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The Vestry of St. James's Parish
To the Revd. P. F. Smith Dr.

To half of the Rent of the Glebe at the church for the year 1816 (said rent recd. was 985 lbs. Crop Tobacco sold at $9 pr cwt. and cask $1.) is $89.65 } $44.82 1/2

August 28th 1817 Received of Thomas Sellman the sum of Forty four dollars, eighty two and an half cents in full of the above acct.

Purnell F. Smith

At a meeting of the Vestry and Parishioners of St. James's Parish at the Parish Church on Easter Monday the 23rd day of March 1818

Were present Thomas Sellman, Jos. G. Harrison and John H. Lillard } Vestymen

And several of the Parishioners, It being the day appointed by Law to Elect a Vestry and Church Wardens they first balloted out four of the old Vestry to wit: Rezin Estep, Virgil Mayey, Henry A. Hall and Thomas Longne Jr. they then Re-Elected the said Rezin Estep, Virgil Mayey, Henry A. Hall and Thomas Longne ~~Junr. Vestrymen for the~~ ensuing year, and Re-Elected William H. Hall Junr. and Alexander Murray church Wardens.

The Vestry of St. James's Parish.
To Philip Pindell Junr. Dr.

1818
June 23rd To 48 pannell of post and railing @ 75¢ each is $ 36.
" 2 Gates @ $4. upsetting 4 pannells 75¢ 8.75
" 2 strips on gate posts 25 .25
dressing 2 gate posts 1.25 taking up 2 gate posts 1.50 2.75
fitting and hanging 2 gates 1.25
2 buttons 12 1/2
$ 49. 12 1/2

June 24th 1818 Received of Thomas Sellman the sum of forty nine dollars twelve and an half cents in full for the above acct.

Philip Pindell Junr.

The Vestry of St. James's Parish at a meeting on Easter Monday 1817, authorised Daniel Murray to advertise for a Minister to officiate in said Parish and in November 1818 the Revd. Thomas Horrell commenced the duties as Rector of said Parish for one year. for which the Vestry agrees to give him the sum of $800.

February 19th 1819

At a Special meeting of the Vestry of St. James's Parish at the Parish Church were present

Daniel Murray
Henry A. Hall
Jos. G. Harrison
John H. Lillard and
Thomas Longne Junr.

The object of the meeting is to appoint a proper person to attend to the repairs at the Glebe, of the Houses and Garden when the Revd. Thomas Horrell was appointed (the Vestry at a special meeting last fall made an estimate of the probable amount of said repairs the estimate was made at eight hundred dollars, which sum the Vestry are to furnish Mr. Horrell with to go on with said repairs, and in case there should be more than sufficient to complete said repairs, Mr. Horrell will keep an acct. and render a statement to the Vestry of the expences, and the surplus money, if any, to be refunded to the Vestry.