert Long
	John Furlong
Collector of Taxes	Thomas McMackin
	Richard Stephenson
	James Rowan
	John Robinson
Hogreeves	James Rowan
	Thomas Campbell
	William Ellison
	Thomas Fitzpatrick
Trustees of Schools	Robert W. Crookshank Jr.
	Robert Payne
Inspector of Weights and Measures	Daniel Smith

#### Parish of Lancaster

Office	Names
Assessors & Overseers of the Poor	Isaac Clarke
	Jesse Quinton
	Archibald Menzies
Trustees of Schools	G.C. Carman
	Isaac Clarke
	Jesse Quinton
Pound Keepers	William Tilton
	John Cochran
Constables	Thomas Clarke
	Thomas Gray
	Joseph Boggs
Hog reeves	Thomas Harding
	Edward Patchell
	John [Pesey]
Collectors	John Harding
	Justus E. Lawrence
Fence Viewers	William Tilton
	Jesse Quinton
Town Clerk & Overseer of Fishery	John Cochran

### Parish of Saint Martins

Office	Names
Trustees of Schools	James Moran
	Joseph Brown
	Isaac Bradshaw
Overseer of the Poor	Ebenezer Vaughan
	William Bradshaw Sr.
Assessors of Taxes	Stephen Mosher
	Ebenezer Vaughan
	David Vaughan
Collector of Taxes	Joseph Brown
Constables	Hezekiah DeLong
	Simon Vaughan
Pound Keeper	Daniel Vaughan
Fence Viewers	Daniel Brown
	Philip Black
Parish Clerk	Henry [L.] Powers

#### City of Saint John

Office	Names
Overseers of the Poor	Ezekiel Barlow
	James Potter
	Thomas Heaviside
	Thomas Lockey

Trustees of Schools	Josiah Wetmore
	Samuel Strange
	John Clarke

#### **Tavern Licences**

Name:	Sureties:
James Gallagher (Portland)	- Thomas Bates
	William Waters
Thomas Long (Locklowand Road)	<ul> <li>Charles Raymund</li> </ul>
	Thomas McMackin
William [P]arks (Portland)	Andrew McKenzie
	James Payne
John McWilliams	<ul> <li>William Moore</li> </ul>
	Josiah Adams
George McDonald	<ul> <li>Jesse Quinton</li> </ul>
	John Harding
John Harding	<ul> <li>Jesse Quinton</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>George McDonald</li> </ul>
Griffith Morrison	<ul> <li>William Clucas</li> </ul>
	John Ha[w]es
John Bradley	<ul> <li>John Moore</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>James Ferriter</li> </ul>
John Moore	<ul> <li>John Bradley</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>James Ferriter</li> </ul>
James Gerriter	<ul> <li>Michael Kelly</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Frederick Rupert</li> </ul>
John Wilkinson	<ul> <li>James O'Brien</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Michael Kelly</li> </ul>
David Vaughan	<ul> <li>Robert Robertson</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Philip Schureman</li> </ul>
William Johnson	<ul> <li>John Moore</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Thomas Cunnard</li> </ul>
William McEwan	<ul> <li>James Munro</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Jacob Snider</li> </ul>
Timothy Drisell	<ul> <li>James Ferriter</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>George Hewitt</li> </ul>
Corbyn M. Whooten	<ul> <li>Daniel Smith</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Israel Merritt</li> </ul>
Gabriel Strang[e]	<ul> <li>Philip Shureman</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Daniel Smith</li> </ul>
Daniel Smith	<ul> <li>Corbyn M. Whooten</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Israel Merritt Jr.</li> </ul>
Israel Merritt Jr.	<ul> <li>Corbyn M. Whooten</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Daniel Smith</li> </ul>
Barnes Travis	<ul> <li>Ptolemy Lumbert</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Daniel Smith</li> </ul>
John [Jonnis]	<ul> <li>Joshua Bunting</li> </ul>

	– Lewis Carvell
John Godard	<ul> <li>John Jordan</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>George [Au]derson</li> </ul>
Allen McLean Jr.	<ul> <li>John Brown Jr.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Thomas McMackin</li> </ul>
Ebenezer Bradshaw	<ul> <li>David Vaughan</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Robert Robertson</li> </ul>
James Rudlow	<ul> <li>Hugh McGuilay</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Joseph Davidson</li> </ul>
James Moraw	<ul> <li>Joshua Bunting</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Isaac Gerow</li> </ul>
John McDugald	<ul> <li>David Bradley</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>James Ferriter</li> </ul>
William Richards	<ul> <li>William Chiens</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>James Bustin</li> </ul>
John Cunnard	<ul> <li>John Dalton</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>John Vincent</li> </ul>
George Smith	<ul> <li>Peter Sunder</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Johm Moore</li> </ul>

#### **Court Adjourns**

# 7 June 1825

# **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- John M. Wilmot
- Gregory Vanhorne

## **Constables Sworn**

Names:	Notes:
Joshua Bunting	High Constable, AP
Laurence Stivers	AP
William Fearebay	
Robert McElvey	AP
Robert W. Nowlan	AP
John McArthur	AP; Sworn to attend Jury
Rowland Bunting	AP
Joseph McPherson	AP
Samuel Honer	
James White	Thomas Wheeton
Frederick Rupert	AP
Thomas C[raw]	
Benjamin Herrington	AP
William Clucas	AP

Robert Long	
Ebenezer Herrington	AP
James Stevenson	
John Claybourne	
Charles Vail	AP
James Clarke	AP
Hezekial Delong	
Simon Vaughan	
Thomas Clarke	
Thomas Gray	
Joseph Boggs	AP
Samuel Robinson	
Michael Pharlan	
Thomas Cunnard	
James Stephenson	
John Furlong	AP

## **Grand Jury Sworn**

Names:	Notes:
James Ewing	Foreman, AP
William Jarvis	AP
William G. Cod	
W. E. Nelson Deneber	AP
Henry Chubb	AP
George Matthew Jr.	AP
Lewis Burns	AP
John Kerr	AP
Thomas L. Nicholson	AP
Ambrose S. Perkins	AP
Benjamin F. Marsh	AP
James McWatt	AP
Daniel Scovil	
Robert Summers	
James Robertson	
John Woodward	
Robert Sterling	
William Gilbert	
Hazen W. Batsford	
Isaaz Ketchum	AP
George Whittaker	AP
Thomas Canby	AP
William P. Scott	
John Hammond	

#### **Offences**

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

#### King v. Mary Moore

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Name:	Notes:
Mary Moore	Defendant; Indictment for Assault
Elizabeth Moore	Witness
Solomon Morse	Witness
John Way	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

## King v. Thomas Patchell

Name:	Notes:
Thomas Patchell	Defendant; Indictment for Assault
Samuel Bulyea	Witness
Samuel Strange	Witness
George Splane	Witness
Thomas Stevenson	Witness
Jonathon Wym	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

## King v. William Madden

Name:	Notes:
William Madden	Defendant; Indictment for assault
John Hastings	Witness
Solomon Bri[es]	Witness
John Gray	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

## Acts against property only: larceny

### King v. Pierre Powers

Name:	Notes:
Pierre Powers	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
James Wood	Witness
Sylvester Wood	Witness
David Doke	Witness
John Roberts	Witness
Benjamin Herrington	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

## **Court Adjourns**

## 8 June 1825

## **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Gregory Vanhorne
- John Jordan

#### **Offences**

#### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. John Campbell

King V. John Campbell	
Name:	Notes:
John Campbell	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pleads not
	guilty; Enters into recognizance
Harriett Pine	Witness
James Sloan	Witness
Thomas Young	Witness
Sarah Waterson	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

#### King v. Elizabeth Ingles

Name:	Notes:
Elizabeth Ingles	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Elizabeth Lonory	Witness
Mary Adams	Witness
John Parker	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

### King v. Edward Blackwell

Name:	Notes:
Edward Blackwell	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pleads guilty
William Dobi[e]	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

#### King v. Elizabeth Moore and Solomon Moore

Name:	Notes:
Elizabeth Moore	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Solomon Moore	Defendant; Indicment for assault
Mary Moore	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

## King v. Samuel Bulyea

Name:	Notes:
Samuel Bulyea	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Thomas Patchell	Witness
Thomas Stephenson	Witness
George Splane	Witness

Mary Moran	Witness
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Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

#### King v. Peter Sinclair

Name:	Notes:
Peter Sinclair	Defendant; Indicmtent for assault
George Donald	Witness
John M. Wilmot Esq.	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

#### King v. Jerry Leonard

Name:	Notes:
Jerry Leonard	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Jane McFrederick	Witness
Thomas Thomson	Witness
Andrew Kirkpatrick	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

## King v. John Pearson and James [Cawte]

Name:	Notes:
John Pearson	Defendant; Indictment for assault
James [Cawte]	Defendant; Indicment for assault
William Fearebay	Witness
William Sweeny	Witness
William Mooney	Witness
Noah Disbrow Esq.	Witness

## King v. John Rollston and Edward Gibson

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Name:	Notes:
John Rollson	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Edward Gibson	Defendant; Indictment for assault
John Roberts	Witness
David Roberts	Witness
William Dunham	Witness

## Acts against property only: larceny

#### King v. John Sexton

Name:	Notes:
John Sexton	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Pleads not
	guilty; Found guilty
Hiram Smith	Witness
Robert W. Nowlan	Witness
Noah Disbrow Esq.	Witness
John Hartt	Juror
Samuel Kinsman	Juror
James Ballandine	Juror
James K. McKay	Juror

John [Cunning]	Juror
William Bell	Juror
John Knowlin	Juror; Foreman
John McKenzie	Juror
Solomon Brice	Juror
Thomas Cosgrove	Juror
Thomas Powers	Juror
David Leonard	Juror
Alexander McDonald	[Witness for prisoner?]

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

## King v. Ellen Wilson

Name:	Notes:
Ellen Wilson	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Pleads not
	guilty
Ellen O'Neal	Witness
John Carroll	Witness
Sarah Ruff	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

#### King v. Ellen Wilson

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Name:	Notes:
Ellen Wilson	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Pleads not
	guilty
Sarah Ruff	Witness
John Carroll	Witness
Ellen O'Neal	Witness
John McArthur	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

## King v. Pierre Powers

Name:	Notes:
Pierre Powers	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Pleads not guilty; Found guilty
Henry Golding	Juror
Nugent Creighton	Juror
Richard Calvert	Juror
James [Buist]	Juror; Foreman
Robert Clarke	Juror
Joseph Dailey	Juror
Joseph Hopley	Juror
Patrick Murphy	Juror
David Leonard	Juror
Thomas Powers	Juror
Benjamin Thompson	Juror
Thomas Cosgrove	Juror
James Wood	Witness for prosecution

Sylvester Wood	Witness for prosecution
David Doke	Witness for prosecution
John Roberts	Witness for prosecution

#### **Court Adjourns**

## 9 June 1825

## **Esquire Justices**

- George Hazen
- Noah Disbrow
- Gregory VanHorne

#### **Offences**

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. Thomas Robson

Name	Notes
Thomas Robson	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Retracts not-
	guilty plea and pleads guilty

King v. John S. Miller

Name	Notes
John S. Miller	Defendant; Indictment for assault; arraigned and
	pleads not guilty; enters into recognizance
	himself in £20
John McNaughton	Witness
Peter Lawson	Surety £10
Robert Clarke	Surety £10

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

King v. John Pearson and James [Cawte]

Name	Notes
John Pearson	Defendant; Indictment for assault; discharged
James [Cawte]	Defendant; Indictment for assault; discharged
William Fearebay	Witness
William Hale	Witness
William Mooney	Witness
William Sweeny	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

## Kina v. Kenith Hawes

King v. Kenith Huwes	
Name	Notes
Kenith Hawes	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pleads not
	guilty; Found guilty
Henry Gault	Juror

Henry Golding	Juror
Nugent Creighton	Juror
Richard Calvert	Juror
James Buist	Juror; Foreman
Joseph Dailey	Juror
Joseph Hopley	Juror
David Leonard	Juror
Thomas Powers	Juror
Benjamin Thompson	Juror
Thomas Cosgrove	Juror
Solomon Brice	Juror
Craven Longstroth	Witness for prosecution
Hannah Thomas	Witness for prosecution
Christiana Thomas	Witness for prosecution
William Melville	Witness for defendant
Nathan Foster	Witness for defendant
Ebenezer Herrington	Witness for defendant

#### King v. John Hastings, Solomon Brice and John Gray

Name:	Notes:
John Hastings	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Solomon Brice	Defendant; Indictment for assault
John Gray	Defendant; Indictment for assault
William Madden	Witness
Robert Gibson	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

### **Court Orders**

#### **Grand Jury Presentments:**

- Thomas McWilliams presented for keeping a disorderly house

## **Court Adjourned**

# 10 June 1825

## **Esquire Justices**

- Gregory Vanhorne
- James Peters
- Thomas Heaviside

#### **Offences**

 $Acts\ contrary\ to\ regulatory\ provisions:\ act\ involving\ behavior\ that\ is\ regulated\ or\ prohibited\ on\ moral\ or\ ethical\ ground:\ Disorderly\ house$ 

#### King v. Thomas McWilliams

Name:	Notes:
Thomas McWilliams	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house
William Hale	Witness
William Avery	Witness
William Fearebay	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

## Acts against property only: larcey

#### King v. Ellen Wilson

Name:	Notes:
Ellen Wilson	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Found Guilty
	in two Indictments
William Scammell	Juror [Foreman]
Henry Gault	Juror
Henry Golding	Juror
Nugent Creighton	Juror
Richard Calvert	Juror
Robert Clarke	Juror
Joseph Dailey	Juror
Joseph Hopley	Juror
Patrick Murphy	Juror
Thomas [Percey]	Juror
Benjamin Thompson	Juror
John McKenzie	Juror
Ellen O'Neal	Witness for Prosecution
John Carroll	Witness for Prosecution
Sarah Ruff	Witness for Prosection
Ebenezer Herrington	Sworn to atten jury

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

## King v. Robert Wilcox, Jane Wilcox, and Jane McCarter

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Name:	Notes:
Robert Wilcox	Defendant; indictment of assault
Jane Wilcox	Defendant; indictment of assault
Jane McCarter	Defendant; indictment of assault
Alexander McCoy	Witness
Hugh Cromly	Witness
Thomas McGrath	Withess

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

## 11 June 1825

## **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Gregory Vanhorne
- Clowes Carman

#### **Offences:**

## Acts against property only: larceny

## King v. Pierre Powers

Name:	Notes:
Pierre Powers	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Found Guilty;
	is sentenced to be publicly whipped thirty-nine
	lashes, and is then discharged

## King v. John Sexton

Name:	Notes:
John Sexton	Defendant; Indcitment for larceny; Found Guilty;
	is sentenced to be publicly whipped thirty-nine
	lashes, and is then discharged

## King v. Ellen Wilson

Name:	Notes:
Ellen Wilson	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Found Guilty;
	is sentenced to be privately whipped thirty-nine
	lashes and to be imprisoned for one week and
	then to be discharged

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

#### King v. Isaac Flewelling

Name:	Notes:
Isaac Flewelling	Defendant; Indictment for assault
William Erwing	Witness
Josiah Adams	Witness

# Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

#### King v. Edward Blackwell

Name:	Notes:
Edward Blackwell	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found Guilty; sentenced to pay a fine of 20 shillings and be discharged

#### King v. Alexander McCoy

Name:	Notes:
Alexander McCoy	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Margaret McArthur	Witness
Robert Wilcox	Witness
Jane McArthur	Witness
[Ju]? Ellis	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

#### King v. Kenith Hawes

Name:	Notes:
Kenith Hawes	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found Guilty;
	is sentenced to pay a fine of £5 and be discharged

#### King v. Thomas Robson

Name:	Notes:
Thomas Robson	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pled Guilty;
	sentenced to pay a fine of 40 shillings and be
	discharged

 $Acts \ contrary \ to \ regulatory \ provisions: \ act \ involving \ behavior \ that \ is \ regulated \ or \ prohibited \ on \ moral \ or \ ethical \ ground: \ Disorderly \ house$ 

### King v. Thomas McWilliams

Name:	Notes:
Thomas McWilliams	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly house; pleads not guilty and enters into recognizance in £20
Dennis McWilliams	Surety £10
John McWilliams	Surety £10

## Acts against public order or authority: nuisance

#### King v. Samuel Nevers Jr. and Alexander Nevers

Names:	Notes:
Samuel Nevers Jr.	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; Pleads not
	Guilty and enters into recognizance in £20
John M. Wilmot	Surety for Samuel Nevers Jr. £10
Gregory Vanhorne	Surety for Samuel Nevers Jr. £10
Alexander Nevers	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; having
	been called upon their recognizance and not
	appearing, ordered that their recognizance be
	estreated.

#### King v. Benjamin Morse

Name:	Notes:
Benjamin Morse	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; having
	been called upon their recognizance and not

	appearing, ordered that their recognizance be estreated.
King v. John Owens	
Name:	Notes:
John Owens	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; having been called upon their recognizance and not appearing, ordered that their recognizance be estreated
King v. John McWilliams	
Name:	Notes:
John McWilliams	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; having been called upon their recognizance and not

## Acts against public order or authority: acts against the justice system: default Grand Jurors

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appearing, ordered that their recognizance be  $\,$ 

The Following are severally fined in the sum of £3

Names:	Notes:	
William George Cody		
Daniel Scovil		
Robert Summers		
Jarvis Robertson		
John Woodward		
Robert Sterlin		
John Ham		

#### **Recognizances:**

- Ordered that the following persons be discharged from their recognizances

Names:	Notes:
Patrick White	
Mary Moore	
William Madden	
Eliza Moore	
John Griffis	
John McElroy	
Thomas Anderson	
Jane Wilcox	
Robert Wilcox	
Edward Gibson	
William Jeffrey	
Sydney Hogan	

#### **Court Orders**

 The late assessors for the City of Saint John be paid the sum found due last term for their services.

#### **Grand Jury Presentments:**

- Dangerous hole in Nelson St.
- Vacant lot adjoining the Block maker's, which is a deposit for various filth
- Street at York Point (Drury Lane) is in a most filthy and disgraceful condition, so as to endanger the health of inhabitants of the neighborhood
- Lots in various parts of the city are not fenced to protect lives of passengers
- New Market House is in dangerous situation
- Public Slip and York Point is filled with rafts and other improper impediments
- Public Scavanger does not do his duty with diligence and effect

#### **Appointments**

- The Recorder is added to the New Court House committee in place of the Honourable Judge Chipman.
- John Harding appointed one of the constables for Parish of Lancaster
- Archibald Cooper appointed constable for Musquash
- Mr. Hazen and Mr. Jarvis are ea committee to examine Grain Bounty certificates
- Mr. Peters be relieved for 1822-1823
- Ptolemy Lumbert and Daniel Jordan appointed to be assessors for the Parish of Portland
- Mr. Scovil, Mr. Jarvis, and Mr. James Peters are a committee to make inquiries as to the keepers
  of the Poor House and their salaries.

#### **Tavern Licences**

Name:	Sureties:
James Clarke	Joseph Dailey
	William Bell
Humphry Tyson	Gregory Vanhorne
	John Jordan
Samuel Reynolds	Isaac Flewelling
	George L. Carvell
George L. Carvell	Samuel Reynolds
	Isaac Flewelling
George Clarke	Samuel Nevers
	Isaac Flewelling
James Feritner	Isaac Flewelling
	Joseph Dailey
James Bartrum	John McCluse
David Armstrong	John McCluse
	Joseph Hopley
Archibald Cooper	John Harding
	John McArthur
Robert Moore	John McCluse
	David Armstrong
John Adkins	Robert McAlvery
	William Erwing
John McKenzie	Thomas Powers
	Solomon Brice
George McAndrew	John Brimand

	Dennis McWilliams
Ellen Clarke	William Clukes
	Dennis McWilliams
Benjamin Morse	Josiah Adams
	George Clark
Lauchlan Cochran	Robert Robertson
	John Walker

## **Court Adjourns**

# 6 September 1825

## **Esquire Justices**

- Noah DisbrowThomas Harding
- Gregory Vanhorne

# **Constables Sworn**

Name:	Notes:
Joshua Bunting	High Constable; AP
Lawrence Stivers	AP
William Fearebay	AP
Robert McElvery	
Robert W. Nowlan	AP
John McArthur	AP
Rowland Bunting	AP
Joseph McPherson	AP; Constable to attend Grand Jury
Samuel Horner	
James White	
Thomas Wheaton	
Frederick Rupert	AP
Thomas Cran	
Benjamin Herrington	AP
William Clucas	AP
Robert Long	
Ebenezer Herrington	AP
James Stevenson	AP
John Claybourne	
Charles Vail	AP
James Clarke	
Hezekial Delong	
Simon Vaughan	
Thomas Clarke	
Thomas Gray	

Joseph Boggs	AP
Samuel Robinson	
Michael Pharlan	
Thomas Cunnard	AP
James Stephenson	AP
John Furlong	AP

**Grand Jury Sworn** 

Grand Jury Sworn	
Name:	Notes:
John R. Partelow	Foreman
Thomas Leavitt	
William Scoullar	
Thomas B. Millidge	
George D. Robinson	
Charles Raymond	
John L. Roberts	
William Austen	
Alexander Simpson	
David Fisher	
Samuel Stephens	
Solomon Nicholls	
Samuel Hallett	
Robert Ray	
George Ball	
David Browne	
Robert Watson	
Charles L. Peters Jr.	
John W. Perrott	
Daniel Jordan	
William Strickland	
Edward L. Chamberlain	
Edwin Ketchum	
Henry Melick	

## Offences

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. James Rodgers

Name	Notes
James Rodgers	Defendant; Indictment for assault
James Chambers	Witness

### **Court Adjourns**

# 7 September 1825

## **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Gregory VanHorne
- Thomas Harding

#### **Offences**

#### Acts against property only: larceny

King v. John [Hicks]?

Name	Notes
John [Hicks]?	Defendant; Indictment for Larceny; Found guilty
William H. Roach	Witness for prosecution
Noah Disbrow Esq.	Witness for prosecution
Daniel Smith	Juror; Foreman
John Cox	Juror
James G. Lester	Juror
David Armstrong	Juror
Alexander Lawrence	Juror
John Bayer	Juror
William Vanwart	Juror
John Robinson	Juror
Ewen Cameron	Juror
[Strison] Patten	Juror
Lewis Carvill	Juror

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

## Acts causing harm to a person: assault

## Acts against public order or authority: Rioting

King v. John Hickson, Thomas Cody, Daniel Sullivan, John Cochran

Name	Notes
John Hickson	Defendant; Indictment for assault and rioting;
	Pleads guilty
Thomas Cody	Defendant; Indictment for assault and rioting;
	Pleads guilty
Daniel Sullivan	Defendant; Indictment for assault and rioting
John Cochran	Defendant; Indictment for assault and rioting
Elijah Spragg	Witness
William Johnston	Witness
Barnes Travis	Witness
William Ritchie	Witness
Alexander Logan	Witness
Thomas Heator	Witness
Charles Peterson	Witness

William Bentley	Witness
William Garvey	Witness
David Jones	Witness

- Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill
- Ordered that Bench warrant issue against Daniel Sullivan and John Cochran

### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

### King v. Thomas Anderson

Name	Notes
Thomas Anderson	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pleads not
	guilty; Enters into recognizance in £20
Sophia Hazen	Witness
David Waterbury	Witness
Charles Lawton	Witness
John C. Waterbury	Witness
John McNaughton	Surety in £10
John McArthur	Surety in £10

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

### King v. John Witham

Name	Notes
John Witham	Defendant; Indictment for assault
William William	Witness
Henry Lewis	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

**Court Adjourns** 

# 8 September 1825

# **Esquire Justices**

- Noah Disbrow
- Gregory VanHorne

### **Offences**

# Acts causing harm to a person: assault

### King v. Isaac Finnemon

Name	Notes
Issac Finnemon	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pleads not
	guilty; Enters into recognizance in £20
Justus S. Lawrence	Witness
Gerhardus C. Carman	Surety in £20

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

#### King v. John S. Miller

Name	Natas
Name	Notes

John S. Miller	Defendant; Indictment for assault; arraigned and pleads not guilty; enters into recognizance
	himself in £20; Found guilty
Daniel Smith	Juror
John Cox	Juror; Foreman
James Reed	Juror
David Armstrong	Juror
Alexander Lawrence	Juror
William Vanwart	Juror
John Boyer	Juror
John Robinson	Juror
Ewen Cameron	Juror
Stinson Patten	Juror
John Cunnard	Juror
Lewis Carvell	Juror
John McNaughton	Witness for prosecution
Henry Cook	Witness for prosecution
Levi Lockhart	Witness for prosecution
Abraham Hammond	Witness for defendant
Benjamin Buchanan	Witness for defendant

# Acts causing harm to a person: assault

# Acts against public order or authority: Rioting

King v. John Hickson, Thomas Cody, Daniel Sullivan, John Cochran

Name	Notes
Name	Notes
John Hickson	Defendant; Indictment for assault and rioting;
	Pleads guilty; Sentenced to serve 3 calendar
	months in jail; Enters into security in £50
Thomas Cody	Defendant; Indictment for assault and rioting;
	Pleads guilty; Sentenced to serve 3 calendar
	months in jail; Enters into security in £50
Daniel Sullivan	Defendant; Indictment for assault and rioting
John Cochran	Defendant; Indictment for assault and rioting

### Acts against public order or authority: nuisance

Kina v. Samuel Nevers

Name	Notes
Samuel Nevers	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; Found not guilty
Daniel Smith	Juror; Foreman
John Cox	Juror
David Armstrong	Juror
Alexander Lawrence	Juror
John Boyer	Juror
William Vanwart	Juror

John Robinson	Juror
Ewen Cameron	Juror
	Juloi
John Cunnard	Juror
Lewis Carvell	Juror
James Clark	Juror
Corbyn M. Whooten	Juror
Robert W. Crookshank	Witness for prosecution
James Kirk	Witness for prosecution
William H. Street	Witness for prosecution
John V. Thurgar	Witness for prosecution
Charles I. Peters	Witness for prosecution
Gregory VanHorne	Witness for prosecution
Charles Hazen	Witness for prosecution
Charles Simonds	Witness for prosecution
Benjamin Morse	Witness for prosecution

# Acts against property only: larceny

### King v. John [Hicks]?

Name	Notes
John [Hicks]?	Defendant; Indictment for Larceny; Found guilty;
	Sentenced to be publicly whipped thirty nine
	lashes on his naked back and then be discharged

# $Acts \ contrary \ to \ regulatory \ provisions: \ act \ involving \ behavior \ that \ is \ regulated \ or \ prohibited \ on \ moral \ or \ ethical \ ground: \ Disorderly \ house$

# King v. Thomas McWilliams

Name:	Notes:
Thomas McWilliams	Defendant; Indictment of keeping a disorderly
	house; Pleads not guilty and enters into
	recognizance in £20; Found not guilty
Samuel Reynolds	Juror
Thomas Brooks	Juror
Samuel C. Smiler	Juror
James Clarke	Juror
Lewis Carvell	Juror
John Cunnard	Juror
Stinson Patten	Juror
William Vanwart	Juror
Alexander Lawrence	Juror
David Armstrong	Juror
James Reed	Juror
John Cox	Juror; Foreman
William Hale	Witness for prosecution
William Fearebay	Witness for prosecution
William [Pearce]	Witness for defendant

#### Recognizances

- Ordered that the following persons be discharged from their recognizances

Names:	Notes:
John Mercer	
Joshua Mercer Jr.	
Joseph Chambers	
Charles McCarty	

### **Court Orders**

#### **Grand Jury Presentments**

- Grand Jury wish the following endictments prepared:
  - Nehemiah Merritt erected a brick wall near his house that is obstructing Prince William Street
  - The Saw Mill at the bridge is also projecting into the street and is a nuiscance
    - o Mentioned: Ward Chipman; Thomas P. William

### **Court Adjourns**

# 9 September 1825

# **Esquire Justices**

- Thomas Millidge
- Gregory VanHorne
- Thomas Harding

# Offences

# Acts causing harm to a person: assault

Kina v. Edward Beatty

Name	Notes
Edward Beatty	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Nicholas Larkin	Witness
Henry Cook	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

### King v. John McElvey

King v. John McLivey	
Name	Notes
John McElvey	Defendant; Indictment for assault
John Sherrard	Witness
John Herrington	Witness
Samuel Collins	Witness
Joseph McPherson	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

King v. Isaac Flewelling

Name:	Notes:
Isaac Flewelling	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found not
	guilty
Daniel Smith	Juror
John Cox	Juror; Foreman
James G. Lester	Juror
David Armstrong	Juror
Alexander Lawrence	Juror
John Boyer	Juror
William Vanwart	Juror
John Robinson	Juror
Stinson Patten	Juror
John Cunnard	Juror
Lewis Carvell	Juror
James Clark	Juror

### Acts against public order or authority: nuisance

#### King v. Alexander Nevers

Names:	Notes:
Alexander Nevers	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; Having
	been called upon his recognizance and not
	appearing, ordered that his recognizance be
	estreated
John Owens	Bail called to bring Alexander Nevers forth; Did
	not appear; Order his recognizance be estreated

# **Court Orders**

### **Grand Jury Presentments**

- The grand jury wish the following indictments prepared:
  - One for Samuel Nevers Jr., Alexander Nevers and John Hawes for encumbering the
    public slip in Portland Parish. Requested that Josiah Adams and Isaac Stevens be called
    as witnesses.
  - One against John Owens, Edward Budd and William Lawton for encumbering the public highway in Portland Parish. Witnesses are David Brown, Robert Watson, David Fisher and Charles I. Peters Jr.

### **Court Adjourns**

# 10 September 1825

### **Esquire Justices**

- Hugh Johnston
- John Ward
- Noah Disbrow

### **Offences**

**Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments** 

Name:	Notes:
King v. James Rodgers	No Bill
King v. Nehemiah Merritt	A True Bill

### Acts against public order or authority: nuisance

King v. Samuel Nevers Jr., Alexander Nevers, John Hawes

Names:	Notes:
Samuel Nevers Jr.	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance
Alexander Nevers	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; pleaded
	not guilty, enters into recognizance himself in £40
Henry Melick	Surety for Alexander Nevers in £20
Nathan Godsoe	Surety for Alexander Nevers in £20
John Hawes	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; pleaded
	not guilty, enters into recognizance himself in £40
Henry Melick	Surety for John Hawes in £20
Nathan Godsoe	Surety for John Hawes in £20
Josiah Adams	Witness
Isaac Stevens	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

### King v. John Owens, Edward Budd, William Lawton

Names:	Notes:
John Owens	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance
Edward Budd	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; pleads not
	guily and enters into recognizance himself in £40
Alexander Nevers	Surety for Budd £20
Henry Melick	Surety for Budd £20
William Lawton	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance
David Brown	Witness
Robert Watson	Witness
David Fisher	Witness
Charles I. Peters Jr.	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. John S. Miller

Name	Notes
John S. Miller	Defendant; Indictment for assault; arraigned and
	pleads not guilty; enters into recognizance
	himself in £20; Found guilty; Sentenced to pay a
	find of five pounds and to stand committed until
	paid

#### Acts against public order or authority: nuisance

Kina v. Charles Ouialev. James Kildav. and Huah Galt

Name:	Notes:
Charles Quigley	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; pleads not guilty; is committed for a contempt until Monday next, then to be discharged upon entering into security
James Kilday	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; pleads not guilty, and enters into recognizance in £40
Joseph Daily	Surety for Kilday in £20
Michael Rigney	Surety for Kilday in £20
Hugh Galt	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; pleads not guiltt
Thomas B. Millidge	Witness
Solomon Nichols	Witness
Charles J. Peters Jr.	Witness
Robert Godfrey	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill; bench warrant issued

# Acts against public order or authority: acts against the justice system: default Grand Jurors

 The Following persons who made default as Grand Jurors are to be severally fined the sum of three pounds

Name:	Notes:
Robert Ray	
Daniel Jordan	

### Acts against public order or authority: acts against the justice system: default Petit Jurors

- The Following person who made default Petit Juror is severally fined five shillings

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Name:	Notes:
John Walter	

### Acts against public order or authority: acts against the justice system: default constables

 The following persons who made default in attendane as constables are severally fined the sum of ten shillings

Name:	Notes:
Lawrence Stivers	
Rowland Bunting	
Fredericton Rupert	
John Claybourne	

Acts against public order or authority: Obstruction of Public Street

Name:	Notes:
Nehemiah Merritt	Defendant; Indictment for obstruction of a public
	street; pleaded not guilty, enters into
	recognizance himself in £40
Gregory Vanhorne	Surety £20

Thomas Harding	Surety £20
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#### **Recognizances:**

The following persons are discharged from their recognizance

Name:	Notes:
Daniel McKelvey	
Ann Dunn	
Andrew Rose	
Lawrence Moore	

#### **Court Orders**

- Ordered that Mr. Lancton have the note which was given to pay the balance due on the Gaol Wall account, renewed
- Ordered that a petition be prepared and presented to the Legislature for an act to authorize the
  Justice to appropriate out the money assessed for the New Cout House a sum to pay off debt
  from Gaol Wall
- Overseer of the Poor for Parish of Portland pay to Mr. James Jordan a sum
- School certificate for school in Carleton, in the City and County of St. John
- Collectors of taxes for Parishes of Lancaster and Saint Martins make returns of their collections for the new Court House or that the County Treasurer proceed against them as law directs

#### **Grand Jury Presentments**

- The sum assessed for the buildind the Gaol Wall, fell short of the cost thereof, and that a
  quantity of the material will be required for building the New Court House
- Committee to oversee Grain Bounty resolved to report at the next sessions

#### **Appointments**

- John Niles be one of the fence viewers for Parish of Portland
- [?] Campbell be a pound keeper for Parish of Portland

### **Court Adjourns**

### 6 December 1825

### **Esquire Justices**

- Gregory Vanhorne
- John M. Wilmot
- Allan Otty

### **Constables Sworn**

Name:	Notes:
Joshua Bunting	High Constable;
Lawrence Stivers	

William Fearebay	
Robert McElvey	
Robert W. Nowlan	
John McArthur	
Rowland Bunting	
Joseph McPherson	
Samuel Horner	
James White	
Thomas Wheaton	
Frederick Rupert	Sworn to attend jury
Thomas Coran	
Benjamin Herrington	
William Clucas	
Robert Long	
Ebenezer Herrington	
James Stevenson	
John Claybourne	
Charles Vail	
James Clarke	
Hezekial Delong	
Simon Vaughan	
Thomas Clarke	
Thomas Gray	
Joseph Boggs	
Samuel Robinson	
Michael Pharlan	
Thomas Cunnard	
James Stephenson	
John Furlong	

# **Grand Jury Sworn**

Name:	Notes:
Alexander Wedderburne	Foreman
Robert W. Crookshank Jr.	
Henry Gilbert	
William Reynolds	
Walker Tisdale	
John C. Waterburg	
William Whitney	
Robert Ausly	
William H. Roach	
Thomas M. Smith	
Thomas Whitlock	
William Hughson	
Angus McKenzie	
William P. Scott	

Alexander McGrathy	
Edwin Ketchum	
Edward Vieth	
James Cook	
George E. Frink	
Lloyd Johnston	
James Ritch	
Craven Longshoth	
Robert McIntyre	
Thomas Hatheway	

# **Offences:**

# Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. John Gilchrist

Name:	Notes:
John Gilchrist	Defendant; indictment for assault
William W. Boig	Witness
Robert Rider	Witness

# King v. James Rodgers

Name:	Notes:
James Rodgers	Defendant; Indictment for assault
James Chambers	Witness

### King v. James Chapman

Name:	Notes:
James Chapman	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Shadrack Perkins	Witness
James Cook	Witness

### King v. Jeremiah Sullivan

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Name:	Notes:
Jeremiah Sullivan	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Mary Taylor	Witness
Maryann Taylor	Witness

# Acts against property only: larceny

### Kina v. Iames Dawson

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Name:	Notes:
James Dawson	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
William Holland	Witness
Thomas Gray	Witness

# King v. James Munro

Name:	Notes:
James Munro	Defendant; Indictment for larceny

Elizabeth Carney	Witness
Craven Longstroth	Witness
Thomas Harding Esq.	Witness
John Claybourne	Witness

### **Court Adjourns**

# **7 December 1825**

# **Esquire Justices**

- John M. WilmotJames Peters
- Thomas Harding

# Offences

# Acts causing harm to a person: assault

# King v. Mary Doyle

Name:	Notes:
Mary Doyle	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Mary Hardenbrook	Witness
Patrick Shannon	Witness
William Thompson	Witness
Hugh McDonald	Witness
Maria Clarke	Witness

### King v. Andrew Cassidy

Name:	Notes:
Andrew Cassidy	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Maria Hall	Witness
Hugh Gallagher	Witness
William Gallagher	Witness

# King v. James Stewart

Name:	Notes:
James Stewart	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Samuel Cain	Witness
Matthew Partelow	Witness
Abel Rodgers	Witness
George Barrett	Witness

# King v. Jeremiah Sullivan

Name:	Notes:
Jeremiah Sullivan	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads not
	guilty and enters into recognizance himself in £20
James Ryan	Surety in £10

John Sullivan	Surety in £10

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

### King v. James Chapman

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Name:	Notes:
James Chapman	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads not
	guilty and is remanded and ordered to trial

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# King v. George McDonald, James McNight, and George Williams

Name:	Notes:
George McDonald	Defendant; Indictment for assault
James McNight	Defendant; Indictment for assault
George Williams	Defendant; Indictment for assault
William Peters	Defendant; Indictment for assault

# Acts against property only: larceny

### King v. Susan Young and James Henry Lester

Name:	Notes:
Susan Young	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
James Henry Lester	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
James Lynch	Witness; ordered to appear to give evidence
Maryann Lynch	Witness; ordered to appear to give evidence
John Anderson	Witness; ordered to appear to give evidence
Barney Riley	Witness; ordered to appear to give evidence

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

### King v. George Betts and Jeremiah Bowlin

Name:	Notes:
George Betts	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Jeremiah Bowlin	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
John Sutton	Witness
William Fowler	Witness

# King v. Mitchel Jones

Name:	Notes:
Mitchel Jones	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
George Chadwick	Witness
William Tobin	Witness
James Bartlett	Witness

# Acts against public order or authority: nuisance

# King v. John Owens, Edward J. Budd, and William Lawton

	Name:			Notes:	
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John Owens	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; pleaded
	guilty; throws himseld upon mercy of the court
Edward J. Budd	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; retracts
	plea of not-guilty, and pleads Guilty
William Latwon	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; pleaded
	guilty; throws himseld upon mercy of the court

King v. Charles Quigley, James Kilday, and Hugh Galt

Name:	Notes:
Charles Quigley	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance
James Kildat	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance
Hugh Galt	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; pleaded
	not guilty, ordered to appear for trial

### **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments:**

Name:	Notes:
King v. James Dawson	No Bill; discharged by proclamation
King v. James Rodgers	A True Bill
King v. John Gilchrist	A True Bill
King v. James Munro	A True Bill; pleaded guilty and is remanded

# **Court Adjourns**

# 8 December 1825

# **Esquire Justices**

- John M. Wilmot
- Gregory Vanhorne
- Hugh Johnston

### **Offences**

### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

## King v. James Chapman

Name:	Notes;
James Chapman	Defendant; Indictment for assault; found guilty;
	remanded
Silas G. Deforest	Juror; Foreman
Hugh McPherson	Juror
James Gallagher	Juror
Samuel Sobb	Juror
Joshua Mereen	Juror
William Hewitt	Juror
William Bean	Juror
Isaac Flewelling	Juror

Andrew Kee	Juror
Benjamin Bries	Juror
William Hewitson	Juror
John Hammond	Juror
Shadrack Perkins	Witness for Prosecution
James Cook	Witness for Prosecution

King v. James Rodgers

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Name:	Notes:	
James Rodgers	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads not	
	guilty and enters into recognizance himself in £20	
Lawrence Stivers	Surety in £10	
John Belyea	Surety in £10	

Kign v. Mary Doyle

Name:	Notes:	
Mary Doyle	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads not	
	guilty and enters into recognizance	
Samuel Nevers Jr.	Surety in £20	
Robert Watson	Surety in £20	

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

King v. George McDonald, James McNight, and George Williams

Name:	Notes:
George McDonald	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads not
	guilty and, not being able to find sureties,
	ordered to trial
James McNight	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads not
	guilty and, not being able to find sureties,
	ordered to trial
George Williams	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads not
	guilty and, not being able to find sureties,
	ordered to trial
Samuel Spiller	Juror
John Hammond	Juror
William Herriten	Juror
Benjamin Brice	Juror
Elisha Broad	Juror
Andrew Kee	Juror
Isaac Flewelling	Juror
Robert Boon	Juror
Jerry Busiman	Juror
William Bean	Juror
Joshua Mercer	Juror
Samuel Cobb	Juror
William Peter	Witness for Prosecution
Patrick Kelleher	Witness for Defendant

Thomas Harding	Witness for Defendant
Frederick Rupert	Constable sworn to attend jury

The Grand Jurors do not agree before adjournment

### King v. Thomas Anderson

Name:	Notes:
Thomas Anderson	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found Not
	Guilty
Silas G. Deforest	Juror; Foreman
Peter Peddie	Juror
Hugh McPherson	Juror
James Gallagher	Juror
Jacob Snider	Juror
James Campbell	Juror
Samuel Cobb	Juror
Joshua Mercer	Juror
William Hewitt	Juror
Israel Merrit Jr.	Juror
William Bean	Juror
John Berryman	Juror
Sophia Hazen	Witness for Prosecution
Charles Lawton	Witness for Prosecution
John B. Waterbury	Witness for Prosecution
Joseph Boggs	Constable sworn to attend Jury

# King v. Isaac Finnemon

Name:	Notes:
Isaac Finnemon	Defendant; Indictment for assault; retracts his
	plea of Not Guilty and pleads Guilty; sentenced to
	pay a fine of five shillings and be discharged

# Acts against property only: larceny

### King v. George Betts and Jeremiah Bowlin

Name:	Notes:
George Betts	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; pleads not
	guilty; ordered to trial
Jeremiah Bowlin	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; pleads not
	guilty; ordered to trial

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments:**

Name:	Notes:
King v. James Stewart	No Bill
King v. Andrew Cassidy	No Bill
King v. Mitchel Jones	A True Bill

#### **Court Orders**

#### **Grand Jury Presentments:**

- Condition of Nelson Strees has been and still is in a most disgraceful and dangerous state, tending in a most injurious degree to obstruct the prosecution of business and dangerous to the lives and property of His Majesty's subjects; Grand Jurors pray that a Bill of Indictment be issued against the Mayor Alderman and Common Council, with Robert Crookshank, Lauchlan Donaldson, George Matthew Jr. and J. C. Waterbury be subpoenaed to give evidence in support of said bill
- North Market Wharf in injurious to the landing of goods, dangerous to pass on repass, and in a state of decay; pray that a bill of indictment may be issued against the Mayor Alderman and Common Council, and that Robert W. Crookshank Esq., Ralph M. Jarvis Esq., Lauchlan Donaldson Esq. and Daniel Scovil be subpoenaed to appear as evidence in support of said bill

### **Court Adjourns**

#### **9 December 1825**

#### **Esquire Justices**

- Ralph M. Jarvis
- William Carman
- Thomas Millidge

#### **Offences**

### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. George McDonald, James McNight, and George Williams

Name:	Notes:
George McDonald	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found Guilty
James McNight	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found Guilty;
	sentenced to pay fine of five pounds and to stand
	committed until paid
George Williams	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found Guilty;
	sentenced to pay fine of five pounds and to stand
	committed until paid
James Stevenson	Constable sworn to attend Jury
Samuel Cobb	Juror; Foreman

Jury has not agreed, and request to have some part of the evidence explained, which is done by the Court, and they again retire before presenting:

#### Kina v. Cromwell Trafton

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Name:	Notes:
Cromwell Trafton	Defendant; Indictment for assault
James Scribner	Witness
Bryden Spencer	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

King v. Edward Beatty

Name:	Notes:
Edward Beatty	Defendant; Indictment for assault; found Not
	Guilty
Silas G. Deforest	Juror; foreman
Peter Peddie	Juror
Hugh McPherson	Juror
Jacob Snider	Juror
James Campbell	Juror
Joshua Mercer	Juror
William Hewitt	Juror
Israel Merrit Jr.	Juror
William Bean	Juror
John Berryman	Juror
Gilbert Flaglor	Juror
Elisha Broad	Juror
Nicholas Larkin	Witness for Prosecution
John Lakie	Witness for Prosecution
Edward Toole	Witness for Defendant
Jacob Murry	Witness for Defendant
Robert W. Nowlan	Constable Sworn to attend Jury

# Acts against property only: larceny

# King v. Mitchel Jones

Name:	Notes:	
Mitchel Jones	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; pleads not	
	guilty; ordered to trial; Found Guilty	
William Bean	Juror	
Israel Merrit Jr.	Juror	
Robert Robertson	Juror; Foreman	
Robert Bartlow	Juror	
Robert Wallace	Juror	
Francis McCaffrey	Juror	
Isaac Flewelling	Juror	
John Hammond	Juror	
Obadiah Purdy	Juror	
David Lee	Juror	
Stephen Trecartin	Juror	
John Robinson	Juror	
George Chadwick	Witness for Proseuction	
William Tobin	Witness for Prosecution	
James Bartlett	Witness for Prosecution	
John Mc. Wilmot	Witness for Prosecution	

King v. George Betts and Jeremiah Bowlin

Name:	Notes:
George Betts	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; pleads not
	guilty
Jeremiah Bowlin	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; pleads not
	guilty
Silas G. Deforest	Juror; Foreman
Peter Peddie	Juror
Hugh McPherson	Juror
James Gallagher	Juror
Jacob Snider	Juror
William Hewitt	Juror
Gilbert Flaglor	Juror
Hugh Wilson	Juror
James Melick	Juror
Solomon Brice	Juror
Ptolemy Lombert	Juror
John Sutton	Witness for Prosecution
William Fowler	Witness for Prosecution
Lawrence Stiver	Sworn to attend Jury

# Acts against public order or authority: nuisance

# King v. Mayor Alderman and Commonality

Name:	Notes:
Mayor Alderman and Commonality Defendants; Indictment for nuisance	
Robert W. Crookshanks	Witness
Ralph M. Jarvis	Witness
Lauchlan Donaldson	Witness
David Scovil	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# King v. Mayor Alderman and Commonality

Name:	Notes:
Mayor Alderman and Commonality	Defendants; Indictment for nuisance
Rovert W. Crookshanks	Witness
George Matthews Jr.	Witness
John C. Waterbury	Witness
Lauchland Donaldson	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# King v. Mayor Alderman and Commonality

Name:	Notes:
Mayor Alderman and Commonality Defendants; Indictment for nuisance	
Henry Gilbert	Witness
Walker Tisdale	Witness
James Kirk	Witness
John Ward Jr.	Witness

### Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

### King v. Charles Quigley, James Kilday, and Hugh Galt

Name:	Notes:
Charles Quigley	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; Found not
	guilty
James Kildat	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; Found
	guilty
Hugh Galt	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; Pleads not
	guilty; Found guilty
James Gallagher	Juror
Samuel Cobb	Juror; Foreman
James Holms	Juror
Benjamin Brice	Juror
William Hewitson	Juror
Samuel Spiller	Juror
Andrew Kee	Juror
William Gilbert	Juror
David Armstrong	Juror
James Condle	Juror
Robert Robertson	Juror
Thomas Leach	Juror
Charles Peters Jr.	Witness for prosecution
Isaac Ketchum	Witness for prosecution
George Doherty	Witness for prosecution
Michael Riggery	Witness for prosecution
Solomon Nichols	Witness for prosecution

### Acts against public order or authority: acts against the justice system: default constables

- The following constables, having been called and not appearing, are fined £20 each

Name:	Notes:	
Robert McKelvey		
Samuel Hoerner		
James White		
Thomas Wheaton		
Thomas Coran		
William Clucas		
John Claybourne		
Charles Vail		

# **Court Orders**

# **Grand Jury Presenments:**

 State of South Marker Wharf is in a condition dangerous and infufficient for the proper accommodations and convenience of shiping or landing goods; pray that a Bill of Indictment be issued against the Mayor Alderman and Common Council, and that Henry Gilbert, Walker Tisdale, John Ward Jr., and James Kirk be summoned as witnesses.

### **Court Adjourns**

### 10 December 1825

# **Esquire Justices**

- John Jordan
- Ralph M. Jarvis
- John M. Wilmot

#### **Offences:**

#### Acts against public order or authority: acts against the justice system: default Petit Jurors

 The following persons who made default in attending as Petit Jurors are severally fined the sum of five shillings for each default

Name:	Notes:
Christopher Lockhart	
Charles [Soulis]	

### Acts against public order or authority: acts against the justice system: default Grand Jurors

 The Following persons who made default in attending as Grand Jurors are severally fined the sum of three pounds each

Name:	Notes:
Henry Gilbert	
Walker Tisdale	
William Hughson	

### Acts against property only: larceny

# King v. James Munro

Name:	Notes:
James Munro	Defendant; indictment for larceny; found guilty;
	sentenced to be whipped thirty-nine lashes on his
	bare back and to stand committed until the same
	be performed

#### King v. George Betts and Jeremiah Bowling

Name:	Notes:
George Betts	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Found guilty;
	sentenced to be whipped thirny-nine lashes on
	his naked back and then be discharged
Jeremiah Bowling	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Found guilty;
	sentenced to be whipped thirny-nine lashes on
	his naked back and then be discharged

### King v. Mitchell Jones

Name:	Notes:
Mitchell Jones	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Found guilty; sentenced to be whipped thirny-nine lashes on
	his naked back and to stand committed until the same be performed

# Acts causing harm to a person: assault

# King v. James Chapman

Name:	Notes:
James Chapman	Defendant; Indictment for assault; found guilty;
	sentenced to pay a fine of twenty shillings and to
	stand committed until the same be paid

### King v. George McDonald, James McNight, and George Williams

Name:	Notes:
George McDonald	Defendant; Indictment for assault; found guilty; sentenced to pay a fine of five pounds and to be imprisoned for two days and to stand committed until the same be performed
James McNight	Defendant; Indictment for assault; already sentenced
George Williams	Defendant; Indictment for assault; already sentencedjohn owens

### King v. John Gilchrist

Name:	Notes:
John Gilchrist	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads not
	guilty; prays to retract his plea, which is granted;
	sentenced to pay a fine of one shilling and be
	discharged

# Acts against public order or authority: nuisance

# Kina v. John Owens. Edward I. Budd. and William Lawton

King v. John Owens, Lawara J. Buda, and William Lawton	
Name:	Notes:
John Owens	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; pleaded
	guilty; sentenced to pay a fine of one pound and
	to stand committed until that sum be paid
Edward J. Budd	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; pleaded
	guilty; sentenced to pay a fine of one pound and
	to stand committed until that sum be paid
William Lawton	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; pleaded
	guilty; sentenced to pay a fine of one pound and
	to stand committed until that sum be paid

King v. Samuel Nevers Ir., Alexander Nevers Ir., and John Haws

Name:	Notes:
Samuel Nevers Jr.	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; Found Not
	Guilty
Alexander Nevers Jr.	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; Found Not
	Guilty
John Haws	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; Found Not
	Guilty
Silas G. Deforest	Juror
Hugh McPherson	Juror
James Gallagher	Juror
Jacob Snider	Juror
James Campbell	Juror
Samuel Cobb	Juror; Foreman
Joshua Mercer	Juror
William Hewitt	Juror
William Beau	Juror
Isaac Flewelling	Juror
Andrew Kee	Juror
Benjamin Brice	Juror
Solomon Nichols	Witness for Prosecution
Thomas B. Millidge	Witness for Prosecution
John Niles	Witness for Prosecution
John Owens	Witness for Prosecution

### King v. James Kilday and Hugh Galt

Name:	Notes:
James Kilday	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; found guilty; sentenced to pay a fine of five pounds each and to stand committed until the same be performed
Hugh Galt	Defendant; Indictment for a nuisance; found guilty; sentenced to pay a fine of five pounds each and to stand committed until the same be performed

#### **Court Orders**

- The sum of one thousand pounds be assessed on the Inhabitants of the City and County of Saint John to carry on the building of the New Court
- Ordered that the three Indictments referred by the Grand Jury against the Mayor Aldermen and Commonality of Saint John be removed to the Supreme Court and that the clerk of the peace transmit the papers to the Clerk of the Crown in said court
- Ordered that Henry Gilbert, Walker Tisdale, William Hughson, Alexander McGrotty, and Loyd Johnston be severally fined in the sum of three pounds
- Ordered that there be a special session on Monday the ninth day of January next.

#### **Grand Jury Presentments:**

- Petition of John Cunninghamm, on putting off the time for completing the New Court House for another year- ordered that it be granted.
- The site where the New Court House is to be built belonds to the Mayor Aldermen and Commonality of the City of Saint John. Nothing but a court house is to be built on this property.
   It is requested that the corporation sign a deed or declaration stating this.
- James Davidson is to be licenced to keep taverns until March next for the sum of 5 shillings fine.
- Committee report on Grain Bounty certificates:
  - o Includes list of Grain Bounties for 1822, 1823 and 1824, amounts and types of grain.
  - Persons named are entitled to receive the Provincial allowance for the quantities of grain affixed to their names (signed by Ralph M. Jarvis).
  - Clerk is to transmit a copy to the secretary of Province and to apply for a warrant on the Treasury for the amount thereof.
- The hose belonging to the Fire Esquires needs to be repaired.
- The cellar of the Market House which is now a tavern is frequently a rioting site.
- Lack of sufficient lamps and lighting in the streets is dangerous.
- The ferry established between Saint John and Carleton isn't sufficient for the accommodation of the public.
- John Dooly's barn is a nuisance to the public.
- The condition of the City Jail needs improvement as the roof and windows leak during the rain.
- A system of labour should be adopted to employ those emprisoned for minor offences. This will save considerable expense to the County.
- School certificate for the Parish of Portland County of Saint John, with a Mr. William Warner Church be appointed thereto
- School certificate for a School in the Parish of Lancaster, in Musquash District, and that Robert Robertson, a teacher, be duly appointed there
- Petition of Mrs. Jane Parker, praying relief from the assessment in the City of Saint John

### **Appointments:**

Name	Notes
Joshua Bunting; Robert W. Nowlan; William	Overseers of the Fisheries for ensuing year
Fearebay; Henry Thomas	
Mr. Simonds and Mr. Godard	Be a Committee to prepare a petition to the legislature praying aid to repay the expence incurred by the Parish of Portland; also to prepare a petition in support of the Blacks at Lock Lomond
Mr. Vanhorne, Mr. Simonds, Mr. Carman, and Mr. Scovil	Be a Committee to report on the apportionment of taxes which ought to be made on the several parishes within the city and count
Mr. Wilsmot, Mr. Donaldson, and Mr. Wheeler	Be a Committee to prepare a petition to the legislature praying aid in building the new court house
Mr. James Peters, Ralph M. Jarvis, and Mr. Simonds	Be a Committee to examine the Transient Poor account for the city and parish of Portland for the

past year—and to prepare a petition to the
legislature praying aid

### **Treasurer to Pay**

Name	Notes: Services
James Stevenson	For his services
Frederick Rupert	For his services as Grand and Petit Juror

#### **Tavern Licence**

Name:	Sureties:
James Davidson	George Murray
	John Owens

### **Court Adjourns**

# 9 January 1826

# **Special Session**

### **Esquire Justices:**

- John M. Wilmot
- Noah Disbrow
- James Peters
- Charles Simonds

### **Court Orders**

- Based on the report of a committee, a sum of one thousand pounds is split between several parishes (porportions given)
- A petition for further aid in the building the new court house is approved, whereupon it is
  ordered that it be transmitted to one of the representatives for the City to be presented
- Petitions resepecting the Transient Poor in Parish of Portland for 1823, 1824, and 1825
- Petition respecting Black refugees
- Petition to the legislature praying renumeration for expenses incurred in support of Transient Poor in the City of Saint John for 1825

#### **Accounts**

# Committee Report

committee Report	
Name:	Notes:
Overseers of the Poor for the City of Saint John	Account of the expenses actually incurred by them in support of transient poor in the said city; Account "A"
Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Portland	Account of the expenses actually incurred by them in support of the Black refugees at Loch Lomand: Account "B"

Account of the expences incurred by them in the support of distressed Emigrants in the said
parish; Acount "C"

# **Court Adjourns**

# 21 March 1826

# **Esquire Justices**

# **Constables Sworn**

Name:	Notes:
Joshua Bunting	High Constable
Lawrence Stivens	
William Fearebay	
Robert McElvey	
Robert W. Nowlan	
John McArthur	
Rowland Bunting	
Joseph McPherson	
Samuel Horner	
James White	
Thomas Wheaton	
Frederick Rupert	
Thomas Coran	
Benjamin Herrington	
William Clucas	
Robert Long	
Ebenezer Herrington	
James Stevenson	
John Claybourne	
Charles Vail	Sworn to attend the jury
James Clark	
Hezekiel Delong	
Simon Vaughan	
Thomas Clark	
Joseph Boggs	
Samuel Robinson	
Michael Pharlow	
Thomas Cunnard	
James Stephenson	
John Furlong	

# **Grand Jury Sworn**

ĺ	Name:	Notes:
ſ	Robert W. Crookshanks	Foreman

Thomas Barlow	
Benjamin L. Peters	
James L. [Han]ford	
Isaac L. Bedell	
James Kirk	
Robert Rawkine	
Robert Godfrey	
John V. Thurgar	
John Mc[Clure]	
Thomas Nisbet	
Henry Gault	
Hugh Chisholm	
James McDonald	
James Alexander	
Benjamin Smith	

# Offences

# Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. John Graham

Name:	Notes:
John Graham	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Patrick O'Brien	Witness- away from the court house; Trial put off
	till he arrives

### King v. Thomas Calvert and Richard Calvert

Name:	Notes:
Thomas Calvert	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Richard Calvert	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Hugh Allan	Witness
Sarah Perkins	Witness
Ann [McGee]	Witness
William George	Witness

### King v. Hugh Allan and Sarah Perkins

Name:	Notes:
Hugh Allan	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Sarah Perkins	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Thomas Calvert	Witness
Richard Calvert	Witness
John W. Sherwood	Witness
Ann McGee	Witness

# **Court Adjourned**

# 22 March 1826

# **Esquire Justices**

- Thomas Heaviside
- Noah Disbrow
- John M. Wilmot

### Offences

### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

King v. James Rodgers

Name:	Notes:
James Rodgers	Defendant; Indidctment for assault; Found Guilty
James Ackerly	Juror
William Breeze	Juror
John Jones	Juror; Foreman
Thomas Hay	Juror
William Hutchinson	Juror
Alexander Yeates	Juror
Thomas McMackie	Juror
James Payne	Juror
Solomon Brice	Juror
Thomas Robson	Juror
James Gibb	Juror
John Morrell	Juror
James Chambers	Witness for Prosecution
Rosanna Hilt	Witness for Defendant

# King v. Mary Doyle

Name:	Notes:
Mary Doyle	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Found Guilty
George Bragg	Juror
James B[usting]	Juror
William Gilbert	Juror; Foreman
John Dooly	Juror
John C. McPherson	Juror
William George	Juror
John Thain	Juror
Mark Dole	Juror
George Turnball	Juror
Henry Nice	Juror
George Hewitt	Juror
James Gallagher	Juror
Mary Hardenbrook	Witness for Prosecution
Patrick Shannon	Witness for Prosecution
Maria Clarke	Witness for Prosecution

Margaret M. Naught[on]	Witness for Defendant
Ann Sarfield	Witness for Defendant
Sydney Hagan	Witness for Defendant

### King v. John Bradley and John McCann

Name:	Notes:
John Bradley	Defendant; Indictment for assault
John McCann	Defendant; Indictment for assaul
John Graham	Witness
William Fitzimmon	Witness
James Bertram	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A Trye Bill

# King v. Mary Durant

Name:	Notes:
Mary Durant	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Bridget O'Brian	Witness
Mary Lindsay	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# King v. John Graham

Name:	Notes:
John Graham	Defendant; Indictment for assault; a True Bill;
	pleads not guilty and enters into recognizance
	himself in £20
William Hay	Surety £10
David Leonard	Surety in £10

# Acts against property only: larceny

### King v. John Veal and Daniel Dykeman

Name:	Notes:
John Veal	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Daniel Dykeman	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Joseph Lingley	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments**

Name:		Notes:
King v. Th	omas Calvert and Richard Calvert	A True Bill
King v. H	ugh Allan and Sarah Perkins	A True Bill

### **Court Adjourns**

# 23 March 1826

# **Esquire Justices**

- Robert Robertson
- Noah Disbrow
- Hugh Johntson

### **Offences:**

### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

# King v. Whinney Fisher and Maria Fisher

Name:	Notes:
Whinney Fisher	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Maria Fisher	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Owen Doughe[rty]	Witness
John Sutton	Witness
John McGuire	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

### King v. Thomas Calvert and Richard Calvert

Name:	Notes:
Thomas Calvert	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads Not
	Guitly and enters into recognizance in £20
Richard Calvert	Surety for Thomas Calvert in £10
William Melick	Surety for Thomas Calvert in £10; Surety for
	Richard Calvert in £20
Richard Calvert	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads Not
	Guilty and enters into recognizance himself in
	£20

King v. John Bradley and John McCann

Name:	Notes:
John Bradley	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads Not
	Guilty; enters into recognizance himself in £20
John Hughes	Surety for John Bradley in £10; surety for John
	McCann in £10
Hugh Friel	Surety for John Bradley in £10; surety for John
	McCann in £10
John McCann	Defendant; Indictment for assault; pleads Not
	Guilty; enters into recognizance himself in £20

### King v. Cromwell Trafton

Name:	Notes:
Cromwell Trafton	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Respited until
	June Term

### King v. Jeremiah Sullivan

Notes:	Name:
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Jeremiah Sullivan	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Respited until
	June Term

### Acts against public order sexual standards: Bastardy

#### Kina v. Abel Sands

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Name:	Notes:
Abel Sands	Father of bastard child; Called and does not
	appear; Recognizance respited until 1st Tuesday
	in June next
Ann McMicken	Mother of bastard child; In gaol and recently
	confined

### **Court Adjourns**

### 25 March 1826

### **Esquire Justices**

### **Offences**

Acts causing harm to a person: assault

# King v. Whinney Fisher and Maria Burgess

Name:	Notes:
Whinney Fisher	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pleads not
	guilty; Enters into recognizance in £20
Maria Burgess	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Enters into
	recognizance in £20
Jacob Warner	Surety for Whinney Fisher in £10
Roland Campbell	Surety for Whinney Fisher in £10
Isaiah Gabel	Surety for Maria Burgess in £20
Joseph Hughes	Surety for Maria Burgess in £20

Acts against public order or authority: Acts contrary to regulatory provisions: selling liquor without licence

 $Acts \ contrary \ to \ regulatory \ provisions: \ act \ involving \ behavior \ that \ is \ regulated \ or \ prohibited \ on \ moral \ or \ ethical \ ground: \ Disorderly \ house$ 

# King v. Archibald Findlay

Name:	Notes:
Archibald Findlay	Defendant; Selling liquor without liscence and
	keeping a disorderly house

# Acts against property only: larceny

# King v. John Veal and Daniel Dykeman

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Name:	Notes:
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John Veal	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Pleads not
	guilty; Enters into recognizance in £40
Daniel Dykeman	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Pleads not
	guilty; Enters into recognizance in £40
Charles Veal	Surety for John Veal in £20; Surety for Daniel
	Dykeman in £20
Andrew Hamm	Surety for John Veal in £20; Surety for Daniel
	Dykeman in £20

Acts against public order or authority: Acts against the justice system: Failure to comply with jury summons

Name:	Notes:
William [Sheet]	Fined three pounds for non-attendance as Grand
	Juror
Stephen Smith	Fined three pounds for non-attendance as Grand
	Juror
William V. Fowler	Fined three pounds for non-attendance as Grand
	Juror
Nathaniel [Milley]	Fined three pounds for non-attendance as Grand
	Juror
Charles Whitney	Fined three pounds for non-attendance as Grand
	Juror

Acts against public order or authority: Acts against the state: Refusal to execute public office

Name:	Notes:
Lawrence Stivers	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
William Feareby	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
John McArthur	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
Samuel Horner	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
James White	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
Thomas Wheaton	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
Thomas Coran	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
Robert Long	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
James Stevenson	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
John Claybourne	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
James Clarke	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable

Thomas Clarke	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
Thomas Gray	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
Michael Phelan	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
Thomas Cunnard	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
James Stephenson	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable
John Furlong	Fined one pound for non-attendance as
	Constable

#### **Court Orders**

- The Overseer of the Poor for the City of Saint John recommends that a sum be requisite for the support of the Poor for the ensuing year; ordered to be assessed
- The Overseer of the Poor for the Parish of Portland recommends that a sum be requisite for the support of the poor for the ensuing year; ordered to be assessed
- The Overseer of the Poor for the Parish of Lancaster recommends that a sum be required for the support of the Poor for the ensuing year; ordered to be assessed
- The Collector for the Parishes of Lancaster and St. Martin's be allowed a sum each
- The Assessors for City of Saint John be allowed a sum, as well as the Parish of Portland and other parishes
- Ordered that the clerk make application to the Provincial Secretary for Warrants for sums granted for Parish poor and Emmigrants for last year; to be published in City Gazette
- County Treasurers to deliver to clerk the monies paid to him for fines imposed by the previous Sessions on first day of every term of the General Session, as well as accounts

# **Appointments**

 Ralph M. Jarvis, Thomas Millidge, and Gregory Vanhorne to be a committee to examine te public accounts

Name	Notes
Mr. Cook	Physician of the Poor House
Lewis Carvell	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
Hugh H. Carvell	Surveyor of Lumber
Samuel Reynolds	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
Joseph Lingley	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
Travis P. Perley	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
Thomas McMackin	Surveyor of Lumber
Jeremiah Gore	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
James P. Payne	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
Shubail Stevens	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
William H. Travis	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
John Cunnard	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
John Travis	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid

Samuel Dalton	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
George Clarke	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
Robert Cunnard	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
Peter Snider	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
Josiah Adams	Surveyor of Lumber
John F. Payne	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
Gilbert Jordan	Surveyor of Lumber; Paid
John Vincent	Surveyor of Lumber

# **Appointed Parish Officers for 1826**

Parish of Portland

Office	Names
Overseers of the Poor	<ul> <li>John C. Waterbury</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Henry Gilbert</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Allan Otty</li></ul>
Assessors	<ul> <li>Ptolomy Lumbert</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>John C. Waterbury</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Godard</li></ul>
Fence Viewers	Ephraim Sentell
	<ul><li>James McGregor</li></ul>
	<ul><li>William Ackerly</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Thomas Bean</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Niles</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>James Grandy</li> </ul>
Town Clerk	<ul> <li>Daniel Smith</li> </ul>
Constables	<ul> <li>James Robinson</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>John Robinson Jr.</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Francis Johnston</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>William Clucus</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>John Lodge</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Robert Long</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Francis Johnston</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>John Furlong</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Vincent</li></ul>
	<ul><li>James Burly</li></ul>
Collectors of Taxes	<ul> <li>Thomas Baldwin</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Joseph Fowler</li></ul>
Pound Keepers	<ul> <li>Richard Stephenson</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Michael Campbell</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Joshua A. Eggar</li></ul>
Hog Reeves	<ul><li>John Lodge</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Robert Long</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Michael Campbell</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>William White</li></ul>

	<ul> <li>Joshua A. Eggar</li> </ul>
Trustees of Schools	<ul> <li>Robert Payne</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Robert Rankine Jr.</li> </ul>
Inspector of Weights and Measures	<ul><li>Daniel Smith</li></ul>

Parish of Lancaster

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Office	Names
Assessors and Overseers of the Poor	<ul><li>Jesse Quinton</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Isaac Clarke</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Archibald Menzies</li> </ul>
Trustees of Schools	<ul><li>Jesse Quinton</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Isaac Clarke</li></ul>
	<ul><li>G. C. Carman</li></ul>
Pound Keepers	<ul><li>William Tilton</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Cochran</li></ul>
Constables	<ul> <li>Joseph Biggs, ap.</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>John Harding, ap.</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Archibald Cooper</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Robert Kelly</li></ul>
Hog Reeves	<ul><li>John Harding</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Joseph Biggs</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>Archibald Cooper</li> </ul>
Collector of Taxes	<ul><li>John Harding</li></ul>
Fence Viewers	<ul><li>Jesse Quinton</li></ul>
	<ul><li>William Tilton</li></ul>
	<ul><li>George Vaughan</li></ul>
Town Clerk	<ul><li>John Cochran</li></ul>
Overseer of the Fishery	<ul><li>John Cochran</li></ul>

Parish of Saint Martins

Office	Names
Trustees of Schools	<ul><li>James Moran</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Joseph Brown</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Isaac Bradshaw</li></ul>
Overeers of Poor	<ul> <li>Ebenezer Vaughan</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>William Bradshaw Jr.</li> </ul>
Assessors	<ul> <li>Stephen Mosher</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Ebenezer Vaughan</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>David Vaughan</li> </ul>
Collector of Taxes	<ul><li>Joseph Brown</li></ul>
Constables	<ul> <li>Hezekiah Delong</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Simon Vaughan</li> </ul>
Pound Keeper	<ul> <li>Daniel Vaughan</li> </ul>
Fence Viewers	<ul> <li>Daniel Brown</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Philip Black</li> </ul>
Parisk Clerk	<ul> <li>Henry S. Powers</li> </ul>

#### City of Saint John

Office	Names
Overseers of the Poor	<ul> <li>Thomas Merritt</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>John Melick</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Golding</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Thomas [Lackey]</li></ul>
Trustees of Schools	<ul> <li>Josiah Wetmore</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Samuel Strange</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Frederick Coster</li> </ul>

#### **Treasurer to Pay:**

Office:	Notes:
Sheriff	For his services
The Clerk	For his services
John C. Waterbury	Keeping the Poor House of the Parish of Portland

### **Grand Jury Presentments:**

- Generally, they find less incumberances in the streets and highways than usual, but still some nuisances are apparent
- A dangerous hole is left open on the line of the wharves of Mr. MacDonald and Mr. Jarvis on St.
   John Street, which exposes foot passengers to great hazard
- A log is required to be put between the platform in St. John Street opposite Mr. Lovett and Mr. Thomas
- A Bad Place in the wharf corner of Lake Stores in Nelson Street
- Conceieve it hightly proper that an open well on the vacant ground of Younghusband Estate should be covered up or nailed in
- A large quantity of [plank and knees?] have been left in Prince William Street, to the great annoyance of the public
- Flight of steps erected for access to Bailey's House is a flagrant encroachment of the street
- Encroachments have been made on the public grounds and highways encumbering the public landing

#### **Tavern Licences**

Name:	Sureties:
Daniel Smith	<ul><li>William Parkes</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Solomon Hersey</li></ul>
William Parkes	<ul><li>Daniel Smith</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Solomon Hersey</li></ul>
James [Bartrim]	<ul> <li>David Leonard</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Andrew Hamilton</li> </ul>
Solomon Hersey	<ul><li>Daniel Smith</li></ul>
	<ul><li>William Parkes</li></ul>
Robert Bowes	<ul><li>John Dooley</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John Corrigan</li></ul>
David Vaughan	<ul> <li>Robert Robertson</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Philip Schurman</li> </ul>

James Rodden	<ul> <li>James Saunder</li> </ul>
Julies Hodden	<ul><li>Joseph Davis</li></ul>
Josiah Adams	John Vincent
Josian Addins	William Johnston
Humphry Tyson	George Smith
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George Smith	Humphry Tyson
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James Burly	George Smith
James Barry	William Beatty
James Davis	John Cunnard
Julies Davis	William Beatty
James Scribner	Peter Snyder
James Scribile	William Johnston
William Johnston	John Cunnard
William 301113ton	Daniel Smith
John Cunnard	William Johnston
	Daniel Smith
Barnes Travis	<ul><li>Francis Perley</li></ul>
	Thomas McMackin
Thomas Long	Thomas McMackin
	Thomas Cunnard
Lauchlan Cochran	<ul> <li>Daniel Smith</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>William Parkes</li></ul>
John Harding	<ul> <li>Benjamin Herrington</li> </ul>
	Ebenezer Herrington
John L. Loyd	<ul><li>John McWilliams</li></ul>
•	<ul><li>John Niles</li></ul>
John Niles	<ul><li>John L. Loyd</li></ul>
	<ul><li>John McWilliams</li></ul>
Benjamin Wright	<ul><li>Lewis Carvell</li></ul>
, ,	<ul> <li>Shubal Stevens</li> </ul>
Henry Anthony	<ul> <li>Thomas Harding</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>William Shuman</li></ul>
John Kinnear	<ul> <li>William B. Kinnear</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Gregory Vanhorne</li> </ul>
Joseph Boggs	<ul><li>William Hutchinson</li></ul>
	<ul><li>Jesse Quinton</li></ul>
John McWilliams	<ul> <li>Robert W. Nowlan</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>John Niles</li></ul>
Court Adjourns	

# 10 April 1826

# **Special Session**

# **Esquire Justices**

- Thomas Harding
- Gregory Vanhorne
- Charles Simonds
- Allan Otty

### **Court Orders:**

- The several balances reported are to be due, be paid
   Thomas McMackin, Collector of Taxes for Portland Parish, is to complete the collecting of taxes for that area and report thereon accordingly

### **Accounts:**

### **Accounts Committee Report:**

Account of:	Notes:
Thomas Sancton	County Treasurer; Account labelled "A"
James Potter; Daniel Ausley	Overseers of the Poor; Account labelled "B"
Thomas Baldwin	Collector of Taxes; Account labelled "C"
Thomas Baldwin	Account of Taxes on Days in 1825; Account labelled "D"
John C. Waterbury	Overseer of Poor for Portland Parish; "Account labelled "E"
Several persons of Carleton	Page left unsigned therefore no report can be made upon paper; Probably relates to poor matters; Account labelled "F"
Jesse Quinton; Isaac Clarke	Oveerseers of Poor for Lancaster Parish; Account labelled "G"
Alexander McLeod	Coroner; Account labelled "H"; To be paid in usual manner
Robert W. Nowlan	Account for board of prisoners in Gaol; Account labelled "I"; To be paid in usual manner
Joshua Bunting	For services; Account labelled "K"; To be paid in usual manner

<sup>-</sup> Submitted by Committee: G. Vanhorne, Thomas Millidge and R. M. Jarvis

## **Court Adjourns**

# 6 June 1826

### **Esquire Justices**

- Ralph M. Jarvis

- Thomas Harding
- Robert Robertson

### **Constables Sworn**

Name:	Notes:
Joshua Bunting	AP; High Constable
William Fearebay	
Robert W. Nowlan	
Rowland Bunting	
Frederick Rupert	
Benjamin Herrington	
Charles Vail	
James Robinson	
John Robinson Jr.	
Francis Johnston	
William Clucus	
Robert McElvey	AP
John McArthur	AP
Joseph McPherson	AP
Thomas Coran	AP
Ebenezer Herrington	AP
James Clark	AP
John Lodge	AP
Robert Long	AP
Francis Johnston	AP
John Furlong	AP

### **Grand Iury Sworn**

Name:	Notes:	
Nehemiah Merritt	Foreman	
W. E. Nelson DeVeber		
William Jarvis		
Henry Chubb		
John Burns		
John Kerr		
Thomas L. Nicholson		
Isaac Ketchum		
Ambrose Perkins		
Benjamin F. Marsh		
George Whittaker		
Daniel Scovil		
John Hammond		
Andrew Smiley		
Edward N. Greenwood		
William Flaherty		
James Stewart		

Richard B. D. King	
Stephen James	
James H. Fowler	

### **Offences**

# Acts against property only: Larceny

King v. Nelson Thompson and George Betts

Name:	Notes:
Nelson Thompson	Defendant; Indictment for Larceny
George Bettrs	Defendant; Indictment for Larceny
Charles Whitney	Witness
Robert McElvey	Witness
Joseph McPherson	Witness

### King v. Barbara Ford

Name:	Notes:
Barbara Ford	Defendant; Indictment for Larceny
Samuel Spiller	Witness
[Symar] Childs	Witness
James Newray	Witness

### Recognizances

Following persons are called upon their recognizances

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Name:	Notes:
Mary Durant	Appears
William Durant	Appears
Robert Robertson	Appears

# **Court Adjourns**

# 7 June 1826

# **Esquire Justices**

- John M. Wilmot
- Lauchlan Donaldson
- Thomas Harding

# **Offences**

# Acts against public order sexual standards: Bastardy

Overseers of the Poor vs. Abel Sands

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Name:	Notes:
Abel Sands	Father of bastard child
Mr. Peters	Counsel for Overseers

Ann Mickens	Sworn
Robert W. Nowlan	Sworn
Mary Ogelvie	Sworn

# Acts causing harm to a person: assault

### King v. John Bradley and John McCann

Name:	Notes:
John Bradley	Defendant; Indictment for assault
John McCann	Defendant; Indictment for assault; sureties make
	default
Richard Nowlan	Juror
Nugent Creighton	Juror
David Leonard	Juror
Richard Calvert	Juror
William Bell	Juror
John Anning	Juror
James K. McKay	Juror
John Hartt	Juror
Joseph Daley	Juror
Patrick Murphy	Juror
John McKenzie	Juror
John Graham	Witness for Prosecution
William Fitzsimmons	Witness for prosecution
James Bertram	Witness for Prosecution
Joseph Gray	Witness for Prosecution
David Rovertson	Witness for Prosecution
John McKenzie	Witness for Defendant
Mark Jelly	Witness for Defendant
Patrick McWade	Witness for Defendant

### King v. George Snider

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Name:	Notes:
George Snider	Defendant; Indictment for assault
Paul Kingslow	Witness
Henry Holman	Witness
Francis Crawford	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# King v. Thomas Tidd

Name:	Notes:
Thomas Tidd	Defendant; Indictment for assault; process against Defendant
Peter Paul	Witness
William Baliey	Witness
Francis Crawford	Witness
Edward Power	Witness

Edward Davis	Witness
Susan Jones	Witness

- Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

### King v. Joseph Green

Name:	Notes:
Joseph Green	Defendant; Indictment for Assault
Adam Pearson	Witness
George McAuley	Witness
Rovert Morecraft	Witness
Acts contrary to regulatory provisions	Act involving behaviour that is regulated or prohibited on moral or ethical grounds

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

 $Acts\ contrary\ to\ regulatory\ provisions:\ Acts\ involving\ behaviour\ that\ is\ regulated\ or\ prohibited\ on\ moral\ or\ ethical\ grounds:\ disorderly\ house$ 

### King v. Rosannah Hilt

Name:	Notes:
Rosannah Hilt	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house
Michael Fitzgerald	Witness
James Berry	Witness
Thomas Baldwin	Witness
Robert Robertson	Witness

# Acts against property only: larceny

### King v. John Veal Jr. and Daniel Dykeman

Name:	Notes:
John Veal Jr.	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; makes default
	upon recognizance
Daniel Dykeman	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; makes default
	upon recognizance
Charles Veal	Makes default upon recognizance
Andrew Hammon	Makes default upon recognizance

### King v. Barbara Ford

Name:	Notes:
Barbara Ford	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Samuel Spiller	Surety in £20; called to appear and give evidence
Lyman Childs	Surety in £20; called to appear and give evidence

### King v. Jane Hudson

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Name:	Notes:
Jane Hudson	Defendant; Indictment for receiving stolen goods
	(larceny)
Robert McElvery	Witness
Joseph McPherson	Witness

Charles Whitney	Witness
Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill	

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# **Bills of Indictment: Grand Jury Presentments**

Name:	Notes:
King v. Barbara Ford	A True Bill
King v. Nelson Thompson and George Betts	A True Bill
King v. Frederick Edmond and Philip Stuckland	No Bill

### **Court Orders**

### **Tavern Licences**

Name:	Sureties:
Samuel Joyce	James Scribner
	Joseph Levigne
David Fenton	Peter Cleary
	William Hughes
Robert Chapman	John Major
	David Fenton
M[urty] Flaherty	Peter Cleary
	William Owens
Thomas Nance	Robert Chapman
	John Major
James Rendall	Robert Moore
	John McWilliams
James Dohar	John McWilliams
	Edward Dohar

### **Court Adjourns**

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# **Esquire Justices:**

- John M. Wilmot
- Thomas Harding
- John Ward
- William Carman

### **Offences:**

Acts against public order sexual standards: Bastardy

Overseer of the Poor for the City of Saint John vs. Abel Sands

Name:	Notes:
Abel Sands	
1 10 0 10 11 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	Alleged father of the bastard child; Is determined
	to be the father; Ordered to pay a sum to
	Overseers of the Poor for the lying-in expense of

	Ann Mickens and the maintenance of the child; Also ordered to pay a weekly sum for the
	maintenance of the child
Ann Micken	Mother of bastard child; Is a married woman but
	claims that her husband was in Miramichi for a
	period much beyond that of gestation (nearly 3
	years before birth; Claims that no sexual
	intercourse could have taken place between
	husband and wife during this period; Her
	testimony alone is not admissable
Mary Ogelvie	Witness for Ann Micken; Confims absence of
	Ann's husband; Testimony is admissible

# Acts against property only: larceny

King v. John Veal Jr. and Daniel Dykeman

Name:	Notes:
John Veal Jr.	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Found not
	guilty
Daniel Dykeman	Defendant; Indictment for larceny; Found not
	guilty
Benjamin Thomson	Juror
John Knowlin	Juror
Samuel Kinsman	Juror
William Walker	Juror
Thomas Brookes	Juror
John Cox	Juror
John Sinclair	Juror
John Peterson	Juror
John Shaw	Juror
George A. Lockhart	Juror
Henry Golding	Juror
Barnes Traviss	Witness for prosecution
Thomas Heater	Witness for prosecution
James Reynolds	Witness for prosecution
Robert Cunard	Witness for prosecution
Hugh Carvell	Witness for prosecution
Robert Rankin	Witness for prosecution
Abner Hampton	Witness for defendants
Henry Kee	Witness for defendants
Samuel Theall	Witness for defendants
Daniel Leavitt	Witness for defendants
Sherman Carman	Witness for defendants

# King v. James Logan and Hugh O'Brien

Name:	Notes:
John Bradley	Defendant: Indictment for larceny

Hugh O'Brien	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
Alexander Dale	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: No Bill

### King v. John Dundas

Name:	Notes:
John Dundas	Defendant; Indictment for larceny
George Anderson	Witness; Recognised in £20 to give evidence at
	Court of Oyer and Terminer
Richard Bradley	Witness; Recognised in £20 to give evidence at
	Court of Oyer and Terminer

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

### Acts causing harm to a person: assault

# King v. John Bradley

Name:	Notes:
John Bradley	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Jury cannot
	agree on verdict and evidence is recapitulated;
	Upon reconsideration is found not guilty

King v. Thomas Flemming

Name:	Notes:
Thomas Flemming	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Bench warrant issued; Pleads not guilty; Enters into recognizance in £20
George Richards	Witness
Ann Williams	Witness
William Henderson	Surety in £10
Joseph Henderson	Surety in £10

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

# King v. John McCann

Name:	Notes:	
John McCann	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Ordered	
	recognizance be estreated	

# King v. Whinney Fisher and Maria Burgess

Name:	Notes:
Whinney Fisher	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Pleads not
	guilty; Enters into recognizance in £20; Found
	guilty; Sentenced to be imprisoned for one week
Maria Burgess	Defendant; Indictment for assault; Enters into
	recognizance in £20; Found guilty; Sentenced to
	be imprisoned for one week
Richard Calvert	Juror
Joseph Daily	Juror
Patrick Murphy	Juror

David Leonard	Juror
Benjamin Thomson	Juror
William Bell	Juror
George A. Lockhart	Juror
James K. McKay	Juror
John Knowlin	Juror
Nugent Creighton	Juror
John Cox	Juror
John Bowman	Juror

 $Acts\ contrary\ to\ regulatory\ provisions:\ Acts\ involving\ behaviour\ that\ is\ regulated\ or\ prohibited\ on\ moral\ or\ ethical\ grounds:\ disorderly\ house$ 

### King v. Rosannah Hilt

Name:	Notes:
Rosannah Hilt	Defendant; Indictment for keeping a disorderly
	house; Bench warrant issued; Pleads not guilty;
	Retires to look for sureties
Michael Fitzgerald	Witness
James Berry	Witness
Thomas Baldwin	Witness
Robert Robertson	Witness
Thomas Burr	Witness

Grand Jury Presentment: A True Bill

### **Act Unknown**

### King v. Nancy McColgan

Name:	Notes:
Nancy McColgan	Prisoner; Act unknown; Discharged

### **Court Orders**

# **Tavern Licences**

Name:	Sureties:	
Fergus McCarty	Samuel E. Jackins	
	Edmond Power	
Dennis McColgan	John Wilkinson	
	Thomas Brookes	
Archibald Cooper	Neil McColgan	
	John Bradley	

**Court Adjourns**