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SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY
CHANCERY PAPERS

MARKS VS. RIDLEY'S ADMINISTRATORS

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other surnames: Parker, Goodwyne

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Ridley's admn

Mason

May 1827 J. J. Deane

(Deane's Copies)

To the worshipful the County Court of Southampton
sitting in Chancery: Humbly complaining shew unto
your worships, your Compts, Susan Marks, who is
an infant of tender years by Wm Parker her friend
and next friend, that Joseph Marks, late of this
County, her father departed this life intestate, lea-
-ving no widow, and no other child besides her
self - That this Court granted adm^r of his Estate
to one Francis Ridley, who ac.^d the same, and
settled the debts, but departed this life without
ever having settled his debts on the said Estate.
That adm^r with the will annexed on the said
Francis Ridley's Estate was granted by this Court,
to Dr Wm B. Goodwyne and Thomas Ridley, who
have in their hands the vouchers as well as the
remaining property of your Compts ac.^d father's
estate. That your Compts are anxious for a
settlement of the said Estate - but so it is may it
please the Court, no such Settlement can be com-
-pelled, without the interposition of this worshipful
Court sitting in Equity. In tender consideration
whereof, and forasmuch as your Compts is
remediless at Law, and only releivable in this
Court, where such matters are peculiarly cogni-
zable. To the end that the said Goodwyne and
Ridley as adm^rs with the will annexed of the
said Francis Ridley ac.^d may be made
Defendants hereto and compelled to answer
the allegations hereof. she prays the Comts

writ of Sh^o directed sh. commanding sh. that your
writings will decree that the said Def^s exhibit
to this Court, thro' its proper officer, a fair & full
acc^t of the administrative transactions of their Testator
on the said Joseph Marks's Estate, and that they
pay to your Compt. the bal. which may appear
to be due thereon - that you will grant her
such other and gen^l relief as may be consis-
tent with Equity & the nature of her case - and
as in duty bound, she will ever pray sh.

The joint answer of Wm^o Goodwyn & Thos. Ridley
to the foregoing bill of Compt. These Respondents
saying sh. for answer to the said bill say, that
they cannot deny its allegations, and have no ob-
jection to the decree prayed for - and having
answered, they pray to be hence dismissed as
Mason for Def^s.

Marks. by next friend. Pl^{ffs}.
against.

Wm^o B. Goodwyn & Thos. Ridley adm^{rs} with the } In Chy.
will annexed of Thos. Ridley dec^d who was }
adm^r of Joseph Marks dec^d ————— Def^t.

This cause was this day docketed by consent of
parties with the assent of the Court, and came on
to be heard on the Bill and answer, and was argued
by counsel. On consideration whereof, the Court doth
adjudge, order and decree, that Master Cth.
do audit, settle, and report to the Court, an account

of the said Francis Ridley's adm^r of Joseph Marks dec^d's
estate - with such matters specially stated, which he may
deem pertinent, or which either of the parties may require
to be so stated -