

1810-018

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY
CHANCERY PAPERS

SCOTT

VS. WRIGHT

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OTHER SURNAMES: Joyner,
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Scott

vs

Wright

} Bill

February 1810 Inty

Decree

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To the honorable the County Court of Southampton sitting in Chancery
humbly complaining sheweth unto your worship your Orator James
Scott. That a certain David Wright late of Southampton County
deceased this life ^{intestate} about years ago. leaving a considerable land
estate in said County a widow Sarah Wright, and the follow-
ing Children namely William Wright (now dead) Job Wright, Lydia
Wright wife of Isaac Wright late Lydia Wright, Fanny Camp
Wright wife of George Camp late Fanny Wright, Christian Wright
wife of Baker Wright late Christian Wright and Joseph Wright
That said Camp and Fanny his wife, Isaac Wright and
Lydia his wife, Baker Wright and Christian his wife William
Wright in his lifetime and Joseph Wright all sold their whole
and sole right title claims and demand in or to said lands
as at least the same plantation to Job Wright which may be more
fully understood by reference to the deed of conveyance made by
the aforesaid heirs to said Job Wright recorded in the office of this Court
dated the day of in the year of our Lord
and proved to be taken as a part of this Bill, and that
the said Job Wright afterwards to wit, on the day of
in the year of our Lord sold and conveyed the said main
plantation, the land and appurtenances unto your Orator for
a valuable consideration as will more fully and satisfactorily
appear by reference to the deed of said Job to your
Orator bearing date the day last above written, and referred to
as a part of this bill also. But now so it is may it please
the Court that Sarah Wright the widow of said David Wright has
taken possession of the whole of said land and appurtenances and
forcibly holds them from your complainant, notwithstanding your
Orator has repeatedly offered to induce her of one full third part, but
she refuses and utterly denies being her third. Wherefore
as these are matters only releasable in a Court of equity your
Orator prays the intervention of this Court that they may appoint
commissioners to lay off and apportion to said Sarah Wright as
widow of said David Wright, in third part of the land purchased

by your orator of Job Wright which formerly belonged
 to David Wright. That your honor ^{permits} said Sarah Wright
 be made defendant and respondent to this bill. and on
 her corporate oath answer all and singular the
 allegations therein contained and say if they are not true
 and ~~in said Sarah Wright is in the constant habit of putting~~
~~out and cutting down said land and doing other waste~~
~~or in the entire tract of said land he further prays that~~
~~your worship enjoin and restrain her from cutting down~~
~~or doing any other waste on said land or running or passing any other~~
~~fence to the same. That your worship grant such other~~
 further relief as is consistent with equity and good conscience
 May it please the Court to grant injunctions and the common
 writ of Subpoena.

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The answer of Sarah Wright widow and relict of David
 Wright deceased, late of Southwicks, to a bill in Chy exhibited by her husband
 This respondent saving and reserving to her self all and all manner
 of exceptions to the complaining use for the errors &c. therein contained
 says that she denies not that the truth of all the allegations
 contained in said bill, is willing to be indorsed of one third part
 of the land &c in said bill mentioned and will set out with pleasure
 to the judgment of this Court prays hence to be decreed &c.

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vs. Lecky
Wright

Order that Anna Payson Lecky Payson Elston
Lewis and Harry Cobb. or any three of them lay off
and divide the plantation and land whereon David Wright
formerly lived (or at least that part bought by James Scott
of Job Wright) into three equal parts having regard
to quality and quantity, and assign to the widow Sarah
Wright the choice one of said thirds as her dower for
life and make up the fee.

I hereby certify the Court of the County of Southampton
that I am willing the said Court should appoint men
to lay off and establish my Dower of a certain ~~part~~ of
land which my son Jos Wright sold to James Scott
in witness whereof I hereunto set my hand this 18th day
of November One thousand eight hundred and nine

Set in
James W. + Scott
Joseph
Wright

her
Sarah Wright
marks

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Knight }

March C. 1810. P. 10.

In conformity to the annexed decree, We the Commissioners, Amos
Joyner, Lemuel Joyner, Elisha Lewis and Hardy Cobb; have
laid off and divided the lands and plantation whereas David Wright
formerly lived (or at least that part bought by James Cook of Job Wright)
into three equal shares or divisions, having had regard to quality as
well as quantity; and have agreed to David Wright's widow Sarah
one third part thereof or her dower for life, To wit, Beginning
at a pine a corner tree near a small Branch and the field off
of Lemuel Joyner; thence westwardly a line of marked trees through
the orchard to a mulberry post planted by us at another corner; thence
southwardly a straight line (marked) to a pine; thence westwardly
a straight line of marked trees to a pine near the branch dividing
the lands of James Cook aforesaid and Josiah Sturtevant; a corner tree
also thence up said Branch to the first mentioned corner
tree. Given under our hands as Commissioners aforesaid this
26th day of February 1810.

Amos Joyner

Lemuel Joyner
his mark

Elisha Lewis

Hardy Cobb

Scott
vs
Wright } Anty divorce

February 2 1810

Southampton February Court 1810

James Scott ----- Compt

vs
Sarah Wright, widow of David Wright (Deft)

This cause was this day docketed by
Court Heard on the bill and answers On Consi-
deration whereof the court decree and Order that
Amos Joiner Samuel Joiner Elisha Lewis and
Hardy Cobb or any three of them lay off and
divide the lands and plantation whereof David
Wright formerly lived (or at least that part bought
by James Scott of Job Wright) into three equal
parts having regard to quality as well as quantity
and assign to the Widow Sarah Wright the defend-
ant one third as her dower for life and make report
to court in Order to a final decree

Teste

Sam Yello