

Clerk's Loose Papers
Prince William County to wit

We Seymour Lynn, Basil Brawner and Charles E. Norman justices of said county, by authority of the annexed writing of two physicians, and the first section of an act passed March the 24th 1853. Do hereby constitute and appoint a certain house on the land of Joseph Janney as a house of refuge or hospital for the present, for such persons to be taken as is contemplated by said act, and the laws regulating the same, and Dr. E. K. Ellis is hereby appointed physician and health officer for said institution and Thomas J. Smoot superintendant, to do and perform such things not contrary to law.

Given under our hands this 16th of Feb 1855

S. Lynn J.P.

B. Brawner J.P.

C. E. Norman J.P.