

COUNTY OF MONMOUTH  
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1778 – 1786

Allin – Woodward

Including three Confiscations  
and six Appeals

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
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**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Allin, Joseph**

MONMOUTH COUNTY, *to wit*,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the Twenty Eighth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Two by the Oaths of Kenneth Hankinson, Thomas Cook, John Davison, Lewis McKnight, Jeremiah Brown, Ebenezer Ker, Jediah Davison, John Craig, James Tapscott, Benjamin Covenhoven, George Caster, Solomon Combs, & Robert Laird, good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths or Affirmations aforesaid, say, That Joseph Allin late of the Township of Shrewsbury and County a<sup>d</sup> did Join the Army of the King of Great Britain on or about the first day of August one Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty and is an Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, *An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned*, made and passed the eleventh Day Day of *December*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the said Joseph Allin did falsely and Traiterously join the Army of the King of Great Britain against the form of His allegiance.

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.	Jeremiah Brown	Benjamin Covenhoven
Kenneth Hankinson	Ebenezer Ker	George Caster
Thomas Cook	Jediah Davison	Solomon Combs
John Davison	John Craig	Robert Laird
Lewis McKnight	James Tapscott	

The State }  
 agt. } Inq<sup>n</sup>  
Joseph Allin }

Witness for the State } Daniel Bray Asaa Wooley ----No. 11  
Ag<sup>t</sup>. Joseph Allin }

April Term 1782 Proclamation made according to Law - Default made  
First Court.

July Term 1782  
2<sup>nd</sup> Default

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
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**Inquisition**

**Ashfield, Vincent Pierce**

At an Inferior Court of Common Pleas held at Newark in & for the County of Essex of the Term of June in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred & Seventy nine -

Present - Stephen Crane            } Esquires  
          William Burnet            } Judges  
          Joseph Hedden Jr.        }

The State                    }

vs                                }

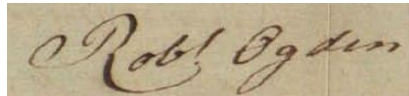
Vincent Pierce Ashfield    }

[[Sus ??]] Inquisition made & returned to this Court in April Term last -

The defendant being Called did not appear. proclamation was then made agreeably to the directions of the Statute in such Case made and provided but neither the defendant nor any other person appearing in his behalf to traverse the said Inquisition Ordered that his second default be Recorded and that final Judgment be entered agreeably to said Statute on motion of Paterson Attorney General.

I do hereby Certify that the above is a true extract from the Record of the said Court.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court this twelfth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & Eighty four --

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Robt Ogden", written in dark ink on a light-colored, aged paper background.

Robt. Ogden Esq. Clk

Pierce Ashford  
Inquisition

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**Barbarie, Andrew**

*(see entry for Campbell, Robert)*



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**Inquisition**

**Barbarie, Oliver**  
*(see entry for Campbell, Robert)*

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**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Bills, Thomas**

Monmouth County Ss.

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County of Monmouth, the Tenth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Eight by the Oaths of Joshua Anderson, Peter Holsart, Garret Vanderveer, Benjamin Covenhoven, Cornelius Vanderveer, Daniel Wainwright, Zebulon Baird, John Schenck, Thomas Cox, Thomas Edwards, James Mount, John Covenhoven, Alexander Montgomery, Stoffel Longstreet good and lawful Men of the said County, before Joseph Lawrence Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oath aforesaid, say, That Thomas Bills, Late of the Township of Freehold in the County aforesaid, Did, Since the fourth Day of October one thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Six, and Before the fifth Day of June one thousand Seven Hundred & Seventy Seven to wit on or about the thirtieth Day of March one thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Seven Joyn the Army of the King of Great Britain against the Form of his Allegiance to this State and against the peace of this State, the Government and Dignity of the same.

We whose Names are hereunto Set, and Seals affixed, Being the Jurors above-names do, uppon the Evidence to us Produced, fine the Inquisition aforesaid true.

[[Signatures follow]]

Joseph Lawrence justice	Cornelius Vanderveer	Thomas Edwards
Joshua Anderson	Daniel Wainwright	James Mount
Peter Holsart	Zebulon Baird	John Covenhoven
G. Vanderveer	Thomas Cox Juror	Alexander Montgomery
Benjamin Covenhoven	John Schenck	Stoffel Longstreet

Evidence of the within

Thos. Bills Called Daniel Emmons Son of Daniel

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**Inquisition**

**Borden, John**  
*(see entry for Gillin, William)*

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**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Bowne, Andrew**

MONMOUTH COUNTY, *to wit*,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the Twenty Eighth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Two by the Oaths of Kenneth Anderson Jr., Jonathan Forman, Elisha Walton, John Walton, William Johnston, Joseph Clayton, Joseph Benham, George Walker, David Covenhoven, Garrit Vandever, Richard Jeffery, Aaron Davis, Joseph Brown, good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths or Affirmations aforesaid, say, that Andrew Bown - late of the Township of Middletown and County of Monmouth aforesaid, did Join the Army of the King of Great Britain on or about the 15th day of June one Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy Seven and is an Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, *An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against, such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned*, made and passed the eleventh Day Day of *December*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the said Andrew Bown did falsely and Traiterously Join the Army of the King of Great Britain against the form of his Allegiance ---

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.  
K. Anderson Jr.  
Jon<sup>t</sup>. Forman  
Elisha Walton  
John Walton

William Johnson	Garrit Vandever
Joseph Clayton	Richard Jeffery
Joseph Benham	
George Walker	Aaron Davis
David Covenhoven	Joseph Brown

The State            }  
  ag<sup>t</sup>                }  
Andrew Bown        } Inq<sup>n</sup>.

April term 1782 procla-  
mation made according  
to Law. Default made  
1<sup>st</sup> Court.

July term 1782.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Default.

Witness            }  
agt.                }  
Andrew Bowne     } Elias Bailey

No. 2



**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Bowne, Obediah**

MONMOUTH COUNTY, *to wit*,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the Twenty Eighth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Two by the Oaths of Kenneth Hankinson, Thomas Cook, John Davison, Lewis Mc Knight, Jeremiah Brown, Ebenezer Ker, Jediah Davison, John Craig, James Tapscott, Benjamin Covenhoven George Casler, Solomon Combs, Robert Laird, good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths or Affirmations aforesaid, say, That Obediah Bown late of the Township of Middle Town within the County of Monmouth aforesaid did Join the Army of the King of Great Britain on the first day of June in the Year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and Seventy Seven and is an Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, *An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against, such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned*, made and passed the eleventh Day Day of *December*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the said Obediah Bown did Falsely and Traiterously Join the said Army of the King of Great Britain against the form of his allegiance -----

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.  
Kenneth Hankinson  
Thomas Cook  
John Davison  
Lewis Macknight

Jeremiah Brown  
Ebenezer Ker  
Jediah Davison  
John Craig  
James Tapscott

Benjamin Covenhoven  
George Casler  
Solomon Combs  
Robert Laird

The State }  
ag<sup>t</sup> }  
Obediah Bown }

April term 1782 proclama-  
tion made according to  
Law. Default made  
First time  
July term 1782  
2<sup>d</sup> Default

Witness }  
ag<sup>t</sup>. } Elias Bailey  
Obadiah Bowne }

Nº. 3

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Bowne, Phillip**

Monmouth County, to wit,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the fifteenth day of January in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Three by the Oaths of Elisha Walton, Joseph Clayton, Aaron Davis, Wm. Johnson, Ebenezer Kerr, Joseph Benham, Lewis Macknight, John Walton, John Brinley, John Craig, John Camble, David Covenhoven, Tunis Vanderveer, good and lawfull Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, That, Phillip Bowne late of the Township of Middletown, within the County aforesaid; did Join the Army of the King of Great Brittain, about the first day of March, in the Year of our Lord, One thousand seven hundred and Eighty Two, and is an Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, Intitled, An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against, such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned, made and passed the eleventh Day Day of December, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the said Phillip Bowne, did falsely and Traterously Join the Army of the King of Great Brittain, against the form of his Alegence ---

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.	Ebenezer Kerr	John Craig
Elisha Walton	Joseph Benham	John Campbell
Joseph Clayton	Lewis Macknight	David Covenhoven
Aaron Davis	John Walton	Tunis Vanderveer
William Johnson	John Brinley	

Nº 7 -  
Jany term 1783 Called  
three times and first -  
default ordered to be  
recorded.

The State        }  
    ag<sup>t</sup>.         } Inquisition  
Phillip Bowne    }

2<sup>d</sup>. Def<sup>t</sup>. made

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**Inquisition**

**Campbell, Robert**

**Barbarie, Andrew**

**Barbarie, Oliver**

**Cook, John**

**Crow, Robert Richard**

**French, Philip**

**Gosling, David**

**Martin, Robert**

**Mercreau, Andrew**

**Perrine, John, Jr.**

**Skinner, Courtland**

**Skinner, Stephen**

**Smith, Samuel**

**Warne, Samuel**

July Term 1778

At a Court of Common Pleas held at New Brunswick in and for the County of Middlesex on Tuesday the twenty first day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy eight.

Present

James Neilson }  
John Lloyd } Esq<sup>r</sup> Judges  
Jon<sup>n</sup> Combs }

State of new Jersey }  
Middlesex County Ss } An Inquisition taken and made at Daniel Lotts in the said County of Middlesex on the twenty eight day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy eight, by the oaths of Andrew McDowell, Simon Vandike, David Williamson, Jacob Gulick, John Anderson, Joseph Potts, Matthias Johnson, Isaiah Shaw, Nicholas VanWickle, Jacob Suidam, Cornelius Johnson, John Dye, Obediah Buckalew, Joseph Ellison, Matthew Rue, Thomas Morford, good and lawful men of the said County before Luycas Schanck Esquire one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who upon their oath aforesaid, say that Andrew Mercreau, John Perrine Jun<sup>r</sup>. Samuel Smith, John Cook, Robert Martin, Stephen Skinner, Oliver Barbarie, Robert Richard Crow, Andrew Barbarie, Samuel Warne, David Gosling, Robert Campbell and Courtland Skinner



of the said County, and Philip French of Summerset / who has estate in the County of Middlesex / did, since the fourth day of October, one thousand seven hundred and seventy six, and before the fifth day of June one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven viz. on or about the first of January one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven join the Army of the King of Great Britain and have aided of assisted the enemies of this State against the form of their allegiance to said State, and against the peace of this State, the government and dignity of the same.

We whose names are hereunto set and Seals affixed being the Jurors above named, do upon the evidence to us produced find the Inquisition aforesaid true --

[[Signatures follow]]

Andrew M <sup>c</sup> Dowell	Nich <sup>l</sup> VanWickle
Simon VanDike	Jacob Suidam
D <sup>d</sup> . Williamson	Cornelius Johnson
Jacob Gulick	John Dey
John Anderson	Obediah Buckalew
Joseph Potts	Joseph Ellison
Matthias Johnson	Matthew Rue
Isaiah Shaw	Thomas Morford

This is to certify, that this within inquisition was taken before me at the place and time above mentioned that the same was so taken by the Juriors therein named, given under my hand and seal

[[Signature follows]]

Luycas Schanck

The State } Inquisition for joining, aiding,  
ags<sup>t</sup> } and assisting the army of the King  
Robert Campbell } of Great Britain &c.

Proclamation being made and the said Robert Campbell or some person in his behalf or some person who might think himself interested therein being three times called to appear and traverse according to Law, the Inquisition found and taken against the said Robert Campbell and no person appearing to traverse the Same ordered that the defendants first default be recorded On motion of the Attorney General.

October Term 1778.

At a Court of Common Pleas held at New Brunswick in and for the County of Middlesex on the thirteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy eight

Present  
James Neilson }  
John Lloyd } Esquires Judges  
Jon<sup>n</sup> Combs }  
Jonathan Baldwin }

The State }  
vs } [[Sur ??]] Inquisition  
Robert Campbell } Proclamation being made and the  
said Robert Campbell or some person in his behalf or some person who might think himself interested  
therein being three times called to appear and traverse according to Law, the Inquisition found and  
taken against the said Robert Campbell and no person appearing to traverse the Same - Ordered that the  
second default be recorded and Judgment final entered on motion of the Attorney General.

State of New Jersey }  
Middlesex County } I William P. Deare clerk of the Court of Common Pleas in & for the county of  
Middlesex in the State aforesaid certify the within to be true copies from the files and records in said  
office. ----In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my name & the Seal of said Court at New  
Brunswick the tenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

[[Signature follows]]  
W<sup>m</sup> P. Deare clk

April term 1782 Proclama-  
tion made according to  
Law Default made - First  
Court.

July term 1782  
2<sup>d</sup> Default.

Middlesex files??  
The State } Copy  
vs. } Inquisition  
Rbt. Campbell } Judgement

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
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**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Cochran, Richard**

In an Inferior Court of Common Pleas holden at Hillsborough in & for the county of Somerset in the  
Year of our Lord, Seventeen hundred & Seventy eight  
Tuesday Oct. 7.

Present

Peter Schenk        }  
Jacob Bergen        } Esq<sup>f</sup> Judges  
AbramVanNest       }

The State        }  
vs                }  
Richard Cochran }

Inquisition, for joining the Army of the King of Great Brittan. Proclamation being made and the said Richard Cochran or some person on his behalf, or some person who might think himself Interested, being three times Called to appear & traverse pursuant to Law, the Inquisition found & taken against the said Richard Cochran. and no person appearing Ordered that the Second Default be recorded & that judgement final be entered against the said Richard Cochran. On motion of W<sup>m</sup>. Attor. Genl.

a true Copy from the Minutes

certified under the Seal of the Court by

Fred<sup>k</sup>. Frelinghuysen

Clk of Somerset

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**

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**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Cook, John**

*(see entry for Campbell, Robert)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Corlis, William**

MONMOUTH COUNTY, *to wit*,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the Twenty Eighth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and eighty two by the Oaths of Kenneth Anderson Jun<sup>r</sup>., Jonathan Forman, Elisha Walton, John Walton, William Johnson, Joseph Clayton, Joseph Benham, David Covenhoven, Garret Vanderveer, Richard Jeffery, Aaron Davis & Joseph Brown good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths or Affirmations aforesaid, say, That William Corlis late of the Township of Shrewsbury in s<sup>d</sup>. County did Join the army of the King of Great Britain on or before the Twenty fifth of December one thousand seven Hundred & Eighty one and is an Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, *An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned*, made and passed the eleventh Day Day of *December*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the afore said William Corlis did falsly and traiterously Join the Army of the King of Great Britain against the form of his allegiance ----

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.	Joseph Clayton	Richard Jeffery
Kenneth Anderson Jun <sup>r</sup> .	Joseph Benham	
Jonathan Forman	George Walker	Aaron Davis
Elisha Walton		
John Walton	David Covenhoven	Joseph Brown
William Johnson	Garret Vanderveer	



The State }  
ag<sup>t</sup> } Inq<sup>n</sup>.  
William Corlis }

Witness for the }  
State ag<sup>t</sup>. }  
William Corlis }

Asach Wooly Joseph Ivason

No. 9

April term 1782 procla-  
mation made according  
to Law. Default made  
First term

July term 1782.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Default.

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
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**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Crow, Robert Richard**  
*(see entry for Campbell, Robert)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Dennis, Sarah**

MONMOUTH COUNTY, *to wit*,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the Twenty Eighth Day of January in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and eighty two by the Oaths of Kenneth Anderson Jun<sup>r</sup>., Jonathan Forman, Elisha Walton, John Walton, William Johnson, Joseph Clayton, Joseph Benham, George Walker, David Covenhoven, Garret Vanderveer, Richard Jeffery, Aaron Davis & Joseph Brown good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths or Affirmations aforesaid, say, That Sarah Dennis late of the Township of Middletown within the said County of Monmouth Did Join the army of the King of Great Britain about the first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven Hundred & seventy seven and is an Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, *An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned*, made and passed the eleventh Day of *December*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the said Sarah Dennis did falsely and Traiterously Join the said Army of the King of Great Britain against the form of her allegiance ----

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.	Joseph Clayton	Garrit Vanderveer
Kenneth Anderson Jun <sup>r</sup> .	Joseph Benham	Richard Jeffery
Jonathan Forman	George Walker	Aaron Davis
Elisha Walton	David Covenhoven	Joseph Brown
John Walton		
William Johnson		

The State        }  
    ag<sup>t</sup>            }  
Sarah Dennis    }

Inq<sup>n</sup>.

Wits.

Jo<sup>n</sup>. Brown

Sam<sup>l</sup>. Smith

No. 1

April term 1782 Procla-  
mation made according  
to Law. Default made [[illegible word]]  
First Court -

July term 1782 requested by  
Commissioner to proceed  
no further on this Inquisition

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## **American Revolution**

### **Inquisition**

**Emmuns, Jacob**  
*(see entry for Gillin, William)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**

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**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**French, Philip**

*(see entry for Campbell, Robert)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

## **American Revolution**

### **Inquisition**

**Gillin, William**

**Borden, John**

**White, Britten**

**Riker, Tobias**

**Lesetter, Daniel**



Monmouth County

An inquisition Taken and made at Freehold in the Said County of monmoth the Tenth Day of June in the year of our Lord one Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy eight By the oaths of Thomas Forman Edward Taylor William Liming Thomas Cox John Cox Joseph Cox Michel Mount John Andrews Luke Wikoff James Green Stephen Vankirk Andrew Bowne John Craig David Forman - Good and Lawful men of the Said County Before - Joseph Lawrence Esquire one of the Justices of the Peace of the Said County who upon their oaths aforesaid Say that - William Gilyen, John Borden, Britten White, Tobias Riker, Danniell Lesettre - Late of Shrewsbury in the County aforesaid Did since the forth Day of October one thousand Seven hundred and Seventy six and before the fifth Day of June one Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy Seven to wit on or about the first Day of January on Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy Seven Join the army of the king Great Britten against the form of his allegiance to this State and against the Peace of this State the goverment and Dignity of the Same we whose Names are hereunto Set and Seals affixed Being the Jurors above Named Do upon the evidence to us Produced find the inquisitions aforesaid true.

[[Signatures follow]]

Joseph Lawrence Justice

Thomas Forman

Edward Taylor

W<sup>m</sup> Liming

Tho<sup>s</sup> Cox

Joseph Cox

Michael Mount

John Craig

David Forman

John Cox

James Green

Stephen Vankirk

Andrew Bowne

John Andrews

Luke Wikoff

William Parker    Witness

William Gillin    Called x

John Borden      Called x

Britten White     Called x

Tobias Riker      Called x

Daniel Lesetter   Called x

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
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**Gosling, David**

*(see entry for Campbell, Robert)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

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**Inquisition**

**Guisbertson, William**

Know all men by these presents that I Gilbert Longstreet of Uper Freehold in the County of Monmouth & State of New Jersey Yeoman am held & firmly Bound unto his Excellency William Livingston Esq<sup>r</sup>. his Heirs & Successors (for the use of the State) in the sum of one thousand pounds Current money of said State to be paid to the said William Livingston his Certain Attorney Successors or Assigns. To the which payment will & truly to be made I do bind myself my Heirs Exrs. Admrs. & every of them firmly by these presents Sealed with my seal dated the twentieth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & seventy Eight.

Whereas Inquisition hath been found & taken against William Guisbertson late of Uper Freehold in the County aforesaid for joining the Army of the King of Great Britain Now the Condition of this Obligation is such that if the above Bounden Gilbert Longstreet shall traverse said Inquisition found as aforesaid to Effect & pay all such costs as shall be awarded in case Judgment shall be given against the said William Guisbertson then this Obligation to be Void otherwise in force.

Sealed & Delivered  
in the presence of  
[[Signatures follow]]  
Lewis Macknight  
James Willits

[[Signature follows]]  
Gilbert Longstreet

Gilbert Longstreet }  
to } Bond  
his Excell<sup>y</sup> W<sup>m</sup> } £1000  
Livingston Atty }

[Common Pleas]  
1778

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

## **American Revolution**

### **Inquisition**

#### **Hampton, John**

Irvinghead, Samuel Layton

Harbor, Jacob

Layton, Limuel

Emmuns, Jacob

Leonard, Samuel, Jr.

Monmouth County Ss

An Inquisition Taken And made at freehold In the Said County of monmoth the Ninth day of june In the year of our Lord one Thousand Seven hundred And Seventy Eight by the oaths of Joshua Anderson, Peter Holsart, Garrit Vanderveere, Benjamin Covenhoven, Cornelus Vanderveere, Daniel Wainright, Zebulon Baird, John Schenck, Thomas Cox, Thomas Edward, James Mount, John Covenhoven, Alexander Montgomery, Stofel Longstreet, - Good And Lawfull men of the Said County before Joseph Lawrence - Esquire one of the justices of the Peace of the Said Count, Who upon their oaths Aforesaid, say that John Hampton, Samuel Layton Irvinghead, Jacob Harbor, Limuel Layton, Jacob Emmuns, Samuel Leonard Son of Samuel, Late of Shrewsbury In the County aforesaid Did Since the forth Day of October One thousand Seven hundred And Seventy Six, and Before the fifth Day of june One thousand Seven And Seventy Seven to wit on or about the Tenth Day of january One Thousand Seventy Seven Joined the Army of the King of Grate Britain or Other Wise Against the form of his Allegience to this State And Against the Peace of this State, the government And Dignity of the Same.

Whe whose Names are hereunto Set, And Seals Affixed, being the jurors Above Named do Upon the Evidence to us produced, fix the Inquisition Aforesaid true.

[[Signatures follow]]

Jo<sup>s</sup> Lawrence Justice  
Joshua Anderson  
Peter Holsart  
G. Vanderveer  
Cornelius Vanderveer

Benjamin Covenhoven  
Daniel Wainright  
Zebulon Baird  
John Schenck  
Thomas Cox Junior

Tho<sup>s</sup> Edwards  
James Mount  
John Covenhoven  
Alex<sup>f</sup> Montgomery  
Stoffel Longstreet



Evidence: @ the Within	}	Daniel Winright	
@ John Hamtin	}	Jas. Green	x Called
	}	Derick Longstreet	
@ Samuel Latin			x Called
@ Lamuel Latin			x Called
@ Jacob Emmuns Son of Jacob			x Called
@ Samuel Leonard Son of Samuel			x Called
Jacob Herbert			x Called

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Harbor, Jacob**  
*(see entry for Hampton, John)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Hedger, Stephen**

MONMOUTH COUNTY, *to wit*,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the twenty eighth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and eighty two by the Oaths of Kenneth Hankinson, Thomas Cook, John Davison, Lewis McKnight, Jeremiah Brown, Ebenezer Ker, Jediah Davision, John Craig, James Tapscott, Benjamin Covenhoven, George Caster, Solomon Combs & Robert Laird good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths or Affirmations aforesaid, say, That Stephen Hedger, late of the Township of Middletown in S<sup>d</sup> County Did join the Army of the King of Great Britain on or about the first day april in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & seventy seven and is an Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, *An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned*, made and passed the eleventh Day Day of *December*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the said Stephen Hedger did falsely and traiterously join the Army of the Sd King of Great Britain against the form of his Allegiance.

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq  
Kenneth Hankinson  
Thomas Cook  
John Davison  
Lewis MacKnight

Jere Brown  
Ebenezer Ker  
Jedh. Davison  
John Craig  
James Tapscott

Benj Covenhoven  
George Caster  
Solomon Combs  
Robert Laird

The State }  
ag<sup>t</sup> } Inq<sup>n</sup>.  
Stephen Hedgers

April term 1782 Proclama-  
tion made according to Law  
Default

July 1782. 2<sup>nd</sup> Default.

Wit<sup>s</sup> for the State }  
ag<sup>t</sup> } Elias Bailey  
Stephen Hedgers }

No. 6

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Irvinghead, Samuel Layton**  
*(see entry for Hampton, John)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Lawrence, John**

Know all men by these presents that I John Lawrence of Uper Freehold in the County of Monmouth & State of New Jersey am held & firmly Bound unto his Excellency William Livingston Esquire his Heirs & Successors in the sum of one thousand pounds Current money of said State to be paid to the said William Livingston his certain Attorney Successors or Assigns for the use of the State. To the which payment well & truly to be made I do bind myself my Heirs Executors Administrators and every of them firmly by these presents. Sealed with seal dated the Seventh day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & seventy Eight.

Whereas Inquisition hath been found & taken against the above said John Lawrence for joining the Army of the King of Great Britain Now the Condition of this Obligation is such that if the said John Lawrence shall traverse said Inquisition found as aforesaid to Effect & pay all such costs as shall be awarded in case Judgment shall be given against the said John Lawrence then this Obligation to be Void otherwise in force.

Sealed & Delivered  
in the presence of  
[[Signatures follow]]  
John Anderson  
John Anderson Jnr.

[[Signature follows]]  
John Lawrence



John Lawrence	}	
his Excell <sup>y</sup> . W <sup>m</sup> .	}	Bond
Livingston Esq.	}	£1000

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Layton, Limuel**  
*(see entry for Hampton, John)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Leonard, John, Jr.**

Monmouth County to wit,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the fifteenth day of January in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty three by the Oaths of Elisha Walton, Joseph Clayton, Aaron Davis, William Johnston, Ebenezer Ker, Joseph Benham, Lewis McKnight, John Walton, John Brindley, John Craig, John Campble, David Conover & Vanderveer, good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths or Affirmations aforesaid, say, that John Leonard Son of John late of Upper Freehold, within the said County of Monmouth did Join the Army of the King of Great Britain about the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup>. in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Nine and is an Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, *An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned*, made and passed the eleventh Day Day of *December*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the said John Leonard did falsely and Traterously Join the said Army of the King of Great Britain against the form of his allegiance.

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.	Joseph Benhom	John Campbell
Elisha Walton	Lewis Macknight	David Covenhoven
David Clayton	John Walton	Tunis Vanderveer
Aaron Davis		
William Johnson	John Bromley	
Ebenezer Ker	John Craig	

Nº. 6.  
Jan<sup>y</sup> term 1783 Called  
three times - And first  
Default Ordered to be  
recorded. ~

The State	}	
ag <sup>t</sup>	}	Inquisition
John Leonard	}	
Son of John	}	

J. Kafman

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Leonard, Samuel, Junior**  
*(see entry for Hampton, John)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Lesetter, Daniel**  
*(see entry for Gillin, William)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Lufborrow, John**



MONMOUTH COUNTY, *to wit*,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the Twenty Eighth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Two by the Oaths of Keneth Hankinson Thomas Cook, John Davison, Lewis McKnight, Jeremiah Brown, Ebenezer Ker, Jediah Davison, John Craig, James Tapscot, Benjamin Covenhoven, George Casler, Solomon Combs, Robert Laird good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths or Affirmations aforesaid, say, That John Lufborrow late of the Township of Middle Town and Co<sup>ty</sup> af<sup>d</sup> did Join the Army of the King of Great Britain on or about the first day of January One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Eight and is an Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, *An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned*, made and passed the eleventh Day Day of *December*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the Said John Lufborrow did falsly and Traiterously Join the Army of The King of Great Britain against the form of his allegiance-----

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.	Jere Brown	Benj. Covenhoven
Kenneth Hankinson	Ebenezer Ker	George Casler
Thomas Cook	Jed <sup>ah</sup> Davison	Solomon Combs
John Davison	John Craig	
Lewis Macknight	James Tapscot	Robert Laird

Witness for the State } Jos<sup>h</sup>. Brown Jo<sup>n</sup>. Brown Jon<sup>n</sup>. Stout  
Ag<sup>t</sup> Jon. Lufborrow } N<sup>o</sup>. 13 -

Wednesday April term 1782 John Lufborough three times  
called & made default

The State }  
ag<sup>t</sup> } Inq<sup>n</sup>.  
John Lufborrow }

April term 1782 Procla-  
mation made according  
to Law. Default made  
first Court.

July term 1782.  
2<sup>d</sup> Default.

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Mairs, Joseph**

Know all men by these presents that we Joseph Mairs & Thomas Lewis Woodward of Upper Freehold in the County of Monmouth & State of New Jersey are held & firmly Bound unto his Excellency William Livingston Esq. his Heirs & Successors in the sum of one thousand Pounds Current money of said State to be paid to the said William Livingston his Certain Attorney Successors or Assigns. To the which payment well & truly to be made we do bind ourselves our Heirs Executors Administrators and every of them Jointly Severally & firmly. Sealed with our seals dated the Twenty Eighth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & seventy Eight.

Whereas Inquisition hath been found & taken against the above Bounden Joseph Mairs for joining the Army of the King of Great Britain Now the Condition of this Obligation is such that if the said Joseph Mairs shall Traverse said Inquisition found against s<sup>d</sup>. Joseph to Effect & pay all such costs as shall be awarded in case Judgment shall be given against the said Joseph Mairs then this Obligation to be Void Otherwise in force.

Sealed & Delivered  
in the presence of  
[[Signatures follow]]  
Elizabeth Anderson  
W<sup>m</sup>. Anderson Jun<sup>r</sup>.

[[Signature follows]]  
Joseph Meirs  
Tho. Lewis Woodward

Jo<sup>s</sup> Mairs & }  
Tho<sup>s</sup> L. Woodward }  
to } Bond  
his Excell<sup>y</sup> W<sup>m</sup> } £1000  
Livingston Esq<sup>f</sup> }

COMMON PLEAS  
1778

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**

**County Clerk**

**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Martin, Robert**

*(see entry for Campbell, Robert)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**McCleave, Cornelius, Jr.**

Monmouth County to wit

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the twenty eighth day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and eight two by the Oaths of Kenneth Anderson Jun<sup>r</sup>.

Johnathan Forman Elisha Walton John Walton William Johnson Joseph Clayton Joseph Benham George Walker David Covenhoven, Garret Vanderveer, Richard Jeffery Aaron Davis and Joseph Brown good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths aforesaid, say that Cornelius McClease Jun<sup>r</sup>. late of the Township of Middletown in the said County Did join the Army of the King of Great Britain on or before the Sixteenth day of Feb<sup>ry</sup>. in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & Seventy Seven - and is an Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the Lawfull Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned, made and passed the eleventh day of December, One Thousand seven hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the Said Cornelius M<sup>c</sup>Clese Jun<sup>r</sup>. late of the Township of Middletown in the said County Did join the Army of the King of Great Britain on or before the Sixteenth day of Feb<sup>ry</sup>. in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & Seventy Seven In Testimony whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their hands and Seals, the day and year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.

K. Anderson Jun<sup>r</sup>

Jon<sup>r</sup>. Forman

Elisha Walton

John Walton

William Johnson

Joseph Clayton

Joseph Benham

Ge<sup>o</sup>. Walker

David Covenhoven

Garrit Vanderveer

Richard Jeffery

Aaron Davis

Joseph Brown



The State }  
ag<sup>t</sup> } Inq<sup>n</sup>.  
Cornelius M<sup>c</sup>Cleese Junr. }

Witness in behalf } Jos<sup>h</sup>. Browne John Brown Jon<sup>n</sup> Stout N<sup>r</sup> 40  
of the State Ag<sup>t</sup> }  
Corn<sup>s</sup>. McCleese Jun<sup>r</sup> }

April term 1782 Procla-  
mation made according  
to Law. Default made  
Court

July term 1782.  
2<sup>d</sup> Default.

cc

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Mercreau, Andrew**  
*(see entry for Campbell, Robert)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Parker, Nathaniel**

Monmouth County,

An Inquisition Taken and Made at Freehold in the Said County of Monmouth the ninth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Eight by the Oaths of - Thomas Forman Edward Taylor W<sup>m</sup>. Lemming Tho<sup>s</sup>. Cox John Cox Joseph Cox Michal Mount John Andrews, Luke Wickoff, James Green Steven Vankirk Andrew Bown John Craig David Forman

-  
Good and Lawful Men of the Said County, before Joseph Lawrence Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the Said County, Who upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, that Nathanal Parker Late of Shrewsbury in the County Afforesaid Did Since the forth Day of October one Thousand Seven Hundred & Seven Six & before the fifth day of June one Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy Eight Join the Army of the King of Great Brittain against the form of his Alleagiance to the State & against the Peace of this State, the Government and Dignity of the Same.

We Whos Names are hereunto Set, and Seals affixed Being the Jurors above named, do, upon the Evidence To Us Produced, Find the Inquisition afforesaid True.

[[Signatures follow]]

Jo <sup>s</sup> . Lawrence justice	Luke Wikoff
Thomas Forman	James Green
Leonard Taylor	John Cox
W <sup>m</sup> . Liming	
Tho <sup>s</sup> . Cox	Stephen Vankirk
Joseph Cox	Andrew Bowne
Michael Mount	John Craig
	David Forman

Called X

Nathaniel Parker by his own Confession

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Perrine, John, Jr.**  
*(see entry for Campbell, Robert)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

## **American Revolution**

### **Inquisition**

**Riker, Tobias**

*(see entry for Gillin, William)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Robins, Robert**



Monmouth County to Wit -

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the fifteenth day of January in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and eighty three by the Oaths of Elisha Walton, Joseph Clayton, Aaron Davis, William Johnston, Ebenezer Ker, Joseph Benham, Lewis M<sup>c</sup>Knight, John Walton, John Brindley, John Craig, John Campbell, David Covenhoven, Tunis VanDerveer-- good and Lawfull Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, that Robert Robins late of the Township of Upper Freehold within the said County of Monmouth did join the Army of the King of Great Britain about the first day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred and Eighty one and is an --

Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, Intituled an Act for forfeiting to, and Vesting in, the State of New Jersey, the Real Estates of certain fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of Determining and Satisfying the Lawfull Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein Mentioned, made & passed the eleventh Day of December 1778, in that the said Robert Robins did falsly and Traiterously join the said Army of the King of Great Britain against the form of his Allegiance

In Witness whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Jr  
Elisha Walton  
Joseph Clayton  
Aaron Davis  
William Johnson

Ebenezer Ker  
Joseph Benham  
Lewis Macknight  
John Walton  
John Brinley

John Craig  
John Campbell  
David Covenhoven  
Tunis Vanderveer

No. 5 -  
Jany term 1783 - Called  
three times And first default  
Ordered to be recorded.

The State        }  
    ag<sup>t</sup>            } Inquisition  
Robert Robins    }

2n<sup>d</sup> Def. made

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Rose, William**

MONMOUTH COUNTY, *to wit*,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the Twenty Eighth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Two by the Oaths of Kenneth Hankinson, Thomas Cook, John Davison, Lewis McKnight, Jeremiah Brown, Ebenezer Kerr, Jediah Davison, John Craig, James Tapscott, Benjamin Covenhoven, George Casler, Solomon Combs, Robert Laird good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, That William Rose Late of the Township of Middletown within the said County of Monmouth did join the Army of the King of Great Britain about the Twenty fifth day of Nov. in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Seventy Seven and is an

Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, *An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned*, made and passed the eleventh Day of *December*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the said William Rose did falsely and traterously join the Army of the said King of Great Britain against the form of his Allegiance----

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.	Jer. Brown	James Tapscott
Kenneth Hankinson	Ebenezer Ker	Benjamin Covenhoven
Thomas Cook	Jed <sup>h</sup> Davison	George Casner
John Davison		Solomon Combs
Lewis Macknight	John Craig	Robert Laird

The State        }  
  ag<sup>t</sup>            }  
William Rose    }

Inq<sup>n</sup>.

Witness        }  
ag<sup>t</sup>.            }  
Wil<sup>m</sup>. Rose    }

John Brown Son of Jo<sup>n</sup>. Brown

No. 4

Ap. term 1782. called according  
to Law. Default made  
First term

July term 1782.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Default.

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Salter, William**

Monmouth County to Wit -

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the fifteenth day of January in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven Hundred and eighty three by the Oaths of Elisha Walton, Joseph Clayton, Aaron Davis, William Johnston, Ebenezer Ker, Joseph Benham, Lewis Macknight, John Walton, John Brinley, John Craig, John Campble, David Covenhoven, Tunis VanDerveer-- good and Lawfull Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, that William Salter, /Son of Joseph Salter / late of the Township of Shrewsbury, within the said County of Monmouth did join the Army of the King of Great Britain about the Month of January , 1781, and is an -- Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, Intitled an Act for forfeiting to, and Vesting in, the State of New Jersey, the Real Estates of certain fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of Determining and Satisfying the Lawfull Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein Mentioned, made & passed the eleventh Day of December 1778, in that the said William Salter did falsely and Traiterously Join the said Army of the King of Great Britain against the form of his Allegiance

In Witness whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto Set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.

Elisha Walton

Joseph Clayton

Aaron Davis

William Johnson

Ebenezer Ker

Joseph Benham

Lewis Macknight

John Walton

John Brinley

John Craig

John Campbell

David Covenhoven

Tunis Vanderveer

Nº. 3

Jan<sup>y</sup> term 1783. Called  
three times - And first  
default ordered to be  
recorded.

The State	}	Inquisition
ag <sup>t</sup> .	}	
William Salter (son	}	
of Joseph Salter)	}	

2 Def<sup>t</sup>. made



**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

## **American Revolution**

### **Inquisition & Confiscation**

**Skinner, Courtland**  
*(see entry for Campbell, Robert)*

Monmouth, to wit, the State of New Jersey to John Stillwell Esquire Agent duly appointed for the said county on the part and behalf of the said State, to take and dispose of for the use and benefit of the same the estates of certain fugitives & offenders in the said County Greetings, Whereas lately that is to say of the Term of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & seventy eight - in the court of common Pleas held at New Brunswick in and for the said County of Middlesex before the Judges of the same court final judgement was had and entered in favour of the s<sup>d</sup>. State of New Jersey, pursuant to Law against Courtland Skinner late of the county of Middlesex, on an Inquisition found against the s<sup>d</sup>. Courtland Skinner for joining the Army of the king of Great Brittain and returned to the s<sup>d</sup>. court, as may fully appear of Record you are therefore command & enjoined to sell & dispose of all the Estate [[Real ??]] of what nature or kind so ever belonging or lately belonging to this s<sup>d</sup>. Courtland Skinner within the s<sup>d</sup>. county of Monmouth according to the direction of an act for forfeiting and vesting in the State of New Jersey the Real Estates of certain fugitives and offenders made and passed the Eleventh day of december in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy eight - Witness David Forman --Esquire Judge of the said court at Freehold the twenty eight day of July --- in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and Eighty Six ---

By the Court -

[[Signature follows]]

J S Shea Clk

The State }  
v }  
Courtland Skinner }

Process }  
v }  
lands }

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**

**County Clerk**

**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Skinner, Stephen**

*(see entry for Campbell, Robert)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Smith, David**

monmouth County      Called

An Inquisition Taken and made at freehold In the Said County of monmouth the tenth Day of June In the Year of our Lord one Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy Eight by the oaths of Joshua Andrewson, Peter holsarte garret Vandere Benjamin Covenhoven Cornelous vanderveer Daniel Wainright Zebulon Baird John Schenck Thomas Cox Thomas Edwards James mount John Covenhoven Alexandre montgomery Stofel longstreet good and lawfull men of the Said Countey. before Joseph Lawrence Esquire one of the Justices of the peace of the Said county who upon their oathes and aforesaid Say that David Smith late of Stafford or Dover In the County Aforesaid did Since the forth Day of October one Thousand Seven hundred and Seventey Six and before the fifth Day of June one Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy Seven to wit on or about the Eleventh day of January one Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy Seven Join the army of the king of Great Briton Against the forme of his Allegence of this Stait and against the peace of this Stait the government and Dignity of the Same. We whose Names are hereunto Set and Sels affixed being the Jurores above named Do upon the Evidence to us produced find the Inquisition Aforesaid true.

[[Signatures follow]]

Jo <sup>s</sup> . Lawrence justice	G. Vanderveer	Tho <sup>s</sup> Edwards
Joshua Anderson	Daniel Wainright	James Mount
Peter Holsart	Zebulon Baird	J <sup>n</sup> Covenhoven
Cornelius Vanderveer	John Schenck	Alexander Montgomery
Benj. Covenhoven	Thomas Cox Jun <sup>r</sup>	Stoffil Longstreet

Witness William Dillen  
agt. David Smith

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Smith, Jessey**



Monmouth County to Wit -

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the fifteenth day of January in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven Hundred and eighty three, by the Oaths of Elisha Walton, Joseph Clayton, Aaron Davis, William Johnston, Ebenezer Ker, Joseph Benham, Lewis Macknight, John Walton, John Brinley, John Craig, John Campble, David Covenhoven, Tunis VanDerveer-- good and Lawfull Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, One of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, that Jessey Smith, late of the Township of Shrewsbury, within the said County, of Monmouth, did Join the Army of the King of Great Brittain about the 1st of October, in the year of our Lord, One thousand Seven Hundred, and Eighty One, and is an --

Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, Intituled an Act for forfeiting to, and Vesting in, the State of New Jersey, the Real Estates of certain fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of Determining and Satisfying the Lawfull Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein Mentioned, made & passed the eleventh Day of December 1778, in that the said Jessey Smith, did falsely and Traiterously Join the said Army of the King of Great Brittain against the form of his Alegence

In Witness whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto Set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.

Elisha Walton

Joseph Clayton

Aaron Davis

William Johnson

Ebenezer Ker

Joseph Benham

Lewis Macknight

John Walton

John Brinley

John Craig

John Campbell

David Covenhoven

Tunis Vanderveer

No. 1  
Jan<sup>y</sup> term 1783. Called  
three times. but first  
default recorded.

The State	}	Inquisition
ag <sup>t</sup> .	}	
Jessee Smith	}	

2<sup>d</sup>. Default made

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Smith, Samuel**  
*(see entry for Campbell, Robert)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Stillwill, Mercy**

Monmouth County to Wit -

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the fifteenth day of January in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven Hundred and eighty three, by the Oaths of Elisha Walton, Joseph Clayton, Aaron Davis, William Johnston, Ebenezer Ker, Joseph Benham, Lewis M<sup>c</sup>Knight, John Walton, John Brindley, John Craig, John Campbell, David Covenhoven, & Tunis VanDerveer good and Lawfull Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, One of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, that Mercy Stillwill, late of the Township of Middle Town, within the same County of Monmouth, did join the Army of the King of Great Britain about the first day of January, in the year of our Lord, One thousand Seven Hundred, and Eighty One, and is an

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Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, Intituled an Act for forfeiting to, and Vesting in, the State of New Jersey, the Real Estates of certain fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of Determining and Satisfying the Lawfull Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein Mentioned, made & passed the eleventh Day of December 1778, in that the said Mercy Stillwill, did falsly and Traiterously Join the said Army of the King of Great Britain against the form of his Allegiance ----

In Witness whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto Set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman	Joseph Benham	John Campbell
Elisha Walton	Lewis Macknight	David Covenhoven
Joseph Clayton	John Walton	Tunis Vanderveer
Aaron Davis		
William Johnson	John Brinley	
Ebenezer Ker	John Craig	

No. 8

Jan<sup>y</sup> term 1783. Called  
three times And first  
default ordered to be  
recorded.

The State        } Inquisition  
  ag<sup>t</sup>.            }  
Mercy Stillwill }

Tho<sup>s</sup> Walling Ent. in Recognizance  
to Traverse &c.

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Stout, David**

MONMOUTH COUNTY, *to wit*,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the Twenty Eight Day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Two by the Oaths of Kenneth Anderson, Jonathan Forman, Elisha Walton, John Walton, William Johnston, Joseph Clayton, Joseph Benham, George Walker, David Covenhoven, Garret Vanderveer, Richard Jeffery Aaron Davis and Joseph Brown good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, That David Stout late of the Township of Middletown and County aforesaid did Join the Army of the King of Great Britain on or about the first day of March One Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Seven and is an Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, *An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned*, made and passed the eleventh Day of *December*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the said David Stout did falsly and Traterously Join the Army of the King of Great Britain against the form of his Allegiance.

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq	Joseph Clayton	Garrit Vanderveer
K. Anderson Jun <sup>r</sup>	Joseph Benham	Richard Jeffery
Jon <sup>t</sup> . Forman	George Walker	Aaron Davis
Elisha Walton	William Johnson	Joseph Brown
John Walton	David Covenhoven	



The State }  
ag<sup>t</sup> } Inq<sup>n</sup>.  
Jonathan Stout }

Witness for the State } Jos<sup>h</sup>. Brown John Browne Jont<sup>n</sup>. Stout No. 12  
ag<sup>t</sup>. David Stout }

called.

April term 1782 procla-  
mation made according  
to Law. Default made  
First court

July term 1782.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Default.

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Taylor, Lydia**

Monmouth County to Wit -

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the fifteenth day of January in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and eighty three by the Oaths of Elisha Walton, Joseph Clayton, Aaron Davis, W<sup>m</sup>. Johnson, Ebenezer Ker, Joseph Benham, Lewis Macknight, John Walton, John Brinley, John Craig, John Campble, David Covenhoven, Tunis VanDerveer-- good and Lawfull Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, that Lydia Taylor / wife of Morford Taylor/ late of the Township of Shrewsbury, within the said County of Monmouth, did join the Army of the King of Great Brittain, about the Month of November, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred & eighty and is an --

Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, Intituled an Act for forfeiting to, and Vesting in, the State of New Jersey, the Real Estates of certain fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of Determining and Satisfying the Lawfull debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein Mentioned, made & passed the eleventh Day of December 1778, in that the said Lydia Taylor did falsely and Traiterously join the said Army of the King of Great Brittain against the form of her Allegiance

In Witness whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.

Elisha Walton

Joseph Clayton

Aaron Davis

William Johnson

Ebenezer Ker

Joseph Benham

Lewis Macknight

John Walton

John Brinley

John Craig

John Campbell

David Covenhoven

Tunis Vanderveer

No. 4  
January term 1783 Called  
three times and first  
default ordered to be record-  
ed

The State        }  
  ag<sup>t</sup>            } Inquisition  
Lydia Taylor    }

2<sup>d</sup>. Def<sup>t</sup>. made

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Tilton, John**

Monmouth County,

An Inquisition Taken and Made at Freehold in the Said County of Monmouth the tenth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Eight by the Oaths of - Thomas Forman Edward Taylor William Lemming Thomas Cox John Cox Joseph Cox Michal Mount John Andrews, Luke Wickoff, James Green Steven Vankirk Andrew Bown John Craig David Forman -

Good and Lawfull Men of the Said County, before Joseph Lawrence Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the Said County, Who upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, that John Tilton Late of Middletown in the County afforesaid Did Since the forth Day of October one Thousand Seven Hundred & Seven Six & before the fifth day of June one Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy Eight Join the Army of the King of Great Brittain against the form of his Allegiance to this State & against the Peace of this State, the Government and Dignity of the Same.

We Whose Names are hereunto Set, & Seals affixed, being the Jurors above named, do, uppon the Evidence To Us Produced, Find the Inquisition afforesaid True.

[[Signatures follow]]

Jo <sup>s</sup> . Lawrence justice	Luke Wikoff
Thomas Forman	James Green
Leonard Taylor	John Cox
W <sup>m</sup> . Liming	
Tho <sup>s</sup> . Cox	Stephen Vankirk
Joseph Cox	Andrew Bowne
Michael Mount	John Craig
	David Forman

Witness {Willi<sup>m</sup> Parker

John Tilton - Called

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Vanmatra, Gilbert**



MONMOUTH COUNTY, *to wit*,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the Twenty Eighth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Two by the Oaths of Kenneth Anderson Jun<sup>r</sup>. Jonathan Forman, Elisha Walton, John Walton, William Johnson, Joseph Clayton, Joseph Benham, George Walker, David Covenhoven, Garret Vanderveer, Richard Jeffery, Aaron Davis, and Joseph Brown

good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, That Gilbert Vanmatra late of the Township of Freehold & County afore said did Join the Army of the King of Great Britain on or about the fifteenth day of March One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty one and is

an Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, *An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned*, made and passed the eleventh Day of *December*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the Said Gilbert Vanmatra did falsly and Traterously Join the Army of the King of Great Britain against the form of his Allegiance.

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.  
K. Anderson Jun<sup>r</sup>  
Jon<sup>r</sup>. Forman  
Elisha Walton  
John Walton

William Johnson  
Joseph Clayton  
Joseph Benham  
George Walker  
David Covenhoven

Garrit Vanderveer  
Richard Jeffery  
Aaron Davis  
Joseph Brown

The State                    }  
    ag<sup>t</sup>                        }  
Gilbert Vanmatra         } Inq<sup>n</sup>.

Witness for the State } Col<sup>e</sup>. Okey Wikcoff                    N<sup>r</sup> 5  
    ag<sup>t</sup>                        } Lewis Macnight  
Gilbert Vanmatra         }

Called according to Law. April  
term. First term. Default  
made

July term 1782.  
2<sup>d</sup> Default.

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Waln, Richard**

Know all men by these presents that I George Woodward of Chesterfield in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey am held & firmly Bound unto his Excellency William Livingston Esq<sup>r</sup>. his Heirs & Successors in the sum of one thousand pounds, to be paid unto the said William Livingston or his Certain Attorney his Heirs & Successors. To the which payment well & truly to be made I do bind myself my heirs Exrs, Adminrs. & every of them firmly by these presents. Sealed with my seal dated the fifth day of September Anno Domini One thousand seven hundred & seventy Eight.

Whereas Inquisition hath been found & taken against Richard Waln late of Uper Freehold in the County of Monmouth aforesaid for joining the Army of the King of Great Britain Now the Condition of this Obligation is such that if the said George Woodward shall traverse said Inquisition to Effect & pay all such Costs as shall be Awarded then this Obligation to be void Otherwise in force.

Sealed & Delivered  
in the presence of

[[Signature follows]]  
George Woodward

Chesterfield in the County of Burlington  
between the first & second lines and of Monmouth  
between the Eleventh & twelfth lines interlined  
before Execution

[[Signatures follow]]  
John Anderson  
John Anderson Jnr.

George Woodward }  
to } Bond  
his Excell<sup>y</sup>. W<sup>m</sup>. } £1000  
Livingston Esq<sup>r</sup>. }

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Wardell, John**

At an Inferior Court of Common Pleas held at Freehold in & for the County of Monmouth of the Term of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & seventy eight --

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> }  
October 1778 }

Present  
Joseph Laurence Esq<sup>r</sup> Judge  
Peter Forman Esq<sup>r</sup> }  
William Tapscott Esq<sup>r</sup> } Justices

The State }  
agt. } Inquisition for Joining the Army of the King  
John Wardell } of Great Britain -- made & returned in July  
Term Cort -

The Defendant being called William Wardell appeared in his behalf, and the Inquisition being read the same William Wardell pleaded that the Defend<sup>t</sup>. is not guilty [[illegible words]]

W<sup>m</sup> Paterson Att<sup>y</sup> Gen<sup>l</sup>.

At an Inferior Court of Common Pleas held at Freehold in & for the County of Monmouth January Term in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & seventy nine.

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> }  
January 1779 }

Present  
John Longstreet Esq<sup>r</sup> }  
Peter Forman Esq<sup>r</sup> } Judges

The State }  
v } Inqn for Joining the army of the King of Great Britain  
John Wardell } On Motion of [[?]] Att<sup>y</sup> Gen<sup>l</sup> Ordered that the Trial of this cause come on  
[[?]]Whereupon the Sheriff made return of the venue when the following person appeared as Jury Men  
& were Sworn Viz.

John Henderson	Jonathan Forman	Ebenezer Kerr
Joseph Bowne	Daniel Barcalow	Garret V <sup>n</sup> Derveer
William Covenhoven	John Truax	Samuel Wickoff
Albert Covenhoven	Michael Johnson	Luther Leffertson

The Att<sup>y</sup> Gen<sup>l</sup> &  
Wm Bloomfield council  
in behalf of the State  
three Witnesses sworn

M<sup>r</sup>. Wilcocks for Deft.

The Jury without going from the Jury Box say that they have agreed upon their Verdict, and by John Henderson their foreman say that they find the Defendant John Wardell guilty in the manner & form as he stands charged in the Inquisition and so they say all -----

I Certify that the foregoing is a true extract from the Record of the s<sup>d</sup> Court - In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Affixed the seal of the said Court this fifteenth day of April in the year seventeen hundred & eighty six ----

[[Signature follows]]

J. Shea

Clk



John Wardell  
Inq<sup>n</sup>

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Warne, Samuel**  
*(see entry for Campbell, Robert)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

## **American Revolution**

### **Inquisition**

### **White, Britten**

*(see entry for Gillin, William)*

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition & Confiscation**

**Williams, John**

Monmouth County to Wit -

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the fifteenth day of January in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and eighty three by the Oaths of Elisha Walton, Joseph Clayton, Aaron Davis, William Johnson, Ebenezer Ker, Joseph Benham, Lewis Macknight, John Walton, John Brinley, John Craig, John Campble, David Covenhoven, Tunis VanDerveer-- good and Lawfull Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, that John Williams, Late of the Township of Shrewsbury, within the said County of Monmouth, Did Join the Army of the King of Great Brittain, about the first day of October, in the Year of our Lord one thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Seven, and is an --

Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, Intituled an Act for forfeiting to, and Vesting in, the State of New Jersey, the Real Estates of certain fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of Determining and Satisfying the Lawfull Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein Mentioned, made & passed the eleventh Day of December 1778, in that the said John Williams did falsely and Treaterously Join the said Army of the King of Great Brittain against the form of his Allegiance

In Witness whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.

Elisha Walton

Joseph Clayton

Aaron Davis

William Johnson

Ebenezer Ker

Joseph Benham

Lewis Macknight

John Walton

John Brinley

John Craig

John Campbell

David Covenhoven

Tunis Vanderveer

N<sup>o</sup>. 2  
Jan<sup>y</sup> term 1783 Called  
three times. And first  
default Ordered to be record-  
ed.

The State }  
ag<sup>t</sup> } Inq<sup>n</sup>.  
John Williams }

The State }  
v } Inquisition  
John Williams }

James Williams ent<sup>d</sup>. in  
recognizance to Traverse &c

Monmouth County, to wit, the state of New Jersey to John Stillwell Esq<sup>r</sup> Agent duly appointed for the s<sup>d</sup>. county on the part and behalf of the said State to take and dispose of, for the use & Benifit of the same the Estates of certain fugitives & Offenders in the said County Greetings - Whereas lately that is to say of the term of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy eight - in the court of common pleas held at Freehold in and for the said county of Monmouth, before the Judges of the same court final Judgement was had & entered in favour of the said state of New Jersey pursuant to Law against John Williams sen<sup>r</sup>. late of Freehold in the County afs<sup>d</sup> on an Inquisition found against the s<sup>d</sup>. John Williams for going into the lines of the Enemy [[??]] and returned to the s<sup>d</sup>. court as may fully appear of Record - You are therefore commanded and enjoined to sell and dispose of all the Estate Real of what nature or kind soever belonging or lately belonging to the s<sup>d</sup>. John Williams within the said county of Monmouth according to the direction of an act for forfeiting to & vesting in the state of New Jersey the Real Estates of certain fugitives and offenders made & passed the Eleventh day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Seventy eight - Witness David Forman Esq<sup>r</sup>. Judge of the s<sup>d</sup>. court at Freehold afs<sup>d</sup>. the twenty eight day of July seventeen hundred and Eighty Six -

By the Court

[[Signature follows]]  
J Shea            Clk

The State } Pn.  
v } v  
John Williams Sen<sup>r</sup>. } [[??]]

July Term 1786



**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Confiscation**

**Williams, John, Jr.**

Monmouth County, to wit, the state of New Jersey to John Stillwell Esq<sup>r</sup> Agent duly appointed for the s<sup>d</sup>. county on the part and behalf of the s<sup>d</sup>. State to take and dispose of, for the use & benifit of the same the Estates of certain fugitives and offenders in the s<sup>d</sup>. county Greetings - Whereas lately that is to say of the term of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy eight - in the court of common pleas held at Freehold in and for the said county of Monmouth, before the Judges of the same court final Judgement was had & Entered in favour of the s<sup>d</sup>. state of New Jersey pursuant to Law against John Williams Jun<sup>r</sup>. of Shrewsbury in the County afs<sup>d</sup> on an Inquisition found against the s<sup>d</sup>. John Williams Jun<sup>r</sup>. for going into the lines of the Enemy [[??]] and returned to the said court as may fully appear of Record - You are therefore commanded and enjoined to sell and dispose of all the Estate Real of what nature or kind soever belonging or lately belonging to the John Williams Jun<sup>r</sup>. within the said county of Monmouth according to the direction of an act for forfeiting to and vesting in the state of New Jersey the Real Estates of certain fugitives and offenders made and passed the eleventh day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Seventy eight - Witness David Forman Esq<sup>r</sup>. Judge of our said court at Freehold the twenty eight day of July seventeen hundred and Eighty Six -

By order of the Court

[[Signature follows]]

J Shea                      Clk

The State	}	Pn.
v	}	v
John Williams Jun <sup>r</sup> .	}	[[??]]

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Williams, Joseph**

MONMOUTH COUNTY, *to wit*,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the Twenty Eighth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Two by the Oaths of Kenneth Hankinson, Thomas Cook, John Davison, Lewis McKnight, Jeremiah Brown, Ebenezer Ker, Jediah Davison, George Casteler, James Tapscott, John Craig, Benjamin Covenhoven, Solomon Combs, Robert Laird good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, That Joseph Williams Late of Shrewsbury & County aforesaid did Join the Army of the King of Great Britain on or about the first day of December one thousand seven hundred and Eighty and is an

Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, *An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned*, made and passed the eleventh Day of *December*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the said Joseph Williams did falsly and Traterously Join the Army of the King of Great Britain against the form of his Allegiance----

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq.	Jere Brown	Benjamin Covenhoven
Kenneth Hankinson	Ebenezer Ker	George Casner
Thomas Cook	Jed <sup>h</sup> Davison	Solomon Combs
John Davison	John Craig	Robert Laird
Lewis Macknight	James Tapscott	

The State }  
ag<sup>t</sup> } Inq<sup>n</sup>.  
Joseph Williams }

Witness for the }  
State ag<sup>t</sup>. } Asaa Wooly } No. 8  
Joseph Williams }

April term 1782  
Proclamation made accord-  
ing to Law. Default  
First Court

July term 1782.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Default.

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Williams, Obediah**

MONMOUTH COUNTY, *to wit*,

An Inquisition taken and made at Freehold in the said County, the Twenty Eight Day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Two by the Oaths of Kenneth Anderson, Johnathan Forman, Elisha Walton, John Walton, William Johnston, Joseph Clayton, Joseph Benham, George Walker, David Covenhoven, Garret Vanderveer, Richard Jeffery, Aaron Davis and Joseph Brown good and lawful Men of the said County, before David Forman Esquire, one of the Justices of the Peace of the said County, who, upon their Oaths aforesaid, say, That Obediah Williams late of the Township of Shrewsbury and County afore said, did Join the Army of the King of Great Britain on or about the first day of April one Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty and is an Offender, in Manner as is described in an Act of the General Assembly, intituled, *An Act for forfeiting to, and vesting in, the State of New-Jersey, the Real Estates of certain Fugitives and Offenders, and for directing the Mode of determining and satisfying the lawful Debts and Demands which may be due from, or made against such Fugitives and Offenders, and for other Purposes therein mentioned*, made and passed the eleventh Day of *December*, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-eight, in that the said Obediah Williams did falsly and Traterously Join the Army of the King of Great Britain against the form of his Allegiance.

IN WITNESS whereof the said Jurors, and also the said Justice, have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, the Day and Year first above-written.

[[Signatures follow]]

David Forman Esq	William Johnson	Garrit Vanderveer
K. Anderson Jun <sup>r</sup>	Joseph Clayton	Richard Jeffery
Jon <sup>t</sup> . Forman	Joseph Benham	Aaron Davis
Elisha Walton	George Walker	Joseph Brown
John Walton	David Covenhoven	



The State }  
ag<sup>t</sup> } Inq<sup>n</sup>.  
Obediah Williams }

Witness for the }  
State ag<sup>t</sup>. } Sam<sup>l</sup>. Cooper No. 7  
Obediah Williams }

April term 1782 Procla-  
mation made according  
to Law.

July term 1782.  
2<sup>nd</sup> Default.

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Woodward, Anthony**

Know all men by these presents that I George Woodward of Chesterfield in the County of Burlington and State of New Jersey am held & firmly Bound unto his Excellency William Livingston Esqr. his Heirs & Successors in the sum of one thousand pounds, to be paid to the said William Livingston or his Certain Attorney his Heirs & Successors. To the which payment well & truly to be made I do bind myself my heirs Ex<sup>ts</sup>, Adminrs. and every of them firmly by these presents. Sealed with my seal dated the fifth day of September Anno Domini One thousand seven hundred & seventy Eight.

Whereas Inquisition hath been found & taken against Anthony Woodward late of Uper Freehold in the County of Monmouth aforesaid for joining the Army of the King of Great Britain Now the Condition of this Obligation is such that if the said George Woodward shall traverse said Inquisition to Effect & pay all such Costs as shall be Awarded then this Obligation to be void Otherwise in force.

Sealed & Delivered  
in the presence of

[[Signature follows]]  
George Woodward

Chesterfield in the County of Burlington  
[[??]] Between the first second lines and  
of Monmouth Between the Eleventh  
twelfth line interlined before Execution

[[Signatures follow]]  
John Anderson  
John Anderson Jnr.

George Woodward }  
to } Bond  
his Excell<sup>y</sup>. W<sup>m</sup>. Living } £1000  
ston Esq<sup>r</sup>. }

**COUNTY OF MONMOUTH**  
**County Clerk**  
**Archives**

**American Revolution**

**Inquisition**

**Woodward, Thomas Lewis**

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas Lewis Woodward and Joseph Mairs of Upper Freehold in the County of Monmouth and State of New Jersey are held & firmly Bound unto his Excellency William Livingston Esq<sup>r</sup>. his Heirs & Successors in the sum of One Thousand Pounds Current money of said State To be paid to the said William Livingston his certain Attorney his Successors or Assigns. To the which payment well & truly to be made we do bind ourselves our heirs Executors Administrators & every of them Jointly severally and firmly. Sealed with our seals dated the Twenty Eighth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & seventy Eight.

Whereas Inquisition hath been found & taken against the Above Bounden Thomas Lewis Woodward for joining the Army of the King of Great Britain Now the Condition of this Obligation is such that if the said Thomas Lewis Woodward shall Traverse said Inquisition found against said Thomas to Effect and pay all such Costs as Shall be Awarded in case Judgment shall be given against the said Thomas Lewis Woodward then this Obligation to be void Otherwise in force.

Sealed & Delivered  
in the presence of  
[[Signatures follow]]  
Elizabeth Anderson  
W<sup>m</sup>. Anderson Jun<sup>r</sup>.

[[Signature follows]]  
Thos. Lewis Woodward  
Joseph Meirs

Tho<sup>s</sup> L. Woodward }  
Jo<sup>s</sup> Mairs }  
to } Bond  
his Excell<sup>y</sup> W<sup>m</sup> } £1000  
Livingston Esq<sup>f</sup> }  
[1778]