

1808-11

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY
CHANCERY PAPERS

SIMMONS' ORPHANS

vs. SIMMONS, WIDOW 2/1808

other SURNAMES:
Simons, Pope Cook

Simmons orphans

at 3 chgs
Simmons

July 1808 Report
of the Lawrence family

Simmons & Co. Boston

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Miss Chaney

Simmons & Co. Boston

Nov. 1798.

At a court of quarterly Session
county of Southampton the 20th

John Simmons defendant of John
by Thomas Dopes and Lazarus Cook
friends -

against

Patience Simmons widow and
of the P. John Simmons decd.

This cause was do
parties heard on the bill and a
whereof it is decreed and ordered
kindred Jones Bryant and John
them allot apiece and set apart
down in the lands of John Simm
and make sale of the slave in the
credit of nine months and taking
payable to the said P.

things to John Simmons the complainant or his guardian
and equally divide the residue of the personal estate
between the said Patience and the said John Simmons
the court and make report of their proceedings to this
court in order to a final decree

Wm Hobbs Dec 20

In Obedience to a decree of the Honorable Court of South-
ampton ~~Court~~ to us directed & hereto annexed we have
had a part to Patience Simons Widow of John Sim.
dec^d her dower in the Lands of the said John Simmons
dec^d. Viz. beginning at a white oak in Simon Everetts
line thence along a line of marked trees to an Oak post
near the Apple Orchard thence a direct line to a gum
standing in a small branch above the mill thence
up the Branch to Lazarus Cooks line thence along
said Cooks line to Simon Everetts line thence along
his line to the beginning - we have also made sale
of the negro in the said decree mentioned to Patience
Simmons for one hundred & twenty pounds twelve Shillings
Forty pounds four Shillings of which we have p^d to the
said Patience & the remaining Eighty pounds twelve
Shillings have since paid unto Nathaniel Robertsons
Guardian of the said John Simmons as will appear
by his receipt below Given under our hands tenth
day of August 1803

James Kea
John Hindrod
John Boykin

Dec^d 10 August 1803 of James Kea John Hindrod & John Boykin
Commissioners for making Sale of a Negro belonging to the estate of John
Simmons dec^d. a Negro for Eighty pounds twelve Shillings interest from the first.
day of Dec^r 1799 Nathaniel Robertson Guardian

Simmons v. Opham

Southampton Feb. Court 1805

by

J. in chancery

Simmons's widow

I Be it remembered that this cause this day came on to be heard on the bid and answer and report of the commissioners, to divide the lands and real estate of John Simmons decd. this day made their report which was made final by said Courts decision - To which report the defendant by his attorney excepts and prays the Court to sign and seal these his exceptions

which are accordingly signed and sealed
by the Court

John C. Seal
Secy. Seal

Wm. Brown Seal

James Kwin Seal